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## ideas

THE LATEST  
IN BATHROOM  
INSPIRATION

Cover Feature:  
ZUCCHETTI WATERCANDY



WINTER  
EDITION  
2019

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BATHWARE  
— SINCE 1987 —

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# ISH

Frankfurt am Main

11.–15.3.2019

With over 200,000 visitors and around 2500 international exhibitors, ISH is the world's leading trade fair focusing on the responsible management of water and energy in buildings. It sets trends for modern bathroom design, sustainable heating and air-conditioning technology as well as intelligent home systems.

The ISH Water area is the world's largest showroom for modern bathroom concepts showcasing individual products through to complete room concepts and sustainable sanitary solutions.

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And to keep up with new innovations and future trends Dean Davis, our General Manager of Design and Architecture and Ivano Gola, Northern Regional Sales Manager attended the fair. Several of our suppliers also exhibited their latest offerings and technologies.

Below are a few images and thoughts from the fair. The overall perception was even with a trend towards the use of colour and pastel tones, surprisingly black is still the predominant finish of choice. The use of texture has also become more common to create a point of difference. After seeing all the options now available, we left confident that the suppliers we currently partner with continue to stand out as the innovators and leaders in the world of bathware design.



**VICTORIA + ALBERT** Selective Quarrycast® baths and basins are now available in a matt finish to bring an organic warmth to your bathroom space. 'A world of colour' also allows you to personalise the exterior of your freestanding baths or basin to coordinate with the rest of your bathroom's design. The Taizu 1500 round bath in a spa like setting was a favourite!



**GROHE** The Wave of the Future. GROHE showed how new technologies will impact the future of architecture and design demonstrating their commitment to state-of-the-art digital inspired by GROHE's vision to actively Shape the Future of Water. Freedom of choice was on display with the GROHE colours collection, a carefully curated range of colours and

technology by unveiling 3D metal-printed faucets and sustainable water management. We were amazed by a record number new products and amount of design awards, finishes for all touchpoints in the bathroom. And then there was the GROHE truck – the mobile way to experience even more innovation.



**ZUCCHETTI** The powerhouse of outstanding Italian tapware continues to focus on both traditional and cutting edge aesthetics with design going beyond the purely functional, to tapware that has become a decorative element in its own right, capable of lending personality to any type of ambience.

**ARTCERAM** Famous for their product personalization characterized by exceptionally unique design, ARTCERAM continue to expand their offer with new finishes, extraordinary decors and decorated ceramics. Clearly the leaders in the market for basin design.





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## THE ULTIMATE LUXURY EXPERIENCE

DESIGNED BY SPACE STUDIO

*Situated in the downtown Britomart district in the heart of the city, SO/ Auckland is a luxurious urban hotel. Its avant-garde design blends the essence of the destination with the hotel's soul. Bursting with local energy and magnificent views, SO/ Auckland sets a new standard for world travellers and locals alike.*

*To create a soulful hotel experience, SO Sofitel takes the essence of a destination, blends that with a generous dash of playfulness, heaps of audacity, and adds a zesty twist of French joie de vivre. Using Auckland's volcanic origin as inspiration, the hotel rooms are design masterpieces furnished to the highest standards.*



BAGNODESIGN  
SANTORINI  
COUNTERTOP  
GLASS BASIN  
GOLD:  
BD-10086.GD



AMERICAN STANDARD  
MILANO  
SHOWER MIXER  
CHROME:  
33570.02



ELEMENTI  
SPLASH SQUARE  
SHOWERHEAD  
CHROME:  
40221.02



ELEMENTI  
SENSO  
SLIDE SHOWER  
CHROME:  
40271.02

BAGNODESIGN  
M-LINE GOOSE  
NECK KITCHEN  
MIXER  
CHROME:  
BD-16013.MBK



ELEMENTI  
BELLA 1700  
FREESTANDING BATH  
ACRYLIC:  
52560.10



ELEMENTI  
ELETECH  
ROBE HOOK  
CHROME:  
60715.02



ELEMENTI  
S5 SHELF/SOAP DISH  
ABS PLASTIC:  
60536.10



ELEMENTI  
S5 TOWEL RAIL  
POLISHED  
STAINLESS STEEL:  
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COMING SOON...

