



MIMINAT DESIGNS

**O K U T A**

# OKUTA.

The Okuta Collection is inspired by ancient Yoruba stone murals, and explores the organic and natural forms of late 14th century Yoruba design.

Its combination of wood, brass, glass, ceramic and gold leaf, embodies the richness that the African continent and Yoruba culture have to offer. The raw, dark offcuts of wood juxtaposed with the smooth texture of brass and glass create a poetic synergy where art meets design.

The deliberate use of gold leaf refers back to a long history of a cultural affinity to using colour to enhance and transform palaces, shrines, clothes and art work.

With every piece created to epitomise functional art, the Okuta collection offers a gateway to the secret world of ancient African story telling.

The functional art collection ranges from serving boards, bowls, tea sets, jugs, decanters and ceramics that are designed not only to bring a piece of luxury into your everyday life, but also embody Africa's history of rich organic designs, colour and storytelling. The Okuta collection is sourced and handmade in Europe, the glass elements of our pieces are mouth blown in Czech Republic using Borosilicate Glass and then finished with leather and brass detailing.

Miminat's dedication to pushing boundaries in design is illustrated through an investment in detail oriented and bespoke craftsmanship. In so doing, the Okuta collection brings together a fusion of modern European sensibilities imbued with classical African design.

Wood being the main feature in the collection, the wood is stained to create the dark ebonised pattern, and then adorned with brass and leather detailing to enhance the minimalistic and architectural form of our designs.

The juxtaposition between the solidity and coolness of each material when combined, creates a tactile yet warm environment between the two materials. In so doing, not only do these pieces introduce the consumer to ancient forms of African storytelling, but they allow the user to create their own compelling narrative, particularly when used in conjunction with other pieces in the collection.

Working closely with our artisans, each piece has been carefully manufactured and hand finished, the aim being to showcase the beauty of wood, combined with glass, leather, ceramic, and brass and how it can be manipulated into different forms to create luxurious, modern, functional art pieces, whilst simultaneously maintaining Miminat's distinct and bold classic aesthetic.

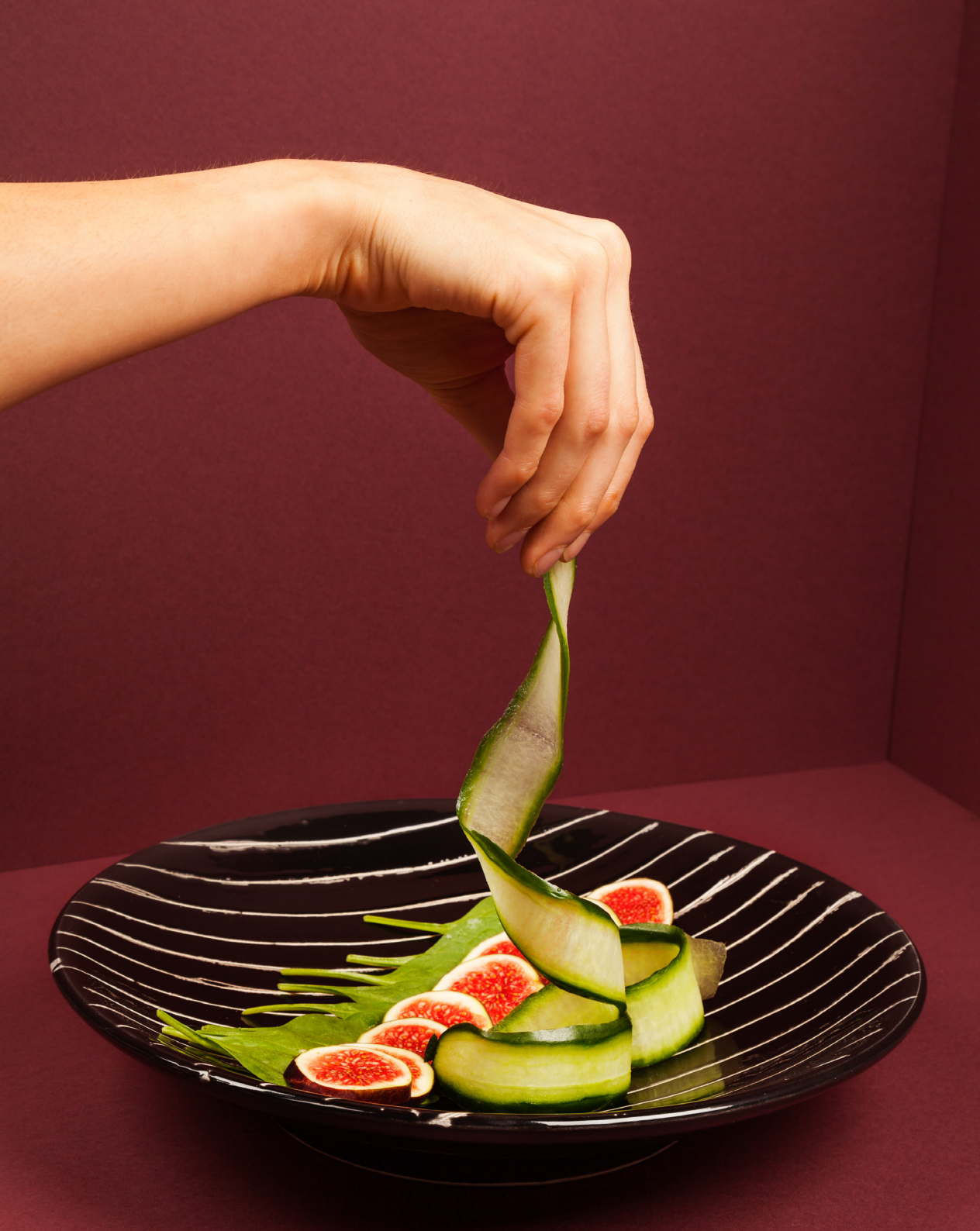
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## OKUTA CHEESE & SERVING BOARD

(Above Image )

This stunning streamline board is the perfect piece to accent a minimal kitchen surface. Its large surface area is perfect for serving as well as for food preparation. Smooth to touch, comfortable to hold, each board is finished with brass detailing to enhance its minimalist features.

