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Palette Bar
Zurich, Switzerland

Located right on the famous Bahnhofstrasse in the ground floor of the Hotel Townhouse you will find the Palette Bar, a cafe, restaurant and lounge bar. The space is designed by 12AMTODAY, a creative design and architecture studio focused on international projects in design, contemporary art and fashion.
Zurich Main station is just around the corner, with the hectic bustle of Bahnhofstrasse still in your ears, by entering this bar you are enveloped in security and cosmopolitan serenity: from a bright and airy entrance into the dark.

The space is divided into a light area and a dark area. Guests will notice as soon as they enter the light area the plants hanging from the ceiling and the Trama pendants by In-es.artdesign with knitted white lampshades in the front of the room, which cast beautiful shadows on the walls and ceilings. These pendants are characterised by an entirely handmade knitted fabric structure mixed with special resins. The suggestive crochet effect of light and shadow on the walls creates a cosy and intense atmosphere.
As you move to the back of the bar it gradually gets darker with dark blue rich velvet couches. The protagonist of this room is the gigantic Mezza Luna 2 pendant lamp also by In-es.artdesign, black with a gold like interior hanging from the centre of the ceiling, it is made of Nebulite, a specially developed material made of resins and fibers, that mimic the uneven, softly luminescent qualities of the moon's surface, the pendant is surrounded by comfortable custom made chairs and beautiful especially designed for Palette designed marble tables.
www.in-es.com

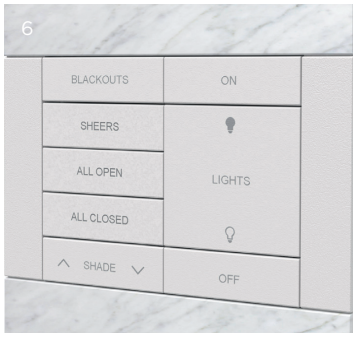












1. Half Moon Nebulite
In-es.artedesign

Luna Nebulite is inspired by the mysteries of the moon and is constructed of Nebulite, a specially developed material made of resins and fibers that mimics the uneven, softly luminescent qualities of the moon's surface. It is available in two sizes and a ranges of colours: white, red, orange, turquoise, magenta and blue.
www.in-es.com

2. Biny
DCW Editions

The Biny table light is almost an alien in the luminary world. Designed with fins that direct the intense light onto the entirety of the useful area.
For soft and surprisingly effective lighting, this developed reissue uses integrated LED technology with adjustable fins thanks to a wheel.
www.dcw-editions.fr

3. Inviting Light
Faro

Inviting Light is a family designed by Bohman&Folenius for home lighting.
Its main characteristic is that the light moves to accompany you according to the different needs and moods.
The head of the lamp can be adjusted both in its horizontal and vertical axis, and the light is dimmable.
www.faro.es

4. Cirque
Louis Poulsen

Meet Cirque's softer side. Clara von Zweigbergk's whimsical Cirque pendant makes a new appearance - shedding its original, bright colour stripes for subtle grey gradients that highlight the lamp's unforgettable form. Cirque's dynamic form is exploring new territory in a Scandinavian palette of soft grey tones.
www.louispoulsen.com

5.Lita
Luceplan

Lita by David Dolcini is an extremely versatile family of decorative lamps, the result of a delicate design process that mixes imagery, signs, geometric textures and natural materials.
The result is a collection with its own elegant simplicity, including table, floor, suspension and wall/ceiling solutions.
www.luceplan.com

6. Horizon
Crestron

Addressing the themes of tomorrow, the new Horizon keypads are available in highly configurable single-gang models that combine up to four across, with designer aesthetics, superior button feel, four different button styles, programmable multicolour backlighting and interchangeable custom trim pieces.
www.crestron.eu