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# CHINA INTERNATIONAL FURNITURE FAIR (Shanghai)

# 2024 BRAND MANUAL



11-14 SEPTEMBER
NATIONAL EXHIBITION AND
CONVENTION CENTER

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### I Preface

The China (Guangzhou/Shanghai) International Furniture Fair (referred to as CIFF) under China Foreign Trade Center Group, was founded in 1998 and has been held for 52 consecutive sessions. Starting from September 2015, it is held in Pazhou, Guangzhou every March and Hongqiao, Shanghai every September, effectively radiating the two most dynamic economic areas in China, the Pearl River Delta and the Yangtze River Delta. In 2024, CIFF (Tianjin) will be launched in Tianjin. CIFF has built a chain exhibition platform for China's furniture and furnishing industry from the dimensions of time, region and industrial chain.

After more than 9 years of development, CIFF (Shanghai) is now taking a quality domestic market as the foundation, striving to boost domestic and foreign sales at the same time. It integrates and empowers the exhibition stores, and allows the top design brands and the leading brands in the industry to reinforce each other. CIFF (Shanghai) exhibits comprehensive themes, covering the entire industry chain (both upstream and downstream) of furniture and furnishing. With home design as the core, CIFF covers all themed products including bedding, sofas, dining & living rooms furniture, office&public spaces and hotel furniture, furniture machinery, home textiles and accessories, outdoor furniture&furnishing, etc. As the world's leading professional furniture exhibition, CIFF (Shanghai) also holds the CIFF Woodworking Machinery Fair (WMF), CIFF Shanghai Offices&Public Spaces Exhibition, CIFF Shanghai Home Textiles&Accessories Lifestyle Exhibition, and CIFF Shanghai Urban Outdoor Furniture Fair, committed to realizing 24/7 sales in all channels around the year, and building a diversified home furnishing ecosystem that is mutually beneficial and win-win.





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# **Development and Achievements**

	1998	2004	2005	2008
	The first furniture exhibition successfully held	Moved from Guangzhou Liuhua Exhibition Hall toGuangzhou Pazhou Exhibition Hall	Held in two phases for the first time The first phase for civil furniture, the second phase for office furniture	Scale expanded, and areas A and B of the Guangzhou Pazhou Canton Fair Complex used in both phases.
	<b>45,000</b> square meters / <b>384</b> exhibitors / <b>20,000</b> buyers	125,080 square meters / 985 exhibitors / 75,095 buyers	242,880 square meters / 1493 exhibitors / 99,134 buyers	<b>438,050</b> square meters / <b>2604</b> exhibitors / <b>123,241</b> buyers
	2016	2015	2014	2012
	Expo, with exhibition scale at the forefront of the world	The March exhibition held in Pazhou, Guangzhou  The September exhibition moved to Shanghai Hongqiao	March exhibition Extended from 4 days to 5 days More time, more fun	Scale expanded further, and both phases using Areas A, B, and C of the Guangzhou Pazhou Canton Fair Complex simultaneously.
				<b>620,000</b> square meters / <b>3156</b> exhibitors / <b>160,000</b> buyers
	2017	2018	2019	2020
	The 40 <sup>th</sup> session and the 20 <sup>th</sup> anniversary, a new chapter for CIFF	Strategic Cooperation Between CFTE and Red Star Macalline "Exhibition & Store Alliance" debut in September	CTME officially established and operating the  CIFF (Shanghai)	CIFF positioning upgrade: "Leadership in Design, Domestic and International Circulation, and Full-Chain Collaboration" for the March exhibition in Guangzhou "Global Home Design Platform of Choice" for the September exhibition in Shanghai
,	2024	2023	2022	2021
	CIFF launching in Tianjin, further expanding the nationwide layout of the chain exhibition platform for furniture and furnishing industry	Full launch of the National Home Refreshing Shopping Season and Shanghai Furniture Consumption Festival 2023 to serve the new patterns of furniture & furnishing consumption	The 50th CIFF (Shanghai) held concurrently with the CBD Fair (Shanghai)	Holding an online exhibition for the first time, also the first in the industry to integrate online and offline exhibitions to empower development



### **Sponsors**

### China Foreign Trade Center Group Co., Ltd.

China Foreign Trade Center Group, as one of the sponsors of CIFF (Shanghai), prides itself in great competence, rich experience, professional services and outstanding performance. Its operation and exhibition scales are at the forefront of the world's exhibition industry. It organizes the Canton Fair and sponsors the CIFF, CBD Fair, Guangzhou Auto Show and so on, which are exhibitions of world's leading and well-known brands.