The Okuta Serving Board is not dishwasher safe. Use damp cloth to wipe down surface. The products are handmade and variations will occur over time. Do not leave in water.

Material: Oak and Brass

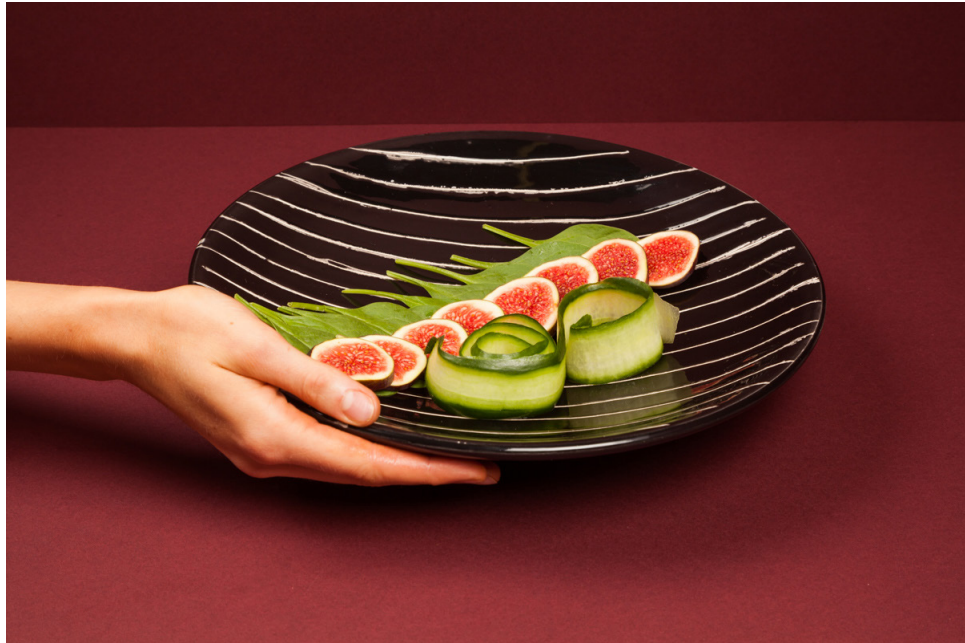
## OKUTA CERAMIC PLATE & SET

(Left Image )

Handmade by our artisans in Morocco, the Okuta Plate Set will sure add a touch of African glamour to your table setting.

Its elegant crafted shape, with its glazed finish will add a fresh but bold statement to any dinner theme, as well as serving relaxed dishes in your home. The Okuta plate dish is available as a set or comes individually.

28CM / 23CM/ 18CM



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## THE OKUTA CROWN BOWL

Made from solid wood and encased in oak crown, the Okuta crown bowl, is perfect for serving your favourite salads, dishes or just simply showcasing your fruits or vegetables. Its interchangeable glass makes it functional but stylish. The Okuta Crown Bowl is finished with leather and brass detailing.

Please note, the glass is not attached to the base.





## OKUTA CARAFE SET

Simple but stylish. The subtle circular form of the Okuta Carafe gives a comforting and ergonomic shape, finished with wood detailing epitomises functional, artistic design. Whether simply used for decorative purposes, or for a sophisticated dinner party, this statement pitcher is guaranteed to be a real conversation starter.

This set comes with a beech wood tray finished with leather detailing and two mouth blown glass tumblers.

This set comes with two tumbler glasses and serving tray.  
Materials : Borosilicate glass, Leather, Beech Wood & Brass

The leather details are embellished with turned brass fittings.  
Capacity : 2L





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## OKUTA TEA SET

Mouth blown, finished with leather, wood and brass detailing. The Okuta tea set is made for serving tea to a queen with a modern flair. This bespoke set embodies the fusion of European craftsmanship with the minimalistic, yet breath taking features of Afro-futuristic designs.

The Okuta Tea Set is not dishwasher safe. Wash in warm soapy water and dry thoroughly with a soft dry cloth. Always rinse before use. The products are handmade and variations will occur over time.

This set comes with two double wall glass tea cups and serving tray.  
Materials : Laboratory-grade borosilicate glass, Leather, Beech Wood , Brass.  
(The leather details are embellished with turned brass fittings)  
Capacity : 2L





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## OKUTA WINE DECANTER SET

(Left Image & Above Image )

Made from a solid beech base, encased in a oak crown, this one of a kind wine decanter is made for your finest wines, making it the perfect companion for a late night dinner party. Its glass top has been mouth blown to give it its unique form, which is enhanced with leather and brass detailing.

This Decanter, comes as a set which includes two Okuta Wine Glasses.

Please not that this products comes as part of a three piece set which includes two Okuta Wine Glasses.



## OKUTA HEX TRAY

Functional, yet stylish and artistic, the Okuta Tray set offers a fun and playful way to serve afternoon tea, canapes or simply for keeping your trinkets in order. With each tray made from Beech wood, accentuated with chrome brass handles and finished with a leather top.

The Okuta Tray Set is not dishwasher safe. Use damp cloth to wipe down surface. The products are handmade and variations will occur over time.

Material: Beech, Brass and Leather



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