Luxurious HIMACS & Brass Perfumery Island for Maison Olfactif



Maison Olfactif, renowned for its bespoke fragrances, has unveiled a breathtaking new addition to its mall boutique in Bucharest, setting a new standard for elegance and functionality in retail design. Designed by **Atvangarde Design Team**, the perfumery island is a masterpiece of craftsmanship, featuring a seamless blend of HIMACS solid surface material and authentic brass accents.

loana Marinescu, the visionary behind Maison Olfactif, had a clear vision for the perfumery island – she desired a show-stopping centrepiece that would not only captivate customers but also withstand heavy foot traffic and require minimal maintenance. To bring this vision to life, Marinescu turned to the Atvangarde Design Team, known for their expertise in creating high-performance and durable furniture solutions.

"Atvangarde Design Team proposed HIMACS Solid Surface in the iconic Alpine White shade, skillfully fabricated to create a grooved textured surface, as the main material for the perfumery island, coupled with softly curving brass matte sheeting for accents," explained Marinescu. "This combination not only exudes luxury and elegance but also ensures durability and longevity, meeting the strictest requirements for a retail environment."



Created with meticulous attention to detail, the perfumery island features a monolithic, onepiece design that seamlessly blends into its surroundings, creating a sense of fluidity and sophistication. **LED** lighting systems illuminate the exquisite niche fragrances, presented on long, thin-legged stands champagne reminiscent of glasses, further enhancing the boutique's allure.

"Atvangarde Design Team has distinguished itself with its spectacular design concepts for mall furniture, offering integrated solutions in design, engineering, high-performance materials like HIMACS, and technologies," commented Marinescu. "Their expertise and dedication have transformed our vision into reality, elevating the Maison Olfactif experience for our discerning clientele."

The stylish perfumery island showcases the potential of HIMACS solid surface material for the retail sector and its ability to be combined with other materials to create aesthetically pleasing and enduring brand experiences.



PROJECT INFORMATION

Location: Bucharest, Romania **Design:** Atvangarde Design Team

Fabrication: Atvangarde

Material: HIMACS S028 Alpine White Ixhausys.com/eu | @himacseurope

Photography: Atvangarde



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HIMACS is a solid surface material that can be moulded into any shape. It is widely used for architectural and interior applications, such as sculptural and high-performance wall cladding or kitchen, bathroom and furniture surfaces, in commercial, residential and public space projects. It is composed of minerals, acrylic and natural pigments that come together to provide a smooth, non-porous and visually seamless surface which meets the highest standards for quality, aesthetics, fabrication, functionality and hygiene – offering many advantages over

conventional materials.

HIMACS provides limitless possibilities for surfacing solutions and inspires creative minds from all over the world. **Zaha Hadid, Jean Nouvel, Rafael Moneo, Karim Rashid, Marcel Wanders** and **David Chipperfield**, among

others, have completed fabulous projects using HIMACS.

At the forefront of innovation as always, LX Hausys recently introduced two new products. First, **HIMACS Ultra-Thermoforming**, an innovative formula that pushes the boundaries of solid surface shaping to a whole new level, with 30% more thermoplastic capabilities - the biggest innovation in the history of Solid Surface since its inception in 1967. And now, **HIMACS Intense Ultra** combines the characteristics from two disparate worlds: **Intense Colour**

Technology and Ultra-Thermoforming.

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HIMACS is made using a next-generation technology, the **thermal cure**. The temperature reached during the manufacturing process sets HIMACS apart from other solid surfaces and creates a denser surface that is even sturdier, more homogeneous and more durable, and with better resistance and superior thermoforming results.

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