

who is chilewich?



Sandy Chilewich is the founder and creative director of Chilewich.

Together with her husband and partner, architect Joe Sultan, she designs and manufactures a wide range of products made with their innovative textiles.

Sandy Chilewich began her career in textiles with the launch of the "Raybowls". These award winning and patented containers used textiles in a revolutionary way. She created a concavity using a Lycra® power mesh.



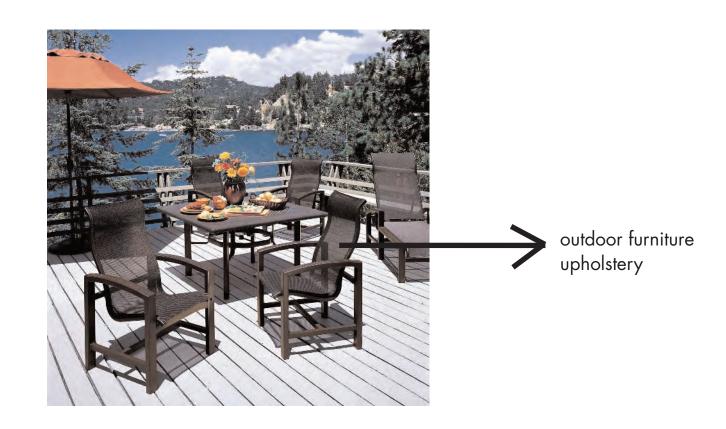


MoMA introduced the Raybowls into the marketplace in 1997 and MoMA launched their very first website picturing the Chilewich Raybowls.

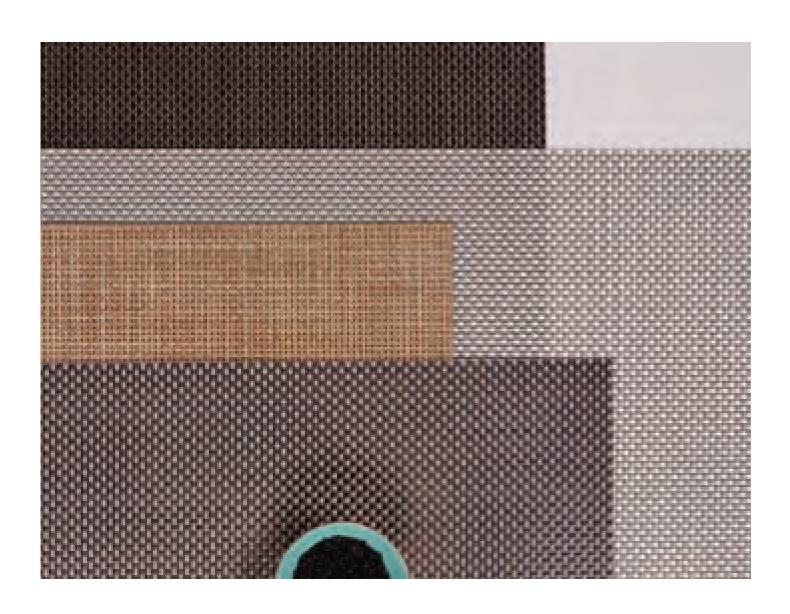




In her search for other textile to incorporate into her bowls, Sandy stumbled onto outdoor furniture upholstery and became infatuated with the potential of these woven vinyls.



She saw many possibilities for this neglected technology and saw new applications and design opportunities for this material. She began working with the US factory ... experimenting and designing ...



The material was durable and easy to clean.

It was a modern product for a modern lifestyle.

In 2000, Chilewich launched her first woven vinyl products for the home, tablemats and floormats



Chilewich products are sold throughout the world... Chilewich tablemats have become synonymous with the brand and can be seen in stores and better restaurants everywhere. Following are some images of Chilewich's signature weaves.





"Basketweave" is the foundation of the collection and is available in 21 colors. Most of the weaves and colors of all Chilewich styles are available as placemats in different sizes and runners.



Bamboo, currently available in 17 colors



Bamboo and Basketweave, shown together.



Mini Basketweave



Engineered Squares, the first jacquard from Chilewich. Chilewich has fought and won many battles against companies who have tried to copy this successful design.

Chilewich is always experimenting and introducing new yarns and techniques...



Lattice, which utilizes a unique extrusion yarn technique.



Spun, created by dripping vinyl.



Pressed Vinyl, a completely new process for Chilewich - created by using molds.



