

Best Kitchen Products 2017 Trends Report

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Today we are showcasing some of the best kitchen products for 2017 in our annual Kitchen Designs' trends report. January is a great time for the design industry. It began with the US Kitchen and Bath Industry Show and International Builder's Show in Orlando followed by IMM Cologne/Living Kitchen in Germany. We enjoy visiting industry shows to share kitchen design trends we are seeing in the Long Island and New York City area and to meet with designers and manufacturers to discuss what's trending in Europe and across the United States. The next show coming up in April is EuroCucina, the International Kitchen Furniture Exhibition in Milan. I have a lot to share and tons of photos, so grab a cup of coffee and hang out with me for a bit.

1. Lighter shades of grey cabinetry & light/dark combos.

I would call these deeper shades of white. Grey is still popular, but the new whites we are seeing may only have a touch of grey. They are still light, but they are not a blaring white. Believe it or not, we have dozens of shades of white to choose from. We are continuing to see pairings of light and dark cabinets. Our designers are known to combine lighter shades with black, midnight blue, green, or dark brown cabinetry for a sophisticated style. High contrast cabinetry is one of our favorite looks, and these dark/light combinations look amazing when you add a pop of color to the design. Greenery, the Pantone Color of the Year for 2017, looks great in this palette.

10. Custom Storage that Makes the Most of Space Available.

People want things to be designed smarter. A good design will incorporate the best kitchen products for your budget with storage that perfectly suits your needs. Efficiency is one of the main things clients are asking our designers to help them with here on Long Island and in NY city. The kitchen has become more customized as a multi-purpose workroom with so many different activities centering around the space.

This is one of the best kitchen products we found at KBIS to maximize storage

Occasionally new designs come along that are game changers in terms of life enhancement. For example, this space-saving 7-bottle skinny wine cooler from YinoTem is new for 2017. It features a standard under-counter height and depth wine refrigerator that is ONLY 8.5" wide. This is one of the best kitchen products we've seen, and we cannot wait to incorporate it into our designs. See more customized storage solutions here.

