

AD Editors' Picks from New York's Design Fairs

May is a big month for New York's design scene; these were the best happenings

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While some may be winding down for a relaxed summer this month, in the design world May is a whirlwind of fairs, launches, and events in New York. From the *Collective Design Fair* (May 3–7) to *Sight Unseen Offsite*, (May 19–22), *ICFF* (May 21–24), and all the parties, collection debuts, pop-ups, and other hoopla in between, the month is a near dizzying stream of design inspiration. To keep track of all that's going on, *AD*'s editors reported back from each of the shows, selecting our favorite products, projects, and all other manner of creative endeavors. These are our favorites.



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SERGIO RODRIGUES AT ESPASSO

Downtown in Tribeca, *Espasso* has produced 60 limited-edition versions of Sergio Rodrigues's iconic Mole armchair in honor of a larger exhibition about the late Brazilian designer's work. On

view starting May 22, the show celebrates the 60th anniversary of the Mole collection, and one vintage Mole chair will be donated to the Metropolitan Museum of Art on its completion.

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