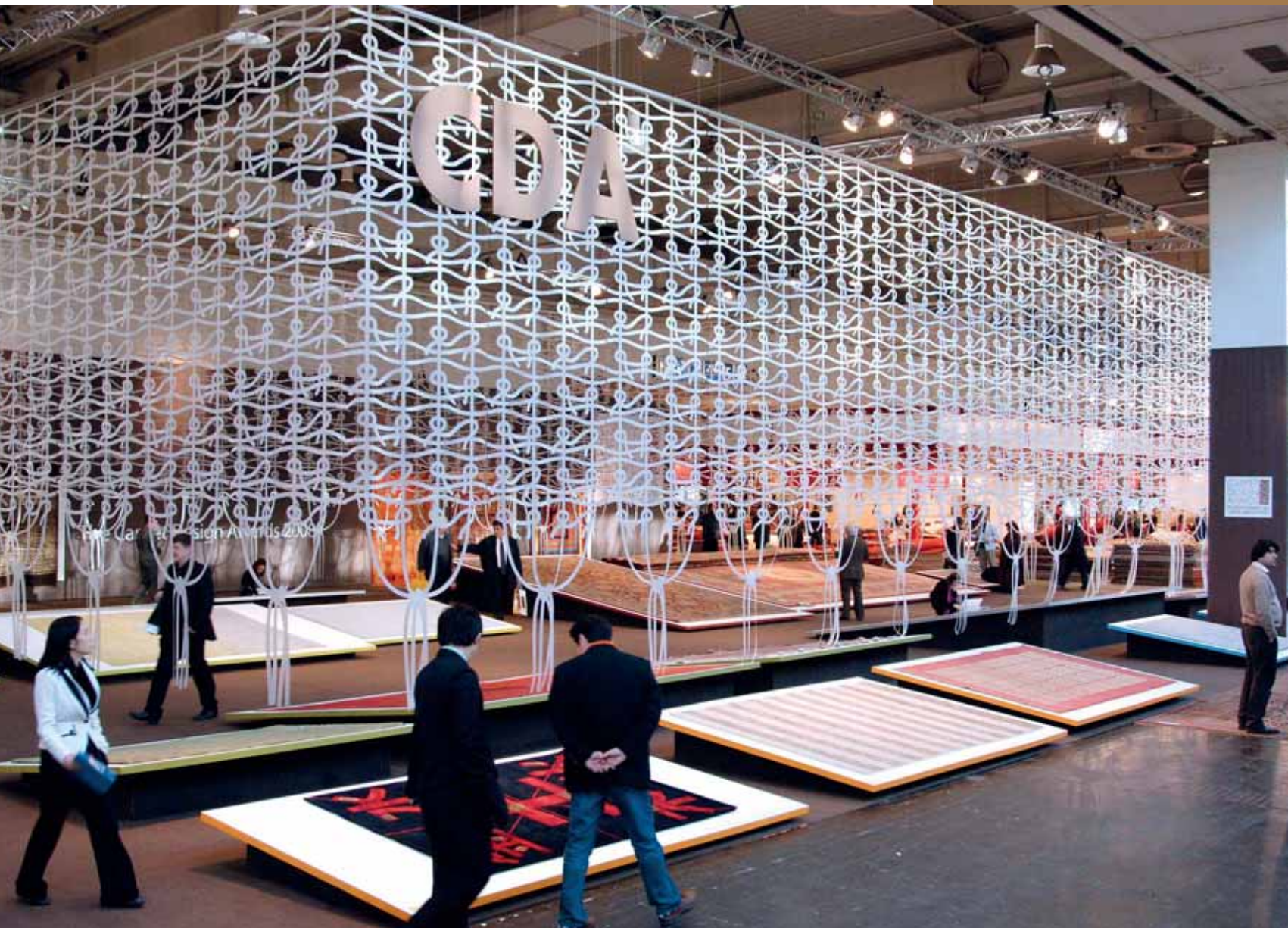


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Winner of carpet Design Award in two Categories:

- Best Traditional Design Nomadic
- Best Traditional Design Workshop / Formal

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At HALI and *modern carpets & textiles for interiors* magazines we see DOMOTEX as the best barometer of the international handmade carpet market, so it is fitting that the fair's organisers, Deutsche Messe, should support and celebrate the achievements of our industry through the Carpet Design Awards.

