



**LUXC LEATHER** The head-to-toe leather look on the runways has its interiors equivalent in unexpected use of the material. Leather-clad lighting, wraparound leather 'jackets' on glassware (courtesy of über-cool designer Simon Hasan) and leather upholstery that covers an entire chair – legs and all, not just the seat – are among the best manifestations of the trend. Follow the natural look of the skin or opt for a dyed finish: tan, chocolate and oxblood are key colours, as is classic black.

Clothing, from left Thierry Mugler SS13. Belstaff SS13 Homewares, from top 'Tropical' leather wallcovering, from £3,000, Helen Amy Murray (helenamymurray.com). 'Crush' leather and brass pendant lights, £360 each, Simon Hasan (simon hasan.com). 'Meta' leather chair by Tomas Maier, £5,530, Bottega Veneta (bottegaveneta.com). 'Doblo' desk tidies by Michaël Verheyden, from £68.95 each, Mint (mintshop.co.uk) >