



## 2011 DREAMHOME FACT SHEET

**WHO:** Nine of Chicago's most recognized names in the design industry will come together for the 7<sup>th</sup> annual DreamHome April 15-December 9, 2011. This year's design house is stylish, yet timeless blending luxury furnishings from The Design Center showrooms with clean lines to create an awe-inspiring space.

This year's DreamHome designers include:  
Foyer | Buckingham Interiors + Design  
Office | Michael Del Piero Good Design  
Living Room | Scott Himmel Architects  
Bedroom | Michael Abrams Limited  
Dressing Room | Luca Lanzetta, LLC  
Dining Room | Frank Ponterio Interior Design  
Kitchen | Studio Snaidero Chicago  
Media Room | Lauren Coburn, LLC  
Outdoors | 1 Design Group, Inc

Welcome Lobby | Blutter/Shiff Design Associates

**WHAT:** DreamHome kicks off its eight month run with a fabulous Preview Gala, Wednesday, April 13, 6-9pm benefiting The University of Chicago Cancer Research Foundation (UCCRF) Women's Board. Guests at the DreamHome Preview Gala will be the first to see the design house, meet the designers and support the UCCRF Women's Board in its mission to *make cancer a thing of the past*.

The Gala is open to the public and draws some of Chicago's most notable leaders in design, fashion and art for an exciting night filled with fine food, wine and design all in the name of charity.

**WHEN:** April 13: Preview Gala  
April 15 – December 9: Open to the Public

**WHERE:** North Lobby, The Merchandise Mart, Chicago

**PRESENTING SPONSOR:** Chubb Personal Insurance

**MEDIA SPONSOR:** Chicago Home + Garden Magazine

**ADMISSION:** A voluntary donation to the University of Chicago Cancer Research Foundation (UCCRF) Women's Board is suggested.

**HOURS:** Monday – Friday 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
Saturday 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

**WEBSITE:** [www.merchandisemartdesigncenter.com/dreamhome](http://www.merchandisemartdesigncenter.com/dreamhome)