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⌘ Natural Beauty

The jury swooned over the warm palette of colors and materials that architect **Richard Williams** used to create this new house in Orlean, Virginia.

At the edge of a steep slope above the Rappahannock River, the project includes a three-bedroom home, guesthouse, and 50-foot pool in a clearing carved out of the woods.

The judges praised the architect's ability to integrate the home "thoughtfully and beautifully" into the landscape. Said one judge: "I would like to live here."

The contractor was Castlerock Enterprises of Hume, Virginia.