

Adam Wolstenholme

Furniture Designer / Photographer / Mid-century Design Specialist



Highly motivated and passionate graduate designer with experience in and appreciation for furniture design, photography, interior design, and history of design. Experience in Gallery Management and Co-ordination, design curation and sales, and tackling complex design briefs. Highly consistent task management and communication in professional settings, both individually and within a team.

Experience

Gallery Manager and Co-ordinator (Nov '21 - Sep '22)

Modernity Stockholm AB

- Managing gallery operations for a major mid-Century Nordic design gallery, living and working in Stockholm.
- Office management, client communications and sales, shipping, furniture restorations, photography assistance, gallery space design and layout.
- Working with major art galleries to co-curate exhibitions in Modernity London, Cavendish Square.

Co-founder and Curator (Jan '22 - Present)

S.A.D Gallery

- Gallery business startup.
- Collection, sourcing, and curation of design objects and furniture from the late 19th Century to the contemporary.
- Artist / Designer historical research and product pricing.
- Product photography and cataloging.

Private Collection Account Manager (Nov '22 - Present)

Nordiska Kristall AB

- Curation of design objects from the mid-20th century.
- Artist / Designer historical research and product pricing.
- Product photography and cataloging.
- Pamono account managing.
- Client communications / sales and product shipping.

New Designers 2022 (July '22)

NTU Student Showcase

- Design and hand crafting of my 'Polybloc' dining chair, selected to be exhibited at New Designers 2022, London.
- Self-directed brief, inspired by mid-century Danish design methodologies and the ubiquitous plastic garden chair. Studies of historical chair archetypes from the 16th to 20th century.
- Furniture sketching, CAD visualising, joinery and hand making (including steam bending and plywood moulding).
- Product photography and branding.

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About

East Midlands
22 years of age
Graduate designer
BA (Hons) Product Design (1st)
2018 - 2022
Nottingham Trent University
Exhibited at New Designers 2022

Software

Adobe InDesign
Adobe Lightroom
Adobe Photoshop
Adobe Illustrator
Solidworks
Keyshot
Marvelous Designer
MS Office
Wordpress

Skills

Mid-century design history/sales
Product visualisation
Analogue/digital photography
Furniture/product visualisation
Furniture/product prototyping
Physical sketching
CAD visualisation
Gallery coordination
Project/team management
Public speaking/communication
Narrative building
Sustainable thinking/prioritisation