



**Applied** knowledge



Architects tell us they feel a certain assurance when specifying Mosa. This is because of Mosa's vast experience in both tile technology and innovation, as well as real-world experience with world-class projects in education from childhood learning environments to elite universities with complex facilities planning needs. Crafted to hold up to various conditions such as high traffic and chair drag and made with superior slip resistance that performs in pools and food service areas, Mosa technology creates enduring beauty.

# **Sustainable** design





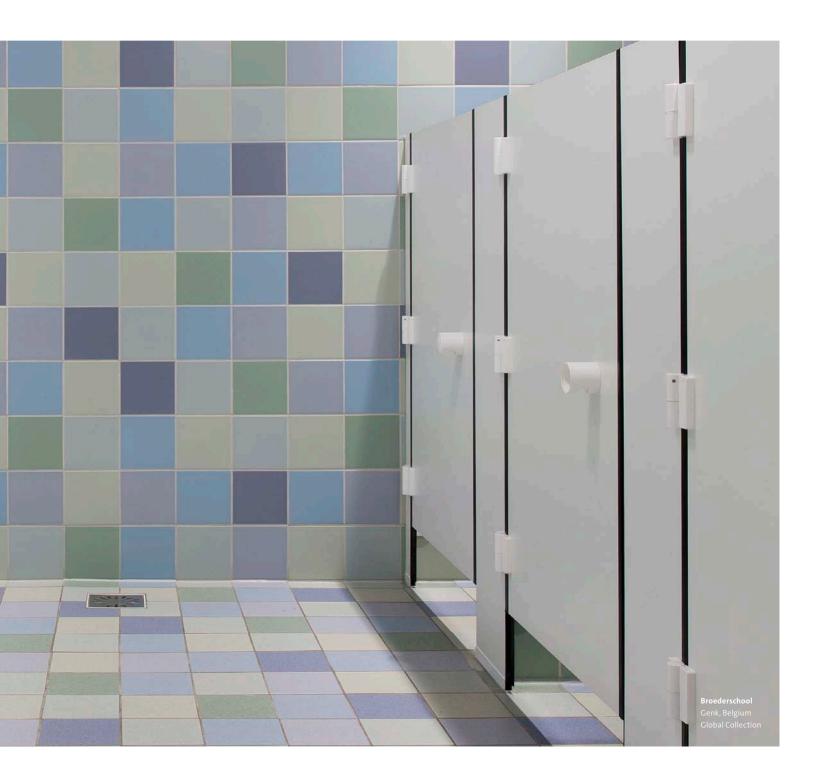






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Mosa makes the world's first and only Cradle to Cradle Certified Gold-certified porcelain tile, adhering to elevated standards of sustainability. These porcelains embody all of the TCNA-cited health, safety and environmental benefits, and may also qualify your project for LEED points, making Mosa a perfect choice for education projects. Cradle to Cradle Certified is a certification mark licensed exclusively for the Cradle to Cradle Products Innovation Institute.



# **Enduring**

Mosa offers measurable performance standards that provide extra insurance to specifiers and their education clients. Mosa has applied state-of-the-art technology to develop a range of porcelain tile that exceeds the minimums for wear-resistance for lasting beauty. Mosa products also exceed industry standards for surface integrity, slip-resistance, bond strength and breaking strength.

