



Global Interior Solutions



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An aerial photograph of a large industrial facility. In the foreground, a vast, sandy area with tire tracks leads to a paved parking lot. Several cars are parked along the side of a large, light-colored industrial building with a grey roof. To the left, a curved road with a guardrail separates the parking area from a larger, open lot. In the background, more industrial buildings and a blue-roofed structure are visible under a clear sky.

Our company

‘Innovation
not limitation’





The company, originally an Italian family enterprise, was acquired in 1996 by the world's largest interior contractor, DEPA United Group, which operates through an integrated network of subsidiaries, affiliates and representative offices located in the UAE, Saudi Arabia, Qatar, Egypt, Jordan, Morocco, Libya, India, Malaysia, Thailand, China and Singapore. Pino Meroni Yacht Interiors specialises in the fit-out of luxury yachts.

Using distinguished interior manufacturing techniques based on Italian tradition, Pino Meroni Yacht Interiors provide a total turn-key solution delivered by highly qualified individuals using cutting edge technology. It's aim is to build a number of great yachts, not simply a great number of yachts. We stand for innovation and not imitation.

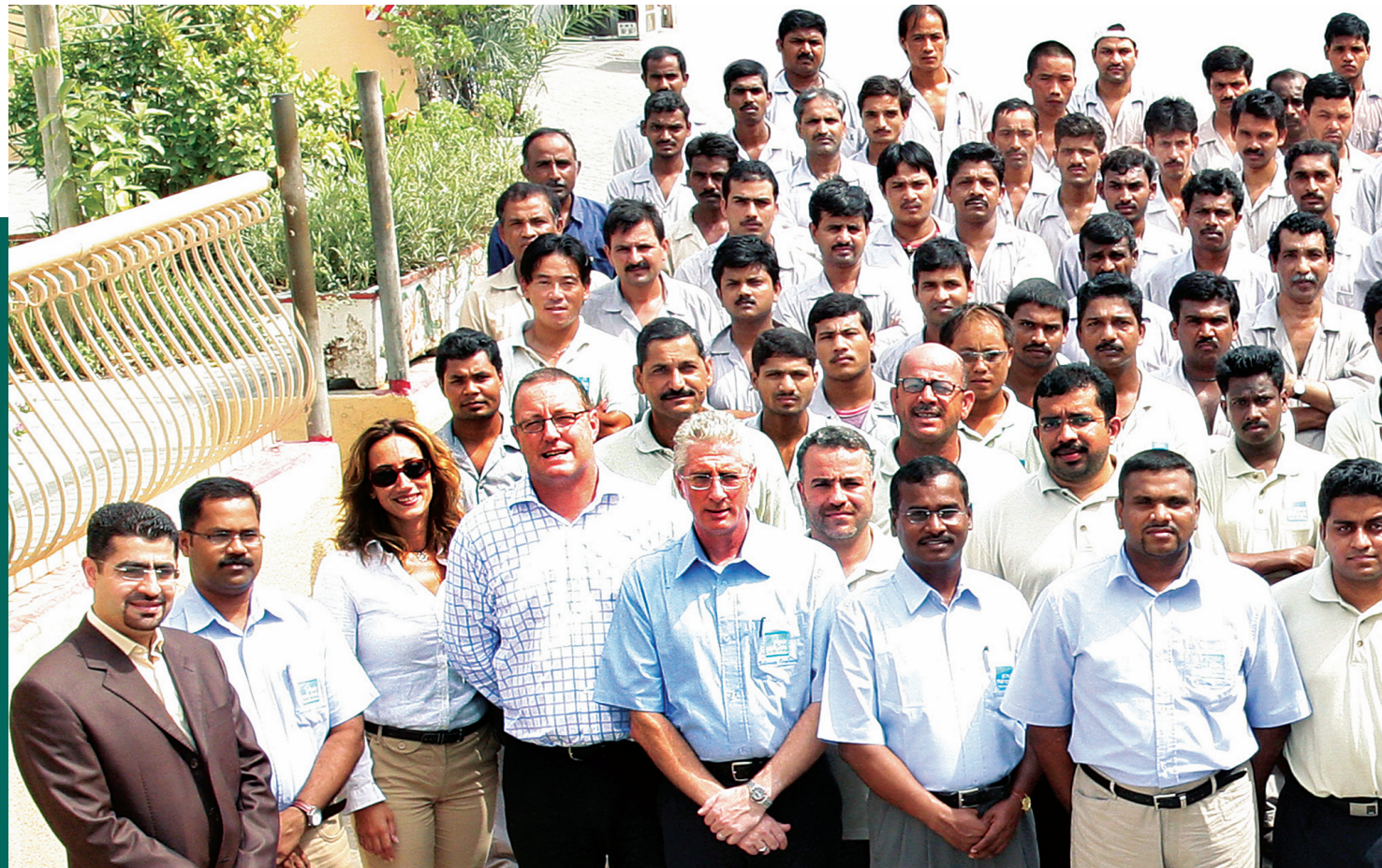
At Pino Meroni Yacht Interiors meticulous craftsmanship meets superlative design. More than 350 artisans from around the world apply their craft to create the ultimate in yacht interiors. An ISO 9000-2001 certified company, we guarantee a quality product that will stand the test of time.



