

## Thea products available at the new showroom in Forte dei Marmi Magazzini Bracchi



Three panels with Thea handles are exhibited at the new Magazzini Bracchi showroom. The City collection in a walnut frame, exhibits handles in brass, leather and wicker. The sea collection in a bamboo frame, features various shells, a marine starfish, a goose and a beach stick in brass as well as handles in bamboo, briar and wicker weaving. The mountain collection in an ancient oak frame features pebbles, stones, a lizard and a vine branch. The brass handles are available in three finishes: polished, bronzed and natural brass. All handles are made by Tuscan artisans and designed by architect Lotte Breithaupt.

The new Magazzini Bracchi showroom behind the Fortino in Via Stagio Stagi, invites you to stroll, wander and sit next to the Bar on an armchair in the midst of plants that give shade, listening to the sound of the water coming from the various pools creating a urban jungle atmosphere. Taken by curiosity, I walk through the showroom and arrive at the end, where I find the project room. I begin to immerse myself in the various materials, colors and surfaces, thinking about how to enhance my home. The eye falls on the Thea handles, a new company of handcrafted design products created in small Tuscan workshops. As I admire the bronzed brass, the bamboo burl, the wicker and the leather I hear the couple next to me say: "Can we start designing a house starting from the handles?" Why not?!

I choose a Thea postcard from the vast promotional collection, with a photo of a real Tuscan craftsman who proudly demonstrates his artifact, a shell-shaped knob, and I return to the Bar. Immersed in the greenery, I start writing a maritime greeting with a pen. How long I was no longer writing by hand! I can't resist and take a picture of the postcard. The phone frames the QR code that takes me to Thea's website: [www.thea-design.it](http://www.thea-design.it)