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# BRUSSELS DESIGN SEPTEMBER 12 → 30.09.2024

This autumn, Design September showcases exceptional limited-edition design pieces, explores emerging trends and tackles crucial issues related to contemporary lifestyle and consumption. The event highlights the central role of design in shaping the city of tomorrow, where aesthetics and functionality converge to meet modern challenges.

The 2024 edition focuses particularly on design collectives, with an emphasis on sustainable, recycled and bio-based materials, inspiring responsible design. It also focuses on inclusive urban design and social transformation through craft, while celebrating the innovative projects of the Commerce Design Brussels competition.

Brussels will be abuzz with exciting exhibitions, a trail of shops and brands, conferences, workshops and many other surprises. Don't miss this unique opportunity to immerse yourself in the vibrant world of Belgian and international design.



## ART + DESIGN

Belgian designers are renowned for their ability to blend form and function seamlessly, creating pieces that are as innovative as they are diverse. Their work is a testament to the power of design to not only beautify our surroundings but also to provoke thought and interaction. Each creation is a unique expression of artistic vision, pushing the boundaries of what design can be.

## OBJECTS WITH NARRATIVES

"The Grand Sablon 40," is a new gallery nestled among Brussels' iconic landmarks. This expansive 2000 sqm space spans three floors, offering a fresh canvas for contemporary artists. Through diverse exhibitions and art programs, the gallery emphasizes the mastery of Belgium's leading craftsmen alongside international talent.

In addition to the permanent residency show by Lionel Jadot and Ben Storms, the gallery will showcase "WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE" a solo show of Lukas Cober's design, and "MADE IN BELGIUM" a collective show with Anton Hendrik Denys, Ben Storms, Jumandie Seys, Katrien Doms, KRJST, Maison Jonckers, Marius Ritiu, Middernacht Alexander, Tim Vranken, Vladimir Slavov.



### COMPOSITION OF THE JURY:

Caroline Notté  
Emmy Toonen  
Joana Carrée  
Sophie Laenen  
Jane Hansen  
Leticia Smets  
Giorgia Moreira

### WINNERS 2024

BARKBOY  
by We Want More  
  
BATCH  
by ERASED STUDIO  
  
BISOU  
by Studio Zazie Maquet  
  
GRABUGE  
by about:atelier  
  
JOAILLERIE LEYSEN  
by A3 Development  
  
KOSTO  
by Sébastien Caporusso  
  
MARIELAURENCE STEVIGNY  
by MLSTUDIO  
  
PLACE AUX PLANTES  
by NOTAN OFFICE  
  
RORU  
Sushi Rolls & Rice Bowls  
  
SYNCYCLE  
by NOTAN NONANTE  
  
ZANGRA



SCAN & VOTE!

# COMMERCE DESIGN AWARDS

The Commerce Design Awards are created to identify and celebrate outstanding, creative, and innovative retail spaces throughout Brussels. This year, it brought together 34 retail spaces, each demonstrating unique and innovative design concepts. The jury carefully narrowed down the field to 11 exceptional spaces, winners for the 2024 edition.

Now we need YOU! Cast your vote for the Public's Choice and help your favourite to the top! The Public's Choice winner will be announced on 26 September during a ceremony and will also be featured on our Instagram page @commercedesignawards.

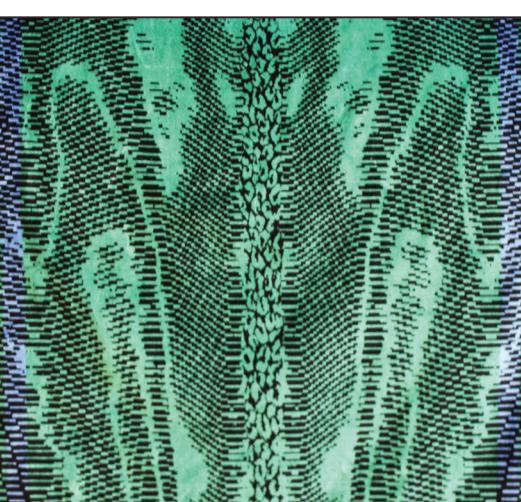
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## RENEWAL DESIGNING FOR CONSCIOUS LIFESTYLES

Renewal is an innovative event that explores the potential of sustainable design in shaping a better future. Organized by Duplex Studio in collaboration with MAD.brussels, Design September, and Reset, this multifaceted initiative features a designer exhibition, a material library, conferences, and workshops. Renewal delves into how sustainable, recycled, and bio-based materials can contribute to a circular economy. It aims to inspire a responsible and sustainable approach to design, encouraging creativity that prioritizes environmental stewardship. Through its comprehensive program, Renewal highlights the transformative power of eco-design and its crucial role in addressing the challenges of our time.