Our mission

'Delivering a lifestyle, not just a product'

To be the world's premiere interior contracting brand by providing unparalleled quality, services and management while utilising our global resources and systems, caring for the environment and enabling our employees to deliver uncompromising excellence to our clients and shareholders.



Our values



- Develop and maintain strong, trusting relationships with our clients, suppliers and employees
- Successfully manage growth and guide operations with a strong central support team
- Constantly pursue customer satisfaction
- Offer the best working environment for our employees, allowing for creativity and individuality
- Invest in our employees, through ongoing development and training programmes
- Educate our employees on the business and encourage personal and professional growth within the company
- Uphold the time-tested values of honesty, trust and personal integrity

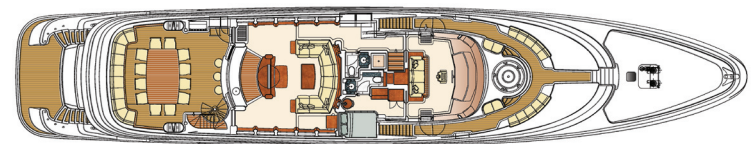
Our services



‘Sharing a
passion for
excellence’



Your experience with Pino Meroni Yacht Interiors goes much further than just creating a unique ‘masterpiece’. Our team shares your passion for new experiences and your desire for freedom. Most importantly, we share your vision for excellence, and have the resources and tools to achieve it.



Fit-Out

We offer custom interior fit-outs for yachts of all sizes – including finishes for walls, floors and ceilings.

Joinery & Upholstery

We produce customised marine furniture – created by highly skilled craftsmen using traditional techniques and state-of-the-art machinery.

Refurbishment

We will undertake full scale or soft refurbishments, or standard upgrades, ensuring you are totally satisfied at every stage.

Interior Design & Engineering

Our engineers and technical team ensure that the designers receive all the support they need to create a client masterpiece. They convert the design concepts into working drawings and computer models that are then cut, hand finished and fitted.

Installation

Our team of experts can be engaged to complement a yard's in-house expertise or provide a complete interior fit-out and furniture installation on board yachts anywhere in the world.

Our facilities

Pino Meroni Yacht Interior's 12,000 sq m production and administration facility at Jebel Ali's Dubai Investment Park offers clients the unique ability to 'preview' interiors before it is actually installed on the yacht.

Key facilities include:



Joinery and Cabinetry Workshop (4,664 sqm) – comprising state-of-the-art equipment, including CNC machine centres and a leading edge vacuum panel processing plant.



Upholstery Workshop (145 sqm) - featuring hard and soft furnishing equipment capable of producing everything from leather goods to the finest silk upholstery.

To give clients the opportunity to try out each design element, make adjustments where necessary and reduce the project's overall delivery time, full sized mock-ups of cabins or full decks can be precisely assembled.

More than 350 craftsmen utilise a combination of traditional hand skills and the latest machine technology to help realise your dream.