#### For many consecutive years, China Foreign Trade Center Group has been rated among

Top **500** Chinese Service Enterprises Top **500** Enterprises in Guangdong Province

Top **100** Service Enterprises in Guangdong Province



### Red Star Macalline Group Corporation, Ltd.

Founded in 1986, it has developed into a national home decoration and furniture shopping mall operator with the largest number of shopping malls, the largest operating area, and the widest geographical coverage in China. Red Star Macalline takes improving Chinese people's home taste as its mission, and is committed to pursuing the aesthetic development of China's home furnishing industry and improving Chinese consumers' awareness of home furnishing taste.



- China Foreign Trade Center Group Co., Ltd. Red Star Macalline Group Corporation, Ltd.
- China Chamber of Commerce for Import and Export of Light Industrial Products and Arts-Crafts
- Guangdong Furniture Association

■ Guangzhou Furniture Association

### Organizers

- China Foreign Trade Guangzhou Exhibition Co., Ltd.
- CTME China Foreign Trade Macalline Exhibition Co., Ltd.

# **Brand Culture of CIFF (Shanghai)**

Build a world-class exhibition platform to facilitate high-quality development of the home furnishing industry



China's home design platform of choice

The No.1 exhibition for China's home furnishing design





# **Comprehensive Strength**

### High degree of participation from TOP brands

International home furnishing brands + Domestic leading home furnishing brands + Listed home furnishing brands + Regional leading brands + Designer brands



### 5 major sub-exhibitions to create unique attractions

Based on the concept of furniture and furnishing, with home furnishing design as the core, CIFF has further created a number of special sub-exhibitions. Five sub-exhibitions will be held at the same time: CIFF Shanghai Offices & Public Spaces Exhibition, CIFF Shanghai Home Textiles & Accessories Lifestyle Exhibition, CIFF Shanghai Urban Outdoor Furniture Fair, CIFF Shanghai Upholstered Furniture and Machinery Exhibition, and CIFF WMF, opening up a brand-new life with vigor and diversity in multi-dimensional aspects, fully assisting to bring about the optimization and upgrading of home furnishing supply.



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CIFF Shanghai Urban Outdoor Furniture Fair

or CIFF Shanghai Offices & Public Spaces Exhibition

CIFF Shanghai Home Textiles & Accessories Lifestyle Exhibition



CIFF Shanghai Upholstered Furniture and Machinery Exhibition



Shanghai International Furniture Machinery & Woodworking Machinery Fair

Commercial Space Design

Furnishing Design

# **Comprehensive Strength**

# Serving professional attendees in the home furnishing industry

- Distributors / Agents
- ► Furniture / Building Materials Manufacturers
- Buyers (Real Estate Agents / Purchasing Departments of Guesthouse / Hotel / Large Institutions)
- ▶ Traders (Import and Export Traders / Foreign Offices in China)
- ▶ OEM / Parts Manufacturers / Suppliers
- Building Materials Markets / Home Furnishing Stores / Internet Channels / Cross-border E-commerce
- ▶ Industry Service Providers, etc.

10-year database

**50+ million** high-quality attendees data

110,000 high-quality distributors

18,000 experienced members data

20,000 private domain data

Gather Power of Design

- 01 ▶ Interior Design
- 02 ▶ Commercial Space Design
- 03 ► Architectural Designers
- 04 ▶ Product Designers Corporate Decor Com
- 05 ▶ Furnishing Design
- 06 ▶ Urban Planning and Design
- 07 ► Home Decor Companies
- 08 ▶ Corporate Decor Companies
- 09 ▶ Design Schools
- 10 ▶ Furnishing Designers
- 11 ▶ Public Art/Landscape/ Exhibition Design

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10-year database
140,000+ designers data
Accurate coverage of

first-tier, new first-tier and second-tier cities

Furnishing Designers

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\*Ranking in no particular order

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### Launch of creative and special themed exhibition with IP





**East Design Show** 



CIFF SELECT SHOW



Design Dream Show (DDS)



**Grand View Tea Ceremony** 



Harmony at Home Makes Everything Office and Life Pavilion Prosper—Exhibition on the integration of design and humanities



### Building a leading, international, and professional forum









- ▶ International Architectural Design Forum
- ► China Commercial Design Trends Conference
- ▶ Soft Power | China Upholstered Furniture Summit Forum
- ▶ Cross-border E-commerce and Supply Chain Services
- Smart Sleep Industry Conference

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# **Core Advantages**

Leadership in the Industry

International Platform

**Professionalism and Comprehensiveness** 

**Brand Reputation** 

Innovation-driven

Five core advantages of CIFF (Shanghai)



# Ranked first in the domestic sales function and leading the development of the industry

Its domestic sales function has become No.1 in the industry, occupying a pivotal position in China's exhibition industry, and has become the flagship leading the high-quality development of the entire exhibition industry.



