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## A Profile of: Industrial Designer Orfeo Quagliata

Orfeo Quagliata is a polymath industrial designer who constantly explores the interplay of color and light in geometric and organic forms, through hand-formed glass.

Born and raised in San Francisco, he began working at age 12 as an apprentice to his father, the glass artist Narcissus Quagliata. Additional inspiration and skills were drawn from Orfeo's grandfather, jewelry designer Herta Jakotzy. After high school, he moved to Spain to apprentice with Catalonian glass artist Jose Fernandez Castrillo. Returning to San Francisco, Orfeo studied industrial and furniture design at the California College of Arts and Crafts, earning a BFA degree with high distinction in 1999. While in college, Orfeo studied with architect and furniture designer Chris Deam. Later studies included Cabrillo College in California and the College of Marin in Marin County, CA.

A visionary artist, Orfeo Quagliata follows an inherited tradition in glass and jewelry design adapted to lighting and pure art, in his own maverick style. He lives in Mexico City.

Information about lighting products designed by Orfeo Quagliata, and marketed in the U.S. exclusively by Jesco Lighting, Inc., can be obtained from Jesco Lighting Group company, 66-25 Traffic Avenue, Glendale, New York 11385. Telephone: (718) 366-3211. Fax: (718) 366-3646. E-mail: [sales@jescolighting.com](mailto:sales@jescolighting.com).

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