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Brompton is the leading design district during London Design Festival. 2017 is the district's most extensive programme to date, with over 40 exhibits within walking distance of the Victoria and Albert museum.

Brompton's theme, 'Other Stories - alternative perspectives on design', set by the programme curator Jane Withers, explores unusual narratives in design and work that stimulates the imagination beyond product.

These stories unfold across three large Victorian townhouses in Cromwell Place, nearby garages and temporary exhibition spaces on and around Brompton Road.

The district is home to a cluster of the world's leading design retailers who all stage exhibitions and events for the Festival.

The Brompton Cafe by Today Bread is a place for visitors to recharge and relax and The Hourglass pub is the setting for a talks programme debating Other Stories and current issues in design.

**Brompton Late Night Opening**  
**Thursday 21 Sept, 6 - 9 pm**

Nearest tube - South Kensington

[www.bromptondesigndistrict.com](http://www.bromptondesigndistrict.com)  
@brompton\_design\_district  
#bromptondesigndistrict #BDD2017  
#alternativeperspectives

### \* BROMPTON TALKS AT THE HOURGLASS

Weds 20 Sept, 4.30 - 6, by invitation only  
**DESIGN CONNECTIONS - GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES ON DESIGN**  
<http://design.britishcouncil.org/projects/design-connections>

Delegates from the British Council's Design Connections programme which links directors and curators from around the world, present social design projects from their regions.

Thurs 21 Sept 12.30 - 3.45

### MODELS FOR SOCIAL DESIGN - COMMUNITY ECONOMICS (title tbc)

Social entrepreneurs from Newfoundland, Bosnia, and The Netherlands talk about their projects exhibited in Brompton and share their experiences in using the design process to bring about social and economic change. With Zita Cobb (CEO & Co-Founder, Shorefast Foundation; Innkeeper, Fogo Island Inn), Orhan Niksic (CEO & Co-Founder, Zanat), and Petra Jansen (Founder, Social Label).

Fri 22 Sept, 4.30 - 5.30

### MODELS FOR SOCIAL DESIGN - DESIGNER'S PERSPECTIVES (title tbc)

Presented with London Salons, this talk brings together designers exploring alternative models who discuss and unpick the inner workings and impact of social design projects. With Ineke Hans, Ilse Crawford, and Kim Colin.

### \* BROMPTON TALKS WITH THE VICTORIA AND ALBERT MUSEUM

Weds 20 Sept, 1.15 - 2.15

### COMMUNITY COLLECTIVE: THE FOGO ISLAND STORY

The Lydia and Manfred Gorvy Lecture Theatre, Level 4

Talk by Zita Cobb, entrepreneur and founder, Fogo Island Inn and Shorefast Foundation, afterwards in conversation with Ineke Hans. Tickets: [globaldesignforum.com](http://globaldesignforum.com)

Thurs 21 Sept 12.15 - 1.15

### IN FOCUS: NEW CZECH GLASS AND CERAMICS

Tour of V&A Museum and Brompton exhibitions meeting at the LDF Desk, Grand Entrance

Join glass artist Petr Stanicky, ceramicist Milan Pekar, and design curator Adam Stech for a talk and tour of Czech ceramics and glass pushing the boundaries from the past and future.

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### OBJECTS OF REFINEMENT

V&A Museum, Meet at the LDF Desk, Grand Entrance

Join Prague-based design and architecture curator and editor Adam Stech of Okolo, for a unique tour of the V&A and his Brompton exhibition.

Add Pascal Hechem (200Gr) talk on the 22nd

Fri 22 Sept, 5.15pm

### [bread]

Medieval & Renaissance, Room 64b, The Simon Sainsbury Gallery, Level 2

Lebanese-based designer and artist Pascal Hachem explores his design practice and the cultural rituals of his homeland through this everyday food item.

For more information and to book please visit: [bromptondesigndistrict.com](http://bromptondesigndistrict.com)

### EXHIBITIONS

Open 16 - 24 Sept unless otherwise stated

#### 1 2 Cromwell Place, SW7 2JE Sat - Tues 10 - 6, Weds & Fri 10 - 7, Thurs 10 - 9

Projects exhibited at 2 Cromwell Place address the district theme 'Other Stories' in design, with narratives from a particular time or place that address social and material concerns.

