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Open house

Designer Michael Anastassiades shows us around his SE1 address in London

Whether it's an impeccably-balanced light sculpture or a cleanly-crafted brass vase, the designs of Greek-born, London-based Michael Anastassiades are the perfect synthesis of minimal modernism. This month sees the opening of his gallery space on Lower Marsh Street in London's Waterloo. The gallery occupies part of the ground floor of the Victorian terraced house, which has been Anastassiades' base for the past 15 years. We take a look at how, with the help of Belgian architect Wim de Mul, the house has evolved into the pitch-perfect model of live-work-retail space for the contemporary designer. www.michaelanastassiades.com



1. Top floor
Recently added, this level is designated as Anastassiades' thinking space, with floor-to-ceiling windows and a view of the London Eye



3. First floor
The kitchen is custom-made, using mahogany that was discarded when County Hall was renovated 15 years ago



2. Second floor
Home to the bedroom and main bathroom. The parquet flooring was salvaged from nearby London County Hall



4. First floor
The conservatory, at the far end of the kitchen, was built nine years ago and leads out onto a balcony



5. Back ground floor
The studio is the heart of the business, accommodating a team of four, and shelves of books, sketches and models



6. Front ground floor
Formerly rented out as a retail space, the space has been remoulded into Anastassiades' own gallery/showroom



7. Basement
The sculptural staircase, inspired by designer Carlo Scarpa, leads to a basement guest room

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