

Outset Occasional Tables | Designed by Chris & Jon Panichella





Encore's New Outset Tables Fuse Contemporary Craftmanship and Geometric Precision

Encore's latest launch, Outset, introduces a refined approach to occasional tables. Designed in collaboration with long-time partners Chris and Jon Panichella of Achella Design, the tables combine a durable round top with a steel geometric base, creating a lightweight and stylish solution for various applications including lobbies, lounges, collaborative areas and more.

"We drew inspiration from the idea of creating a series of tables that are distinct in their detailing yet universal in function and appeal," says Chris Panichella, Principal Industrial Designer at Achella Design. "The word 'Outset' refers to the beginning of something, the start of an event or a journey. In our case, the journey begins with a seamlessly rolled, thin steel tube that loops around the perimeter of the table top and joins with a precisely bent steel leg. These legs approach each other, but never meet, creating a playful geometric tension that is sometimes elusive to the eye."

Offered in 16" and 20" heights, the tables can be clustered together to create a more dynamic and visually engaging arrangement. The different heights allow them to overlap, introducing layers of surfaces that can be easily reconfigured for assorted uses. Whether arranged as a cohesive set or used individually, they offer flexibility, complementing a wide range of seating styles and environments.

Along those same lines, Outset is also available in a variety of finishes further ensuring a customizable fit every time. Table top options include wood veneer in Ash and Walnut, laminate, Fenix and solid surface. The base can be specified in either standard or premium metal colors and together, there is no combination that can't be met.

“Its modern look, with a touch of sophistication and a go-anywhere nature is what drew us to this design,” says Helen Kim, VP of Marketing at Encore. “While it may be simple in form, Outset is anything but and has already proven to be versatile across markets as we had intended.”

For more information about Outset and Encore’s complete product offerings, please visit encoreseating.com.

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About Encore:

Located in Southern California, Encore provides innovative seating and table products for today’s ever-changing environments, from corporate offices and educational institutions, to hospitality spaces, healthcare facilities and beyond. What began as a small task and guest seating company in 1999, quickly evolved to encompass a broader range of products from lounge and modular seating to tables, benches and more.

As part of the Arcadia family-owned and operated business, the Encore brand signifies modern styling with light-scale, on-trend designs. We share in the commitment to uphold intelligent environmental policies and practices, ensuring all our products are held to the highest standards, in-step with California’s progressive sustainability objectives. And together, our mission is to provide value beyond furniture, through customized solutions, responsiveness to customer needs and demonstrating high levels of care to reflect our appreciation for those we serve.

With a corporate and manufacturing facility located in Southern California, a permanent showroom in the Merchandise Mart, Chicago, as well as representation in independently run showrooms across most major metropolitan areas, Encore Seating is well-positioned to support dealers and designers throughout the country.

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