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Adlon Poltrona Frau Washington

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SHELF bookcase by B&B Italia

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Shelved and Tabled. Adlon in Georgetown's historic Cady's Alley showcases modern furniture with European glamour. Its collection includes such top-of-the-line manufacturers as B&B Italia, Maxalto, Interlubke, Kasthall, Living Divani, and Triade. Customers can experience this sophisticated merchandise in an elegant setting of rough stone walls and glossy black floors. Typical of the showroom's offerings is the dramatic **SHELF bookcase** from **B&B Italia** designed by Naoto Fukasawa. The bold diagonal support allows the piece to be placed against a wall or in the center of the room as a partition. Made in a white solid surface material that appears to have been carved from a single block, this bookcase has plenty of graphic impact, and the precise, slim-line construction adds to its wow factor. The SHELF series starts at \$2,195.

Adlon also carries B&B Italia's new series called **THE TABLE**, a collection of **tables, desks, and consoles** in many sizes and finishes and all with the classic Italian hallmarks of simplicity and rigor. By mixing and matching steel frames (in white, matte black, or glossy chrome) with tops (clear glass, oak, black, marble, or white laminated wood) there is no end to the sleek and elegant looks available to the discriminating shopper. For use in the home or office, the pieces can come with accessories such as drawers and wire storage elements. The dining table starts at \$3,678. Visit Adlon at 1028 33rd Street, NW; 202-337-0810 or www.adlondesign.com.



B&B Italia's TABLE collection

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Milan does the Kennedy years. Straight from the Italian showroom floors Poltrona Frau has taken a fresh look at American style in the 50s and 60s as defined by the golden and carefree myth of the Kennedy era. The **Kennedee Sofa** designed by Jean Marie Massaud was presented for the first time this April at the Milan shows. This reinterpretation bears the unmistakable hallmark of Poltrona Frau. The handcrafted workmanship, the meticulous hand stitching, and the extraordinary quality of Pelle Frau leather, make this sofa a must-have for serious Camelot seekers. (There's a Jackie bed too.) Prices for the Kennedee Sofa series start at \$8,400. The Poltrona Frau showroom is in Georgetown at 1010 Wisconsin Avenue; www.frauwashington.com.



The Kennedee Sofa at Poltrona Frau

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