**Gonzaga University Student Union** Spokane, WA



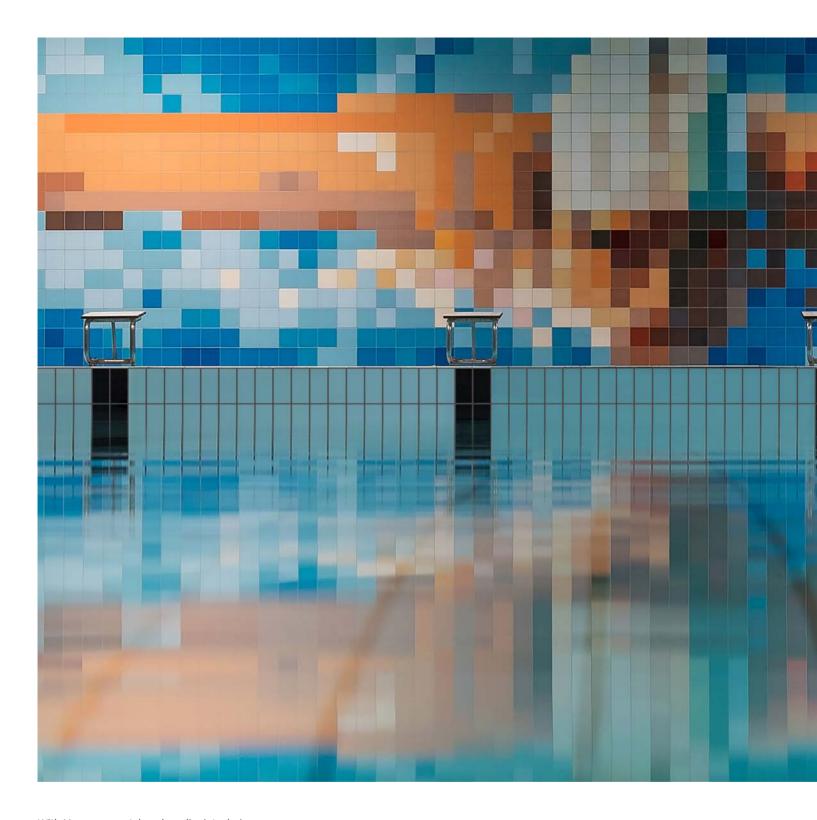




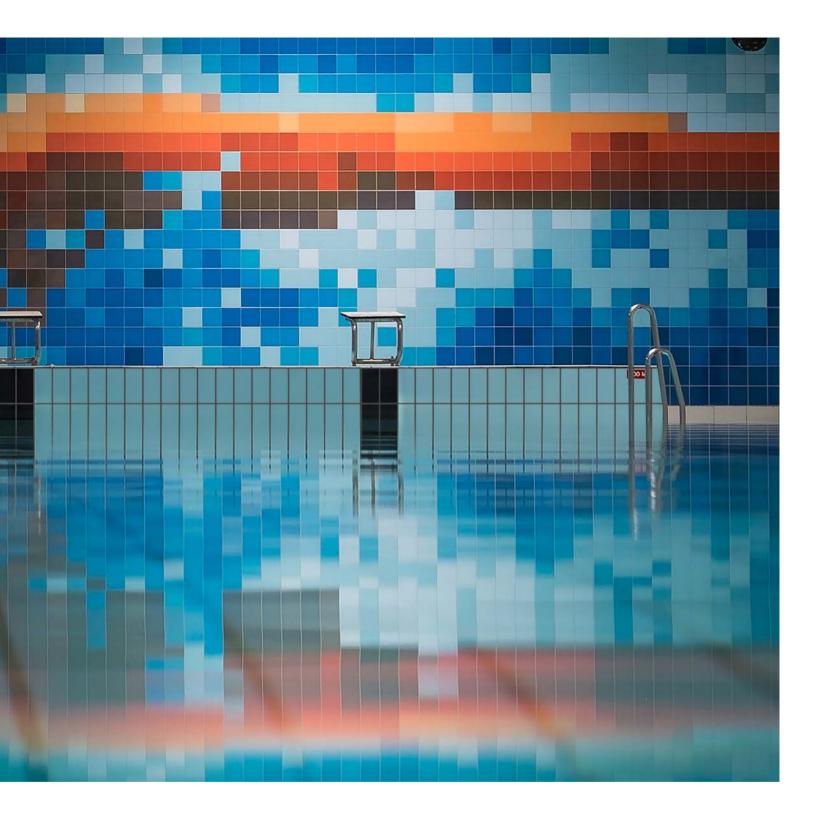


# **Sports** facilities

Mosa tile was made to work beautifully and safely in even the most demanding and complex pool, locker and training facilities. Thoughtful extras such as Mosa's anti-slip textured finish option and trim items including bullnose, cove molding and glazed edge tile provide a beautifully tailored effect.



