

HOPFGARTNER GERDA

GAVARI DESIGN

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VITA ABSTRACT

I was born on 17th of November 1982 in Brunico (Italy).
Graduated 2001 at the Pedagogy Gymnasium in Brunico (Italy), job training for Interior Design and Carpentry for two year followed.
During the semester break I gained work experience at the Artec Interior Design Office in Italy and at Reinhold Stoll Carpentry (Italy).
Matriculating at Technical University Vienna 2003 in the field of architecture.

Changed in the year 2004 to University of Applied Arts to study Industrialdesign under the tutelage of Borek Sipek, Ross Lovegrove, Paolo Piva and currently of Hartmut Esslinger.

Presently I am doing freelance work in the fields of industrial-, fashion- and graficdesign.

In the near future I will start an internship at `bel epok` in Cologne, Germany, before completing my degree.

EDUCATION

1988-1993	Primary School `Josef Bachlechner` Brunico, ITALY
1993-1996	Secondary School `Dr. Josef Röd` Brunico, ITALY
1996-2001	Pedagogy Gymnasium LBA Brunico, ITALY
2001	School leaving examination (diploma) LBA
2001-2003	College for Interior Design and Wood-Technology Villach, AUSTRIA
2003	Diploma für Interior Design and Carpentry (Technischer Zeichner & Tischlergeselle)
2003-2004	Architecture, Technical University Vienna, AUSTRIA
2004	Industrialdesign at the University of applied arts Vienna, AUSTRIA Under the tutelage of Borek Sipek, Ross Lovegrove, Paolo Piva and currently under Prof. Hartmut Esslinger from Frogdesign.
2007	1st Diploma: Gavari Violin
2009	Study- Status: 10th Semester (near completion)

WORK EXPERIENCE

Teaching at a primary school (Italy)
Carpentry Reinhold STOLL (Italy)
ARTEC Interior Design Office (Italy)
HONDA Design Workshop (Japan)
from Septmeber 09: BEL EPOK, Cologne (Germany)

COMPUTER SKILLS

2D: Autocad
3D: Rhinoceros, Cinema4D, Maya
Adobe: Photoshop, Indesign, Illustrator,
Dreamweaver, After Effects, Flash
Microsoft Office: Word, Power Point

SKILLS

Working in a team -
Conceptual planning and working
Creative and improvisational thinking
Constructing basic proportion models
Keen sense for trends

EXHIBITIONS

„Blickfang“ Vienna: GAVARI Violin
„Cumulus Kyoto“: GAVARI Violin

AWARDS

Corporate Prize: GAVARI Violin
International Design Competition /
Cumulus Kyoto 2008, Japan

LANGUAGES

German, Italian, English, and
Japanese (Beginner Level: A1 Part 3)