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# Opening up international cooperation links and accelerating globalized layout

CIFF (Shanghai) has developed into an international home furnishing exhibition, attracting the participation of many domestic and foreign home furnishing brands, demonstrating the all-round achievements of the Chinese home furnishing industry.



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# Covering the entire furniture and furnishing industrial chain and jointly creating a chain exhibition platform

CIFF (Shanghai) has become an industry leader in major themes (civil use, office equipment, etc.). For the first time, it proposed a 365-day exhibition concept to expand exhibitors' rights and interests. It not only has professional exhibition characteristics, but also provides a comprehensive exhibition platform, covering multiple dimensions in the home furnishing field, such as creative design, advanced production and market.



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# Building high-quality bridges and provide a professional exhibition platform

Thanks to the brand image established over a long period of time and the history of success of the past sessions, CIFF (Shanghai) has become one of the exhibitions trusted by thousands of domestic and foreign exhibitors and buyers. TOP brands have a high degree of participation, and there is a consensus in the industry that CIFF provides a platform for its participating brands to expand their market influence.



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#### Driven by innovation, building a hall for commercial design

CIFF (Shanghai) actively promotes original design and product innovation. Through measures such as setting up product design competitions and attracting high-quality exhibitions, CIFF demonstrates the spirit of China's home furnishing industry's continuous pursuit of innovation and breakthroughs.







# **Brand Business Card**

CIFF (Shanghai) presents a panoramic feast of the home furnishing industry. The rich and comprehensive themes have become the focus of the industry. With home design as the core, it covers all aspects of furniture and life: from comfortable sleeping furniture to elegant sofas and living & dining rooms furniture, from professional office, commercial and hotel furniture to exquisite furniture production equipment, to accessories with different styles, as well as home textiles and outdoor furniture; each theme shows the soul of creativity and precision in the home furnishing industry. Here, both industry experts and brands can explore and discover unlimited business opportunities and imagination.

### Design Brands



# Upholstered Furniture Brands



**Equipment Brands** 



**Export Brands** 







### Design Brands

Focusing on product innovation, Eastern and Western aesthetics, and trends, we work closely with top designers at home and abroad continuously to create a leading, influential, and innovative industry event for the home furnishing industry.



# Upholstered Furniture Brands

It involves two major themes: sofa and sleep. It integrates functional value, emotional value and design value. It has a large scale and strong domestic sales. The soft furniture theme exhibition area gathers most of the domestic leading brands in the industry, including Chinese, joint venture, imported and other types of brands, making it one of the most watched themes at the exhibition.







### **Equipment Brands**

Adapting to the general trend of digital and intelligent transformation of China's manufacturing industry, and focusing on Industry 4.0 innovation, CIFF showcases the industrial Internet's empowerment of large furniture manufacture, and a series of achievements in woodworking machinery, material accessories, manufacturing processes, etc., and facilitating the shift towards high-quality development of China's furniture and furnishing industry.

### **Export Brands**

CIFF showcases from living & dining rooms furniture to upholstered home furnishings, from offices to outdoor furniture, from accessories, home textiles, parts, and materials to machinery and equipment. Under the new domestic and international circulation backdrop, CIFF has made full use of Shanghai's unique position as a global city in China's foreign trade, to closely cooperate with the world's home furnishing industry.





# **Design Business Card**



CIFF (Shanghai) is committed to conveying the value of design and creating the platform of choice for global home design. Thanks to the strong economic strength of East China, the trendy atmosphere of Shanghai as a fashion capital and the consumption power of high income population groups, CIFF (Shanghai) brings together top design brands and leading brands in the industry to build a hall of commercial design brands, helping design brands reach the top of the design realm.





# Special Exhibition for Commercial Design

Creating a leading, fashionable and benchmark commercial design exhibition to lead the new trend of Chinese commercial design.

### Global Design Master

Inviting the world's top design masters to give lectures and establish a larger professional and international circle of designers.

### **Top Design Products**

Launching the world's first-class commercial design products, recording the evolution of China's commercial design.

### **Trendy Design Arts**

Launching unique, rich and diversified trend arts to guide consumers to enjoy trendy lifestyles.





