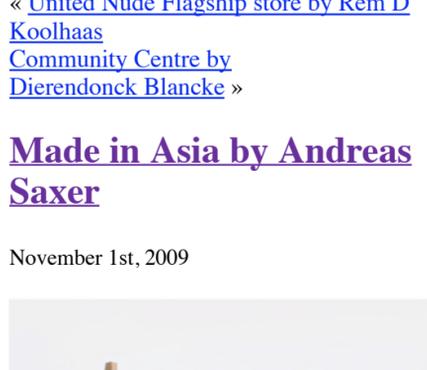


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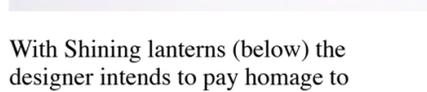
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Made in Asia by Andreas Saxer

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Swiss designer [Andreas Saxer](#) has designed a collection of furniture and lighting inspired by photos he took while living in East Asia.



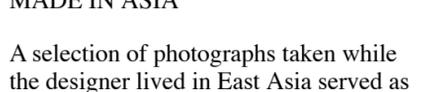
Called Made in Asia, the collection includes a clothes rail called Chop Stick, made of four wooden pieces held together by an aluminium bar (above).



With Shining lanterns (below) the designer intends to pay homage to traditional Chinese paper lanterns.



Here's some information from the designer:



MADE IN ASIA

A selection of photographs taken while the designer lived in East Asia served as a starting point and inspiration for four designs in furniture, lamp and accessories design. Using new manufacturing techniques for traditional goods and in close interaction with Taiwanese craftsmen, Andreas Saxer developed four prototypes called Snow Blossom, Tofu, Shining and Chopstick. The four objects reflect the author's personal view of East Asian styles of living and are a tribute to preserved local handicrafts.



CHOP STICK wardrobe edition 4 pieces

Chopstick is a wardrobe inspired by traditional Japanese wood joinery methods and the daily-used chop sticks. Four wooden sticks are loosely connected with an aluminum profile. The loose system gets very stable by the weight of the clothes.

Material: aluminum anodized, American oak



SHINING lantern, prototypes 3 pieces

Shining is a series of lampshades and renders homage to Chinese paper lanterns. The double-sided fabric appears different when lit.

Material: ceramic, white glaze, cotton textile

