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Beth Krupa creates a stylish media room for some serious movie viewing or a Netflix bender.



The scene is set for this beautiful and highly functional media lounge when you descend dramatic marble stairs by Antolini. ¶ Krupa makes sure everyone is comfortable on an expansive modular sofa with three-level seating. The perch is particularly luxe swathed in lush velvet from Holly Hunt. Underfoot, the Stark carpet complements both the color and sump-

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tuousness of the upholstery. ¶ The importance of acoustical treatments in a residential media room can't be overstated, says Krupa. Any audio system, regardless of quality and cost, can be rendered boomy and unintelligible without proper treatment. Artnovion's Sahara W Absorber panels are a good-looking, functional enhancement. ¶ Now all you need to add is the popcorn! | Beth Krupa Interiors, Old Greenwich, 203-890-9292, bethkrupainteriors.com

1. Sahara W Absorber panels by Artnovion, Realm, Norwalk, realmcontrol.com | 2. Bend
Large Round Light by Peter Bristol, Visual Comfort, Circa Lighting, Greenwich, circalighting.com
3. Cotton velvet sofa fabric in Prussian Blue, Holly Hunt New York, hollyhunt.com | 4. Concept sketch from Beth Krupa | 5. Format modular sectional seating, Bernhardt, Wakefield Design Center, Stamford, wakefielddesigncenter.com | 6. Prosperity carpet in Graphite, Stark Home, Stamford Waterside Design District, starkcarpet.com | 7. Italian marble by Antolini, Ferrazoli Imports, Middletown, galleriastone.com, and Stone Source, New York City, stonesource.com

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