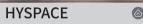




# **Business Card Examples**











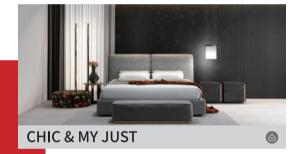


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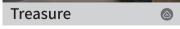














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# **Marketing Business Card**

### **365-day Omni-channel Marketing**

CIFF (Shanghai) provides exhibitors with systematic, comprehensive, and full-cycle exhibition marketing solutions, becoming the most trusted and closest partner for exhibitors, and working together to grow.





### Resources

- 1 Content marketing: content operations in Wechat official accounts and Xiaohongshu, etc.
- 2 Event marketing: industry trend activities, distributors'roadshow activities, business matching with buyers, customized activities, design awards
- Media communication: media releases, media interviews, event endorsements





# **Business Card Examples**









### **Resource Business Card**



### **Distributor Resources**

# Distributor events inside and outside the system linking major businesses

Events · Business · Circle



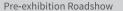




# Nationwide Linkage between a Thousand Stores One-stop Launch

Pre-exhibition matching, in-exhibition inspection, and post-exhibition store launch







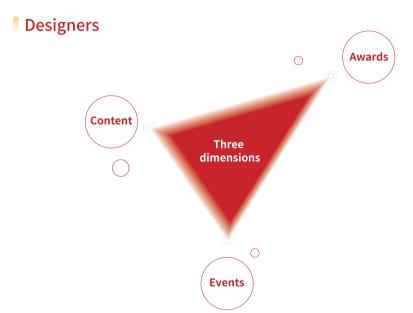


Pre-exhibition Seminar

Pre-exhibition Promotion

**Not only Red Star Macalline**, but also national high-quality malls such as Yuexing Home, Easy Home, Sixth Space, AYD Home Furnishings, CIMEN, B&T Home, Huaxia Materials Port, Daminggong, etc.





The exhibition empowers designers from the three dimensions of content, events, and awards, strengthening the design-leading function of the exhibition, and promoting high-quality development of the exhibition.

#### **▶** Content Section

Designers' recipients incubation, official accounts' column planning and visual design, maintaining frequent interaction with designers.

#### Event Section

In response to designers'needs to recruit customers, expand channels, and improve skills, a series of activities are launched every month to consolidate the foundation of the designer population.

Designer-Brand Matchmaking Meeting (during Exhibition)

3-5 brands. 10-20 designers. Small matchmaking meeting. Process: brand sharing + designer sharing + free communication session

Factory Tours for Designers

A group of 20 designers to visit the brand factory.

Process: brand factory introduction + communication salon + design agency visit + study tour

Designers Communication across Cities Organizing a group of designers from City A (4-6 people) to visit design studios in City B (2-3 studios). Process: design studio visit + communication salon + interaction + study tour

#### **▶** Awards Section

Linking up domestic and foreign industry associations, designer operating agencies, design schools, media, etc. to create exhibition design awards.

Launch of project and confirmation of judges

City roadshows to promote the awards

Upgrading the domestic and foreign media

dissemination

Review stage and warm-up events of the exhibition

05 On-site exhibition events

Domestic and foreign media promotion



\*The following rankings are in no particular order

### Media Resources

A strong domestic media line-up and multiple channels to increase brand exposure, extensive global media dissemination to enhance the brand's international influence, and official platform exposure of the exhibition to increase brand endorsement channels.





















































































































































































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# **Four Major Development Strategies**









# Market Expansion

### The exhibition platform is more segmented and focused on the track to form highlights.

CIFF has been held every year in Guangzhou (March) and Shanghai (September) since 2015. In 2024, CIFF will enter the northern market for the first time and hold the CIFF (Tianjin), creating the only exhibition covering the entire industry chain of furniture and furnishing materials in the "Three North" regions, further improving the layout of CIFF in key regions across the country.

**Exhibition platform accelerates** 

its layout in different cities

CIFF (Shanghai) actively adapts to the new environment of high-quality development in the furniture and furnishing industry, and has over time established core advantages of professionalism, differentiation and famous brands in four major tracks of upholstered home furnishings, design home furnishings, woodworking machinery, and foreign trade of home furnishings. Through strong layout and segmentation of tracks, we have better empowered exhibitors, achieved precise investment promotion, and consolidated our position as the leader in the furniture and furnishing exhibition industry.

