



**KONEKT PREMIERES UPHOLSTERED SEATING
AND MARBLE COFFEE TABLE AT ICFE**
Designs Feature Luxurious Natural Materials and Organic
Silhouettes



Bianca Chair, shown in walnut without backrest

Konekt, the year-old Philadelphia-based design studio spirited by Helena Sultan, is set to premiere seductive seating and a sculptural coffee table at ICFF later this month. Sultan founded the studio to offer “sublime luxury:” textural, sensuous, comfortable furniture that engages the senses and encourages the user to slow down, tune out distractions and reconnect with others and one’s self. Three designs are brand new at ICFF: the solid wood Bianca Chair, the Pause Lounge Chair, and the marble and bronze Petra Coffee Table. In addition, Konekt will be debuting a luxe version of the Rib Bench. Each piece is handcrafted to order by skilled local artisans, ideal for residential, hospitality, executive and high-end boutique spaces. Designers at ICFF will get the first look at Konekt's new pieces at Booth #1551.



petra coffee table



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bianca chair



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pause lounge chair



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Bianca Chair

The Bianca Chair is made of solid wood with an optional upholstered back-pan. The steam bent, organically arced armrest hugs the body while tapered, splayed legs extend from the top of the seat-back to the floor. The generous upholstered seat provides a high level of

comfort and a floating appearance. Crafted by hand using mortise and tenon joints, Bianca is offered in American walnut, white oak or ash, with a choice of low-sheen varnish or natural oil finish. COM fabric. 33”h x 25 1/4”w

Pause Lounge Chair

The Pause Lounge Chair, intended as the ultimate seat to unplug and unwind, plays off Konekt’s signature Pause Chaise. The curvaceous fiberglass shell embraces the body, complemented by meticulously hand-sewn upholstery. Its four splayed metal legs end in teardrop-shaped feet. The legs are available in brass, copper, chrome or nickel, with finishes offered in brushed, polished or anodized matte black. Tonus by Kvadrat or COM fabric. 42”h x 25”w

Petra Coffee Table

The legs of the oval-shaped Petra Coffee Table are inspired by the strong yet elegant hind legs of a camel. The Petra Coffee Table showcases a precision cut, honed-marble tabletop and bulbous, sculptural legs of cast bronze. Tabletop offered in Carrara, Calacutta, Statuary, Rojo Alicante and Nero Marquita. Bronze legs in polished or patinated finish. 54” x 26” table top diameter x 17” h

Rib Bench

The new luxury version features solid brass rods, cast brass sabots, and gotland sheepskin. Inspired by whale ribs, this bench calls attention to the graceful curved lines of the side arms which are complemented by the the arch of three leather straps. These hand stitched, vegetable tanned leather straps are accented with “X” type stitching. The upholstered cushion is available in gotland sheepskin, a hand loomed wool and mohair textile or COM. The wood is available in American walnut, white oak, or bleached ash. 62” or 72”l x 30”h x 22 1/4”d



About Helena Sultan. Helena Sultan is a former photographer and award winning documentary filmmaker whose lifelong passion for antique and vintage furniture, interiors, and art informs her attention to detail and intimacy. Her signature “sublime luxury” embodies an innate desire for refinement, simplicity and well-being. She notes, “it is my intention to create tactile and sensual pieces that people connect to, whether through materiality, organic form, or details that show the human touch”.

Availability. Konekt furniture is made to order, available to consumers through the studio’s website.

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