



The Salone del Mobile.Milano 2023 Round Tables

EuroLuce, Pavilion 15, Interior Night, Workshop Area, 2.30 pm

How do past and present dialogue in an urban environment? How have workplaces changed? What is the role of light in modern design? As part of the packed Salone del Mobile.Milano cultural programme, two round tables, on the subject of the rehabilitation of urban and historic centres and the places we live in in our cities, will respond to these and other questions, shaping a vision of future cities in which lighting will forge new paths towards a new way of life.

As part of the **Salone del Mobile.Milano cultural palimpsest**, being held in EuroLuce's Pavilions 9-11 and 13-15, two **Round Tables** on the evolutionary processes of contemporary architecture are being held alongside the exhibitions and the Talks, providing crosscutting insight from leading figures in urban, sustainable, lighting and landscape design.

Curated by the architect **Jacopo Acciaro**, founder of the **Voltaire Lighting Design** studio, with the support of the **AIDI**, **APIL** and **IALD** associations, and moderated by the engineer **Luca Giannelli**, CEO of United Consulting, the first round table – **The Enhancement of Historical Architecture in Relation to New Urban Interventions** – will focus on contemporary design scenarios, exploring the balance between new architectural interventions and consolidating the city's historic heritage. The Mayor of Bergamo, **Giorgio Gori**, along with the Milanese architect **Cino Zucchi** of the CZA studio, one of the most committed exponents on the contemporary architectural design, master plan and rehabilitation scene, will come together with the lighting designer **Susanna Antico**, whose studio has huge experience in urban lighting, **Gian Paolo Roscio**, President of the AIDI-Italian Lighting Association, and **Johan Kinoo**, Head of Lighting in the Municipality of Antwerp's Urban Development Department (Belgium), to discuss **memory and the new directions of modern architecture, with a special emphasis on lighting design as an element of cohesion and connection between the modern day and historical identity (Wednesday 19th April).**

The second round table, with the same curator and moderator as the previous one, is entitled **The City and Living Places: Architectural interventions for Tertiary Use with a High Impact on the Urban and Social Context**, will feature the architects **Patricia Viel** and **Marco Brambilla** of ACPV ARCHITECTS Antonio Citterio Patricia Viel, an architecture and interior design studio operating at international level in a number of different fields, from town planning to residential and mixed use developments, business campuses, public buildings and hotels; the engineer **Alessandro Gritti**, Director of Project & Construction Management for the Italian branch of Hines, the global investment, development and real estate management company, active in 28 countries; **Jacopo Acciaro** of the Voltaire Lighting Design studio; the architect **Margherita Brianza** of the landscape architecture firm P'arcnouveau and the architect **Giorgio Da Rold**, Managing Director of BNP Paribas Real



Estate Property Management Italy, a leader in the European real estate field. The discussion topic will focus on **current real estate development, particularly for tertiary use, in the city of Milan**, taking a crosscutting approach, involving all those tangential aspects – architectural, interior, urban and social – in **which quality of life and sustainability become the absolute protagonists** of an all-round design in which lighting design, with its visions and challenges, takes on renewed importance for a new everyday life (*Thursday 20th April*).

Wednesday 19th April, 2.30 pm

The Enhancement of Historical Architecture in Relation to New Urban Interventions

Curated by Jacopo Acciario / Voltaire Lighting Design with Annalisa Rosso / Salone del Mobile.Milano

Moderator: Luca Giannelli

Speakers: Cino Zucchi / CZA Cino Zucchi Architetti

Giorgio Gori / Mayor of Bergamo

Johan Kinoo / Municipality of Antwerp

Gian Paolo Roscio / IREN Smart Solutions

Susanna Antico / Susanna Antico Lighting Design Studio

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The City and Living Places: Architectural interventions for Tertiary Use with a High Impact on the Urban and Social Context

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Moderator: Luca Giannelli

Speakers: Patricia Viel and Marco Brambilla / ACPV Architects Antonio Citterio Patricia Viel

Alessandro Gritti / Hines Italy

Giorgio Da Rold / BNP Paribas Real Estate Property Management Italy

Jacopo Acciario / Voltaire Lighting Design

Margherita Brianza / P'arcnouveau

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