

# SIDE GALLERY

MARTIN EISLER (1913-1977) & CARLO HAUNER (1927-1997)



## Lounge chair

Manufactured by Forma Moveis  
Brasil, 1955  
Black painted metal, fabric upholstery

## Measurements

63 cm x 64 cm x 110h cm  
24,8 in x 25,2 in x 43,3h in

## Literature

Brazil Modern, the rediscovery of 20th  
century Brazilian furniture – Aric  
Chen, 2016

## Provenance

Private collection, Rio de Janeiro

## Biography

Beside Carlos Hauner, Martin Eisler (1913-1977) was the founder for the iconic Brazilian furniture company Forma. He was born in Vienna, Austria, and studied architecture in his country. In 1938 he moved to Buenos Aires. After meeting Carlos Hauner in Brazil, he started traveling there frequently to collaborate on designs and, they founded Forma to sell their own designs as well as pieces licensed from Knoll International. Eisler also opened Forma in Buenos Aires, along with partners Arnold Hakel and Susi Aczel, as an architectural, industrial and interior design firm also known as Interieur Forma.