With Mosa, you can take a deep dive into design while using materials that hold up in wet environments. With hundreds of colors and myriad sizes in wall tile, and Mosa's online pattern generator, the design possibilities are endless.





MIT Cambridge, MA Core Collection Terra 206V

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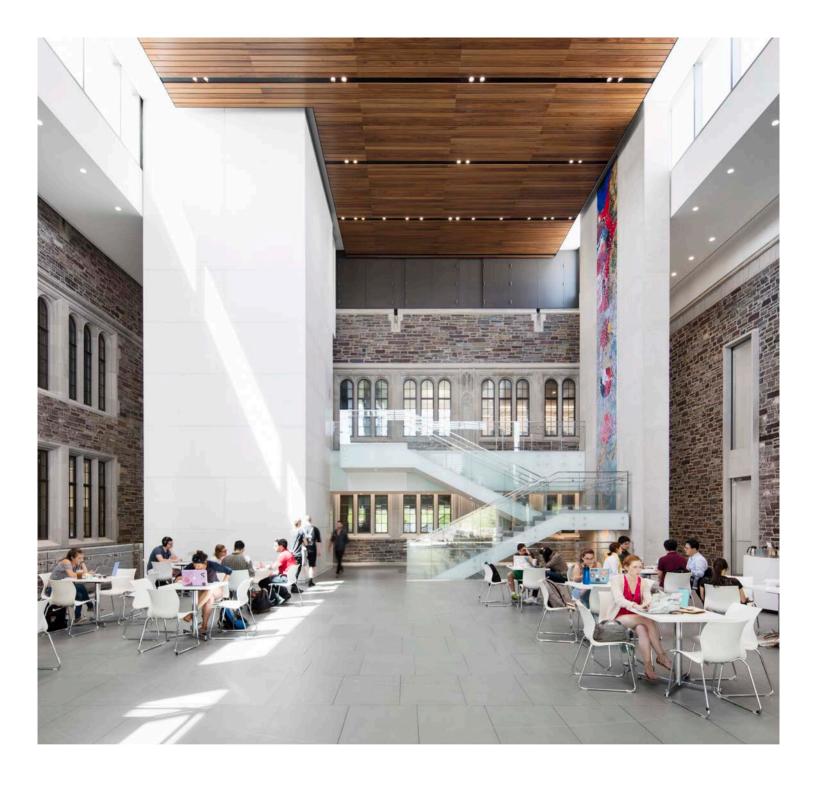
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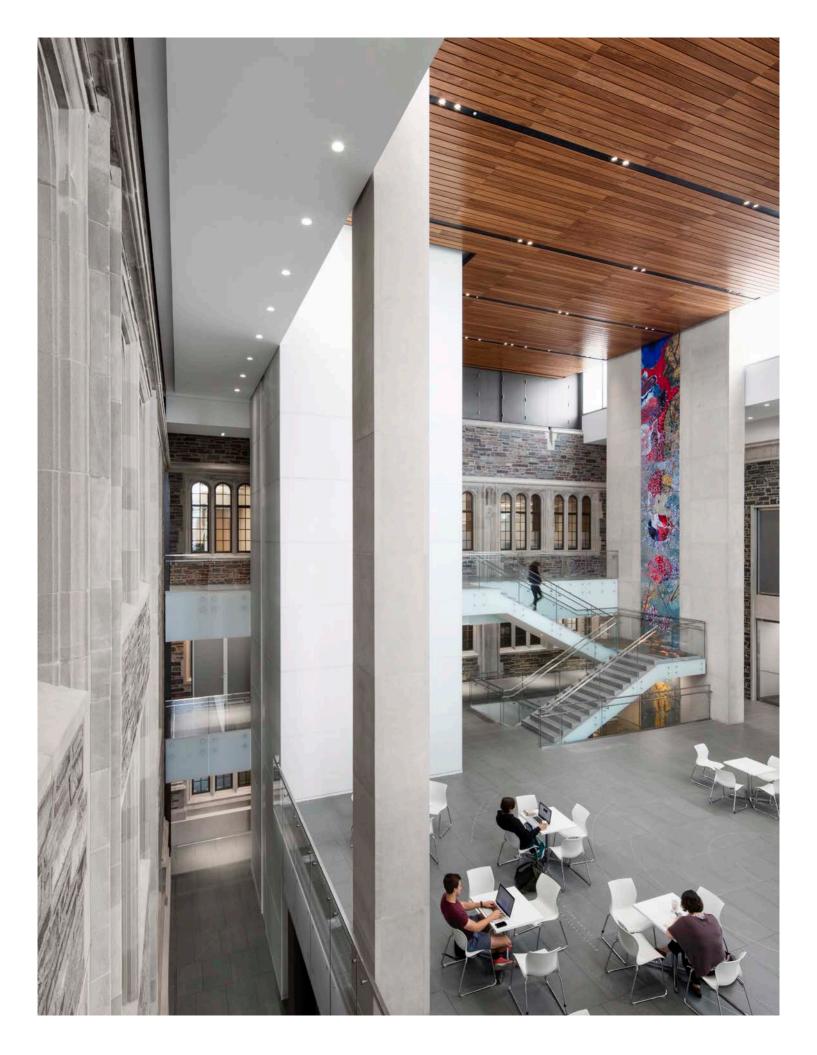
In America and globally, leading architects and designers count on Mosa for important installations in the education sector, such as these at M.I.T. and Northwestern University, and others at Harvard, Yale and Princeton. The echelon of the projects in which Mosa is a key component is high because the innovation, design integrity and beauty of Mosa tile solves so many key concerns for specifiers. Beyond that, Mosa's deep commitment to service, including stocking tiles in a U.S. warehouse for impeccable on-time deliveries, technical support and superlative project management make it a trusted resource. For highlights of our notable education projects, please see the back cover of this brochure.