The awards grew in 2008 in every respect. We had more judges – Matthew Bourne took over as Chair of the Judging Panel this year – and, most importantly, more entries than last year – a result that we believe endorses the significance and relevance of these awards.

This year the awards were supported by the European Carpet Importers Association (EUCA). CDA sponsors for the second time, Booria CAD/CAM Systems, kindly donated a package of their Carpet Designer Professional+ Edition to the winner of the 'Best Traditional Workshop/Formal Design' category. New sponsors EPAA, the Export Promotion Agency for Afghanistan, presented a trophy to the winner of the 'Best Traditional Nomadic Design >150€/m²'.

As was the case last year, the judging process was lengthy and enlightening, with strong and differing opinions. The quality of the judging equalled that of the finalists, and it is a great pleasure for us as magazine publishers and fair organisers to be able to realise what we do in print – namely determining which are the best rugs being made today, why they are the best, and who is making them.

Entries for the 2009 Awards will open in September 2008 and we look forward to celebrating the creativity of the worldwide carpet-making fraternity once again at DOMOTEX 2009 (17-20 January).

Ben Evans
Editor, HALI and *modern
carpets & textiles for interiors*

Dr. Andreas Gruchow
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The Judges

The international judging panel consists of some of the most well-respected names in the industry:

Matthew Bourne, UK, Chair of the Judging Panel

Co-owner of Christopher Farr Contemporary Rugs and Carpets in London and co-author of 'Contemporary Rugs' and contributing editor of *MC&T*

Ben Evans, UK

Editor of HALI and *MC&T*

Markus Lippert, Germany

Responsible for purchasing, marketing and branch supervision at the furniture retailers Hiendl, Germany

Peter Mauch, Germany

BSOT member and expert in oriental rugs, author of several books on the subject and independent wholesaler, specialising in antique and old village and nomadic rugs

Kate Blee, UK

Renowned UK-based textile artist whose work is often an exploration of colour relationships, has exhibited worldwide and worked with many architects and designers

Zeynep Fadilloğlu, Turkey

Winner of several distinguished international interior design awards, she is a globally sought interior decorator and art historian who enjoys creating cultural bridges in her designs

Paul Ramsey, USA

Co-founder of Shaver-Ramsey, Denver, Colorado and owner of 'Krimsa: fine rugs and décor', San Francisco, he is widely known as a specialist in oriental rugs and weavings, and was named 'Rug Retailer of the Year' in 2005 and 2007.

David Sorgato, Italy

Founder of the David Sorgato Gallery in Milan (since 1991), he retails a wide range of carpets and textiles, particularly from the 19th century. He also deals in early carpets, tapestries and Islamic art, as well as 'design' carpets.



Categories

- 1 Best Modern Design (<100€/m²)
- 2 Best Modern Design (100€ to 250€/m²)
- 3 Best Modern Design (>250€/m²)
- 4 Best Traditional Nomadic Design (<150€/m²)
- 5 Best Traditional Nomadic Design (>150€/m²)
- 6 Best Traditional Workshop/Formal Design
- 7 Best Old/Antique Carpet
- 8 Best Collection Modern
- 9 Best Collection Traditional
- 10 Best Innovation
- 11 Best liked by DOMOTEX Visitors



Winner Best Modern Design (<100€/m²)

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Winner Best Modern Design (100€-250€/m²)

