



The All-New Noma: Nordic Design without Clichés

NOMA — Denmark ○ According to the interior designer himself, **David Thulstrup**'s carefully crafted interior for Noma is "Scandinavian without any Nordic clichés." Crowned the world's best restaurant four times since opening in 2003, Noma bases its ethos on modern Nordic fare, locally sourced and simply cooked. Wishing to introduce a similar "handmade" feel to the interior—and rising to the challenge—Thulstrup focuses on well-designed, custom-built fittings and furnishings. River stones set into terrazzo flooring and counters made from rough-hewn timbers—everything about the place exudes a natural, relaxed vibe without feeling too rustic or homey. The textured surfaces create a warmth and harmony, while the commissioned artworks and an occasional vintage piece prevent the place from looking manicured.