## LECTURES

"COMME SUR DU VELOURS"  
Lecture about the exhibition  
at HORTAMUSEUM

17.09 at 8:15pm

Flagey  
Place Sainte-Croix, B-1050  
Tickets: flagey.be



## COLLECTIVES

Designers and artisans come together in collaborative environments, sparking creativity and innovation. This synergy results in distinctive products and spaces that combine beauty, practicality, and genuine craftsmanship. It also showcases design's potential for social impact by integrating traditional skills with modern methods, expanding the possibilities of both craft and design.



## MAD BRUSSELS

### FUTURE GENERATION

27.09 → 16.11

Future Generation presents the next generation of creatives from the Brussels fashion and design sector. Through the work of the 10 designers in residency at the MAD incubator and 14 graduates of different Brussels creative schools, the exhibition offers alternatives for a future that is more sustainable, innovative and inclusive.

## BRUSSELS DESIGN MARKET

16.11 → 17.11  
Gare Maritime, Tour & Taxis  
Rue Picard 11, 1000 Bruxelles

Brussels Design Market and FOR THE NOW The double fair for vintage and contemporary design returns to Tour & Taxis. The design gems of the 20th century will be showcased in Gare Maritime, while emerging designers will present their creations at Hôtel de la Poste. Note, however, that these events have been postponed to November 16 and 17.

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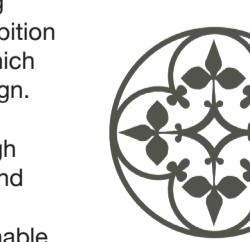
## THE DOMINICAN

Rue Léopold 9, B-1000

DESIGNERS/STUDIOS:  
ROXANE LAHIDI / ATELIER LA GADOUÉ / LOUISE RICHARD /  
MATHILDE WITTOCK / DIDIER HENRY / ARIANE VAN DIEVOET

The Dominican, the first member of Design Hotels™ in Belgium, is a destination for elegance in the city centre of Brussels. Located behind the theatre La Monnaie and the Grand Place, its 150 stylish rooms, 3 multi-functional meeting rooms, private courtyard, and bustling Lounge Bar combine to ensure indulgent hospitality.

The Dominican hotel is hosting 'SOURCE MATERIAL', an exhibition curated by Augusta gallery, which specialises in sustainable design. Innovative pieces by various designers guide visitors through the hotel's lobby, restaurant, and patio. This journey celebrates Belgian design and the sustainable transformation of materials.



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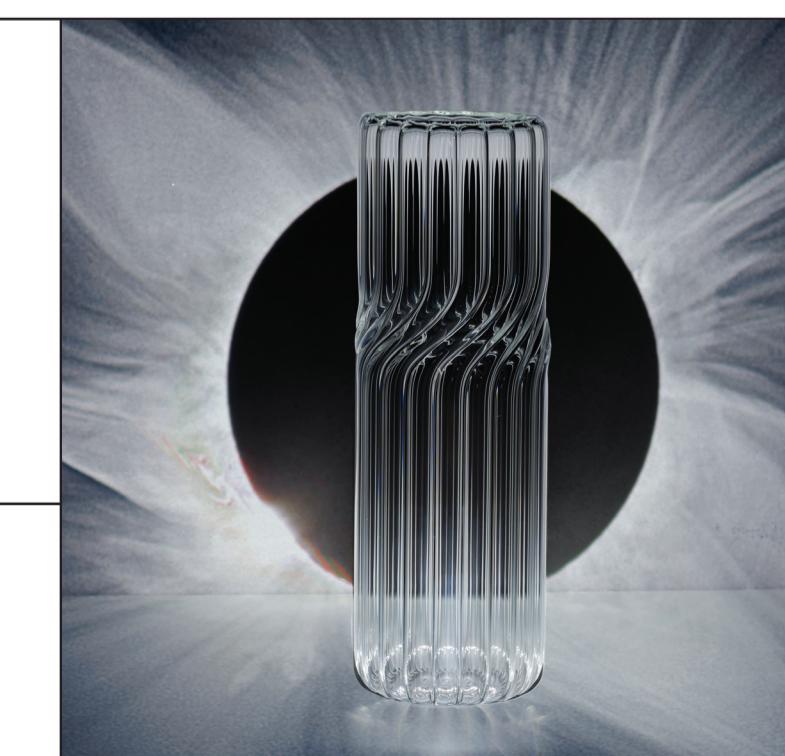
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## DESIGNBLOK COSMOS: THE INTERGALACTIC BEAUTY OF CZECH DESIGN

For twenty-five years, Designblok – Prague International Design Festival has been dedicated to the advancement of the Czech design scene, collaborating with renowned designers, supporting young authors, connecting creators and industry, spreading awareness among the general public and representing Czech design abroad. All of this is reflected in the outdoor exhibition – a mobile gallery in the form of a space capsule hiding ten original glass works by ten leading Czech designers.

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