

## PRESS RELEASE | TECTA x GESTALT

### TECTA

*Ambassadors for the Bauhaus, continuing the history of design*

The machines are running. In the workshops of TECTA, craftsmanship meets vision as it has for decades. In the large museum halls, young designers gather—studying proportions, debating details, and rediscovering the Bauhaus originals. They examine prototypes by Walter Gropius, Marcel Breuer and Jean Prouvé, drawing inspiration from their radical clarity and timeless relevance. They measure, sketch, and continue their exploration in the upholstery workshop, where materials, fabrics, and colours are reimagined for today.

This is a day like many at Tecta—a family business shaped by legacy and driven by independence. With close, longstanding connections to Bauhaus pioneers and their circles, including the Gropius family and the British architects Alison and Peter Smithson, Tecta remains deeply rooted in the tradition it continues to evolve. At the same time, the company collaborates with a new generation of designers such as Katrin Greiling, Hanne Willmann, Thomas Schnur, Marco Dessí, and Wolfgang Hartauer—creative voices who reinterpret cultural heritage through contemporary lenses.

At Tecta, production is guided not by trends or market analysis, but by conviction, curiosity, and a passion for furniture. Based in Lauenförde, Tecta exists within a dynamic triangle of craftsmanship, design, and lived experience—where Bauhaus history is not only preserved, but actively continued.

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### TECTA x GESTALT — ANTWERP DESIGN WEEK 2026

Gestalt Architecten, based in Antwerp, proudly represents Tecta as its official ambassador in the region. During Antwerp Design Week 2026 (May 30 – June 3, 2026), the Tecta x Gestalt studio will present a curated selection of Tecta pieces in a permanent setting.

For the first time, Gestalt opens its doors to the public, inviting visitors into a world where design is conceived as a holistic narrative—where spaces are created to **Live, Host, Build & Collect**. The studio offers an immersive environment in which furniture, architecture, and atmosphere merge into one cohesive experience.

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### ABOUT GESTALT ARCHITECTEN

Founded in 2018, Gestalt Architecten is driven by a commitment to beauty, comfort, and enduring design. The studio creates and curates spaces that resonate across time—environments designed not only for today, but for future generations. Working across architecture, interior design, and furniture design, Gestalt approaches each project with careful attention to context, client needs, and spatial possibilities.

From private homes to public buildings, from urban settings to natural landscapes, Gestalt embraces projects of every scale as holistic endeavors. Their work reflects a belief that design goes beyond problem-solving—it is a way of shaping meaningful experiences and narratives.

**Live, Host, Build & Collect.**