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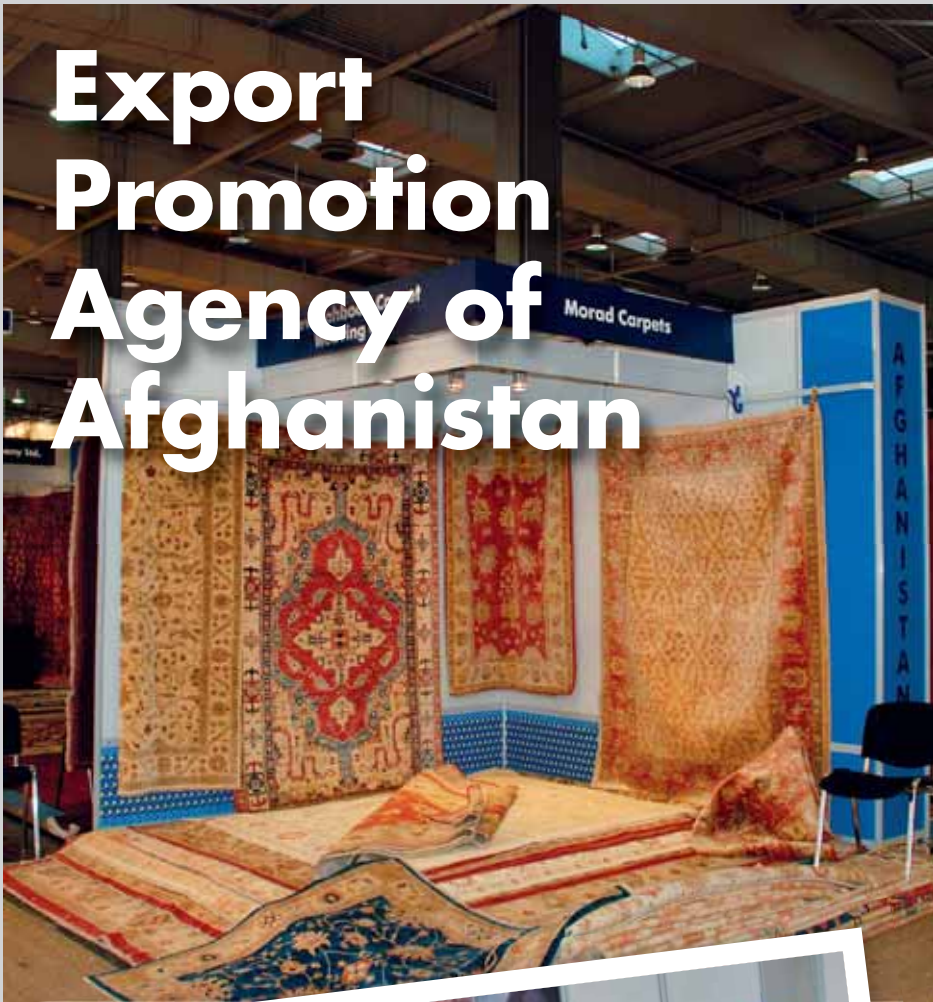
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Best Design Award Winner Mr. Haji Nabi from Zinnat Rugs Manufacturing Co. /Afghanistan celebrating the first ever international award winning at Domotex 2008 with fellow Afghan participants

