### press release

Milan, March 9th 2014

## HANGOUT. Unconventional Collection.

Hangar Design Group presents four new collections with four excellent companies at the Milan Design Week.

The Hangar Design Group collective chooses the artistic Brera neighborhood, inside a contemporary space, as the location to exhibit its "Unconventional Collection", dedicated to living shared space: a lighting system that evokes a modernist mood, two series of furniture for urban space and luxury hotels, and a selection of portable objects, freely inspired by the theme of travelling.

#### Peggy / FUTURA for Vistosi

Inspired by modernism, "Peggy", a special edition of the Futura collection, is a series of suspension lamps in hand-blown shiny white glass and polished lead-colored metal, which interprets the black and white color polarity with the lightness of a rational and elegant mark. A project conceived and designed for the new café and restaurant in the Peggy Guggenheim Collection in Venice and a tribute to the great collector herself.

#### **Grid for Urbo**

A series of chairs and accessories for urban furniture in public spaces, designed as if for a contemporary living space. The collection plays on the contrast between the different ways of working bent metal, in the bench, bin and guide lights versions.

#### **Madison for Rossato**

Haute design with a nod to the 30's and 40's for a sophisticated collaboration with a company that makes tailoring the exclusive element of its production. Exotic woods such as ebony and precious metals like nickel give added value to pieces that must be deemed unique, even if they are designed for a contract scale.

#### One-o-One for Acera

A reinterpretation from a western viewpoint of the traditional Chinese travel mugs, today a symbol for a new global lifestyle. An elegant and functional accessory that claims its name from the tallest skyscraper in Taipei, commemorating its skyline. In fact, this is the provenance of Acera, an Asian brand that transports the ancient ceramic artisanship of Taiwan to contemporary times.

#### **Nomad for Bertoni**

The trunk designed for Bertoni becomes a sécretaire once opened, complete with a seat and a various compartments desk. Nomad is upholstered with alum-tawed leather while the contour is refined with black leather. The charcoal oak interiors are decorated with alligator and aniline leather. The finest quality and a unique style for a collector's item.

Companies: Vistosi, Urbo, Rossato, Acera, Bertoni April 8th -13th 2014 10:00 - 20:00

#### Cocktail with invitation:

April 10th 2014 Opening time 18.30

Via Brera, 2 - Milan, 20159, Italy

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