

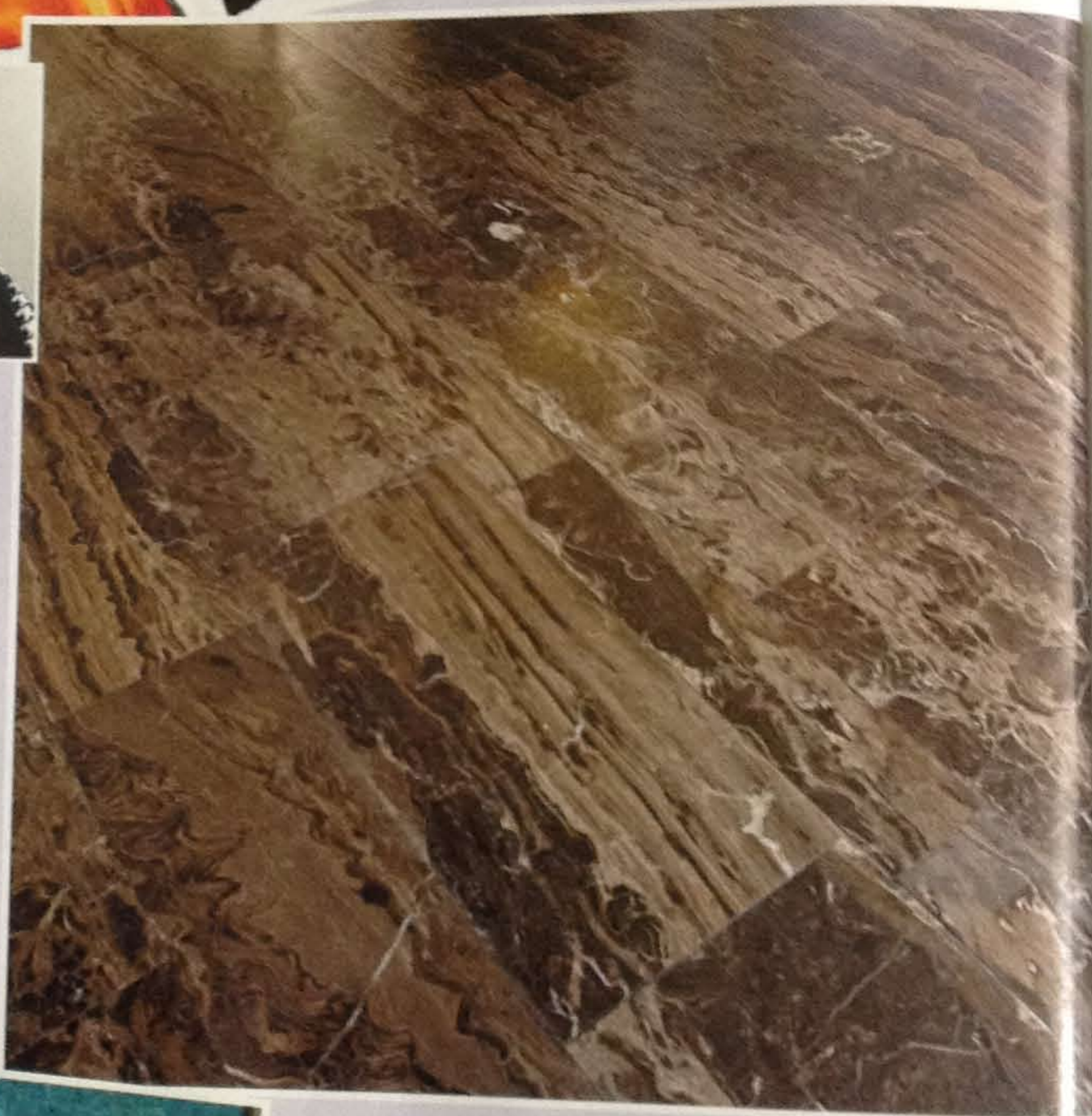


**RUCHIKA GROVER**, Architect/Designer

**STONE**



It is the most elegant and versatile material for flooring in my opinion and the rising demand for statement floors proves its staying power. We are bringing back a lot of age-old techniques and amalgamating them with the latest technology to create unique results. We are currently doing a lot of customised floors, from elaborate Mughal carpets inlaid on the floor using semi-precious stones, optical illusion mosaics, even simple floor patterns such as checks or the herringbone or simpler rustic slate/limestone floors. The best part according to me is that there are enough options to suit every aesthetic and budget in this category.



(Clockwise from top)  
 Magia de Agate, marble inlaid with fragments of semi-precious stones from Italian brand Budri, price on request; Cappuccino leather marble from Antolini, price on request; Aosta pebble mosaic from Keramos, ₹539 plus taxes per sq ft