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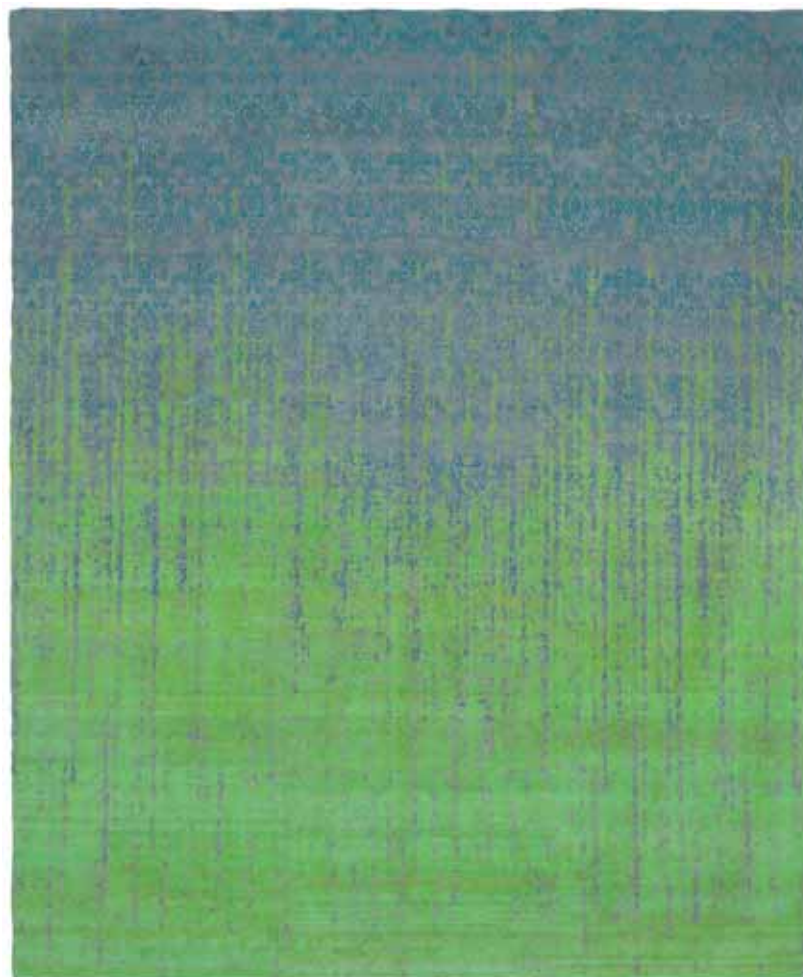
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Winner Best Modern Design (>250€/m²)

Jan Kath

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Winner Best Traditional Nomadic Design (<150€/m²)

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Heidarian Carpet

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Winner Best Old/Antique Carpet

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Winner Best Collection Traditional

