



RACHEL BLINDAUER INTERIOR DESIGN

# *The Whole-Home Organization Planner*

ORGANIZATION ISN'T ABOUT PERFECTION. IT'S ABOUT  
CREATING RHYTHM, CALM, AND EASE—SO THAT YOUR HOME  
WORKS FOR YOU, NOT AGAINST YOU.



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# Using This *Planner*

This is more than a checklist—it's a lens. A way to see your home not by what it holds, but by how it holds you. Use it to bring form and flow to your routines, room by room.

Inside you will find:

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- ☐ Lifestyle-aligned prompts
  - ☐ Space-by-space layouts for clarity and rhythm
  - ☐ Budget ranges to guide investment with intention
  - ☐ Rachel's vetted systems that elevate and endure
  - ☐ Design notes to help storage disappear into beauty
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*Begin where the friction lives—or where you feel the most potential.*

# Where to Begin?

Use this Whole Home worksheet to surface the quiet chaos. Circle yes or no. What needs more clarity?

|                        | <i>Declutter Needed</i> |    | <i>System Exists?</i> |    | <i>Needs Redesign?</i> |    |
|------------------------|-------------------------|----|-----------------------|----|------------------------|----|
| Entry/Hallway          | Yes                     | No | Yes                   | No | Yes                    | No |
| Living Room            | Yes                     | No | Yes                   | No | Yes                    | No |
| Dining Room            | Yes                     | No | Yes                   | No | Yes                    | No |
| Kitchen                | Yes                     | No | Yes                   | No | Yes                    | No |
| Primary Bedroom        | Yes                     | No | Yes                   | No | Yes                    | No |
| Guest Bedroom          | Yes                     | No | Yes                   | No | Yes                    | No |
| Home Office            | Yes                     | No | Yes                   | No | Yes                    | No |
| Bathroom               | Yes                     | No | Yes                   | No | Yes                    | No |
| Basement               | Yes                     | No | Yes                   | No | Yes                    | No |
| Closet/Storage Systems | Yes                     | No | Yes                   | No | Yes                    | No |
| Outdoor Living Space   | Yes                     | No | Yes                   | No | Yes                    | No |

*"The right closet system turns chaos into calm—and makes mornings 10x better."*

# Closet Planning

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Closet Type:

☐ Walk-in   ☐ Reach-in   ☐ Wardrobe Cabinet

What's not working?

How do you want it to feel?

Key items to prioritize:

☐ Shoes   ☐ Jewelry   ☐ Bags  
☐ Everyday   ☐ Staples   ☐ Seasonal Rotation

Budget Considerations: \$1,000–\$3,000+

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RACHEL RECOMMENDS:

- ☐ Elfa Decor+ from The Container Store – Clean, modular, and surprisingly elevated
- ☐ IKEA PAX System – Budget-friendly and endlessly customizable
- ☐ California Closets – Luxe, bespoke storage with architectural presence

# Pantry Planning

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Pantry Type:

☐

Walk-in

☐

Reach-in

☐

Cabinet

What disrupts your flow here?

*Must*-have zones (baking, snacks, overflow):

Container preference:

☐

Clear Acrylic

☐

Woven

☐

Ceramic

Budget Considerations: \$1,200–\$5,000+

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RACHEL RECOMMENDS:

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Williams-Sonoma Storage – Marble, glass, and brass

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Rig-Tig by Stelton – Scandinavian refinement

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Marie Kondo – from The Container Store

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Crate & Barrel Modern Pantry – Textured and tactile

# Garage Storage

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Currently Stored:

☐ Seasonal Decor

☐ Tools

☐ Sports Gear

☐ Overflow

☐ Other:

Zones Needed:

☐ Wall Storage

☐ Cabinetry

☐ Overhead

Budget Considerations: \$2,000–\$7,000+

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RACHEL RECOMMENDS:

☐ Gladiator Garage Works – Sleek, steel, structured

☐ Elfa Garage (The Container Store) – Customizable and clean-lined

# *Basement Storage*

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Is it finished? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Functional Zones:

☐ Storage ☐ Office ☐ Play ☐ Workshop

Bins: ☐ Clear ☐ Opaque ☐ Labeled

Conceal shelves with curtain/panels? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Add lighting or rugs to define areas? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Budget Considerations: \$2,000–\$12,000+

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RACHEL RECOMMENDS:

