

# Cassina

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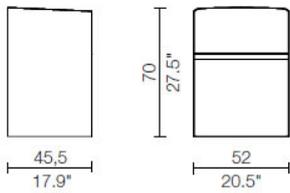
Year of production 2008

Tub chair. Frame in curved plywood, American walnut finish.

## Gallery



## Dimensions



## Authenticity

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## Designer



**Konstantin Grcic**

Born in Munich in 1965

1985 - 1987 Apprenticeship as cabinet maker at Parnham College, UK

1988 - 1990 MA in Industrial Design, Royal College of Art, London

1990 – 1991 Work for Jasper Morrison, London

1991 – Konstantin Grcic Industrial Design, Munich

Konstantin Grcic defines function in human terms, combining formal strictness with considerable mental acuity and humour. Each of his products is characterized by his careful research into the history of design and architecture and his passion for technology and materials. Known for pared-down pieces, Grcic is often called a minimalist but the designer himself prefers to speak of simplicity.

The KGID office is located in the center of Munich in the south of Germany.

Konstantin Grcic employs 6 product designers and 1 personal assistant. The studio is specialized in various fields of design, ranging from furniture design to commissioned work like architectural projects. The languages of communication are German, English, French, Italian and Spanish.

2007 Design of the year, awarded by Architektur&Wohnen, Germany

2007 Designer de l'année, Maison et Objet, France

2007 Guest of Honr at Stockholm Furniture Fair, Sweden

2004 Nombre d'Or, Salon du Meuble, France

2000 Guest of Honor, Biennale Interieur in Kortrijk, Belgium

1999 Modernism Award for Young Designers, Brooklyn Museum of Art

1997 A&W Young Designer of the Year Award