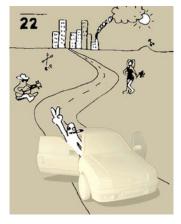
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Opening reception: Saturday 11th January 2003 from 6 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Open Tuesday to Saturday from 11a.m. to 7p.m.



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"Bonnie & Clyde" Jerszy Seymour

'Bonnie and Clyde' Sofa/bed is moulded in expanded polyurethane (normally used for insulation in houses) from a cast taken from a 1984 Ford Escort XR3, inside is a space which can hold a double bed or seating with a table and light all moulded from the polyurethane.

It is like a mini architecture or maxi furniture, you could even live in it. The idea was to sample a shape which was already ideal in terms of its dimensions as it is an object already made to fit the human body. but the material steel is too heavy so it was converted to expanded polurethane making it a light object.

It is also a reaction to the ubiquitos white sofa where quality of life is represented by how big a widescreen tv you've got. down with disco, here's bonnie and clyde robbing banks, being in love, popular heroes, chased and killed by the police all in a car. if they where alive in the eighties they might have even driven an XR3.

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Other exhibitions:

'Sputnik', International Exhibition of Milan furniture in 2000

'Smash' (with glass pieces' Ken Kuts), International Furniture Fair of Milan, April 2001

'Neotu', at the Design Museum in Paris, 2001

'The Design Now', the Design Museum in London, June-September 2001

'Enter the Monkey', solo exhibition at the Salon International Milan Furniture, April 2002