

MIDDLE EAST IN LIMITED EDITION

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Una manifestazione fieristica fuori dal comune Design Days Dubai. L'unica del Medio Oriente dedicata al design in serie limitata. Quest'anno apre i battenti dal 16 al 20 marzo e annuncia, ancor prima del suo inizio, un record niente male: dal suo debutto, per questa edizione ci saranno ben 44 espositori in mostra, numero mai registrato prima. Cyril Zammit, Fair Director, ha dichiarato: "la fiera continua a ricevere consensi, approvazione e meriti da parte del pubblico e della stampa, erigendo Dubai a hub creativo e culturale di riferimento globale". Tra gli espositori, Carpenters Workshop Gallery (con sede a Parigi e Londra), Southern Guild (di Cape Town), Artfactum (Beirut) e Broached Communications (Melbourne). Una novità, la presenza dei londinesi David Gill Galleries, Gallery FUMI e Fiona Barratt-Campbell's Prive Collection, Gallery ALL (con lo studio a Pechino e Los Angeles), i newyokesi Chamber NYC, da Parigi Galerie Silbereis. Presente anche il comparto dell'industria del design del Medio Oriente, rappresentato da 16 studi, gallerie e professionisti con sede negli Emirati e nella regione, tra cui 1971 (Sharjah), 19th Century Antiques, Authentique Art Gallery, Aljoud Lootah Design Studio, Nakkash Gallery, Tashkeel, Fadi Sarriddine e Shamsa Alabbar (Dubai), Arty by AMN (Ajman), Cities (Riyadh e Dubai), Naqsh Design House (Amman), Fatima bint Mohamed bin Zayed Initiative (Dubai & Abu Dhabi). Molti gli appuntamenti da segnare, come il decimo anniversario di Nada Debs, designer libanese, e la presentazione della collezione di vasi firmata da Zaha Hadid, presentata da Wiener Silber Manufactur. Stessa location ormai nota al pubblico, Design Days Dubai si trova alla base del Burj Khalifa, Emaar Downtown a Dubai ed è organizzata con la partnership strategica di Dubai Culture & Arts Authority, oltre che supportata da Maison Van Cleef & Arpels, Emaar e Audi. www.designdaysdubai.ae

A fair event that is out of the ordinary. The only one from Middle East dedicated to limited edition design. This year it will open between the 16th and the 20th of March and will announce, before it's even started, a pretty good record: from its debut, for this edition there will be 44 exhibiting expositors, a number that has never been registered before. Cyril Zammit, Fair Director of Design Days Dubai, said: "the fair continues to receive positive feedbacks, the approval and recognitions from both the public and press, elevating Dubai to a creative and cultural hub of worldwide reference". Among the exhibitors, Carpenters

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Workshop Gallery (with headquarters in Paris and London), Southern Guild (from Cape Town), Artfactum (Beirut) and Broached Communications (Melbourne). An innovation, the presence of David Gill Galleries, Gallery FUMI and Fiona Barratt-Campbell's Prive Collection from London, Gallery ALL (with its studios in Beijing and Los Angeles), the Newyorkers Chamber NYC, Galerie Silbereis from Paris. The Middle East design industry department was also present, represented by 16 studios, galleries and professionals with headquarters in the Emirates and in the region, such as 1971 (Sharjah), 19th Century Antiques, Authentique Art Gallery, Aljoud Lootah Design Studio, Nakkash Gallery, Tashkeel, Fadi Sarriddine and Shamsa Alabbar (Dubai), Arty by AMN (Ajman), Cities (Riyadh and Dubai), Naqsh Design House (Amman), Fatima bint Mohamed bin Zayed Initiative (Dubai & Abu Dhabi). Many appointments to save, like the tenth anniversary of the Lebanese designer Nada Debs, and the exhibition of the vases collection by Zaha Hadid, presented by Wiener Silber Manufactur. Set in the already known location, Design Days Dubai is at the

base of Burj Khalifa, Emaar Downtown in Dubai and it's organized with the strategic partnership of Dubai Culture & Arts Authority and also supported by Maison Van Cleef & Arpels, Emaar and Audi. www.designdaysdubai.ae