Tuxedo Stripe, a sophisticated weave created by stopping and starting the yarns in one direction.



Chilewich is now silk-screening on a vinyl that looks and feels like a painter's canvas.

The different sizes and styles of textiles can be combined and layered.





Napkins of 100% linen have now been added to complement all the tablemats.

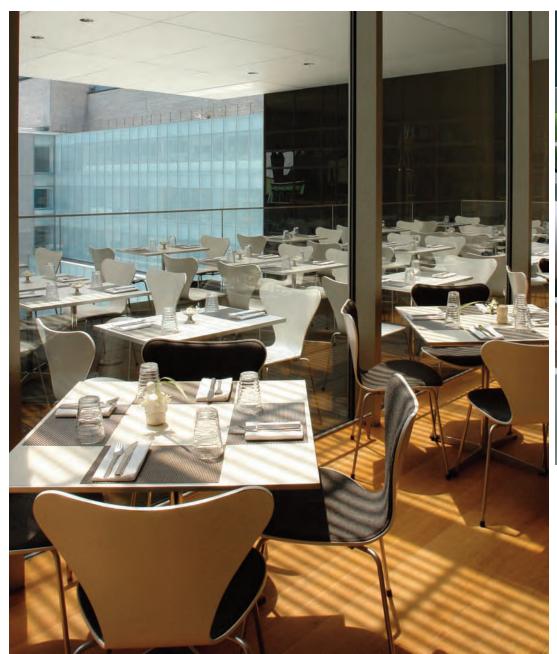


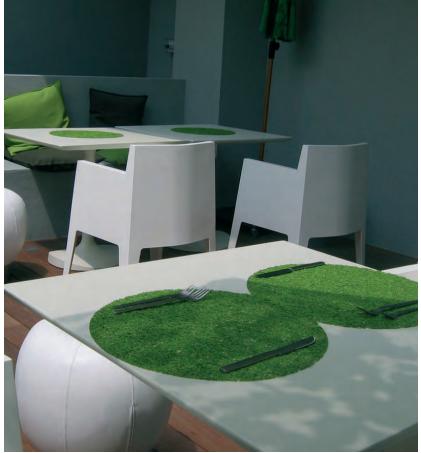




and Napkin Rings of stainless steel mesh.

Chilewich Hospitality dresses the tables of better restaurants throughout the world.





LEFT
Terrace 5, MoMA NY
NYC

ABOVE Hotel Zazpi Saint Jean de Luz, France





RIGHT, TOP CRAFTSTEAK NYC

RIGHT, BELOW
David Burke at the Venetian, Las Vegas NV





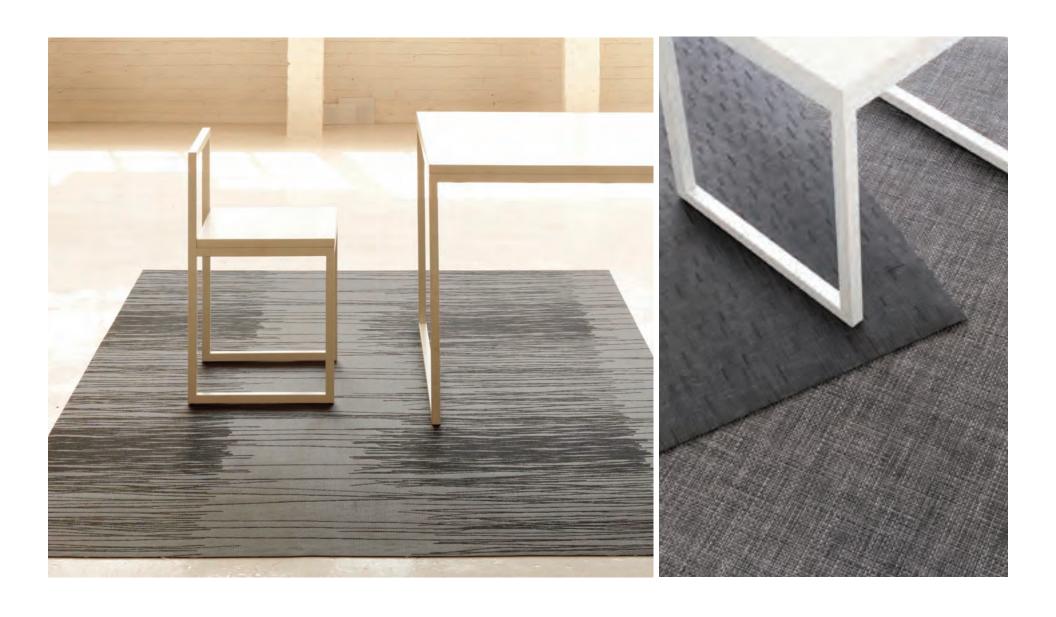


Chilewich is unquestionably the first in the world to introduce vinyl to the table.

