

# Chefs' Kitchens

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- Twenty-two chefs are interviewed by renowned architecture and design writer Stephen Crafti, and each profile is captured through gorgeous, intimate imagery by celebrated photographer Catherine Sutherland. The foreword is written by foodie extraordinaire, Matt Preston, judge on the *MasterChef Australia* television series for ten years
- The pages feature fabulous conversations with each chef in their home environment, while they are preparing a meal in their home. The chefs—and their architects and designers—answer important questions, such as what makes a great kitchen as much as a great meal; what makes these kitchens unique; what are some of the less obvious things that need to be addressed; what is the range of fresh produce grown in their own gardens that goes into their iconic food creations, and so much more

Great food culture starts at home—especially when it’s from the chef’s home kitchen and garden! Be inspired by this unique and visually stunning book, which takes a behind-the-scenes look into the home kitchens (and gardens) of 22 celebrity chefs. Each chef is interviewed by renowned architecture and design writer Stephen Crafti, and each profile is captured through gorgeous, intimate imagery by celebrated photographer Catherine Sutherland. Featuring fabulous, inspiring conversations with each chef in their personal living spaces, while they are preparing a meal in their stunning kitchen, and with a close look at their kitchen’s architectural design, and garden style, this book celebrates not only a large group of fine chefs, but also the architects and interior designers who make these chefs’ kitchens a pleasure to work in. This beautifully illustrated book is filled with inspiration for foodies (included are delicious recipes from each cook), gardeners, and design aficionados, and offers a unique peek into the kitchens, homes, and—often very private—lives of these amazing artisans.

**Stephen Crafti** started writing on architecture and design in the early 1990s. Decades later he has written 40 books, many with Images Publishing. Crafti writes regular columns for newspapers and magazines, both in Melbourne where he resides and overseas. Stephen’s expertise is on all forms of contemporary design from architecture to furniture, fashion, and the decorative arts. He also operates architectural tours with leading cultural tour company Australians Studying Abroad, covering locations in Melbourne, New Zealand, Paris, London, Tokyo, Belgium, and Helsinki.

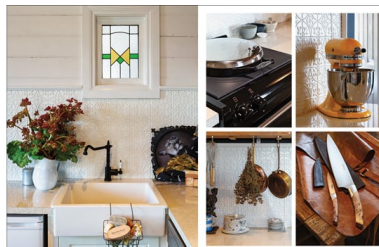
**Catherine Sutherland** is a Melbourne-based photographer, specializing in editorial and lifestyle photography with a portfolio that is particularly strong in food, interiors, and travel.

**Matt Preston** is a food writer, cookbook author, and radio host.



Annie Smithers  
Home Art Wars in the Kitchen

When it comes to kitchen design, Annie Smithers is a true expert. As a professional interior designer and author of the book *Home Art Wars in the Kitchen*, she has spent years helping clients create beautiful, functional kitchen spaces. In this chapter, she shares her insights on how to balance style and practicality, from choosing the right materials to incorporating art and personality into the design. She also offers practical tips on how to make the most of your kitchen space, ensuring it's both a joy to work in and a pleasure to look at.



The kitchen is the heart of the home, and it's no surprise that it's one of the most popular rooms for renovation. In this chapter, we explore the latest trends in kitchen design, from bold colors and materials to smart storage solutions. We also look at how to create a kitchen that's both functional and beautiful, with a focus on lighting and layout. Whether you're looking for inspiration for a full renovation or just a few small updates, this chapter has something for everyone.

