

## OPERA PALACE

Istanbul, Turkey

## Autoban

Design studio Autoban strike a delicate balance between revealing the original nature of a historic Istanbul apartment and modernizing it according to the needs of its new inhabitant, an art collector. After removing internal partitions to create a flowing living space in the language of a gallery, they designed the kitchen as an adaptable space: it can take part in the larger space or be partitioned off with delicate white shutters. Inside, shutters also screen off cooking tools and ingredients, leaving the marble-topped bar as a streamlined central feature.

