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Jousse Entreprise

## MARIA PERGAY

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Jousse Entreprise gallery is pleased to present historic and major modals by Maria Pergay



In 1947, Maria Pergay attended the IDHEC, the same time she went regularly to Zadkine's studio. In the mid-1950s, after marrying Marc Pergay, one of her female friends offered her the job of creating decorative objects for the shop windows of the shoemaker Durer. In the windows she put large wrought iron birds. That commission was a huge success, publicly and professionally, and marked the start of her career. Keen to stay abreast of the latest innovations, it was in the mid-1960s or thereabouts that she started using stainless steel. This thoroughly new material became her source of inspiration, which she described as being "as precious as the most precious wood." Her first steel collection included ring chairs and wave benches. In 1968 she had a show at the Maison Jardin gallery, run by none other than the interior decorator Jean Dive. Stainless steel would remain her favorite material, and she continued using it throughout the 1970s. From that moment on she started to export her works to the United States, Morocco, Russia and Saudi Arabia. She created furniture, objects and interiors, with a keen eye for mixing refinement and luxury with a dreamlike quality.

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