



## MILESTONE

### The new theme of SPAZIO RICERCA at Pitti Filati 94

The **Spazio Ricerca** is the creativity laboratory and the experimental observatory of Pitti Filati, where the trends of the future are born. The stone is the symbol for the coming season. It represents a concentrate of the force of nature; an energy that goes beyond imagination since nature is the greatest spiritual being of which humanity is part. A force that is intrinsic in its formation. A symbol that identifies a place, a passage, a landscape. An object that has survived time. We call it **MILESTONE**, the title of the new Spazio Ricerca curated, as at every edition, by **Angelo Figus and Nicola Miller**.

It is the stone which, since Roman times, has marked the miles on public roads: an invitation to take part in a journey punctuated by intermediate stages seen as milestones of beauty and astonishment. An invitation to experience time at another speed, giving it a different weight. A journey through time and space to grasp and savor our planet's extraordinary nature that goes beyond the imagination. And that includes the artificial as well

The trends develop in three color and tactile themes, inspired by thirty of the planet's most inspiring places that are as real as they are incredible and divided into three groups by special affinities and chromatic suggestions.

**FLUID**\_the first theme, evokes temperature variations from cold to hot. Fluidity permits smoothness and harmony. And the fluidity that connects this theme's places is very special indeed.

**TACTILE**\_the second vibrant theme. Tactility permits understanding and perception. The places that inspire this theme share a very special sense of touch/tactility.

**CONCRETE**\_the third theme, is sophisticated and mineral. Concreteness makes it possible to be real and effective in terms of expression and action. The places that inspire this theme share a very unusual sense of material

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