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#### Coalesse® Introduces Three Additions to EMU Advanced Collection

Terramare, Lyze and Kira Expand the Coalesse Outdoor Portfolio

San Francisco, CA (September 2017) – Research shows that working outdoors can increase creativity and productivity. Whether for socializing or quiet concentration, outdoor settings are prime destinations where we connect, collaborate and rejuvenate. The EMU Advanced Collection, available from Coalesse, inspires fresh and inviting outdoor workspaces, encouraging these areas as natural extensions of great workplaces. Coalesse now offers three new product lines as part of the EMU collection: Terramare, Lyze and Kira. Each of the new designs debuted at NeoCon 2017.

Simple cane-and-canvas furniture is reinvented in die-cast aluminum in the EMU Terramare Series by Studio Chiaramonte/Marin. Lounge seating, tables and arm chairs for dining and gathering share elegant, light frames, mixed with innovative eco-leather chair backs that add a sculptural, vintage element. The arm chair offers the eco-leather back, while the eco-leather back and arms are available for the lounge chair. There are also seven color options for the lounge cushions. Terramare's material mix is original and innovative, and colorful, water-repellent outdoor fabrics are optimal for open air environments. These artful settings offer a unique outdoor experience through expertly crafted style and design.

Technical and timeless, the EMU Lyze Series by Florent Coirier revisits an iconic wire construction with more а expansive silhouette. Unusual stainless steel backrests wrap around aluminum seats; the two can be paired in sophisticated color combinations. Customers can create signature outdoor spaces with the versatile Lyze range of modern mesh design possibilities.



Simple yet sophisticated, the EMU Kira tables by Christophe Pillet will inspire gatherings of all kinds. Fixed and extending table styles combine durable aluminum frames and porcelain stoneware tops in clean-cut, delicate lines. Kira tables are an essential option for an inspirational outdoor atmosphere.

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As part of the three latest introductions, Coalesse is introducing new surface materials for the EMU Advanced Collection: eco-leather, fiber cement and porcelain stoneware. Over time, eco-leather will show delicate signs of use that increase its beauty and give it greater depth. Fiber cement is finished with a velvety surface texture that expresses the characteristics of the cement and develops natural subtle shade variations. The porcelain stoneware is unaffected by UV exposure and is water and oil repellent – making it exceptionally suited for outdoor use.

A long-standing Coalesse partner, EMU was established in Italy in 1951 and builds upon decades of traditional metalwork and creativity in collaboration with international designers. EMU is known for making exceptionally crafted modern furniture that is beautiful, durable and comfortable. As the exclusive North American distributor of the Terramare, Lyze and Kira product lines, Coalesse is enhancing possibilities for the outdoor environment as a key factor in the workplace mix.

For more information on Coalesse and its products, visit <a href="www.coalesse.com">www.coalesse.com</a>.

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Led by intuition, backed by research, and driven by design – Coalesse creates thoughtful furnishings for the modern workplace. We help our customers to make great spaces that inspire great work by empowering social connection, creative collaboration, and focus and rejuvenation. For workplaces around the world, we design products that blend beauty and utility, comfort and vitality, and insights with inspiration to bring new life to work. As part of the Steelcase Inc. family of brands, we are globally accessible through a network of over 800 dealers.

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