

INTERIEUR 06 20 YEARS

Michaël Verheyden and birthdays, it seems to go well together. In 2005 he designed a special belt for the 20th edition of the Pukkelpop festival. This year a unisex, lightweight shopper is developed for the 20th birthday of the Interieur Biennale, one of Europe most prestigious design fairs that choose to present only the cutting edge furniture brands. The archetypical shaped bag is constructed in an extraordinary way, has 2 hidden pockets and a red quality label "Michaël Verheyden for Interieur 06". The bag will appear in a future collection of Michaël Verheyden.

www.interieur.be



JAMES MURPHY WEARS IT PROUD

Since the beginning of this year, New York based James Murphy (LCD Soundsystem/DFA records) proudly wears his personal Michaël Verheyden shoulder bag. Michaël en James met each other at the Pukkelpop festival in 2005. James Murphy was immediately enthusiast about the collection and especially liked the Pukkelpop belt, because it does not contain metal parts, which makes it easy to check in at the airport.

Although James took a shopping bag home, as birthday present for his wife and some belts, he did not found a bag in the collection to carry his things around. The shoulder bag "James" is available from mid August at the shops!

www.dfarecords.com www.lcdsoundsystem.com
www.pukkelpop.be



NEW FORMULA FOR TOEGEPAST

For the 11th edition of Toegepast, a competition to help young designers by starting their professional career, the formula was changed. 5 former participants were asked to invite 5 fresh designers. Each of them will show new work at Z33, centre for contemporary arts at Hasselt/Belgium from the 24th of September till the 3rd of December 2006. The project is coordinated by Michaël Verheyden.

www.z33.be



This newsletter is dedicated to the work of Michaël Verheyden and his friends, if you don't want to receive it anymore just reply to info@michaelverheyden.be with the message "no more newsletters". **GRAPHIC DESIGN** Geoffrey Brusatto **PHOTOGRAPHY** by Arthur Roovers (except when indicated)

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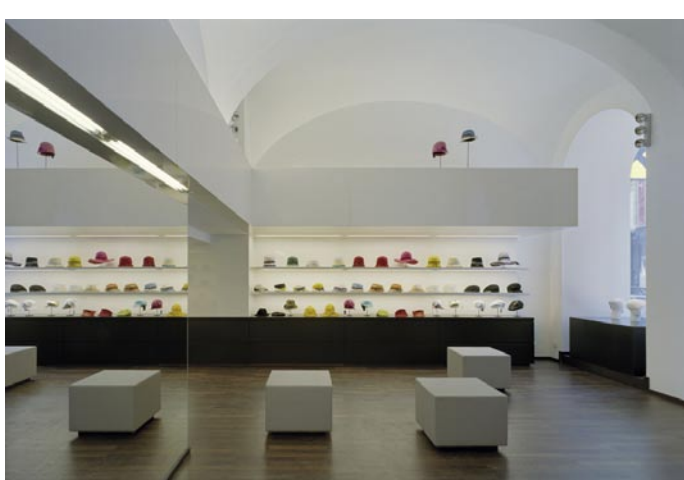


NEW DEALERS

New salespoints for the Michaël Verheyden collection, starting with winter 06-07:

Muhlbauer at Vienna (At), Fusskleid at Köln (D), Topkapi at Rennes (Fr), Jucci at Rapallo (It) and Edelweiss at Haarlem (NI)

www.muelbauer.at www.fuss-kleid.de www.edel-weiss.nl



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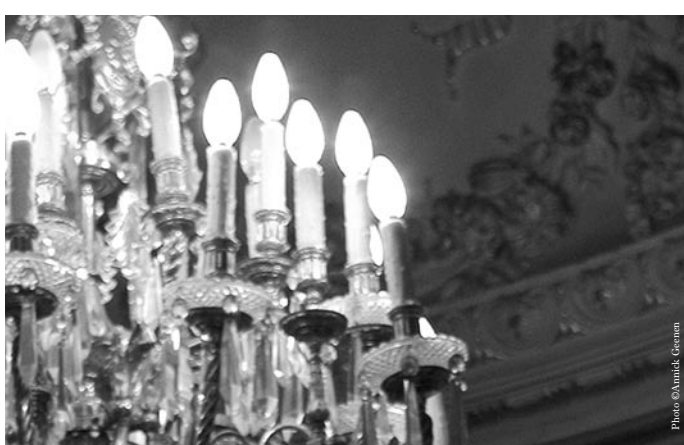
Danish company VIPP asked 20 European designers with a link to Arte Assinada, to customise one of their bins. The goal was to raise money to support abandoned children. The event was a success, 18.000 euro will be donated to the Refugio Aboim Ascensao, who gives neglected and abused children another chance in life.

www.vipp.dk www.arteassinada.pt



HASSELT SHOWT SMAAK

Everybody who was present in 2005 will agree, Hasselt Showt Smaak was a most stylish event combining fashion with design. This year's credo is again "bigger & better" quote the two men in charge of the organisation, Karl Janssens of Handsome and Stephen Valkenborg of Adonis. The fashion show combining the designers of the two boutiques will be a spin-off of the shows in Paris and Milan, a unique chance too get an incrowd impression! We are already looking forward to the presentation of Balenciaga, recently on sale at Handsome. www.hasseltshowtsmaak.be



TALENT ON SHOW

Mid June, the Antwerp Fashion Academy showed the work of its pupils to the fashion crowd. As always there was too many talent on display, but if there's one name to remember it certainly is Gunhyo Kim. His collection is inspired by Inspector Gadget and Sherlock Holmes and is a tasteful mix of tradition and avant-garde. Two silhouettes were already at display at the shopping window of boutique Louis in Antwerp, a photo shoot in Weekend Knack is coming up this fall. www.modenatie.com

