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Patricia Urquiola to Join Domus Academy as a Mentor in the Master in Interior and Living Design Program

Milan, July 10, 2013—In September, globally renowned designer Patricia Urquiola will join the faculty of Domus Academy as a mentor in the Master in Interior and Living Design program. This is the first in a series of new additions to Domus Academy’s distinguished lecturers and reflects the institution’s tradition of providing students with access to practicing professionals so that they gain relevant industry experience.

Urquiola is a designer and architect who has worked with Moroso, B&B, Flos, Mutina, Missoni, BMW and Louis Vuitton. In her role at Domus Academy, she will work directly with students, select designers from her studio to work with students, curate a course workshop, and involve her studio in classroom projects.

“Domus Academy is honored that Patricia Urquiola is joining our faculty and bringing her experience to our students,” said Gianluigi Ricuperati, dean of Domus Academy. “Her work is known around the world, and she will be an inspiration to our learning community.”

About Domus Academy

Domus Academy was founded in Milan in 1982 as the first postgraduate design school in Italy and as an open project focusing on the Italian design and fashion experience. Over the years, Domus Academy has become renowned for its postgraduate education and as a research lab investigating innovation and design. In 1994, Domus Academy won the Compasso d'oro for the quality of its approach and research. In 2009, it joined *Laureate International Universities*, a global network of innovative institutions of higher education. Domus Academy attracts students from around the world to its master’s degree programs in accessories design, business design, car and transportation design, product design, fashion design, interaction design, interior and living design, urban vision and architectural design, fashion management, fashion styling and visual merchandising, visual brand design, and design and marketing of luxury goods. Learn more at www.domusacademy.com.