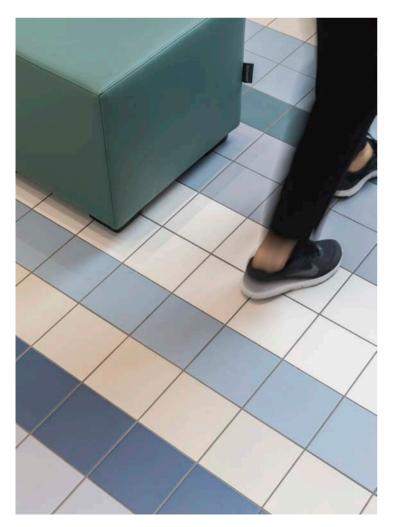




# By the **numbers**

Mosa exceeds industry standards, ensuring your project endures beautifully.







**Heilige Familie Schaarbeek, Primary School** Schaarbeek, Belgium Global Collection 75030V / 75050V / 75100V

# Slip resistance

# Safety

According to the National Safety Council (NSC), over 9 million disabling slip-and-fall injuries occur every year in the USA alone. The annual direct cost of disabling occupational injuries due to slips, trips and falls is estimated to exceed \$11 billion. When it comes to flooring, the type of mishap of greatest concern slipping, tripping and falls on the same level, rather than falls from one level to another. Mosa saves your client from worry.

With the application of Mosa's state-of-the-art technologies in porcelain tile manufacturing, tile is available to architects that exceeds the minimums for slip resistance, offering even more assurance against costly accidents.

Industry standard: .42 DCOF Mosa standard: .70 DCOF





Campus US University Linköping Linköping, Sweden Core Collection Terra 216V

# **Breaking strength**

#### **Maintenance concerns**

Foot traffic in many areas is not the only concern. Consider how maintenance will be performed in multi-level or high-ceilinged areas, for tasks such as window washing which often can involve heavy equipment or even vehicular traffic. Mosa's superior strength makes maintenance concerns practically vanish.

Industry standard: 250 lbs

Mosa standard: Thickness ≤ 0.4" > 400 lbs

Thickness > 0.4" > 700 lbs

# **Face dimension**

# **Horizontal Safety and Integrity**

Dimensional consistency is key on floors for safety reasons, and lack of integrity here can be a gateway to more serious product failures down the road.

