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HUBBARDTON FORGE RECEIVES NATIONAL DESIGN AWARD



The American Society of Furniture Designers (ASFD) named Hubbardton Forge's *Dyad* series of table and floor lamps the winner of the prestigious **2008 Pinnacle Award for Design Achievement in Lighting**. The accolade was announced during this year's High Point International Home Furnishings Show in North Carolina. Pinnacle judges stated they chose the *Dyad* collection for the award because it "exhibited strong architectural style softened by relevant materials."

Designed and manufactured by Vermont artisans, *Dyad* products feature solid hardwood ash in an espresso finish, nested in contrasting planes of heavy steel. Rugged, locally milled wood combined with heavy grade steel creates a unique juxtaposition of authentic materials. The materials also provide both quality and durability for years of use. The clean-lined, trans-modern, sculptural compositions of the *Dyad* series make for timeless accents that complement a wide variety of settings.

This is the fourth Pinnacle Award that the ASFD has granted Hubbardton Forge. Previously awarded Forge designs include the Pierced Arc (2002), the Fullered Impressions (2004), and the Stasis (2005).

Hubbardton Forge is a Vermont-based manufacturer and marketer of high-end hand-forged lighting products and related accessories sold predominately through residential and home furnishings retailers as well as contract distributors.

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