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Dipl. Designer FH (final degree 2006, University of Applied Sciences Northwestern Switzerland)

Independent designer since 2006, projects in the fields of furniture, design and consulting. Since 2009 Assistant at the Zurich University of the Arts, Master of Arts in Design, Field of Excellence Product.

2010 lecturer at the Zurich University of the Arts, Focus Sustainability, dept. Industrial Design
2007-2008 Work as an industrial Designer at 2ndwest, projects in the fields of exhibition- and industrial design.
2007 charter member of the design collective POSTFOSSIL
2004/2005 Internship at design studio "cb industries" in Solothurn, CH, projects in the fields of interior and product design and sculptural art.
2004 founding own Label "sein" with Alain Schibli

Awards and Nominations

2009 second prize for „Aktives Wohnen, wohliches Arbeiten“ at the Designpreis@Embru Ruti, CH
2009 nominated for swiss federal design award.
2008 nominated for Design Report Award, SaloneSatellite, Milan, IT
2007 nominated for Kent Design Award
2007 Special Price of the City of Lucerne, Design Biennale Lucerne
2005 First Price, Nike Play-award, Designmai, Berlin, D

Exhibitions

2011 «Im März», Zurich
2010 «Made for», Designcontest, Lucerne, CH
2010 Minimal Illusions, Design Gallery, Baden, CH
2010 Einzigart, Zurich, CH
2010 Designpreis@Embru with POSTFOSSIL, Museum für Gestaltung, Zurich, CH
2009 Neue Räume 09 with POSTFOSSIL, Zurich, CH
2009 DMY Allstars in Berlin with POSTFOSSIL, D
2009 Salone Satellite in Milan (international furniture fair) with POSTFOSSIL
2009 Crash The Oil, exhibition and lecture with POSTFOSSIL in the „College Corner“ Art Space, Zurich, CH
2009 „les boîtes de l'avenir“, exhibition with POSTFOSSIL in the Cabaret Voltaire, Zurich, CH
2008 New and Norwegian „A world of folk“, Stavanger, N
2008 exhibition at SaloneSatellite in Milan, I
2006 Collection SEIN.SE, instant shop, Aarau, CH
2006 exhibition with „C-0796-1294“ at the Designbiennale Lucerne, CH
2005 Cibob, Stilladen, Wien, A
2005 Cibob, Nike Urban Lab, Berlin, D

Publications

2009 „Once Upon a Chair, Design Beyond the Icon“ (Gestalten Verlag)
2008 „desire-the Shape of things to come“ (Gestalten Verlag)