



GEOGRAPHIC NERDERY

★ File this under the “why didn’t we think of that?” category. Pick anywhere on Earth (your favorite canyon road, a memorable hiking spot, a badass mountain) send it to Fluid Forms, and the topographical contours of your choosing are immortalized in carved wooden blocks. The surface is then sanded, oiled and polished by only the best Austrian craftsmen. Add a pane of glass on top and a brushed stainless-steel frame, and you’ve got yourself a one-of-a-kind piece of art in your living room.

\$3,200
fluid-forms.com

MAD MAX

★ Ah yes, the age-old art of straight-razor shaving. Thanks to Max Sprecher of madaspenhome.com, the tradition is alive and well. Choose between hundreds of vintage brands, styles, and materials, including wood, metal, and acrylic, all brought back to life by a master of the craft. Not only does Max (a connoisseur and shaving historian for over 25 years) sell fully restored, honed, and beautified antique razors of all kinds, he’ll also (for a nominal fee) fully restore any antique straight razor you send him.

\$70-180
madaspenhome.com



HAVE A SEAT

★ Furniture manufacturer/icon Herman Miller presents the office chair to end all office chairs—and it’s not just about looks. The Embody features pixelated support technology (the crazy skeletal matrix on the back) that distributes your weight evenly, and allows your body to move more naturally. It can twist, bend, flex, and turn in all directions, and actually *adjusts to the curvature of your spine*. Other furniture manufacturers, you might as well just close up shop. The office chair can’t possibly get any better than this.

\$1,100
embody.hermanmiller.com

