



Experience the cultural and artistic motivation that influenced Poul Henningsen to create timeless luminaires in the AIA CES presentation, Light Years Ahead

## an invitation

You are invited to attend a luncheon featuring the AIA CES presentation, Light Years Ahead.



**Poul Henningsen** (1894-1967) was one of the great figures of Danish cultural life in the 20th century.

Henningsen was light years ahead of his time in the evolution of light fixtures. From the very outset, his work with lamps was guided by a desire to improve electric lighting. In that sense, his lamps can be regarded as practical answers to a series of significant theoretical questions concerning lighting. He was not just a light maker but also a revue author and a severe social critic.

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He was awarded a gold medal for his multi-shade designs at the International Exhibition of Applied Art in Paris. In 1925 Henningsen began his partnership with Louis Poulsen.

"The future is inevitable, progress is not." -Poul Henningsen

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