Chilewich woven vinyl floormats are available in a wide assortment of styles and sizes.

All have a non-slip polyurethane cushioned backing.





Chilewich woven vinyl floormats have a clean minimal look and, like the tabletop textiles, are durable and very easy to clean.



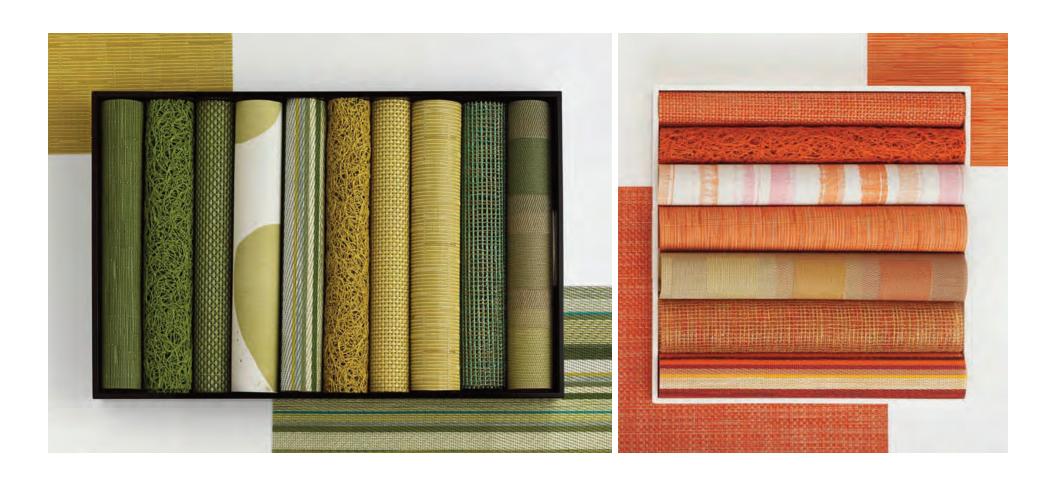
Chilewich indoor/outdoor floormats, Spun and Shag are the modern alternative to utility mats. Made of vinyl, they are waterproof and mold-resistant.

Chilewich Contract was the brainchild of Joe Sultan who, as an architect, knew the potential of these woven vinyls for architectural use. The yarns were re-engineered and different backings were created and now a complete collection of flooring, tiles, wall covering and upholstery is available from Chilewich and sold through Architects and Designers.





Chilewich continues to push the boundaries of textile design.



Chilewich is the true innovator in all categories of their business.

Over 95% of Chilewich products are produced in the US. The only exceptions are our linen napkins and pressed vinyl.

With very few exceptions, all of our placemats and runners are cut and finished in our own manufacturing facility in Georgia. We custom designed our slitting and sealing equipment to insure the optimum quality.

Almost all Chilewich designs have design copyright protection worldwide, including in China where most copies are made. We take immediate legal action when there is an infringement.

All Chilewich products are designed for heavy daily use and easy maintenance. They are extremely durable and could last a lifetime. They can be washed with simple soap and water...saving the energy of laundering and the hazards of harsh chemicals.

care instructions for chilewich products



Tablemats

- Wipe clean with soap, water and a sponge. Air Dry.
- Scrub stubborn stains with a medium bristle brush and bleach based cleanser and rinse.
- Do not iron.
- Machine wash (dish washer or clothes washer) not recommended.
- Avoid high heat and do not remove something from a flame and place directly on your tablemat.
 - We sell tablemats to hundreds of restaurants around the world that serve hot plates and rarely, if ever, receive this complaint.
- Our tablemats will not fade in the sun and are perfect for outdoor use.



Chilewich Floormats

- Best suited on dry surfaces.
- Vacuum or mop face of mat to clean.
- Scrub spill or stain with medium scrub brush and detergent solution to remove.
- Air dry.



Indoor/Outdoor Floormats

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