

*Edition*



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Garnier & Linker

## *Diatomée*

*Diatomée* by the Parisian duo of interior architects, Garnier & Linker, is an exclusive edition by Spazio Nobile. *Diatomée* Sculpture Vases appear like diatoms that are single-celled algae living in houses made of glass. Inspired by these light-absorbing molecules which are the only organism on the planet with cell walls composed of transparent, opaline silica, they are ornamented by intricate and striking patterns of silica. On earth, diatoms are bringing us up to 50% of our oxygen and also feed the oceans, lakes and rivers. Since 2020, Spazio Nobile has initiated artistic collaborations and projects around *Diatomée* with floral and ikebana artists.

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Guillaume Garnier and Florent Linker. Photo by Yannick Labrousse

Guillaume Garnier and Florent Linker are two French creators based in Paris. They aim at giving a contemporary design to rare materials and savoir-faire. All pieces are handmade unique or limited editions by French master craftsmen. They get their inspiration from decorative arts and sculpture, to create pure-shaped forms revealing their materiality. With their background in interior design, they conceive functional objects that meet contemporary interiors of enlightened collectors who seek art and design collectibles with a soul. They have created the molten glass *Diatomée* Sculpture Vases for Spazio Nobile by experimenting this fascinating lost-wax casting technique mastered by French glass maker Olivier Fonderflick.

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