They work alongside engineers and design coordinators to create the ultimate in yacht interiors.

Located in the heart of Dubai, one of the Middle East's most exciting cities, the facilities feature expansive workshop and storage areas and state-of-the-art technology.



Paint and Polish Area
(1,021 sqm) – a fully filtered air controlled environment with water veil paint booths able to achieve high quality, specialised paint finishes.



Exclusive Workshop Area
(208 sqm) – an area dedicated to detailed carving, intricate marquetry inlays, gold and silver leafing and many other specialist custom finishes.



Assembly/Mock-up Area
(3,406 sqm) – an expansive area allowing full size cabins and decks to be built (for vessels up to 100m), allowing clients to monitor production and make changes as work proceeds.



Storage/Warehouse
(1,356 sqm) - a series of climate controlled, independent storage areas for raw materials and finished goods.

‘Watch your dreams come true’

Our technology



‘Functionality with style’

As the design and style of yachts evolve, so does the technology used in their construction. The tools used for creating these masterpieces are as sophisticated as they are modern.

Today's super yacht interiors require lightweight furniture and composite panels, using advanced construction techniques. They need to be as functional as they are luxurious. From the technical drawings, project planning and production through to the manufacturing and fit out on board, everything must conform.



Our experienced team combines old fashioned creativity with enhanced computer technology to ensure all projects are not only delivered on time, but have that extra flair and attention to detail that has made Pino Meroni Yacht Interiors a leader in its field.



Key features of our technology include:

- state-of-the-art production machinery
- tailor made production and project management software
- appreciation and engineering flexibility for each client
- specialised coatings and approved fire retardant finishes
- capability of lightweight composite interiors
- accurate detailed designs with acoustic engineered components
- compliance with SOLAS, RINA or MCA regulations, as well as working to classification codes
- knowledge and ability to integrate the latest audio-visual, ventilation, air-conditioning appliances and electronics into the interiors

Our team

'Committed
and passionate



JASON JOHN
General Manager

Advanced City & Guilds UK.
(1989) – Carpentry & Joinery City & Guilds UK.
(1987-88) – Carpentry & Joinery

Jason completed his City & Guilds apprenticeship and advanced course in Carpentry and Joinery in the UK, whilst working for CIL shop fitters in London. During his 12 years service, Jason moved quickly from bench joiner to site fitter to Foreman working on world wide projects, in countries such as Russia, China, Canada and the Middle East. In 1999, Jason joined Depa Interiors Dubai (then named Arabtec Hotel Interiors) as a package manager working on the very prestigious Burj Al Arab interior fitout. In 2000 Jason was seconded by Pino Meroni Yacht Interiors, where he joined as project manager in managing their yacht interior division where he has played a key role in the success of its overall growth. In 2005, Jason became promoted to his current position of General Manager.



MOHANNAD IZZAT SWEID
CEO and Director, DEPA United Group

Mohannad Sweid is Depa's Chief Executive Officer and co-founder. In 2006, Mr Sweid spearheaded Depa's expansion to several countries and oversaw the acquisition of leading companies in the fields of interior contracting and furniture manufacturing. His vision and leadership has helped cement Depa's position as one of the largest interior contracting companies globally. With more than 25 years of experience in managing top consulting and architectural companies in the Middle East and the USA. Prior to founding the Group, Mohannad has served as the Managing Partner at Rochan Fine Arts in Saudi Arabia and prior to that he worked for Vesti Corporation in Boston, USA where he held the position of Vice President for Middle East Operations. Mohannad studied architecture and design at the Boston Architectural Centre.

Our group



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Depa United Group is the world's largest interior contractor. It operates principally in the luxury fit-out sector with a focus primarily on the hospitality, commercial and residential property developments as well as airport, retail, yacht, theming and specialist fit-out sectors.

