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A MESMERISING SHOAL OF FISH SWIRLING AROUND A LIGHT SOURCE IS ENGLISH DESIGN DUO DOMINIC AND FRANCES BROMLEY'S MOST DISTINCTIVE STATEMENT PIECE. EACH FISH IS UNGLAZED, PURE WHITE FINE BONE CHINA, CAST BY HAND IN THE POTTERIES IN STAFFORDSHIRE, CENTRAL ENGLAND. WITH THEIR SUBTLE VARIATIONS AND COMPLEX ASSEMBLY, EACH SHOAL IS UNIQUE. THESE CHARACTERISTICS AND THE TIERED SUSPENSION MAKE 'SHOAL' PARTICULARLY SUITABLE FOR BESPOKE FORMATIONS. OTHER SCABETTI PRODUCTS INCLUDE PENDANT AND TABLE LIGHTS, VASES AND SCULPTURES, ALL HAND MADE TO ORDER. tel: +44 (0)1538 371 471 web: www.scabetti.co.uk

PHILIP WATTS DESIGN

DESIGN WITH A SENSE OF HUMOUR IS PHILIP WATTS' CALLING CARD, WITH CREATIVE ARCHITECTURAL IRONMONGERY THAT INCLUDES SPINAL FORM GLASS AND STEEL STAIRCASES. IN THE DOOR FURNITURE RANGE, THE TACTILE 'FINGERPRINT' MAKES AN IMPRESSION, BEAUTIFULLY ENGINEERED IN STAINLESS STEEL. tel: +44 (0)115 9269756 web: www.philipwattsdesign.com

PAUL BECKETT

THE 'FUSION OF CREATIVE ABSTRACTION AND PRECISION ENGINEERING' IS HOW PAUL BECKETT DESCRIBES HIS UNIQUE SCULPTURAL CLOCKS, WHICH HE DESIGNS AND MANUFACTURES IN HIS WELSH WORKSHOP. RANGING FROM DOMESTIC TO MONUMENTAL IN SCALE, THE BESPOKE AND CUSTOMISED TIMEPIECES COMBINE PRECISION HOROLOGY WITH CONTEMPORARY DESIGN. tel: +44 (0)1286 831766 web: www.paul-beckett.com

CRANE DESIGN

JAPANESE INFLUENCES ON SEVERAL LEVELS COME TOGETHER IN DESIGNER-MAKER KENSUKE YAMADA'S LATEST PERFECTLY FORMED PIECE – THE AYATORI TABLE. IT WAS INSPIRED – AND DERIVES ITS NAME FROM – A JAPANESE CHILDREN'S GAME AKIN TO CAT'S CRADLE, AND THE CRAFTSMANSHIP AND CARPENTRY TECHNIQUES USED IN ITS MAKING ARE TRADITIONALLY JAPANESE, LEARNT BY YAMADA FROM HIS GRANDFATHER. LIKE ALL CRANE PIECES, THE TABLE IS DESIGNED AND HAND-MADE IN THE COMPANY'S LONDON WORKSHOP, AND CAN BE CONSTRUCTED – TO CUSTOM SIZES – USING WENGE, BLACK WALNUT, SYCAMORE, CHERRY OR ENGLISH OAK FOR THE SUPPORTS. POLISHED STEEL IS USED FOR THE SLATS THAT MIMIC THE STRING PASSED THROUGH CHILDREN'S FINGERS IN THE EPONYMOUS GAME, CREATING A DELICATE AND INTRICATE BASE ON WHICH A GLASS TOP APPEARS TO FLOAT. tel: +44 (0)20 7281 1531 web: www.cranedesignltd.co.uk

SABINA HILL

THE SWIRLING ORGANIC SHAPES OF FIRST NATIONS NATIVE MOTIFS ARE SKILFULLY INTEGRATED INTO A MODERN DESIGN AESTHETIC IN CANADIAN DESIGNER SABINA HILL'S CUSTOM FURNITURE, HANDCRAFTED FROM LOCAL AND EXOTIC WOODS, PRECISION-CUT METAL AND GLASS. ALONGSIDE HER THREE LIMITED EDITION COLLECTIONS – 'DWELL', 'NEW SPIRIT' AND 'FORMLINES' – SHE UNDERTAKES COMMISSIONS THAT SHOWCASE AN EVER-EXPANDING PALETTE AND EVOLVING DESIGN AESTHETIC. tel: +1 604 736 3034 web: www.sabinahill.com

DAVID JIRWIN

ASTUTE OBSERVATION OF HUMAN BEHAVIOUR INSPIRED DAVID IRWIN'S TONGUE-IN-CHEEK BUT UNDENIABLY PRACTICAL RANGE OF DINING-ROOM CHAIRS. 'BLANK CANVAS' IS THE ORIGINAL CHAIR, WHICH METAMORPHOSES INTO 'ELBOW ROOM', A CHAIR WITH ONE PROTRUDING FRONT LEG TO ENSURE THAT THE NEXT CHAIR ALONG DOESN'T GET TOO CLOSE FOR COMFORT. THE NEXT DEVELOPMENT IS 'CORNER', WHICH CONSIDERATELY DEALS WITH THAT PESKY TABLE LEG BY HAVING A TRIANGULAR GROOVE INTO WHICH IT CAN FIT SNUGLY. 'DOUBLE BACKED' INCLUDES A THOUGHTFUL SECOND RAIL AT THE BACK OF THE CHAIR ON WHICH TO HANG A COAT OR HANDBAG, WHILE 'DOG BOWL' PROVIDES YOUR WELL-BEHAVED POOCH WITH HIS OWN ERGONOMICALLY (AND HYGIENICALLY) POSITIONED PLATE UNDER THE TABLE. tel: +44 (0)7749 328716 web: www.davidjirwin.co.uk

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BRITISH DESIGNER MARCUS WHITE WAS INSPIRED BY THE TRADITIONAL CONSTRUCTION OF WOODEN SHIPS TO CREATE THE TRULY ICONIC 'AQUA' TABLE AND ACCOMPANYING CHAIRS. ENGINEERING IS ON DISPLAY IN A GRAND WAY IN THIS INNOVATIVE PIECE, WHOSE BOAT-LIKE SUPERSTRUCTURE OF CHERRYWOOD STRUTS AND RIBS WITH HOLLOW, ELLIPTICAL CUT-OUTS IS VISIBLE THROUGH THE 15MM GLASS TOP. THE WENGE 'RIBS' OF THE ELEGANT HIGH-BACK CHAIRS COMPLEMENT THE TABLE, WHILE THEIR TURQUOISE-SHOT SILK UPHOLSTERY REFLECTS THE COLOUR OF THE GLASS EDGE. INNOVATIVE, CREATIVE AND HIGHLY ENGINEERED, WHITE'S DESIGNS ARE TESTAMENT TO HIS BACKGROUND IN PHYSICS. BESPOKE COMMISSIONS ARE ACCEPTED. tel: +33 (0)1300 345 102 web: www.oorana.co.uk