

# Arata Collection

## SKLD Studio

### Description

Arata is a comprehensive collection of aluminum outdoor furniture designed to define an elegant and fresh landscape, transitioning smoothly from dining and lounge areas to the poolside. The name is derived from the Japanese word for “fresh” or “new,” capturing the spirit of a collection unified by gentle curves and ample radii. By balancing the structure of metal pipes with the tactile warmth of woven cord and soft cushions, Arata brings a sophisticated, contemporary character to any open-air setting.

### The designer, Valerio Sommella

Valerio Sommella is an Italian industrial designer whose work bridges tradition and innovation. Born in Cortona, Tuscany, and raised in Milan, he graduated from the Design Department of the Politecnico di Milano. He collaborates with both Italian and international brands, designing a diverse range of products across multiple industries. At the heart of his practice is a deep investigation into the language of objects, where form, material, and technology intersect. Sommella approaches each project as a unique story, distinct and self-contained, rather than part of a continuous narrative.

### SKLD Studio

Founded in 2024 as part of Voolcan Grupo, SKLD Studio strengthens the group’s commitment to design and innovation through the creation of a brand that proposes a new vision of authorial furniture, thanks to collaborations with renowned designers such as Alberto Lievore, La Mamba and Eli Gutiérrez, among others. Its origin responds to the growing demand for exclusive pieces that combine creativity, high-quality materials and meticulous production. With a forward-looking vision, SKLD Studio explores new forms of expression in outdoor furniture that go beyond functionality, becoming authentic expressions of style and sophistication. Its mission is to offer furniture and accessories that not only enhance spaces, but also generate emotions and experiences, bringing character and exclusivity to every project.

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