



Joline – a sofa for extra comfort at the dining table

Key information:

At the IMM, the International Interiors Show in Cologne, between 16 and 22 January 2017, Swiss furniture manufacturer Girsberger will be exhibiting a number of new products and additions to its ranges in Hall 11.1, stand F21/E20. One particularly striking product is the "Joline" dining sofa by Mathias Seiler, which offers exceptional comfort at the dining table. One unusual design feature is the wooden rail on the back, which – visually and structurally – supports the load-bearing backrests.

Bützberg, 9.1.2017 – Living concepts are changing, and furniture for universal use is replacing immovable systems that permanently take up large spaces. It's not only a person's lifestyle that speaks volumes about their personality, but also the meaning and purpose behind it.

"Joline", designed by Mathias Seiler, is a dining sofa which, with its soft, fluffy cushions, offers exceptional seating comfort at the dining table.

One striking design feature is the wooden rail on the back, which – visually and structurally – supports the load-bearing backrests. Additional, loose cushions provide a high level of comfort when leaning back.

"Joline" is available in three lengths as a three or four-seater. The wooden rail is available in natural oak or black stained beech; the frame is anthracite coated, chromium-plated or nickel-plated. Electric cabling modules with sockets and USB chargers can also be built in if desired.

Girsberger's "Joline" takes up a relatively small space in the living area, providing great comfort when sitting together at the dining table way beyond pure mealtimes – combining beauty, functionality and lasting value.

About the designer:

Mathias Seiler, born in 1963, studied industrial design at Hamburg University of Fine Arts. He has worked as a product designer for various renowned furniture makers, including Sedus, and has received several awards. Since 2010, Mathias Seiler has been Head of Design and Marketing at Girsberger.

About Girsberger:

Girsberger has now been developing and producing innovative seating solutions for 127 years. Our range focuses on swivel chairs and conference and lounge furniture for use in offices as well as public and commercial buildings. The Girsberger Dining collection, comprising tables, chairs and sideboards constructed primarily of solid wood, complements our range of fine furniture. In addition to producing furniture, Girsberger Customized Furniture designs complete seating and table concepts according to architects' individual specifications. Girsberger Remanufacturing reconditions and restores anything from seating furniture to complete auditorium seating. From Koblenz, close to the border with Germany, our wood trade unit supplies furniture manufacturers and carpentry businesses with top-quality solid wood. The origins of the furniture manufacturer Girsberger go back to a woodturner's workshop, which was founded as a family enterprise in Zurich in 1889. Today, the international company group is managed by Michael Girsberger, who is the great-grandson of the company's founder. Girsberger has sales companies in Germany, France, the Benelux countries, Austria and Turkey; the company's headquarters are in Bützberg, near Berne. It manufactures its products in Bützberg, Switzerland and Endingen, Germany.

For more detailed information about the company visit www.girsberger.com.

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"Joline" sofa



Front view as three-seater



Rear view with wooden rail in oak



As a dining sofa at the "Yoho" dining table



Detail

