Cabinet of Possibilities

DESIGNER MICHELE DE LUCCHI TAKES STORAGE DESIGN TO NEW HEIGHTS WITH ROPE AND ASH WOOD

TEXT CHRISTOPHER DAY

THE PIECE

Paola Lenti's latest limitededition masterpiece, the Nuvola is a cabinet defined by its curvature and the interplay of light and wood. Handmade with meticulous details, the piece shapes and transforms its surroundings with its organic presence.

THE MATERIALS

The Nuvola's structure is made of natural ash and heartwood, with fixed shelves in blockboard veneered with ash wood. The cabinet's hinges are made of varnished steel, and its doors are hand-woven with rope yarn.



.....THE DESIGNER

One of design's foremost visionaries, Michele De Lucchi is the head and founder of AMDL Circle in Milan and has designed furnishings for some of the best-known European brands today. His philosophy? "We are a circle. We are designers who share the desire to improve the quality of the environment in which we live. Our circle is open to human interactions, to the exchange of ideas and expertise."

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"A refined expression of Italian woodworking mastery, the Nuvola's sinuous form brings depth and character to any space," says Paola Lenti. "More than a storage piece, Nuvola transforms its surroundings [with] a sculptural presence that radiates in every direction." paolalenti.it; amdlcircle.com