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**S**TUDIOFORMA IS A PREMIUM architecture and design company with representative offices in Zurich, Paris and Hamburg. Specialised in developing and implementing high-end solutions in architecture and interior design, the company is responsible for projects in some of the most prestigious residential areas.

The showrooms of Italian luxury fashion designer brands such as Bottega Veneta, Salvatore Ferragamo and Prada are splendidly styled and were the main source of inspiration for a complete makeover of this apartment located on Lake Zurich.

The client's first wish was to replace only the old sofa in his reception room but he then quickly decided on a complete change of the interior. Customised finishes and furnishing

were Studioforma's award-winning solution in order to reenergise the atmosphere and underline his affection for Italian design aesthetics.

More than 600m<sup>2</sup> of superb dark rosewood panels the wall of the 250m<sup>2</sup> apartment. The 300 year-old rosewood has been polished seven times and coated with a vintage car finish technique by an Italian old-timer restoration workshop. This treatment gives the noble old rosewood a high-grade finish and a three-dimensional depth. Another request from the client called for a room divider, also made of rosewood, leading from entrance area to living room area. To pay tribute to his passion for flying, the partition was designed with movable slats reminiscent of aircraft wings.

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