







1. ToundraVincent Sheppard

The Toundra rug by Vincent Sheppard features a flat-woven structure and is available in three sizes, with three striking colour patterns bringing subtle shades to outdoor spaces. The high-performance collection comprises the Mist, Sunset and Sahara styles, each of which has been developed to complement a variety of furniture pieces and interior schemes. On top of that, the outdoor rug offers a soft texture underfoot, enabling quests to walk around comfortably witout shoes. Manufactured from durable polyester fibre and made to withstand rain, sun, snow and dirt, Toundra can be cleaned easily using a high-pressure water hose for a brand-new look.

www.vincentsheppard.com

2. Four Seasons Toronto Creative Matters

Made under fair trade conditions with certification from Swiss NGO Label Step. Creative Matters' handcrafted products include original custom carpets, rugs and wallcoverings for hotels, cruise liners, luxury retail and commercial spaces. Manufactured using a variety of techniques according to the distinct requirements of each project - from matching specific aesthetics to meeting budgets and design specifications - its collections can be seen in properties such as Park Hyatt, St Regis, Ritz Carlton and Four Seasons, as well as on Royal Caribbean vessels and in luxury retail spaces including Bergdorf Goodman, Louis Vuitton and Gucci.

www.creativemattersinc.com

3. Vulcano Ark One

Comprising a series of thermally treated floors, Ark One's Vulcano collection serves as a suitable alternative to timber. The treatment of the wood is done in its own thermal chamber, without the use of any chemical additives, but purely with heat, wind and water. The series is available in three shades boasting darker colouring, whilst the swelling and shrinking behaviour of the wood has also been reduced, ensuring that Vulcano can benefit from an increased resistance to mould and other internal problems. All of the wood used by Ark One is ethically sourced, and, as part of its sustainability efforts, the company replants two trees for every one that is cut down.

www.arkone.co.uk

4. Lulworth Porcelain Mandarin Stone

Mandarin Stone's collection of Natural Stone floors provide a timeless backdrop and an inherent natural beauty that stands the test of time. Choices in the range include limestone, marble, slate and travertine in an array of finishes and formats. Significant developments in digital image technology mean that man-made porcelain floor tiles can now replicate a wide range of other materials including wood, stone, concrete and metal amongst others. The brand recently launched a number of antique stone effect porcelains as a result, such as the Lulworth collection, which offers two shades - Buff and Grey - both available in 1cm interior and 2cm exterior options. www.mandarinstone.com