#### 200GRS A Taxonomy of Simple Gestures 200grs.com

A collection of pieces which are drawn from challenging a spatial constraint or questioning social trends.

#### LIVSDAL The Competition for Air - Beyond Ritual and Myth livsdal.com

An exhibition which investigates how we live in cities where there is competition for a fair share of air.

#### OKOLO Objects of Refinement: Custom-Designed Elements in Modernist Interiors and Architecture okoloweb.cz

photographic archive of custom-made design elements from 20th century architecture and interiors.

#### ON ENTROPY Design · Art · Craft: Heritage for the Future www.onentropy.co.uk

A marble atelier using heritage as a link to cross boundaries between design, art and craft.

#### UMPRUM ACADEMY OF ARTS, ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN IN PRAGUE STUDIO OF CERAMICS AND PORCELAIN Bohemian Mud umprum.cz

An exhibition of contemporary trends in Czech ceramics, exploring traditional production, technological innovations and material-based experiments.

#### 2 3 Cromwell Place, SW7 2JN 18 Sept - 13 Oct, Sat - Tues 10 - 6, Weds & Fri 10 - 7, Thurs 10 - 9

#### PETER PILOTTO Peter Pilotto Townhouse Takeover peterpilotto.com

An immersive universe of design items from collaborators and Peter Pilotto collections, for London Fashion Week, London Design Festival and Frieze.

#### 3 4 Cromwell Place, SW7 2JE Sat - Tues 10 - 6, Weds & Fri 10 - 7, Thurs 10 - 9

4 Cromwell Place explores 'Other Stories' through a cluster of projects that use the design process to bring about social and economic change, alongside projects by designers re-purposing traditional methods for making contemporary objects.

#### COMMITTEE No Solution committee.studio

An installation depicting miscellaneous manmade objects that represent need, want, abundance and waste, and a specially designed edition of No Solution silk scarves.

#### DESIGNBLOK Another White Story designblok.cz

The latest chapter in the long history of Czech porcelain design, this exhibition presents the best contemporary Czech designers working with this fine material.

#### INEKE HANS The Last London Salon: Furniture & the Future www.inekehans.com/salon

Hans' series of design salons conclude with an exhibition, talks and a booklet offering insights, conclusions and recommendations for design.

#### FOGO ISLAND SHOP Economic Nutrition Through Design www.fogoislandinn.ca

Furniture from Donna Wilson and Ineke Hans for the Fogo Island Inn with 'economic nutrition' labels, a system revealing the impact of design on local and global economies.

#### MARTINO GAMPER Round & Square / The Game of Consequences martinogamper.com

A new collection of studio-made furniture based on an intricate wood joint presented with a collaborative design project of a 12 piece tea set for 1882 Ltd.

#### MARTYN THOMPSON STUDIO In Memoriam martynthompsonstudio.com

An immersive installation of tapestries, photography and textiles, designed to illustrate Thompson's creative process.

#### MEREL KARHOF & MARC TROTIEREAU Shadevolume the Totem shadevolume.com

A three-metre totem of light, made with the Shadevolume collection, linking floors to another within an historic Victorian staircase.

#### PEOPLE OF THE SUN Storage & Stools www.peopleofthesun.net

Malawi-based organisation presents baskets, trays, and furniture by Ineke Hans, showing design as a component for sustainable, co-operative businesses.

#### SIGMAR Anastasiades, Rabun, Auböck sigmarlondon.com

A collection of brass pieces made by Carl Auböck comprising mills for coffee and pepper by Michael Anastasiades and a series of eggs which open into bowls by Jacqueline Rabun.

#### SOCIAL LABEL Werkwarenhuis in London sociallabel.nl

Social Label presents its ideas for an inclusive society.

#### STUDIOILSE Being Human studioilse.com

Studioilse brings together three new collaborations; hand carved furniture from Bosnia made with Zanat, wallpapers, and an oil lamp from Sweden.

#### WORKSHOP FOR POTENTIAL DESIGN Best Show workshopforpotentialdesign.com

A short film presentation.