The company became incorporated as a company limited by shares in the DIFC, Dubai International Stock Exchange, and in London Stock Exchange in 25 February 2008. The Group was established in 1996 by Mr. Mohannad Sweid, current CEO, and certain other individuals. In 1998, the Group's operations were significantly expanded with the acquisition of an Italian based interior contractor, Pino Meroni Yacht Interiors, and the relocation of its headquarters to Dubai. Through a combination of various subsidiaries, joint ventures and acquisitions across a number of countries and market segments within the interior contracting industry, and with approximately 8,000 employees worldwide, Depa has grown to become a leading provider of interior contracting services as well as a provider of manufacturing products and procurement services in the Middle East-North Africa region and Asia.

Our group

Subsidiary Companies



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Deco, based in Dubai since 1976, is a one-stop service company for shop-fitting, office fit-out, space planning and refurbishment works. International brands such as Burberry, Louis Vuitton, Marks and Spencer, Dior, Lacoste and Fendi are amongst its references.



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Eldiar, established in 1989 in Abu Dhabi is a leading name in carpentry and joinery in the UAE, with skilled workforce of over 550 employees.



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Depa Albarakah was established in 2006 in Dubai and is specialised in gypsum products and false ceiling contracting works including partitions, ceilings, plaster boards, tiles and GRG.



DRAGONI was established in Dubai in 2002 and specialises in furniture manufacturing for commercial as well as special customised orders. Dragoni caters for the local and the international markets.

Joint ventures



Mivan Depa JV with Depa was established in 2005. Mivan Depa provides an innovative response to engineering challenges for themed interiors and theme parks.



DDS Asia Holdings Pte Ltd JV with Depa was established in 2008. DDS is headquartered in Singapore and is a leading premier furniture manufacturer, product and interior fitting-out specialist for hospitality and commercial projects.



Linder Depa Interiors JV was established in 2007. Headquartered in Germany, the company is a leading interior fit-out contractor for airports, hospitals, clean-rooms and commercial buildings.

Associate Companies



Design Studio is listed on the Singapore Stock Exchange Board. They are specialists in producing premium paneling and thermoformed products of unrivalled quality and workmanship.



Royal Thai Thailand Carpet Manufacturing PLC was established in 1967. The company is listed on the Thailand Stock Exchange. It is a world leader in the production of handmade carpets, rugs and fine woven Axminsters.



Established in 1975 in Jordan JWICO is listed on the Amman Stock Exchange. The company specialises in supplying and providing solutions for all wooden furniture to customers in Jordan and other neighbouring countries.



Decolight Trading Co. LLC is based in the UAE, having been established since 1996. The company is a prominent supplier of lighting fixtures in the region and offers customers innovative lighting solutions with a high level of service and efficiency.

Our reference list

Year	Qty	Name	LOA	Designer	Ship Yard	Scope of Work
2001		M.Y. Silver Swan	50m	Euro Med Marine	Al Jaddaf Shipyard	Complete Interior
2001		M.Y. Argusea	36m	Evan K Marshall	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
2003		M.Y. Millennium One	36m	Evan K Marshall	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
2003	9	Majesty 66	20m	Gulf Craft Inc.	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
2003	3	Majesty 75	23m	Gulf Craft Inc.	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
2003		M.Y. Naif Millennium	36m	Evan K Marshall	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
2003		M.Y. Mashallah	40m	Pino Meroni Yacht Interiors	First Group Trading	Refit Owner's/Guest's Area
2003		M.Y. Zoom Zoom	49m	Evan K Marshall	Trinity Yachts	Interior Joinery
2005		Project Amels	58m	Andrew Winch	Amels Holland	Interior Joinery
2005		M.Y. Maratani X	45m	Evan K Marshall	Sensation Yachts Ltd	Interior Joinery
2006	3	Majesty 66	20m	Gulf Craft Inc.	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
2006		M.Y. DeLisle III	39m	Sam Sorgiovanni	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
2006	2	Majesty 75	23m	Gulf Craft Inc.	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
2006		Broward 601	37m	Evan K Marshal	Broward Marine	Interior Joinery
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2007		M.Y. Melanya	36m	Gulf Craft Inc.	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior



