Muuto Explores What Makes a Space Feel Just Right

At Design Days - June 13-15, 2022 in Chicago

Copenhagen - June 6, 2022 - During the first annual MillerKnoll Design Days that will take place in Chicago, the Scandinavian design company Muuto is inviting visitors to explore their immersive space to ask themselves: What makes a space feel just right to me? Recognizing that there is more to design than meets the eye, Muuto is investigating what design can do to make us feel more at ease, focused and grounded in our surroundings. Alongside the exhibition, Muuto will introduce six new designs by Iskos & Berlin, Thomas Bentzen and Anderssen & Voll.

On speaking about the motivation behind this year's exhibition theme, Muuto's CEO, Anders Cleemann says: "Everyone experiences design in vastly different ways —what deeply resonates with you might not with someone else. For this year's Design Days, we're encouraging our visitors to reflect upon the impact design has on how we feel."

Take a walk through the Muuto showroom on the 5th floor and reflect on five key elements that help make a space feel just right—light, color, tactility, nature and form.

Introducing new Muuto designs

With forward-looking materials, techniques, and bold creative thinking, Muuto is excited to introduce their new perspectives on Scandinavian design:

Introducing the Linear System Series (Available now)

Designed by Thomas Bentzen

The Linear System Series, designed by Thomas Bentzen, brings a warm, hospitable oak expression to the evolving needs of the modern workspace, hospitality settings and educational institutions. Its configurable design—tables, lighting, screens and trays—alongside its custom integrated power solution, allows one to tailor the design to the exact needs of any space. Choose between 3 pre-configurations or configure your own.

New Linear Steel Series Addition (Available now)

Designed by Thomas Bentzen

The **Linear Steel Chair** offers a new perspective on modern outdoor furniture with its clean lines, half-circular intersecting legs, and a smoothly curved backrest for an enveloping comfort. The small spacing allows for easy removal of water. Available with or without armrests across four different colors.

Introducing the Connect Soft Modular Sofa (Available now)

Designed by Anderssen & Voll

The **Connect Soft Modular Sofa** brings together elegant proportions and deeply inviting comfort. With its slimmer profile and softer seat than the original Connect Sofa, the Connect Soft is ideal for hospitality and residential settings. Choose between 9 pre-configurations or create your own.

Introducing Oslo Lounge Chair (Available in Q3 2022)

Designed by Anderssen & Voll

Marrying its compact design with comfort and elegance, the **Oslo Lounge Chair** by Andersson & Voll offers an embracing and dynamic seat with a classic, yet distinctly contemporary expression. The combination of sculptural qualities and functional design makes it an ideal piece for public spaces. Available with either a Tube or Swivel base.

Introducing the Sketch Toolbox (Available in Q3 2022)

Designed by Thomas Bentzen

Casted in one monolithic piece with a handle for portability, the Sketch Toolbox is a friendly companion for daily life in the nomadic workplace. The versatile toolbox is manufactured in Denmark using a minimum of 91% recycled plastic.

Introducing the Fiber Conference Armchair (Available in Q3 2022)

Designed by Iskos & Berlin

A striking silhouette combined with a distinctly ergonomic seat makes the Fiber Conference Armchair a compelling addition to any setting where we spend an extended time seated. Its interior shell is made of 99% recycled plastic, while its spacious seat and embracing curves are fully upholstered with a soft, fixed cushion for maximum comfort. Choose from 6 swivel bases designed by Iskos Berlin.

About Muuto

Founded in 2006 in Copenhagen, Muuto is rooted in the Scandinavian design tradition characterized by enduring aesthetics, functionality, craftsmanship and an honest expression. By expanding this heritage with forward-looking materials, techniques and bold creative thinking, our ambition is to deliver new perspectives on Scandinavian design. In fact, our name, Muuto, comes from muutos, meaning new perspective in Finnish. We handpick leading contemporary designers who are strong interpreters of our philosophy and combine their talents with the passionate Muuto creative team. You will know our design because it has muutos: objects made sublime through new perspectives, enjoyed across the world, representing the best of Scandinavian design today.

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