#### ZAVEN Practice zaven.net

The Venice-based studio specialising in research and industrial design, present a collection of objects focused on materials and different ways to approach them.

#### 4 B&B ITALIA The Nature of Design - 250 Brompton Road, SW3 2AS Mon - Sat 10 - 6, Sun 12 - 5 bebitalia.com

The Nature of Design unveils a new store look, showcases 2017 projects and welcomes Arclinea designer kitchens.

#### 5 BOFFI Boffi Cove Kitchen by Zaha Hadid Design and MA/U Studio 254 Brompton Road, SW3 2AS Mon - Sat 10 - 6 boffiuk.com

The Cove kitchen by Zaha Hadid Design is presented alongside Boffi's 2017 collections and De Padova pieces from MA/U Studio with new designs by Lissoni, Fukasawa and Ossino.

#### 6 BROMPTON CAFÉ BY TODAY BREAD 10 Thurloe Place, SW7 2RZ Sat - Tues 10 - 6, Weds & Fri 10 - 7, Thursday 10 - 9 bromptondesigndistrict.com

Food and furniture created by designers at a pop-up café and meeting point in Brompton, with research on the district's public realm by DSDHA.

#### 7 BROMPTON TALKS AT THE HOURGLASS 279-283 Brompton Road, SW3 2DY The Hour Glass is open 12pm - 11 pm, for talks schedule, see\* and website bromptondesigndistrict.com

A talks programme addressing Brompton's theme 'Other Stories - alternative perspectives on design'. Please book online to avoid disappointment.

#### 8 CASSINA Cassina 1927 - 2017 283 Brompton Road, SW3 2BB Daily 10 - 6 cassina.com

For its 90th anniversary Cassina presents the monograph 'This Will Be The Place', curated by Felix Burrichter.

#### 9 THE CONRAN SHOP The Private View: The Conran Shop x It's Nice That Michelin House, 81 Fulham Road, SW3 6RD Mon, Tue & Fri 10 - 6, Wed - Thu 10 - 7, Sat 10 - 6.30, Sun 12 - 6 theconranshop.co.uk

A playful installation of a glittering occasion turned into unexpected chaos, combining products, set design and storytelling.

#### 10 THE DESIGN MUSEUM London Design Festival at The Design Museum 224 - 238 Kensington High Street, W8 6AG Daily 10 - 6 designmuseum.org

The Design Museum hosts a programme of installations and talks for London Design Festival including Set in Stone alongside current exhibitions California: Designing Freedom and Breathing Colour by Hella Jongerius.

#### 11 DIVERTIMENTI Dartington - 50 Years of Great British Glass Design 227-229 Brompton Road, SW3 2EP Mon - Fri, 9.30 - 6, Sat 10 - 6, Sun 12 - 5.30 divertimenti.co.uk

Dartington Crystal and Divertimenti collaborate to create a 50 year anniversary exhibition of the UK's only remaining hand-made crystal and glass manufacturers.

#### 12 FAYE TOOGOOD The Trade Show 1 North Terrace, SW3 2BA Sat - Tues 10 - 6, Weds & Fri 10 - 7, Thurs 10 - 9 fayetoogood.com

Faye Toogood invites 50 of the leading creative forces in the country to take part in a unique collaborative project.

#### 13 HARRODS House of Design Harrods Third Floor, 87-135 Brompton Road, SW1X 7XL Mon - Sat 10 - 9, Sun 11.30 - 6 harrods.com

A Knightsbridge neighbourhood, made up of tiny townhouses curated by Harrods' home brands, each showcase a specific material or area of expertise.

#### 14 KARTELL From Componibili to New Products 223 - 225 Brompton Road, SW3 2EJ Mon - Sat 10 - 6.30 kartell.com

Kartell's new products and the 50th anniversary exhibition of the Componibili, an iconic piece by Anna Castelli Ferrieri.

#### 15 MINT Mint Luminates 2 North Terrace, SW3 2BA Mon - Wed, Fri & Sat 10.30 - 7, Thurs 10.30 - 6, Sun closed except 24 Sept 11 - 5 www.mintshop.co.uk

Over 60 international designers, both new and established, selected for their imaginative approach; Luminates focuses on new lighting technologies combined with handmade elements and craft.

