



# BECOME AN ARCHITECTURAL GREAT?

## AGENDA

The design of a chair or a piece of furniture has captured the imagination and creativity of many architectural greats. This event will be an exploration of materials, making techniques and furniture design.

## COLLABORATOR

The project will be in collaboration with Ferrius (<https://www.ferriusonline.co.uk/deign-projects/>). Ferrius are a multidisciplinary design team who specialise in furniture and interior design. Working with Gianluca Mingolla (<http://gianlucamingolla.com/>) a furniture designer and some more of the team at Ferrius, who will work with us to guide and review the design process with the aim to make 1:1 prototypes of realised furniture.

## PRODUCTION + MASTERCRAFT

In small groups, a chair or a small piece of furniture will be designed under the guidance of a Gianluca considering materials, construction (joints, fixing etc) and forms of representation. The final designs will then be released as 1:1 prototypes using the B.15 workshop at UoM and Ferrius' workshop. A sheet showing the process and the final realised prototypes will then be exhibited in the Ferrius showroom will a small awards/exhibition night where Manchester based interior and furniture design companies will be invited.