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**-MARKS THE SPOT! iCONTACT DESIGNS NAMED DEALER FOR X-CLUSIVE CHRISTOPHER GUY LUXURY LINE**

Pleasant Ridge, Mich. (March 2009) – *"We're X-cited to become one of the few interior design firms to achieve stocking dealer status for the distinct luxury line of Christopher Guy designer furnishings,"* said Susan Murphy, partner and principal designer for the award winning, iContact Designs, Inc. interior design firm located at 23940 Woodward Avenue, in Pleasant Ridge, Michigan. *"We had the pleasure of meeting designer Christopher Guy Harrison recently while attending High Point Spring Market 2007,"* said Murphy, *"where he gave us a personal tour of his new introductions for spring in his elegantly appointed new High Point Showroom."*

Christopher Guy's award winning collections grace some of the finest residences and public venues across the globe, including **Wynn Resorts**, Las Vegas & Macau; **The Bellagio**, Las Vegas; **Four Seasons**, Worldwide; and the **Queen Mary 2** cruise line to name a few. His elegant furnishings have also dressed up film blockbusters like: **"007 Tomorrow Never Dies," "Ocean's 13" and "The Devil Wears Prada."** His unique designs embody refinement and sophistication, fusing classicism with modernism, all the while exemplifying

a consummate elegance with grace and clarity.

Christopher Guy Harrison was born in Britain, raised in Spain and France, and now resides in Singapore, where his home and 17-acre workshop complex is also located. 1400 carpenters, woodcarvers, and specialist finishers painstakingly apply age-old techniques within these vast workshops to fulfill the company's relentless quest for exceptional quality. The "Christopher Guy look" is characterized by an elegant design element that has been patented across the United States, Europe and Asia: the iconic Chris-**X** (kris-kros). According to Christopher, the idea for the Chris-X (which redefines the posterior of a chair) was inspired by Scarlet O'Hara's corseted streamlined waist and square shoulders in "Gone With The Wind." *"There's only one word to justifiably describe Christopher's furniture designs,"* said Murphy, *"and that word is: S-E-X-Y!"*

The Christopher Guy Collection, which includes fine sofas and loveseats, banquettes and ottomans, desks and headboards, chaise lounges and assorted chairs, comes in a variety of lavishly sculpted Mahogany hardwood silhouettes, styles and finishes. Fabric choices range from a wide array of Christopher Guy hand-selected velvets and silks, in addition to the option of supplying "customers own materials." Retail pricing can range from several hundred dollars for a spectacular Christopher Guy Mirror (the product line that launched the company, formerly known as Harrison & Gil), to several thousand dollars for an upholstered piece or casegood.

*"It's like owning a work of art,"* said Murphy, when asked to describe the collection.

*"Christopher Guy is for the discriminating client who appreciates hand-crafted artistry. A client that wants something sophisticated and utterly different. A conversation piece of heirloom quality that you won't find anywhere else."* The Christopher Guy Collection is available from iContact Designs, Inc. Studio visit by appointment only, call 248.584.0007 or email [insights@icontactdesigns.com](mailto:insights@icontactdesigns.com).

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iContact Designs, Inc. is an award winning interior design firm now in its eleventh year of designing artistic and creative living environments, located at 23940 Woodward Avenue, Pleasant Ridge, Michigan 48069. Several examples of their work beautifully photographed by Beth Singer will soon be featured in a Taunton Press Publication: "Basement Ideas That Work" by Peter Jeswald, slated for October 2007 release. iContact Designs portfolio can be viewed on the web at [www.icontactdesigns.com](http://www.icontactdesigns.com). Christopher Guy website is available at: [www.christopherguy.com](http://www.christopherguy.com).



President of iContact Designs, Inc. and Interior Designer, Susan Murphy with furniture designer, Christopher Guy Harrison.