# **Vertical beauty**

Shadows and lippage on walls impact the beauty of important designs. The nature of porcelain is that some warping is inevitable, but Mosa's exacting quality control allows for less warping in rectified porcelain than the industry standard.

Industry standard: (Face dimension; rectified): +/- 0.03"

Mosa standard: (Face dimension; rectified): +/- 0.012"

Industry standard: (Warpage; rectified): +/- 0.07" Mosa standard: (Warpage; rectified): +/- 0.06"

# Abrasion resistance

Flooring in education facilities must endure over time, often for decades. Sourcing porcelain that is wear-resistant is key to satisfying this requirement. Whether the concern is chair-drag, public high traffic areas or stair treads, using Mosa will mean a worry-free installation because Mosa allows far less depth of abrasion than the standard:

Industry standard: ≤ 175 mm³
Mosa standard: < 100 mm³

# **Service** and support

# **Dedicated people**

#### People make Mosa

This is clear from the smart design of our tiles and our services. Our employees and partners are active worldwide, in locations providing advice and in points of sale for a wide range of clients: designers, architects, commissioning parties, and consumers amongst others. They are all specialists who would be delighted to inform and advise you on the many possible uses of ceramic tiles in your project.

### **Customer Care and project advisers**

We set high standards for the advice and support provided to our clients. This means that we actively aim for dialogue and that we are interested in what interests you. This forms the basis for good cooperation. We are happy to contribute ideas and suggestions to make things as easy as possible for you. We are a partner, from the beginning to the end of the building process. Our Customer Care employees and your project adviser are always ready to assist you.

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# **Dedicated partners**

#### Mosa showrooms and distributors

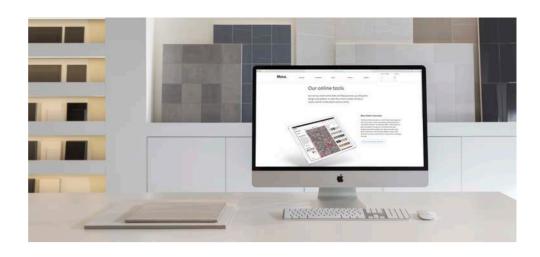
Mosa has its own showrooms in Maastricht, Amsterdam, Frankfurt, and London, especially for designers, architects, and commissioning parties. At these showrooms, you can see and touch the entire tile collection for walls, floors, facades, and terraces. To this end, you can also turn to our selected distributors worldwide. We are ready to assist you, offering personal advice on the application of our products and services. You can find a showroom or distributor near you via our website.

### **Network of dedicated partners**

Mosa has distribution centers in Europe and North America and supplies identical tile concepts worldwide. Thanks to a network of dedicated partners, our tiles can be purchased for spaces on various continents and also be delivered quickly. As all the logistical elements are closely linked with each other, your wishes form the central focus throughout the process.







# **Digital tools**

### **Pattern Generator**

The Pattern Generator allows you to create endless variations with patterns for walls and floors. Once you have chosen a pattern, the tool calculates the exact number of tiles required. It also automatically generates a working drawing with instructions for the tiler. The Pattern Generator allows a free choice from all possible formats, grids, textures, and colors that can then be exported to SketchUp, AutoCAD, Revit, and BIM. You can find the Pattern Generator on our website.

### Data selection tool

Mosa provides product information for 2D and 3D design software in a variety of formats. By means of wizard, we can help you quickly find the product information for your chosen product in the right format. This means that the information can be directly converted to DWG, IFC, JPEG, DXF, or PAT, and indirectly to RVT. The wizard allows you to download the desired information; you can then simply import it into your software package.

# Digital specification service

Mosa offers a local digital specification service for all products from the collection. This allows you to quickly find the full specification details for all series. The format and content of the descriptions vary per country. You can easily add the required description to your specifications.

# Always inspired

### Mosa Magazine

Via our online blog, Mosa Magazine, we inform you of developments in the field of ceramic tiles, construction, and architecture. Here you can find tips for the installation of ceramic tiles, our vision of sustainability, an explanation of the properties of ceramic, building regulations, and examples of the use of our tiles series in international projects, amongst other information.

