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INDUSTRY [NEWS]

- **The Library X Phaidon**

A special thanks to Phaidon and sponsors HÅG by Flokk, featuring the iconic Capisco chair alongside tables by Stylex, and lighting sponsored by Midgard Licht.

- **Media & Vip Lounge**

Designed by RADS – Rodolfo Agrella Design Studio and sponsored by Dooor, Uniform, and Heller.

A special thanks to Ligne Roset for the Welcome Lounge and Juniper for the Recharge Lounge, in partnership with HBF and HB Textiles. Dates for ICFF 2026 are set for May 17-19, 2026. Visit www.icff.com for more information.

LENOVA
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DESIGNER'S DREAM

Lenova launches new design edition kitchen faucet collection with the stylish model k224



Lenova is pleased to unveil their luxurious new Design Edition Kitchen Faucet Collection with the launch of K224. Dramatic faucets in sophisticated two-toned style are among today's most sought-after trends in kitchen design, and this minimalist model boasts a professional-grade design that perfectly encapsulates contemporary elegance. Matte Black is always in fashion, the hippest hue in the color palette, embodying a perfect blend of elegance and edge. When combined with the warm allure of Brushed Bronze, it creates a stunning and glamorous look that is ideal for today's upscale kitchens.

Lenova combined form and function to create the new K224, a focal-point faucet that is as beautiful as it is efficient, with a two-function spray head and a magnetic docking system providing



effortless use. Crafted of the finest type 304 stainless steel with zero lead content for maximum durability and manufactured with superior ceramic cartridges for drip-free performance, the new faucets measure 23-7/8" high with a 9-1/2" spout reach. The K224 Collection is available in Matte Black, Matte Black with Brushed Brass, Brushed Brass, and Brushed Nickel finishes. Lenova incorporates proprietary PVD processing into its manufacturing system to create a matte finish that is amazingly durable and easy to maintain. Lenova stand behind the quality of their work with a 100% satisfaction guarantee and a limited lifetime warranty.

Visit www.lenovagroup.com for more information about these or any Lenova product.

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THE GATSBY COLLECTION

Bello unveils Gatsby, its most iconic vanity design where gilded glamour meets architectural elegance

Bello invites you to indulge in the opulence and glamour of the Art Deco era – an homage to the world of The Great Gatsby, where bold geometry and refined ornamentation defined a new era of luxury. The Gatsby Collection channels this timeless spirit through sculptural forms and architectural detailing, including fluted accents that nod to the past while capturing today's design renaissance. More than a vanity, it is a statement in modern-day refinement – where function meets artistry in the language of high design.

A study in meticulous craftsmanship, Gatsby embodies elegance in every line and proportion. Its commanding presence and tailored silhouette lend a quiet grandeur to any interior, effortlessly bridging the classic with the contemporary.

Offered in a curated palette of rich black or luminous white, each



accented with brushed gold hardware, the vanity is available in four sizes – including a new, space-conscious 36-inch model – perfectly suited to both expansive and intimate spaces. Crafted from solid wood for lasting integrity and a luxurious tactile experience, it features thoughtfully designed storage with removable drawer organizers and soft-close glides. A composite marble top, paired with a pre-installed cUPC-certified sink, ensures lasting beauty and performance, while an integrated LED light softly illuminates the base, adding an ambient glow. Arriving fully assembled (with the top separately packaged for protection), Gatsby is a seamless fusion of form, function, and elevated design – crafted for those who expect more from the everyday. Visit www.bellousa.com for more information.



MINIMALIST VIBE

Flusso introduces the Vasco™ K.1390 faucet collection

Vasco™ embodies a minimalist vibe with a design that is both lively and iconic. It is sleek yet elegant, showcasing simplicity at its finest. Each finish option gives it a distinct personality: gold offers an elegant, classic style; stainless steel presents an urban, modern aesthetic; and matte black exudes sophistication and allure. Add in

the choice of 20 luminous ceramic colors, and Vasco™ becomes positively vivacious!

The Vasco™ K.1390 model enhances any kitchen with its elegant, high-arched spout and knurling details on the touch points. This versatile faucet features premium stainless steel construction, single-hole installation, a pull-down spout with an 18-inch dual-function sprayer for easy cleaning, and a matching soap dispenser. As part of Flusso's Klassiker™ Collection, Vasco™ is built with exceptional craftsmanship and commitment to environmental stewardship. Vasco is ADA and WaterSense compliant with a flow rate of 1.8 gallons per minute at 60 psi. You can also add a Touch Sensitive Solenoid Box for convenient touch operation.

The Vasco™ K.1390 is available in standard finishes of Brushed Gold PVD, Matte Black and Stainless Steel. Flusso also offers 20 colorful finish options in shades ranging from sky blue, leaf green, and deep red to more neutral options like distressed black, steel grey, and white. The colors are ceramic-based, oven-cured and finished to perfection for a remarkably durable product highly resistant to corrosion, scratches, and chips. Flusso Kitchen & Bath Company backs the Vasco™ with a Limited Lifetime Warranty, making it a great investment for years of use. Visit www.flussofaucets.com for more information about the Vasco™ K.1390 collection or any Flusso product.

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