



Cumulus studios founder Nathalie Karg collaborates with artists and produces the most beautiful functional outdoor objects. She tells me why she created Cumulus, how art intersects life and what she will be doing this Mother's Day.

You are considered the brains and founder behind Cumulus Studios. How did your background inspire you to create this company?

My background is in art and landscape design. After being asked many times by my garden clients to find them some garden furniture, I came up with the idea of joining my two backgrounds of expertise. Asking contemporary artists to devise a functional object for outdoors came as a natural thought.

What do you consider to be the greatest invention of the modern era?

It all depends what is the modern era to you. If we are talking of the xx1st century, the Internet. Before that, I would say Penicillin.

Cumulus specializes in outdoor functional objects made by contemporary artists. This seems especially timely with the greening of our society. So many new buildings feature outdoor gardens, balconies and public spaces where people gather and entertain.

Where do you feel most comfortable?

I feel most comfortable in a garden working or designing a new garden at my drafting table.