

Local Furniture Designers

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Here are some pictures from local designers that may stimulate ideas for your own furniture: Go to <http://www.find-design.co.za/> to see other local designers

Visit Pedersen + Lennard's web site on www.pedersenlennard.co.za to see some interesting local designs. Apparently, they are exporting flat packs of these tables and chairs. They are made from imported Finnish birch ply, because the quality of the local pine plywood is not up to scratch. (Local plywood manufacturers please take note!) The See-through desk is shown on the previous page.



The couch is made from Oriented Strand Board (OSB) which is a man-made board made in the same way as chipboard, but from larger pieces. It is normally used in packing cases or timber frame houses, under weatherboards or finish trim, where it is not on show.

This furniture is unconventional, and although it may not be to your taste, I hope it stimulates some ideas of your own.





From: RAW Studios: <http://www.find-design.co.za/directory/furniture-design/raw-studios/view-details.html>



These are bent plywood laminated into interesting geometric shapes.



Stools from Trees with A Conscience → (T.w.A.K) from Panga Panga and Mango <http://www.twakwood.co.za/>

The vase is from Mango.