### Launch of a series of innovative services and event planning for exhibition investment promotion

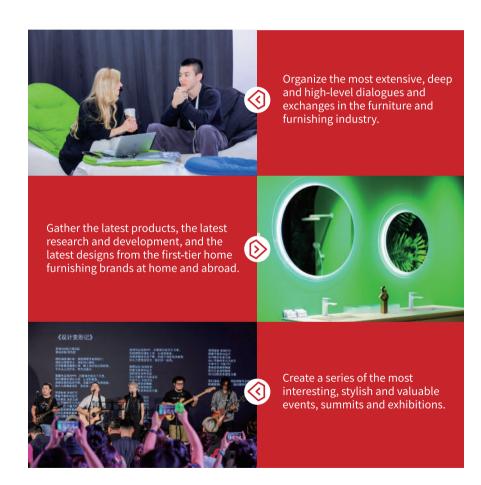
Based on comprehensive exhibitor services, creative event planning, precise media communication, in-depth content marketing, and unique theme curation, CIFF (Shanghai) has accelerated the realization of 365-day omni-channel marketing, created a diversified home ecosystem, explored new paths for investment promotion and operation, and attracted a large number of leading home furnishing brands at home and abroad to continuously participate in the exhibition, establishing the core advantages for the investment promotion and operation of CIFF (Shanghai).

#### Giving full play to platform value and linking extensive industry chain resources

Relying on the sponsorship of CFTE and Red Star Macalline, and the great geographical location of Shanghai, the most international metropolis in China, CIFF (Shanghai) has been constantly exploring the platform value of exhibitions and linking brands, channel providers, designers, professional attendees, industry associations, platforms, etc. CIFF also expands to the service industry, high-tech industry, manufacturing industry, etc., deeply integrating into the construction of China's new economic cycle.



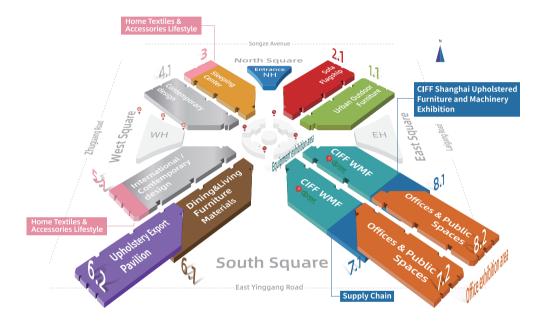
# **Next CIFF**







# **Layout of the Exhibition Area**







Functional sofa



Exported furniture



Living room accessories





Imported sofa



| Sofa manufactured by joint ventures



Boutique sofa



Exhibition group at home and abroad



Aesthetic sleep



Health sleep



Hi-tech sleep



Intelligent home accessories



Bedroom space accessories



Imported furniture



New consumption: Tea-related furniture, creative furniture



Original design



Whole house customization



High-end carpentry



High-end design



Disign ip/ Design theme



| Soft decoration accessories



Decorative accessories



Life configuration



Home decoration



Furniture after-sales



Furniture Machinery & Woodworking Machinery



Outdoor furniture

| Furniture Machinery & Woodworking Machinery



Living & dining room





Materials & hardware



Garden decorations



space

Outdoor sunshades



Campus furniture

| Public commercial

space

| Outdoor accessories

and intelligent products



Industrial clusters



Steel products



Office accessories





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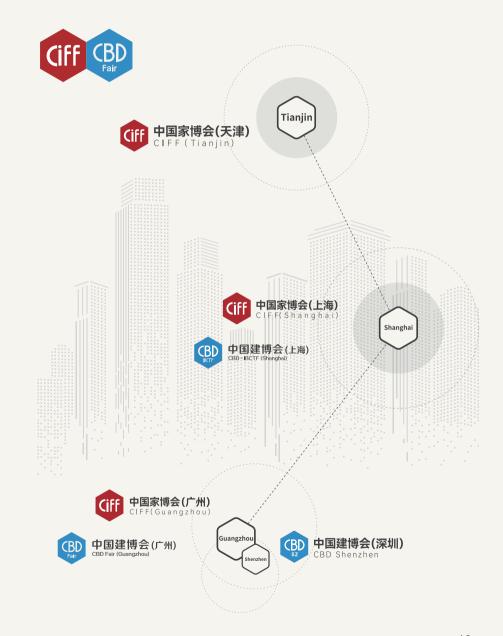
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### **China's Chain Exhibition Platform for** the Furniture and Furnishing Industry



2024.3.18-21

Civil Furniture Exhibition

2024.3.28-31

Office and Public Space Furniture Exhibition & Furniture Materials and Hardware Exhibition

Canton Fair Complex/Poly World

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