



Shape of Scent by .obj & Super Ornament

Can scents inspire form? Super Ornament translates three scented candles by .obj into new metal furniture pieces for London Design Festival and Shoreditch Design Week 2026. Three scents, three forms, one shop.

The Shape of Scent marks the first collaboration between UK design studios .obj and Super Ornament, an exhibition on how scents are reshaped into unique furniture pieces.

Every scent evokes a feeling and memory, shifting the space it inhabits. Prompt, Agentic and Hallucinations, three scented candles designed by .obj, each carry a distinct character; from bright and uplifting to grounded and composed to something familiar yet distorted. What would these characters look like as objects? These candles form the basis for a new collection of metal furniture pieces designed by Super Ornament. Each piece embodies the character of the scents through its form, purpose, and surface treatments.

Visitors are invited to move through three zones, each anchored by the candle and its architectural response, tracing a single idea as it moves from a scent to a feeling to an object, from something breathed in to something you can see and touch.

At the back of the space, the exhibition opens up into a shop. A curated edit of the scented candles, vases, lamps and small objects in metal from both studios.

Press Images: [Link](#)



.obj is a London-based design studio founded by Hanson Cheng, an RCA and Imperial College graduate. The studio reshapes contemporary homeware through materiality and form, drawing on architecture, digital culture and the founder's Chinese heritage. They integrate digital fabrication and physical making in their design process and focus on high-quality, small-batch production.

Super Ornament is a Black Country design studio founded by RCA graduate Adam Waldron and art director Safiyya Lea. Working exclusively with a network of local workshops and manufacturers, the studio produces homeware in aluminium and steel, defined by visible construction and precision engineering. Beyond its own collection, they rework vintage furniture through custom components and unexpected pairings.

Social Media

Website www.thedotobj.com / www.superornament.com

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Date & Time:

Open Daily between 15 and 20 September

Launch party on 18 September ([Link](#)), 6:30 PM to Late

Location:

Bread & Butter

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