TOP 20 REASONS TO BE IN...

ARGENTINA
THE NETHERLANDS
CANADA
UAE
SWEDEN
FRANCE
SOUTH AFRICA
USA
CHINA
PORTUGAL
CORKING DESIGN

With the demand for cork oak bark sustaining two million acres of forest in southern Portugal alone, it’s only natural that domestic designers have turned their attention to this omnipresent material. The world’s largest cork producer, Amorim, has joined forces with Lisbon’s Experimenta Design to form Materia, commissioning design heavyweights, such as Nendo, as well as young local talent, to create a new range of cork products. Other designers with a penchant for cork include Sintra’s Gonçalo Prudêncio, Faro’s The Home Project, Lisbon’s Raquel Castro and Porto’s Michael Andersen.

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