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**FRANK GEHRY'S SKYSCRAPE**

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preview of the Milan Furniture

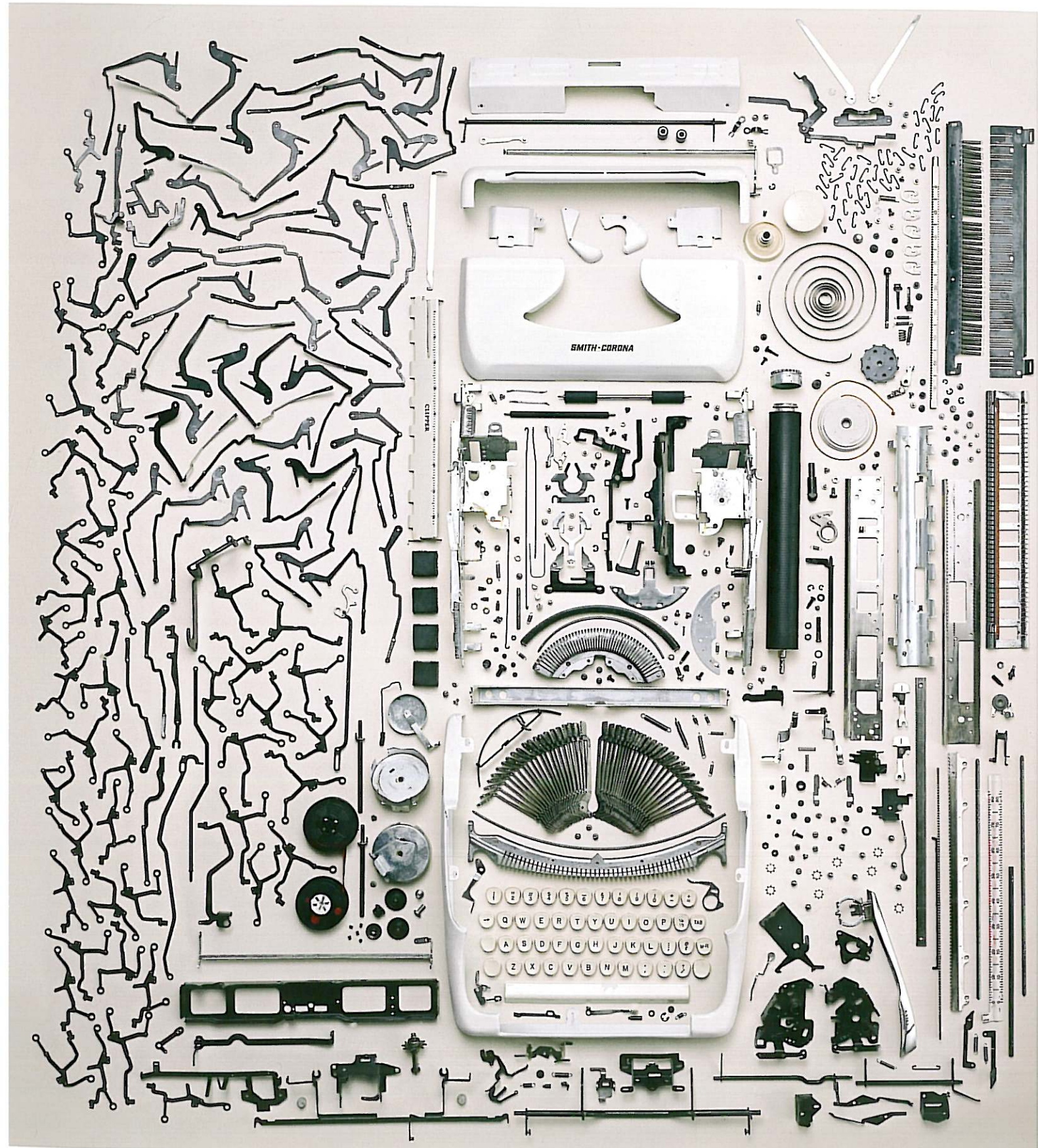


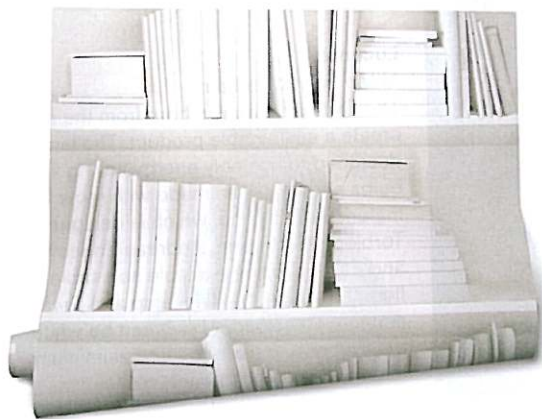
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**Mineheart**  
**Milan Furniture Fair**

This month, Mineheart will be making their Milan debut, launching their L Design collection including the white bookshelf wallpaper, seen here and a selection of lighting, furniture and accessories. Designed by Brendar and Vanessa Battaglia, all the pieces express their trademark of playful and iconic use of imagery. Mineheart will be exhibiting at Designersblock in Lambrate, Milan.  
[www.mineheart.com](http://www.mineheart.com)



**Brühl**  
**Milan Furniture Fair**

The Easy Pieces sofa range by Kati Meyer-Brühl can be described as urban meets rural. The clear lines of the solid wood frames provide a contrast to the upholstery, which can be displayed in a mosaic of colour combinations. Pictured here is Pool, a sofa with dark and light blue cushions on a white lacquered frame. Also available is a matching stool, dining table and upholstered bench to create a complete interior eating and living area. The Easy Pieces range received an Interior Innovation Award 2011 at IMM Cologne.  
[www.bruehl.com](http://www.bruehl.com)



**Rossin**  
**Milan Furniture Fair**

Tonic is fresh and dynamic with a strong, iconographic character. Cold-moulded from fire-retardant polyurethane foam, Tonic is available in a wide range of upholstery options, in one colour or multi-coloured, and with the choice of a wooden or metal base. This allows a wide range of creations, from young and fresh to elegant and linear. The Tonic series also includes a stackable version as well as a cantilever chair and armchair.  
[www.rossin.it](http://www.rossin.it)



**Clei UK**  
**Milan Furniture Fair**

The Atoll sofa unit converts with simple movement from an everyday bed to a storage unit underneath the sofa. There is also available in other models. The Atoll is the best innovation in furniture during the Intercontinental furniture show in Birmingham, UK. Milan, hall 7, stand 10.  
[www.clei.co.uk](http://www.clei.co.uk)



**Wiener Porzellanmanufaktur Augarten**  
**Milan Furniture Fair**

The Pinocchio Billiard Edition, designed by Philipp Bruni, is a colourful collection of vases being presented in Milan. Pinocchio is handmade from Viennese porcelain from Augarten, available in 15 designs, as well as a plain white one, following the billiard ball theme. To see the Pinocchio Billiard Edition for the first time, visit Design Vision Austria in Zona Tortona, Milan.  
[www.augarten.at](http://www.augarten.at)

