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MOSAIC TILES | BISSAZZA

This year Bisazza interprets spring by proposing - for its interiors - fresh mosaic patterns with innovative floral designs by Tricia Guild, esteemed designer, creative director and founder of Designers Guild, a leading British company, internationally renowned for their distinctive designs for fabrics, wall coverings and a whole collection of home accessories.

This working partnership launched a singular, highly expressive range of decorative products, featuring an explosion of shimmering, sophisticated patterns, bringing a poetic, refined aesthetic to the collection.

Strewn with a wealth of opulently-sized flowers in delicate hues, the 'Alexandria' pattern transforms a wall into an English garden in full bloom. In this gorgeous mural made of six modules, the original, hand-painted floral fabric motifs are reinterpreted in a contemporary spirit. A cascade of flowers emerges from a background of shaded greys; the whole rendered with such precision and delicacy as to transform the pattern into a fresco.

Larger than life acanthus leaves are the sole motif in 'Ardassa', creating an atmosphere of great effect, reminiscent of an exotic oasis of sophisticated beauty. The pattern is available in two versions: one in shades of ivory-white for a contemporary look and the other in emerald green, for a more classic style.

'Charlottenberg' is also botanically-inspired. Here, a series of eloquent peonies, interpreted in unique shades of blue and grey, unfold against a white background. A production that reveals its contemporary spirit in the bold dimensions and colour choices of the designs, while maintaining its romantic appeal.



Charlottenberg One, Bisazza glass mosaic pattern, 10x10 mm tiles. Design Tricia Guild. Photo: © Bisazza



Above: Charlottenberg, Bisazza glass mosaic pattern, 10x10 mm tiles. Design Tricia Guild. Photo: © Bisazza



Left: Alexandria, Bisazza glass mosaic pattern, 10x10 mm tiles. Design Tricia Guild. Photo: © Bisazza

In the 'Charlottenberg One' pattern, the same floral motif is re-proposed as the single decorative element against a solid colour background, heralding a new means of personalising one's interior spaces.

In addition to expressing the unique and unparalleled creativity that consistently distinguishes the British designer, the iconic patterns by Tricia Guild - interpreted in mosaic - also reveal the exquisite artistic and qualitative values inherent to the Bisazza collections.

"I am delighted that Bisazza have chosen to translate some of our iconic designs into their stunning mosaic works of art. Their inimitable expertise is evident in their interpretation of our patterns and they have captured the hand painted subtleties of the originals in a truly extraordinary way. I am excited and thrilled in equal measure by the results," said Tricia Guild.

For more information, visit www.bisazza.com.



Ardassa, Bisazza glass mosaic pattern, 20x20 mm tiles. Design Tricia Guild. Available in Emerald and Ivory versions. Photo: © Bisazza

NATURAL STONE TILES AND PAVERS | AMBER TILES

Amber Tiles, one of Australia's leading tile suppliers, has launched a stylish new range of natural stone tiles and pavers, called Travertine, to bring a new element of elegance and luxury to both residential and commercial projects. With natural stone, each tile is fashioned by nature, with a slightly distressed and unique look to give it a timeless appeal. The range is extremely durable and includes both Trojan Edge and Honed Travertine. The tiles come in three different finishes - including Trojan edge, Honed and filled and Honed and unfilled. The Travertine tile is relatively low maintenance once sealed and can be easily suited to both interior and exterior architectural settings, opening up a range of interior and exterior design possibilities.

Travertine's design echoes the latest trends towards organic and textured modern interiors. Seven warm, earthy tones in a neutral palette, including Trojan Edge Platinum, Mediterranean Blend, Ancient Mix, Classic, Crema Grigio and Honed Finish in Sabbia and Classic, recreate an atmosphere of ancient stone floors. Trojan Edge Travertine also offers a stylish French pattern range, presenting the latest trend in stone design. The layout involves interlocking various sizes of tiles in a random pattern, and is available in a massive 900x600mm in addition to the standard sizes.

For those looking for an economical way to add value to their property by beginning or upgrading their alfresco lifestyle, the Travertine range is also perfect for achieving a seamless flow of indoor to outdoor living.

Amber Tiles have been supplying tiles for 41 years with a great wealth of industry knowledge behind the company. Amber's range of indoor and outdoor wall and flooring tiles include bathroom tiles, natural stone floor tiles, porcelain floor and wall tiles, clay and concrete pavers, stone and pool pavers, feature mosaics, cladding and more.

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