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THE MAKING OF A MODERN BRAND

How to stay ahead of the game in the 21st century

Winkler has launched a range of bags under the Edition banner, using Moyard's own textiles and working with Fabien Baudin of experimental Swiss fashion label Prism

Next autumn, Winkler is hoping to add an upholstered furniture collection to Moyard's repertoire, again designed by Olivier Rambert and Singal Mösch.

Plans are afoot to convert part of the Moyard warehouse into a photography and design studio and gallery space.

Determined to turn Moyard into a firing-on-all-cylinders creative engine, Winkler is also publishing a novel by lawyer and friend Guillaume Vionnet and planning a series of monthly concerts.



Latest edition

Swiss furniture store Moyard has turned designer with a collection all of its own

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Established in 1821 in the Swiss town of Morges, Moyard is a furniture and design store that covers a lot of bases, from a reproduction Louis XIV commode to a David Chipperfield-designed light fitting. Moyard also has a workshop of 11 craftsmen busy restoring everything from 19th-century French to midcentury Danish. Now current head of the family operation Mathieu Winkler has decided to keep them even busier, producing an eight-piece contemporary collection called Noch Ein ('One More'). It's the debut of what he's calling Edition by Moyard; a collaboration, in this first outing, with Swiss designers Olivier Rambert and Singal Mösch. The pieces are built to order from local woods using no nails or screws, and can be scaled up or down on request. editionbymoyard.ch

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DESIGNERS OLIVIER RAMBERT (LEFT) AND SINGAL MÖSCH (RIGHT) WITH FORMER HEAD OF THE COMPANY JEAN WINKLER AND HIS SON MATHIEU WINKLER (CENTRE), WHO TOOK CHARGE IN 2004. THE NEW COLLECTION INCLUDES FROM TOP LEFT A CONSOLE, A COAT HANGER AND A SERIES OF TABLES, MADE TO ORDER FROM LOCAL WOODS SUCH AS SWISS OAK AND WALNUT. ADDITIONAL MATERIALS, SUCH AS THE GLASS AND NICKEL- OR BRASS-FINISHED TABLETOPS, ARE MANUFACTURED BY LOCAL CRAFTSMEN

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