Daltile and Mohawk Group

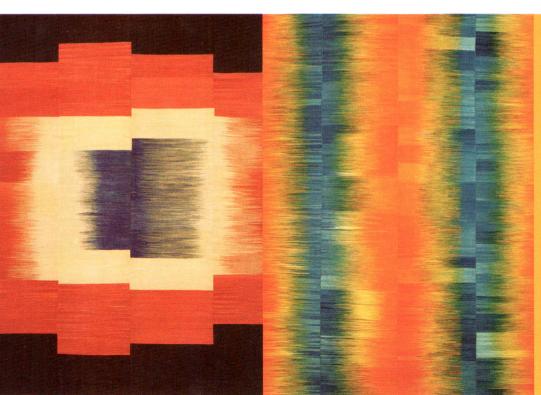
Sister brands unite in commerce at a shared San Francisco studio, where Gensler retained the 1916 brick and beams while adding skylights. Employees are greeted by Daltile's mosaic mural before encountering inspiration-conveying wall installations, LCD touch-screen catalogs, and communal worktables. Mohawk offers a full spectrum of carpet and hard flooring samples from Bigelow, Durkan, Karastan, and Lees. Daltile, 800-933-8453; daltile.com. circle 416 Mohawk Group, 800-554-6637; mohawkgroup.com. circle 417





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Named for a city in Iran, the Kin Say collection celebrates that country's tradition of kilim-making. Production, certified by Good-Weave, actually takes place in South Asian villages, where wool is hand-spun, naturally dyed, and woven on looms into narrow panels that are then joined to create graphic compositions with sophisticated gradations of color. Among the 16 styles are 7843, its sharp color blocks beginning to fade, and 7856, a blurred-out stripe. 212-546-0944; warpandweft.com. circle 418