



Brooks Custom 1st Annual Furniture Design Competition

Innovation is the backbone of everything we do at Brooks Custom. Over the past four decades, Richard Brooks and his team continually strive to create unique custom products made from alternative materials. It is in the spirit of innovation that we are challenging current design and architecture students to continue in this tradition and to incorporate zinc or concrete in designing a unique piece of furniture.

Brooks Custom's 1st Annual furniture design competition is open to any junior, senior, or graduate student currently enrolled in a design program. This competition has two categories for which one **\$500 prize** will be awarded in each. The design competition will ask entrants to design a custom furniture piece using **concrete** or **zinc** as a significant element in their design. Applicants may submit designs in both concrete and zinc categories, but may only be awarded a prize in one category per year.

Entry Requirements:

- Completed entry forms are due by June 1, 2017.
- Applicants must be students enrolled in an accredited Design or Architecture Program in the U.S.
- Entry forms should be emailed to: jennifer@brookscustom.com
- Completed furniture designs are due by June 1, 2017. Designs should be saved in PDF format and emailed with your entry form.
- Submissions should include a 1-2 page Design Concept Statement explaining your use of either concrete or zinc in your design and from where you drew your inspiration.
- Include the category for which you are entering in the filename of your PDF submission.

Judging Criteria:

Submissions will be review and prizes will be awarded based on the applicant's understanding of the practice of innovation and their proficiency in designing with concrete or zinc.

Winner Notification:

After the judging process is complete, winners will be notified by phone or email.

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Entry Form – Type or Print Your Responses

Student Name: _____ Junior ____ Senior _____ Grad _____

School Name: _____

Student Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone Number: _____

Entry Category: **Zinc Furniture Design** _____

Concrete Furniture Design _____

I have read, understood, and agree to the rules for the Brooks Custom Furniture Design Competition.

Entrant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Entry Form to be sent with final project and emailed to Jennifer@brookscustom.com

Final projects and entry form due June 1, 2017.