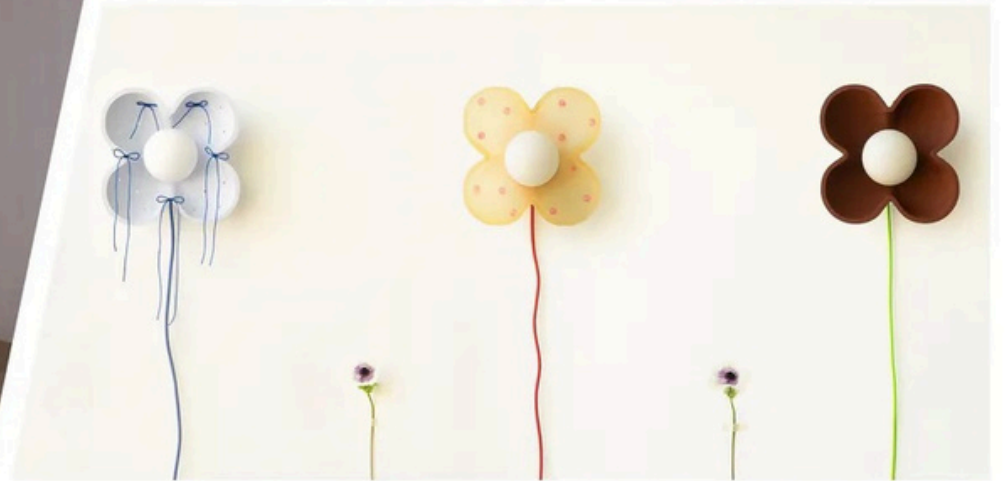


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14 Standout Lamps From New York's Design Week Including a Tobia Scarpa reissue, a mad-scientist nightlight, and milk-glass snow globes.

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3. Pali Xisto Cornelsen and Lucas Jimeno Dualde's *DC Floor to Ceiling Lamp*, at Verso



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Verso and Espasso's program "Connections Across Time: Dualde Cornelsen" forges all sorts of links between fields and generations. The *DC Floor to Ceiling Lamp*, a totemic creation by furniture designer Pali Xisto Cornelsen and architect Lucas Jimeno Dualde, pays homage to Pali's father, Jejo Cornelsen, a versatile artist whose credits include sculpture, art, and even album designs for Gilberto Gil and Carlos Mendes. The lamp, which Pali refers to as the "Jejo lamp," draws upon the form and the natural-dye colors of the wooden stacked sculptures that the elder Cornelsen began making in Norfolk, Connecticut, while visiting Pali from Brazil. The piece itself was a genuine collaboration; the wooden elements were Pali's work, and the shade is by Dualde, who is an architect and furniture designer. The lamp is striking by itself, and among the arrangement of other works by Jejo, it also takes advantage of the sole luxury that many New Yorkers have but seldom exploit — tall ceilings.