

TEMPS LIBRE
VIRGINIE LOBROT



Press Kit

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Virgine Lobrot is an upholsterer-decorator.

She develops her own « Temps Libre » line of nomad furniture. Designed for both public and private interiors, her customisable range comprises armchairs, chairs, stools, footstools, bedroom benches, coffee tables and shelves.

Covered with fabrics, leather or felt. 100% French made.

The manufacturing remains hand crafted to maintain a quality top of the range.

Small series or unique and custom-made work available.

From living room to dining room,

a French «art de vivre» called Temps Libre.



Chair C2, Temps Libre à Toulouse
olive leather



Stool S4, Temps Libre à Toulouse
olive leather



Bar stool S1, Temps Libre à Toulouse
blue leather



Bed bench B1, Temps Libre à Toulouse
gold leather



Dining chair D2, Temps Libre à Copenhague
anthracite felt



Dining chair D3, Temps Libre à Toulouse
natural leather and suede.



Armchair F1, Temps Libre à Deauville
natural hemp



Armchair F1, Temps Libre Cadaques Saint
Malo white and blue linen

Virginie Lobrot is a French interior decorator and upholsterer, originally from Paris and established in Toulouse since 2001. After a first work experience of five years in a leading Parisian advertising agency, she started learning upholstery in 1996 and then began a new job creating her own company. She enjoys restoring old armchairs from Louis XV, Louis XVI or from the fifties eras. But she misses pure creation. In 2012, she presented at the Maison & Objet show in Paris, her new concept of indoor-outdoor armchair made of wood, fabric and leather. It is called "Temps Libre" (free time would be an attempt of translation) and is inspired from the Indian Chair, a piece of furniture used by the British Army during its campaigns ... as well as by Napoleon. This armchair is particular in that it can be fully disassembled and reassembled in a mere 3 minutes and therefore is quite easily transported and stored. The "Temps Libre" armchair is fully made in France, around Toulouse, in different versions of which two are specifically designed for an outdoor use : Ile de Ré made with an outdoor fabric. As suggested in the names and styles of the carefully selected fabrics chosen from the best fabric designing companies, each armchair recalls memories of holidays or places we'd dream to visit : Temps Libre in Etretat (the best seller), Temps Libre in Toulouse (leather), Temps Libre in Deauville (hemp), Temps Libre in Isle sur la Sorgue (linen with stripe). This line of nomad armchair also exists as dining chair, footrest, coffee table, bar stool, ladder, shelves and bed bench. Virginie also started to create her own fabrics; she enjoys choosing the color and designing a natural fabric with linen, hemp or bamboo and choosing its particular touch. She is always searching for new ideas to always perfect her chairs and draw new design chairs, always nomad style, easy to live and still comfortable. When she presents her chair she'll just invite you to try it. Free time for leisure... Temps Libre, for a new French «Art de Vivre».

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