Harlow crystal 43-inch chandelier in gray iron, Restoration Hardware

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Restoration Hardware's Harlow chandelier makes sundown worth celebrating.

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ondon antiques dealer and reproductionist Timothy Oulton and his design team at the Halo Group have conceived some of Restoration Hardware's most iconic pieces, including the Mayfair steamer trunk chest and the 1950s Copenhagen leather chair. Oulton's latest standout creation is the Harlow crystal chandelier, whose design was inspired by a German fixture from the 1970s that captured Oulton's imagination. "I'd love to see this exquisite chandelier used in a home theater," says Short Hills-based interior designer Amy Yin (amyyininteriors.com). "With its sleek metal mounts and smoky, emerald-cut crystal prisms, this fixture balances strong, masculine lines with a decidedly feminine sparkle. Casting beautiful shadows on the ceiling and walls,

it welcomes viewers into the home theater. Then when it's showtime, it dims dramatically with a golden glow. Paired with Art Deco architectural elements, sensuous velvet-lined walls, and theater seating in saturated colors like ruby red or merlot wine, we'd use the Harlow as the perfect finishing touch to a bold, sophisticated home theater." Yin also sees the Harlow—which is available in 19-, 31-, and 43-inch versions—as an elegant addition to a dining room with artfully painted grisaille walls (walls painted in shades of gray). "At night, dim the lights to create a dramatic, intimate setting for dinner conversation," says Yin. "Bonus: The 16-inch height works in homes new and old with eight- or 10-foot ceilings." Restoration Hardware, 973-912-7300