

## LONDON DESIGN FESTIVAL AT THE DESIGN MUSEUM 19-27 SEPTEMBER 2015

The Design Museum's programme for the London Design Festival features exhibitions, events and installations – taking over the museum to celebrate rising talent, new ideas and rich legacies in the capital's home of design.

### **DESIGNERS IN RESIDENCE 2015**

For its eighth year, Designers in Residence 2015 invites four emerging talents from the world of design to take over a gallery in the museum and use it as a site from which to provoke conversations, actions and thoughts around different conceptions of migration.

### **THE EIGHTY-EIGHT VOL.2 LAUNCH WITH JAMIE CULLUM**

To celebrate the second volume of The Eighty-Eight - 'an occasional magazine for the adventurous thinker', a panel discussion followed by DJ set from Jamie Cullum, the magazine's curator.

### **LIKE ME: OUR BOND WITH BRANDS**

Lippincott, creators of the Coca-Cola ribbon, the Campbell's soup-can and the latest Starbucks siren, curate a pop up exhibition exploring our bond with brands. Are they tools of corporate power? Or do they represent our collective power to build or destroy ideas and movements?

### **CAMPER X DISEGNO WALKS**

Part of Life on Foot: Camper at the Design Museum, a series of walks delving into some of London's design locations and hearing from the people who work in them. Each walk ends with a tour of exhibition.

### **E&Y AT THE DESIGN MUSEUM**

As they enter their thirtieth anniversary year, Japanese furniture company E&Y present their pieces in Europe for the first time. The installation in the Design Museum atrium features the company's latest collection, 'edition HORIZONTAL multiple collection line.'

### **DESIGNS OF THE YEAR 2015: SOCIAL VOTE**

This annual celebration of design that promotes or delivers change, enables access, extends design practice or captures the spirit of the year is a flagship exhibition for the Design Museum. Now that the specially selected jury have had their say, it's time for the online design community to choose their own Design of the Year with the Social Vote. Launched during LDF the Social Vote invites design lovers from all over the world to vote for their favourite via social media. #designsoftheyear

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### **Notes to editors:**

The **Design Museum** is building the world's leading museum devoted to architecture and design, its work encompasses all elements of design, including fashion, product and graphic design. Since it opened its doors in 1989 the museum has displayed everything from an AK-47 to the Duchess of Cambridge's wedding dress. It has staged over 100 exhibitions,



welcomed over five million visitors and showcased the work of some of the world's most celebrated designers including Paul Smith, Zaha Hadid, Jonathan Ive, Miuccia Prada, Frank Gehry, Eileen Gray and Dieter Rams.

The Design Museum is relocating from its current home at Shad Thames to the former Commonwealth Institute building in Kensington, west London. The project is expected to be completed by 2016. Leading designer John Pawson will convert the interior of the Commonwealth Institute building to create a new home for the Design Museum giving it three times more space in which to show a wider range of exhibitions and significantly extend its learning programme.

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