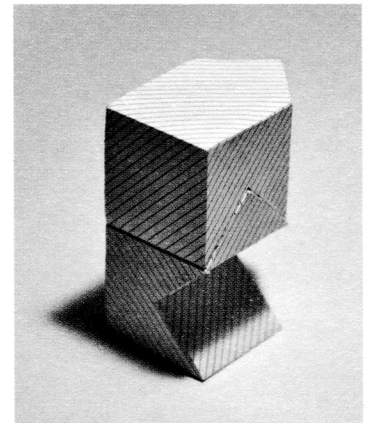


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Cut-out paper house, by Ryuji Nakamura



Ryuji Nakamura is an architect with many talents. Formed just six years ago, the Nagano-native's atelier has won a raft of awards, and his designs showcase a love for silhouettes. We asked him to design a cut-out paper house that would perform both as a stand-alone installation at 'Wallpaper\* Handmade... in Italy' in April and as an insert in this issue. Inspired by the traditions of origami, the house – with its simple, clean lines that create a beautifully abstract shape when slotted together (without the need for glue) – exemplifies the best of Japanese ingenuity. [www.ryujinakamura.com](http://www.ryujinakamura.com)