### References and case studies

We like to inspire through our tiles. We are therefore constantly collecting examples of international projects in which our series have been incorporated. We regularly single out a reference as a case study. We enter into dialogue with the architect, designer, or user of a space regarding their reasons for choosing Mosa. These references and case studies can be found on our website.

# Social media

For inspiration, reference projects, news, and events, you can follow us via social media. You can find us on Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, Instagram, Pinterest, and various other channels. Choose your favourite channel and be kept updated on architecture and ceramic tiles.

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# Esteemed institutions

### Mosa USA's recent notable education projects include:

 ${\bf Ball\ State\ University-Applied\ Technology\ Building}$ 

Bank Street College of Education Canisius College – Science Hall Carnegie Mellon – Cohon Center

Champlain College

Colorado State University – Department of Chemistry Building

Duke University – Wannamaker House

Fairfield University Gateway Headstart

Gonzaga University – Student Union Harvard University – Bright Arena Harvard University – Innovation Lab Harvard University – LOEB Drama Center Harvard University – School of Engineering

Horace Mann Elementary School Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana

Massachusetts Institute of Technology – Building 52 Northwestern University – Kellogg School of Management

Ohio State University – Oxley Hall

**Princeton University** 

Ohio University – McCracken Hall

Rice University – Moody Center for the Arts Rutgers University – Life Sciences Center

Rutgers University – School of Nursing & Science Building Seton Hall – Richie Regan Athletic Center, Walsh Gym

Saint Vincent Martyr School St. Hilda's & St. Hugh's Lower School

St. John's University

State University of Syracuse – BAC Lab The Catholic University of America

The City University of New York – School of Public Health

University of Arizona
University of Central Florida
University of Connecticut
University of Georgia – Stadium SkyClub

University of Michigan – Ross Business School University of Nebraska – Baxter Hockey Arena

University of Nebraska – Brace Hall University of North Texas – Student Union

University of South Carolina – Darla Moore School of Business

University of Southern California – Fertitta Hall

University of Southern California – Social Sciences Building University of Texas – Health Science Center at San Antonio University of Washington Tacoma – Urban Solutions Center

Wright State University Xaverian High School

Yale University - School of Management

Yale University – Graduate Housing (Esplanade Apartments

Muncie, IN BSA Life Structures
New York, NY Perkins + Will
Buffalo, NY CannonDesign
Pittsburgh, PA CannonDesign

Burlington, VT Christine Burdick Design
Fort Collins, CO Hord Coplan Macht
Durham, NC Einhorn Yaffee Prescott
Fairfield, CT Newman Architects
Atlantic City, NJ City Invincible Architecture

Spokane, WA Obsis Architecture

Cambridge, MA Architectural Resources of Cambridge

Cambridge, MA Shepley Bulfinch

Cambridge, MA Bergmeyer Associates Inc. Boston, MA Behnisch Architekten

St. Paul, MN Miller Dunwiddie Architecture

Indianapolis, IN Schmidt Associates
Cambridge, MA Beyer Blinder Belle
Evanston, IL KPMB Architects
Columbus, OH KZF Design Inc.
Princeton, New Jersey KPMB Architects
Athens, OH Champlin Architecture
Houston, TX Michael Maltzan Architecture

New Brunswick, NJ CannonDesign New Brunswick, NJ Perkins Eastman

South Orange, NJ KSS Architects Solutions Architecture Corp.

Madison, NJ Studio 1200

New York, NY Murphy Burnham & Buttrick

Jamaica, NY Perkins + Will

Syracuse, NY SLAM Collaborative Boston
Washington, DC Cox Graae & Spack Architects

New York, NY Tuller McNealus Feld

Tucson, AZ STG Design

Orlando, FL Sixthriver Architects Storrs, CT **Newman Architects** Athens, GA Cooper Carry Inc. Kohn Pedersen Fox Ann Arbor, MI Lincoln, NE Perkins+Will Lincoln, NE Leo A. Daly Denton, TX Perkins+Will Columbia, SC Rafael Vinoly

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### Learn more

Our relationships with design professionals are the keys to these beautiful, enduring, important projects with our tile. Please let us know how we may be of service.

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