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Coalesse® Introduces The Montara650™ Collection

Collection is simple, social, and refined

San Francisco, CA – Modern office environments are often in flux, with workers needing spaces to meet on short notice. These informal gathering places should be inspiring, comfortable and hardworking—a way for mobile workers to socialize and collaborate without monopolizing real estate. Coalesse is supporting this need by developing insight-led, design-driven products that expertly balance form and function while allowing for customization that is tailored to fit a variety of work styles and spaces.

Focused on drawing people into the workplace with environments that foster social connection and creative collaboration, Coalesse has introduced Montara650. Created by the Coalesse Design Group and Lievore Altherr Molina, the collection is a refined addition to the casual meeting setting. Classically designed, the Montara650 collection's sculpted chairs, stools, and lounge chairs* are paired with simple pedestal tables that are uniquely power-ready.

Montara650 fills informal spaces with café-style character and provides members of the A&D community with a highly customizable set of design options. The durable, oak-veneered plywood shell of the collection's stackable chairs is available in five subtle stains, and can be upholstered fully or in a unique, three-quarter style that enhances comfort while maintaining the warmth of the wood. The seating is available with four legs or a sled base, with arms or armless, in trivalent chrome or painted to match the office palette. The sturdy, elegant Montara650 table is available in multiple heights and shapes, and can be finished in any laminate or veneer. An optional PowerPod, providing six power outlets in one convenient, tabletop package, further expands the application choices.

"The inspiration came from abstracting the shape of a seated human figure, with the torso (back), the hips (seat), and the transition zone that unites them," explains Lievore Altherr Molina. "This turned into a fairly neutral, balanced shape that was still iconic and recognizable and transmits its particular personality."

Montara650 is adaptable to many settings, with an effortless, sophisticated appeal. The collection's capacity for customization through various options, surface materials and upholstery makes it a versatile and inspired social solution for today's workplace. These classically casual designs are infused with a comfort and craft that are a seamless fit both in existing spaces and the vital social spaces in-between.

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*Available in 2017

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About Lievore Altherr Molina

Lievore Altherr Molina was created in 1991 by the merging of its three partners: Alberto Lievore, Jeannette Altherr, and Manel Molina. Since its founding, the studio has been devoted to product design, consulting, and the art direction of various companies, always offering individualized solutions. The studio has been recognized for furniture design, interior design, products, and packaging and has exhibited work internationally in cities including Barcelona, Cologne, Milan, Paris, and Tokyo. Lievore Altherr Molina has received many national and international awards, including Spain's National Design Award in 1991. Their ideas and projects are regularly published in prestigious design magazines around the world.

About Coalesse

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