WATERCANDY

## AN IDEAL EXTENSION OF THE HAND

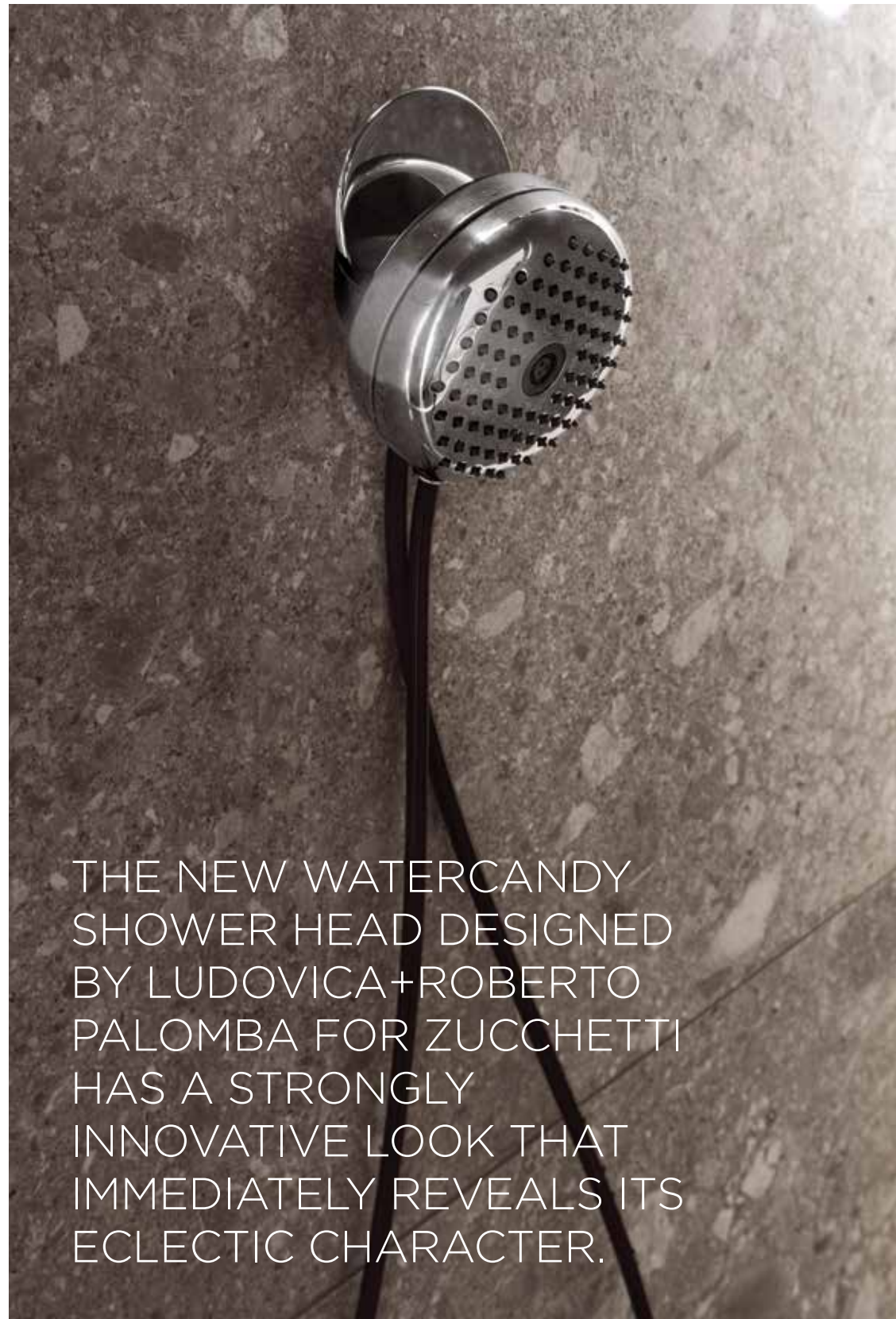
*The revolutionary element is the hand-shower, which as well as performing its traditional function can also be used to massage the body. The back strap makes it possible to hold the shower in a simple, ergonomic way whilst the silicon nozzles are designed here to also be used for a light massage.*

*As an ideal extension of the hand, the water is free to follow the body in the space, either from a chosen distance or completely cancelling the distance by bringing the nozzles into direct contact with the skin.*

### The golden couple of Italian design

*Ludovica+Roberto Palomba have shot to stardom in the Italian design scene. Famed for their unconventional bathroom, kitchen and living area design that result from a combination of their feel for architecture, lifestyle and industrial objects.*

*Ludovica Serafini and Roberto Palomba studied architecture at Rome University. They have worked together as partners since 1994 and are co-founders of the company Palomba Serafini Associati (ps+a). The company is based in a studio in Milan.*



THE NEW WATERCANDY  
SHOWER HEAD DESIGNED  
BY LUDOVICA+ROBERTO  
PALOMBA FOR ZUCCHETTI  
HAS A STRONGLY  
INNOVATIVE LOOK THAT  
IMMEDIATELY REVEALS ITS  
ECLECTIC CHARACTER.



**Z94750**

3 jets handshower equipped  
with silicone handgrip nozzles  
in soft silicone.  
WELS 4 Star



**Z93925**

Brass wall mounted shower  
support for WaterCandy  
handshower



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INTO SHAPE THAT STARTED  
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SOFT MIXER AND HAS EVOLVED  
ACCORDING TO EVER-MODERN  
CANONS, MANAGING TO TUNE  
OPPOSING GEOMETRICS TO  
ACHIEVE PERFECT PROPORTIONS.

