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Maison Parisienne exhibition celebrates contemporary French craftsmanship



In celebration of 15 years, Maison Parisienne gallery commissioned 15 French talents for new works. Photo: Vincent Leroux

Maison Parisienne was born in 2008 out of founder Florence Guillier Bernard's eagerness to create a platform for contemporary artists exploring innovative uses of wood, ceramics, metal, paper, feather, textiles, and glass. To commemorate 15 years of the roving gallery, the Musée des Arts Décoratifs in Paris enlivened its historic Hall des Maréchaux for the first week of April with 15 works commissioned by Maison Parisienne from 15 talents. Pierre Renart's sinuous Ziricote wood chaise, Simone Pheulpin's melange of cotton and pins, and Lilian Daubisse's sculpture spun from corrugated cardboard, rattan, and nylon thread all underscore a brazen embrace of materials.