HEATED PHOSPHORESCENT SHEET LAMP

Jennifer Wright’s phosphorescent sheet, designed at Philadelphia University, challenges preconceived notions of what a lamp is. Completely flexible, it can be configured in various ways and even worn on the body. Heating coils cast into rubber intensify the glow of the phosphorescent pigment. The judges agreed that it was a creative concept. “Essentially, it’s a wearable lamp,” Abrams said. “And I think Urban Outfitters could sell a lot of these to 15-year-olds.”

Philadelphia University Industrial Design Junior Jennifer Wright wins prestigious international student design award.