☐ PAX / HASVIK Wardrobe – Sliding door sophistication

☐ PAX / STORKLINTA Wardrobe Combo – Structured, smart, serene

AS WE LIKE TO SAY

# *A beautiful home is a supported life.*

*“Design is what you see.  
Organization is what holds it together.”*

*“Most clutter isn’t stuff. It’s indecision.”*

# *What it's like to Organize with a Pro*

*Working with a designer isn't about rules—it's about release.  
It's giving yourself permission to stop guessing.*

*I listen to how you live and translate it into systems that work  
without shouting. The end result isn't just prettier storage. It's  
a home that breathes easier.*

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## *Rachel's Edit: Favorite Tools & Sources*

- Best Clear Bin: OXO from The Container Store
  - Most Beautiful Basket: Seagrass from Crate & Barrel
  - Drawer Organizer That Disappears: Marie Kondo Bamboo
  - Go-To Pantry Labels: Open Spaces or custom vinyl
  - Multi-Purpose Shelf: IKEA BROR or Wayfair Utility
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## *Clarity Isn't Always a Label*

A client once told me her closet made her anxious. Not because it was messy—but because she didn't know where to start. We didn't add more shelves. We removed decisions. And suddenly, her space felt like an exhale.

# 7 Day *Rhythm*

Start with just 20 minutes a day and shift your home's energy.

Sending you ease and grace to:

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- ☐ Day 1: Choose your highest-friction zone (closet, junk drawer, garage)
- ☐ Day 2: Remove what doesn't belong—no decisions, just relocate
- ☐ Day 3: Figure out/sketch how you want this space to function
- ☐ Day 4: Group like items with like items (by task or purpose)
- ☐ Day 5: Browse Rachel's storage recommendations
- ☐ Day 6: Layer in lighting, texture, and containment
- ☐ Day 7: Reflect. What's easier now?

End with ease. And if you need support, [I'm here.](#)

# *Rachel's 7 Rules*

Sending you ease and grace to:

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- ☐ Design for how you live, not how you clean.
- ☐ One “miscellaneous” bin is grace. More is chaos.
- ☐ Contain first. Then curate.
- ☐ Labels should be few—but refined.
- ☐ Closed storage clears the mind.
- ☐ Display joy, not guilt.
- ☐ Great systems bend. Poor ones break.

## BOOK A CONSULTATION

*Smart systems aren't about minimalism—they're about meaning. Let's design storage around the cadence of your real life. Book a consultation to begin the transformation. [Schedule Now →](#)*

HOPE THIS WAS HELPFUL

# YOU GOT THIS!

Remember: progress isn't about perfect spaces. It's about giving yourself the gift of ease—one drawer, one shelf, one decision at a time. Let this be your permission slip to start small, stay curious, and move forward. Beauty follows clarity. And clarity begins the moment you begin.

Whether it's one room or the whole home, I'd be honored to help you bring more beauty, clarity, and ease in your space.

- Rachel

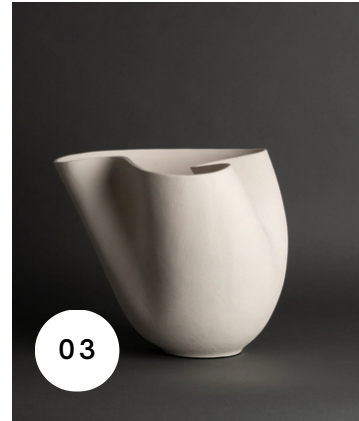
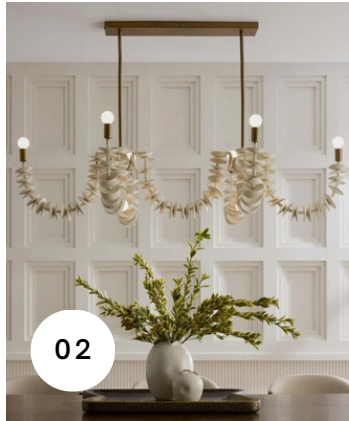
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# *FAVORITES* from our SHOP



## THE KEY

- 01 - Monolith Table Lamp
- 02 - Tulum Chandelier
- 03 - Sculptural Vase
- 04 - Marisol Table Lamp
- 05 - Atelier Table Lamp
- 06 - Axis Table Lamp
- 07 - Marin Woven Wicker
- 08 - Aurelia Table Lamp

