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Nienkämper introduces The Davos™ Collection A collection from acclaimed designer André Staffelbach

CHICAGO, June 13, 2011 – Nienkämper, a leading designer and manufacturer of fine office furniture products has announced today the introduction of the Davos™ Collection, a freestanding desk system for private-office, open plan and dynamic teamwork areas, to debut at NeoCon 2011, June 13-14th at The Merchandise Mart in Chicago.

“One of the greatest trends in the contract furniture industry today is the decline of the office cubicle”, said Ann-Marie Snook, Vice President of Nienkämper. “Cubicle walls are coming down and new open office plans are allowing people to interact and collaborate”.

Designed by Dallas based designer André Staffelbach for Nienkamper, The Davos™ collection delivers a world of classic, functional, and affordable opportunities to the corporate environment. Whether against a wall or as a partition Davos™ freestanding cabinets and storage pieces provide a highly customized solution for work place storage. Individual elements provide versatility and an infinite array of configurations that can be easily adapted, reconfigured, and expanded over time. Maximum flexibility continues through out the entire Davos™ line. Desks that expand, conceal wiring and informal standing height tables round out the collection.

Davos™ is designed around the needs of evolving work environments and the people in them. With flexibility and ease of reconfiguration Davos™ brings the whole space together with seemingly countless possibilities to define space for open plan environments, private offices and meeting spaces.

Designed to transition from the private office to open plan workspaces, Davos™ is characterized by simplicity of form and subtle details. Davos™ is available in a range of finishes including fine veneers and laminates. The inlay polished aluminum reveal and minimalist detailed components make the Davos™ series a timeless collection.

In keeping with the principle of sustainability, Nienkämper is committed to promoting the use of responsible materials and sustainable design. Davos™ is manufactured using clean technologies, including VOC-free wood finishes and recycled-content materials, and available with FCS (Forest Stewardship Council) certified wood, Davos™ can contribute to LEED® certification.

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About André Staffelbach

André Staffelbach is the founder and creative principal for Staffelbach, an interior design and architecture firm in Dallas, Texas. Staffelbach a former national president of the Institute of Business Designers, also has held the presidency of the NCIDQ (National Council of for Interior Design Qualifications) as well as chairmanship of numerous design organizations was inducted into the International Interior Design Hall of Fame in 1988. In 1987 he received the Distinguished Leadership Award of the International Interior Design Association (IIDA). He is also a member of the American Society of Interior Designers (ASID). Staffelbach has been creating contemporary spaces and defining the landscape of corporate workspaces and interior environments with inspired passion over the last forty years.

Established in 1968, Nienkämper is an internationally recognized designer and manufacturer of fine office furniture. Recognized as one of the 50 Best Managed Companies in Canada each year since 2009, Nienkämper is committed to being at the forefront of innovation; collaborating with forward-thinking designers; and pushing the boundaries of technology. Excellence from design to delivery. Please visit www.nienkamper.com

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