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Biography

1971	Born in Bratislava, Slovakia
1982	Moved with his family to Toronto, Ontario
1996	Received Bachelor Degree in Architecture, University of Toronto
2000	Founded Brezina Designs - woodworking studio in downtown west Toronto
2007	Renamed company to LUBO – opened showroom/ gallery on Dundas Street West in downtown west Toronto

Exhibits

January 2007	1000-lb Table Exhibit, Studio at 1024 Dupont, Toronto
Sept 2004	Best of Canada 2004, Design Exchange, Toronto
Apr 2004	Three Generations of Brezina, Presov, Slovakia
Mar-Apr 2004	Aftertaste: An Exhibition By thenewthis Design Collective, York Quay Gallery, Harbourfront Centre, Toronto
Fall 2003	The Highline Ideas Competition, New York City, New York
1997	Alex Wilson Community Garden Exhibit, Design Exchange, Toronto
1996	Artist's Studio in the Forest, Faculty of Architecture, U of T, Toronto
1989	World Festival of Slovak Youth, Semmering, Austria
1986	World Festival of Slovak Youth, Mount Pocono, Pennsylvania

Reviews

July/Aug 2004	7th Best of Canada Annual Design Competition, Canadian Interiors
May 15, 2004	Cabins in the Buff, Post Décor Section, National Post

Awards

July 2004	Best Product Design for Eunsink, 7th Best of Canada Annual Design Competition, Canadian Interiors
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Professional Experience

2007-present	Furniture designer and maker, LUBO
2000-2006	Furniture designer and maker/ Architectural designer, Brezina Designs - various commissioned pieces and residential interiors in the Toronto area

Design Philosophy

Lubo's philosophy is to convey a sense of structure, detail of joinery, an essence of material, and a simple aesthetic that deals with proportion and mass. His interest is in conveying a sensitivity to wood and its applications. There is an intrinsic belief in craftsmanship: that the quality of work will speak for itself.