#### 16 MOLTENI & C | DADA AND KVADRAT Amare Gio Ponti 245-249 Brompton Road, SW3 2EP Sat - Tues 10 - 6, Weds & Fri 10 - 7, Thurs 10 - 9 moltenigroup.com

A film by Molteni&C, accompanied by a reinterpretation of Gio Ponti's work by Vincent VanDuysen upholstered in fabrics from the Kvadrat/Raf Simons collection.

#### 17 THE MOSAIC ROOMS The show has a long title that I don't recall anymore 226 Cromwell Road, SW5 0SW Tues - Sat 11 - 6 mosaicrooms.org

New work by Lebanese artist and designer Pascal Hachem of 200Gr; inspired by everyday life, often temporary in nature and reflecting sociopolitics of Beirut.

#### 18 POTROLNA FRAU Vanity Fair Armchair Limited Edition 147 Fulham Road, SW3 6SN Daily 10 - 6 poltrofrau.com

A limited edition collection of the iconic Vanity Fair armchair to support the construction of the Farm Children's Museum in Favara, in Sicily.

#### 19 THE POUNDSHOP Poundshop Cart 15a Cromwell Place Mews, SW7 2LA Sat - Tues 10 - 6, Weds & Fri 10 - 7, Thurs 10 - 9 www.thepoundshop.org

The Poundshop showcases the new Poundshop Cart selling products from over 20 independent designers, all priced £1, £3 or £5.

#### 20 SÉ Savoir Faire, a celebration of the art and spirit of the south of France 60 Fulham Road, SW3 6HH Mon - Fri 10 - 6, Thurs 10 - 8, Sat - Sun 11 - 6 se-collections.com

A curatorial showcase of Sé's three furniture collections alongside works from inspiring French artists and craftsmen who share qualities of timelessness, craftsmanship and curvaceousness.

#### 21 SEEDS Dermapoliensis 5 Thurloe Place Mews, SW7 2HL Sat - Tues 10 - 6, Weds & Fri 10 - 7, Thurs 10 - 9 seedslondon.com

Matteo Cibic contaminates SEEDS with an immersive installation referencing an alternative world populated by surreal and enigmatic sculptures, scents, texts and drawings.

#### 22 SERPENTINE GALLERY Serpentine Pavilion 2017 Kensington Gardens, W2 3XA Tues - Sun, 10 - 6 serpentinegalleries.org

The Serpentine Gallery's 2017 pavilion by Francis Kéré.

#### 23 SKANDIUM The Skandium Townhouse presents Louis Poulsen 31 Thurloe Place, SW7 2HQ Mon - Wed, Fri & Sat 10 - 6, Thurs 10 - 9, Sun 11 - 5 skandium.com

A new retail concept, the Skandium Townhouse, opens with an installation by GamFratesi, and the launch of a limited-edition PH Pendant Lamp from Louis Poulsen.

#### 24 SMALLBONE OF DEVIZES Smallbone x Paul Helbers for Wallpaper\* Handmade 6-7 Thurloe Place, SW7 2RX Mon to Fri: 10am-6pm, Sat: 10am-5pm, Sun - Closed smallbone.co.uk

Fashion meets design with a collaboration for Wallpaper\* Handmade between Smallbone of Devizes and fashion designer Paul Helbers.

#### 25 STUDIO FURTHERMORE Replica 5 Thurloe Place Mews, SW7 2HL Sat - Tues 10 - 6, Weds & Fri 10 - 7, Thurs 10 - 9 studiofurthermore.com

A collection made from using a process of replica: furniture is constructed from Furthermore's 'lost foam' process, using ceramics and aluminium alloy to replicate the original.

#### 26 VICTORIA AND ALBERT MUSEUM London Design Festival at the Victoria and Albert Museum Cromwell Road, SW7 2RL Sat - Thurs 10 - 5.45, Fri 10 - 10 vam.ac.uk

Highlights include new, site-specific works by Ross Lovegrove, Paul Cockledge, Flynn Talbot and AAU Anastas.

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