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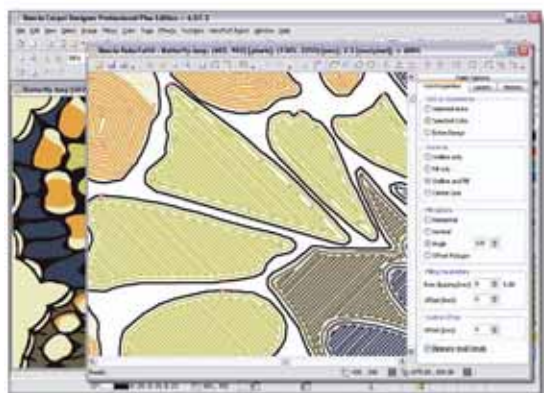
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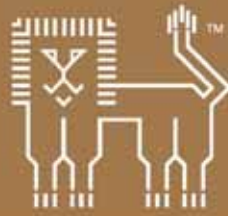
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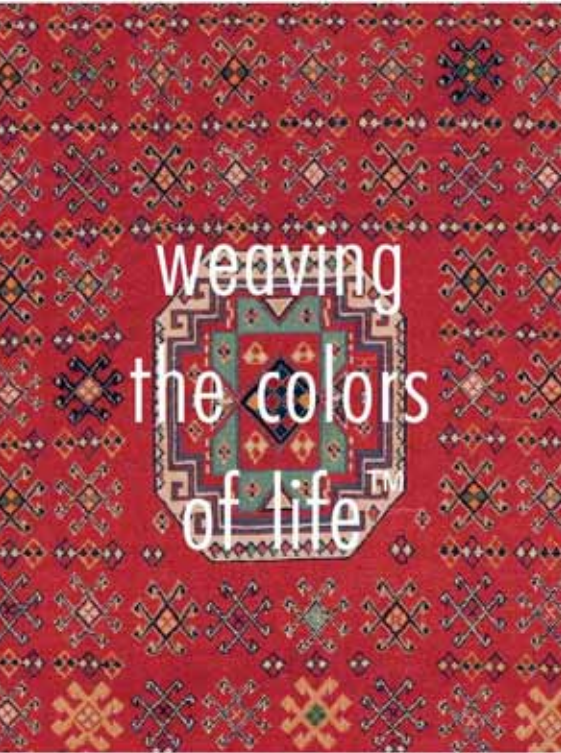
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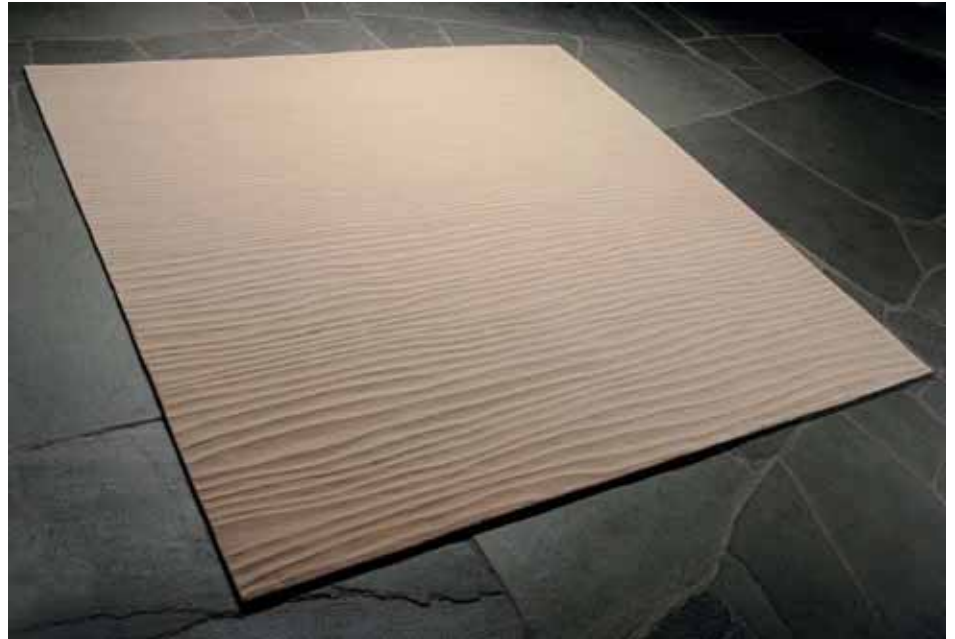
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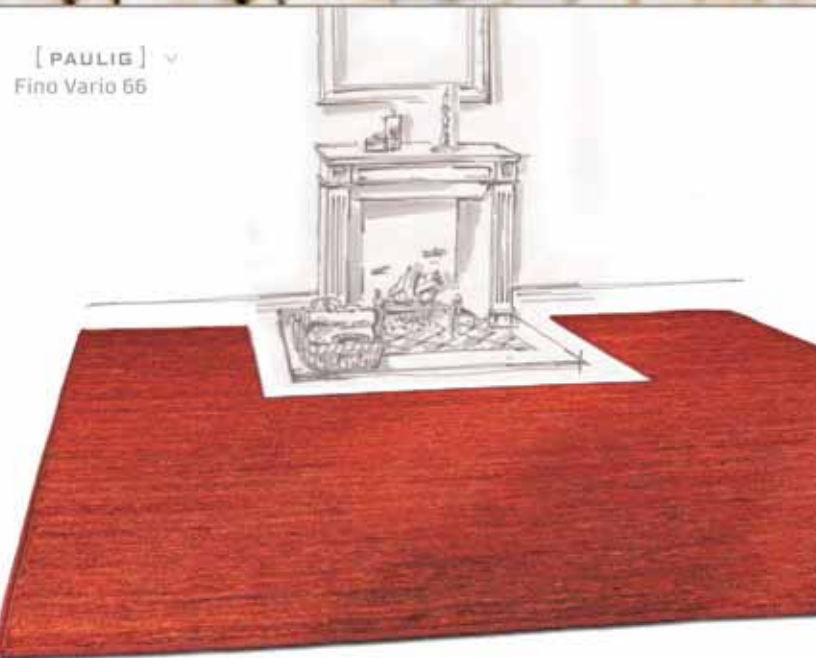
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