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## MAURIZIO GALANTE & TAL LANCMAN

### *MONSTERS*

February 15 - March 25, 2023

Curated by Silvana Annicchiarico

Opening Wednesday February 15th, 2023 from 5 to 8pm



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Maurizio Galante & Tal Lancman  
« Explosion Face Vases »  
Hand sewn vase  
Ceramic, Obsidian glass beads, brass wire  
Une collaboration avec l'artisan Sergio Pilastrì.  
Detail  
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The artist duo Maurizio Galante & Tal Lancman present a series of art pieces created in their own distinctive language and fertilised by their love of ceramics ancient know how. For this exhibition they have conceived a series of objects that sublimate everyday life as well as objects with monumental mystical presence. They will be presenting their *'Explosion'* and embroidered ceramic vases, *Monsters Heads* sculptures, as well as a tableware set comprising 300 unique pieces, a collaboration with the artisan Sergio Pilastrì.

Balancing age-old and contemporary ceramic techniques with futuristic imagery, these novel creations are distinctly authentic and dynamic. Eclecticism and juxtaposition are fundamental elements of Galante & Lancman's vision. Avid collectors of Japanese Keiju figurines, they have over time developed their own family of monster characters. The exhibition showcases captivating creatures born from the artists' private mythology, with universal appeal to enchant.

This set was the subject of an exhibition during the summer of 2022 at the Montelupo Ceramics Museum, curated by Silvana Annicchiarico.



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### **Maurizio Galante & Tal Lancman**

In 2003 designer and couturier Maurizio Galante teamed up with designer Tal Lancman, to form their creative studio in Paris. Their crossover vision transverses the different disciplines, from Haute Couture, design, interior design, architecture and art. As the duo moves freely between disciplines, they revisit domains equipped with new understandings, insights and observations. The process results in a multi-faceted concept, with a subtle balance between the pragmatic and the irrational.

Maurizio Galante and Tal Lancman have presented their work and installations at Carnavalet Museum, Paris, France / Dongdaemun, Design Palace, Seoul, South Korea / Centre Pompidou, Paris, France / The Fondation Cartier pour l'art contemporain, Paris, France / Galleria del Costume at Palazzo Pitti, Florence / Institut du monde arabe, Paris, France / Kyoto Costume Institute, National Museum of Modern Art, Kyoto, Japan / MOMA Museum of Modern Art Grand-Duc Jean, Luxembourg / Mobilier National, Paris, France / Museum of Decorative Arts, Paris, France / Musée d'Art et d'Industrie, Saint-Etienne, France / Wurttembergischer Kunstverein Museum, Stuttgart, Germany / Triennale Design Museum, Milan, Italy / Eretz Israel Museum, Tel Aviv, Israel / Palazzo Biscari, Sicily, Italy / Palermo botanical garden, Sicily, Italy / Pitti Immagine, Palazzo Pitti, Florence, Italy / Victoria and Albert Museum, London, England.

A retrospective exhibition "MAURIZIO GALANTE & TAL LANCMAN", Transversal Design" was presented at Saint Etienne's museum of art and industry, Triennale Design museum in Milan, Sao Paulo Design Week, Beijing Design Week, and MUDAM Museum of Modern Art Grand-Duc Jean, Luxembourg.



Maurizio Galante & Tal Lancman  
Service's table MONSTER  
with 300 unique pieces.  
A collaboration with Sergio Pilastrì  
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