



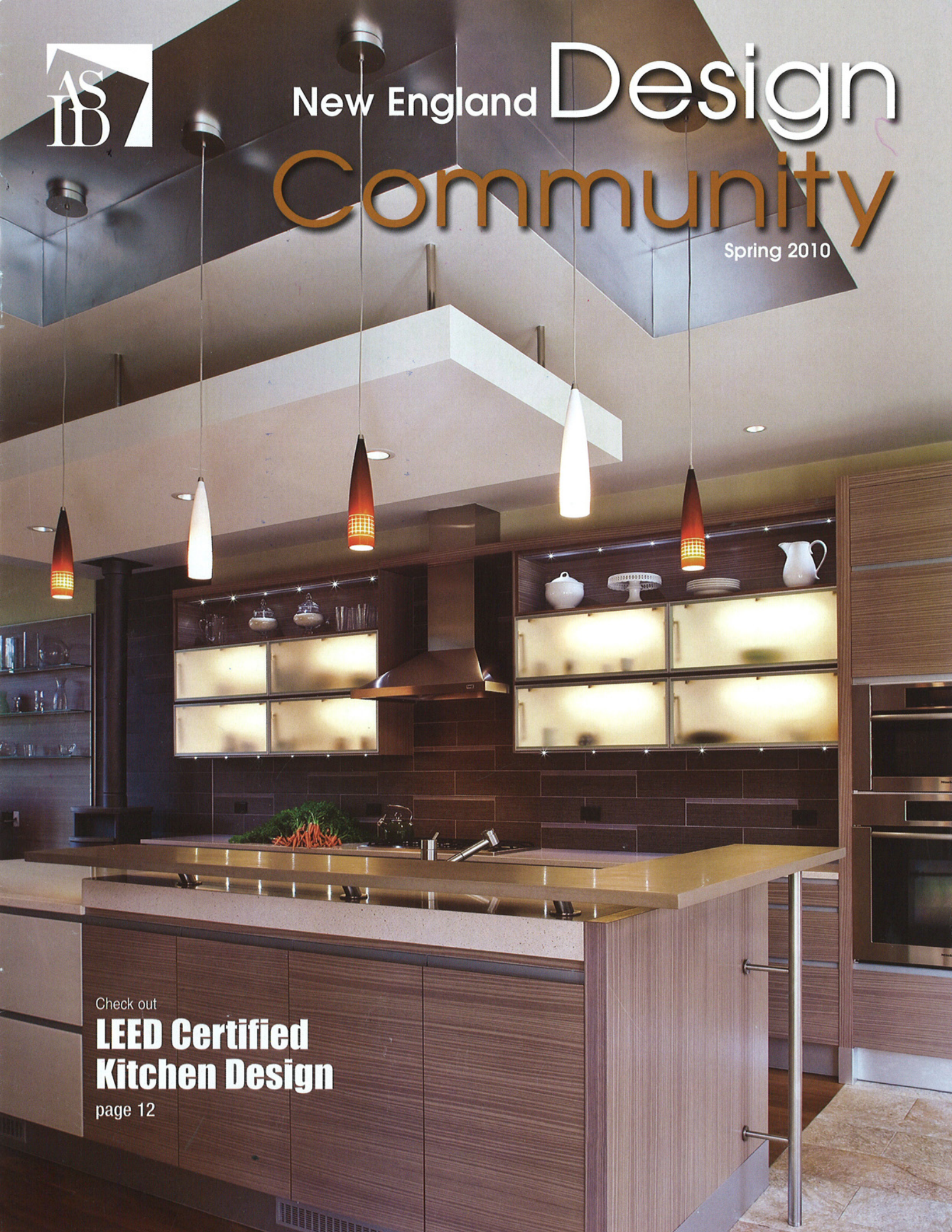
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## ENVIRONMENTAL EDGE

Clarke wanted the cabinets to be eco-friendly, so she thoroughly researched various companies' claims. She learned that Valcucine plants trees to offset those used in construction, and its lightweight product, while still durable, consume 86 percent less material than the average kitchen cabinets. The company's innovation micro layered doors are made of veneer and fabric for strength and elasticity, requiring no formaldehyde, synthetic varnishes, or paint. The end result? The Lincoln kitchen is LEED- certified.

### OVEN, SPEED OVEN, AND DISHWASHER

Miele Master Chef Series, Yale Appliance & Lighting

### HOOD

Best stainless steel remote blower by Broan, Yale Appliance & Lighting

### BACKSPLASH

Crystal glass tile and Siame porcelain tile in chocolate, Shep Brown Associates

### COUNTERTOP

Silestone in Capri limestone, supplied and installed by Boston Bluestone

### COOKTOP

GE Monogram gas range, Yale Appliance & Lighting.

### CABINETS

Artematica in Fine Line walnut and glass by Valcucine, Casa Design

### ISLAND COUNTERTOP

Caesar Stone in mocha, supplied and installed by Boston Bluestone

### PENDANT LIGHTS

Mania with milk-white and caramel-brown diffusers by Studio Italia Design, Casa Design



## GLASS AND LIGHT

To encourage guests to gather in the kitchen, Clarke used Valcucine's backlit glass uppers to create appealing window like accents. When illuminated they provide a soft glow.



## FUNCTIONALITY

This Valcucine cabinet system features an optional 6-inch-wide stainless steel insert called a Logica; it comes with options such as a drain board, knife block and condiment tray.



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