

During the 2015 Salone del Mobile, design platform Tuttobene presents the works of a selection of 20 designers at the heart of Zona Tortona. The show's theme is 'Meet and Matter' and will take place from Tuesday April 14th until Sunday 19th at Via Novi 5. Here, you will discover a large variety of exciting new products ranging from lighting to plant furniture, new material research and jewellery design.

Meet and Matter 2015

Meet and Matter puts the focus on design objects as conversation starters. We invite you to take a seat at our table and meet some of the most talented designers. Share experiences and discuss the ways to move forward!

The designers

For this year's exhibition we are proud to present a selection of great Dutch and international designers. Below you will find examples of the projects that will be shown at Meet and Matter 2015:

Alex de Witte will show his Big Bubble Light inspired by his favorite childhood pastime: blowing bubbles. *Buxkin* is a simple, but naturally versatile material that is both beautiful and affordable. *David Derksen* presents the The Copper Project, a series of etchings based on satellite photos of copper mines. *Heetman / Patijn* will be joining Tuttobene again with products that show both character and simplicity, and put a smile on the users face. *JavyDesign* shows a series of objects inspired by folding architecture and structural design, finding a signature style in different interior design objects. *Jolanda van Goor* releases Light Up, a table lamp that represents a modern interpretation of archetypical design from the 20th century. *Oato.* shows Shift, a table that plays with the limitations of human as well as mechanical production, as both are indispensable is the creation of the object. *Knapontwerp* presents a series of mirrors, in which serendipity in applying new techniques to conventional materials defines the design. *Lensvelt* manufactures innovative interior solutions for every space to work, play, relax and think in. *Pikaplant* envisions a world where anyone can grow healthy plants indoors easily and shows how. *Stephan Siepermann* is driven by an interest in manufacturing, always seeking out new ways to use materials and techniques. *Stilst* is a new label by designer Reinier de Jong that responds to a newfound appreciation for small-scale production, integrity and versatility in society. *StoryTiles* are miniature art-on-tiles all featuring a humorous detail. *Studio Kalff* presents the Glassware Series and the Writing Table, both bridging past and present, echoing historical designs in a contemporary approach towards functionality and sustainability. *The Cottage Industry* shows the Kaleidos vase, which uses a faceted mirror to draw attention to the flower.

This year we will be also hosting international designers:

Beate Snuka presents the Ceramic Network series, for which she asked three traditional ceramic workshops in her homeland to produce a set of her tableware designs in their preferred material and style. *Fabian Seibert*

Sülzkotlett's lamps Lilly Lacey, Napkin and Dish Towel are constructed from a steel tube and a coated laser-cut steel sheet, emulating a dishtowel or lace doily thrown over a bar. *Jamais Sans Toi* create handmade jewellery through the unique language of clay, ceramics, leather and metal. *Marco Iannicelli* releases the Yosegi light, a table light that consists of 158 pieces of wood. *NEO/CRAFT* is the new furniture label from Berlin based designer Sebastian Scherer, and re-examines conventional notions about materials, form and function, and realigns them to create surprising products

Tuttobene

Tuttobene is a Dutch platform that connects designers to the market. Founded in 2004, Tuttobene creates exhibitions for design talents and brings them into contact with clients. Tuttobene often functions as a kickstarter for international careers and further development of a designer's oeuvre. The exhibitions have taken place during numerous important design fairs in Milan, London, Tokyo and New York.

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Note for press

You are welcome to visit the presentation at Via Novi 5 from 10 am to 7 pm. On Monday April 13th, we would like to welcome you personally at our press preview, starting at 2 pm.

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