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Creating with concrete is easier than most do-it-yourselfers imagine, and the results can be spectacular and practical. With beautiful photography, *Easy Concrete* makes the material truly inviting, and the simple instructions cover everything from creating molds out of cardboard, wood, and metal to using hypertufa—a versatile type of concrete made with peat moss. There is also helpful guidance on adding the perfect finish and decorative details. With 43 projects that include outdoor pots, candleholders, garden benches, and a compost bin, this is the perfect introduction to a highly useful craft.

About the Author Malena Skote is an architect by profession but mainly works as a writer, illustrator and photographer. She is the author of *Simple Projects for the Garden* (2002), *New Projects for the Garden* (2002), *Concrete as a Hobby* (2006) and *Mosaics for Home and Garden* (2007).