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## CARLO MOLLINO

### Gaudi chair

Ambrogio Allemandi, Pinerolo for Galleria Colombari | Italy, 1949/1994 | maple, brass  
31¼ h × 27 w × 21 d in (79 × 69 × 53 cm)

This form was designed for the Orengo House, which was Mollino's last major interior design commission. The chair takes its inspiration from the architect Antonio Gaudi. Galleria Colombari produced nine numbered examples of this design in 1994. Impressed number to underside of seat: [AAM TO. Italy 02/9].

**Provenance:** Rossella Colombari, Milano

**Exhibited:** Annicinquanta: La Nascita della Creativita Italiana, 2005, Milan

**Literature:** Carlo Mollino: Architecture as Autobiography, Brino, pg. 124 Annicinquanta: La Nascita della Creativita Italiana, Rumi, pg. 150

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