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When you study architecture you have to go and work for other people and wait to be asked to do something. You don't have to commit yourself to one thing. Here, because the next city had a taller building, they asked us 'Can you make it taller? I got better and better.

Ron Arad for One Off 'Rover' Lounge Chairs in Steel and Original Leath

We're doing something that has a big presence, but doesn't fight the building and accepts the general diagrammatic flow of the curves, without being a pastiche of the building. Design at the Design Museum. I am not a methodical person.

Ron Arad interview: how the Rover Chair made him a designer

This aluminium is very rich in magnesium, so it polishes more like stainless steel than aluminium and you can indeed do things with it that you could not do otherwise. We decided to stop it because we didn't want to become a Rover chair shop. .

A Inside Look at Ron Arad's Big Easy Chair

Marcus Fairs: What is the most recent of your works in the exhibition? And also there is a photographer in Milan called Tom Vack, who is still very active. He paid there and then, £99 each, and gave me an address in Paris to deliver them to. I did his shop on South Molton Street, in London, and shortly after that - and definitely not because of that, because it was a private affair - the chair became a best-selling piece; people just wanted to buy the Rover chair.

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