LUDOVICA+ROBERTO PALOMBA

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reddot award

## PERFECT PROPORTIONS

# BRIM

*Reassuring and essential, the brand new Brim collection designed by Ludovica+Roberto Palomba stands out for its compact design that uses a single lexicon to elaborate two different shapes: the circle and the square.*

*The outcome of these efforts is a complete series of single-lever mixers with harmonious proportions and delicately rounded lines, designed to combine aesthetic requirements with large-scale production. The breadth of the range ensures it meets all design and installation needs.*

*Carefully designed, cross-cutting but accessible to the general public, Brim is a high quality product that summarises all the design and production capacity of the Zucchetti brand.*





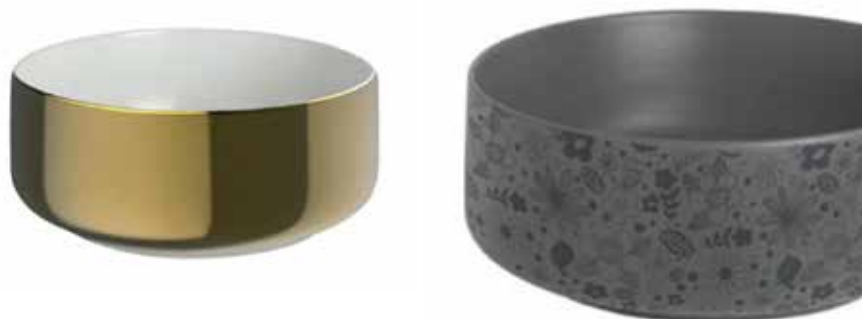
# Imagine.....

At Robertson bathware we import Europe's most innovative bathroom products. But we do more than that – we keep connected with the latest trends and inspiration, giving our home-grown architects and designers the opportunity to put their own spin on the very latest designs. 'Imagine' features a sample of such reinventions in bathroom design.

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## DECORI E FINITURE DECORS AND FINISHES

The Artceram continues to expand it's portfolio of ever-evolving original products now finished in a new series of unique, fresh and ambitious product decors.



**ZUCCHETTI.**

## WILL YOU DARE?

Full of sensuality, the Nude collection is a blend of emotion and imagination, where French art de vivre meets Italian state of the art. The project was developed starting from a crystal, round shaped, as pure as nature.

Every item is a soft object, something conducive to pleasure and comfort. Nude has bold spirit that resists the whims of fashion.

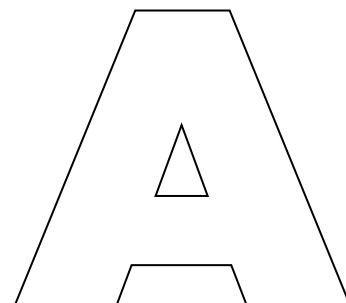
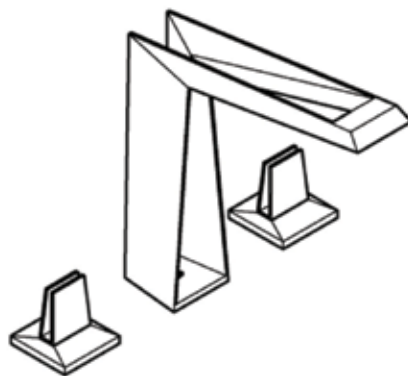


**GROHE**

## GROHE ICON 3D. CREATING THE IMPOSSIBLE.

Imagine a faucet that redefines everything you previously thought possible. A 3D printed faucet, born of the latest technology. Offering the superlative function you would expect from GROHE, but presented in a silhouette at once iconic and astounding. Where all the usual rules of design and manufacturing have been suspended. A 3D printed faucet of dazzling precision, lightness and modern elegance.

With the GROHE Icon 3D collection, the impossible becomes cutting-edge reality. By embracing the still-emerging technology of 3D metal-printing, GROHE's designers and engineers are pushing the boundaries of how a faucet is made. The GROHE Icon 3D printed faucet takes the future of the faucet to exciting new places.



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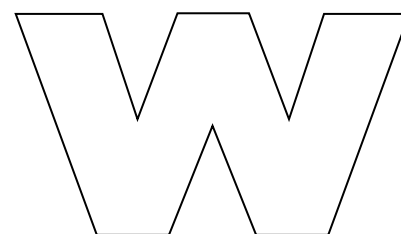
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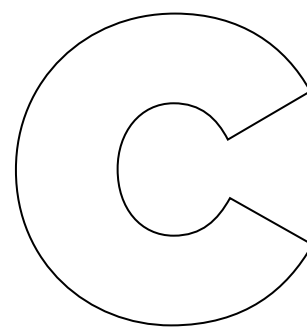
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