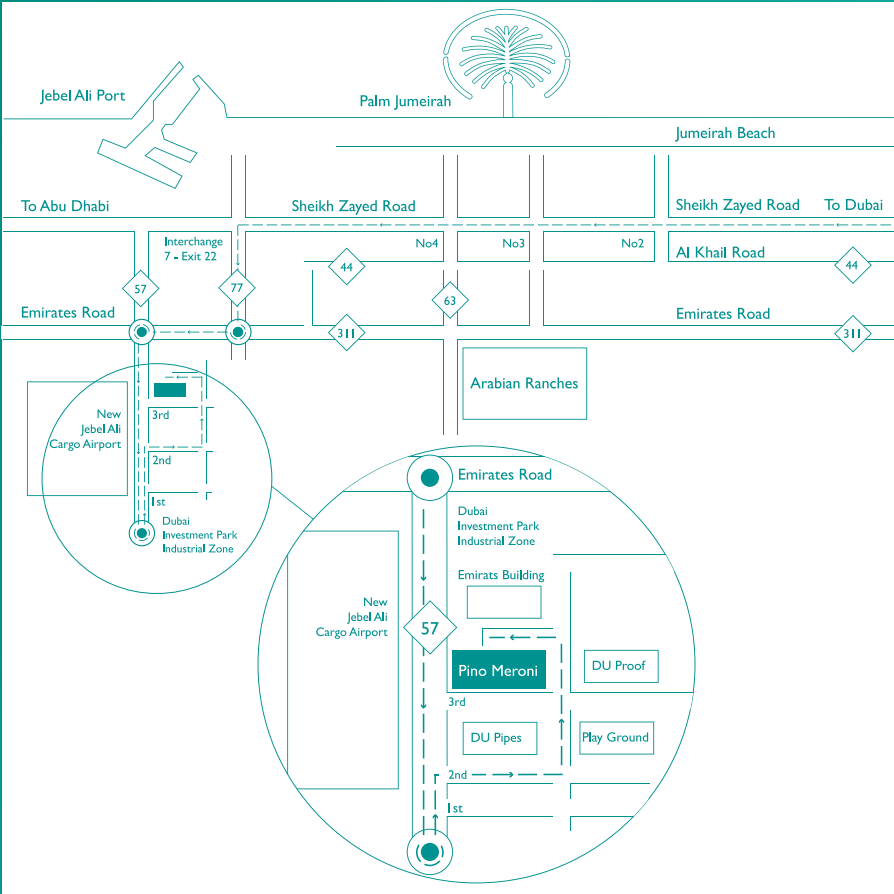
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2007	2	Majesty 75	23m	Gulf Craft Inc.	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
2007	3	Majesty 66	20m	Gulf Craft Inc.	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
2007	3	Majesty 88	24m	CBD Design	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
2007		Riviera 53	16m	Riviera Boat Industrial Investment Company	Riviera Boat Industrial Investment Company	Complete Interior
2007		M.Y Rashed I	36m	CBD Design	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
2008		Majesty 66	20m	Gulf Craft Inc.	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
Ongoing Projects						
Year	Qty	Name	LOA	Designer	Ship Yard	Scope of Work
		M.Y Ocean One	58m	Kevin Freivokh Design	Oceandro Large Yacht Builders	Complete Interior
	3	Majesty121	37m	CBD Design	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
		Palm Cruiser 54	16m	Palm Marine FZCO	Palm Marine FZCO	Complete Interior
	2	Majesty 88	24m	Gulf Craft Inc.	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
		Wooden Boat	50m	Owner	Al Jaddaf Shipyard	Parts of Owner's/Guest Areas
	8	Majesty 66	20m	Gulf Craft Inc	Gulf Craft Inc.	Complete Interior
		Project 13651	75m	Pauline Nunns	Fr. Lürssen Werft-Kroger	Part of the the Guest Area
		Swift 141	141m	Jacques Perrejean	Logistics International	Complete Interior for Crew & Entertainment Areas

Our commitment

The dedicated team at Pino Meroni is committed to delivering excellence in everything we do. This stems from the ground up – from the people on our factory floor, to our suppliers, our management and our CEO.

On all of our projects we develop a strong connection with our clients, working with them to create a masterpiece – one which will stand the test of time.

Our location





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