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## Newhouse Footrest wins Silver Award at NeoCon 2013

*Ergonomic product recognized for its versatility in supporting sit-to-stand movement*

CHICAGO, IL - June 10, 2013 - JRB Studio, a Baker Manufacturing brand, today announced the Newhouse Footrest was selected for a Best of NeoCon Silver Award in the Office Accessories category.

Designed for JRB Studio by Tom Newhouse, of Thomas J. Newhouse Designs, this versatile one-piece footrest works equally well for both seated and standing working postures. Constructed from light-weight and durable molded plastic, this ergonomic enhancement requires just a simple spin to go from seated to standing use.

“Having the Newhouse Footrest selected for Best of NeoCon recognition validates the innovation of the ergonomic solutions we continue to bring to market and is a wonderful acknowledgement for the work of Tom Newhouse,” stated Charles E. Martin, CEO of Baker Manufacturing Company, Inc.

At NeoCon 2013, you can visit **Booth 7-6052**, to see the latest products, including the Newhouse Footrest, and speak with the design team of JRB Studio. Additional information is also available at [www.jrbstudio.com](http://www.jrbstudio.com). About JRB Studio ([www.jrbstudio.com](http://www.jrbstudio.com))

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### About JRB Studio ([jrbstudio.com](http://jrbstudio.com))

JRB Studio, a Baker Manufacturing brand, designs and manufactures the world’s leading and most innovative height-adjustable worksettings and related components. The company provides excellence in design, engineering, knowledge, dependability, and responsiveness, all yielding the finest ergonomic furniture products available today.

### About Thomas J. Newhouse Design ([www.thomasjnewhouse-design.com](http://www.thomasjnewhouse-design.com))

For more than 30 years, Tom Newhouse has been designing furniture, lighting, appliances, and other products as the owner/principal of an industrial design consulting firm located in western Michigan. Prior to 1978, he was a member of the corporate design staff of Herman Miller, Inc. He holds a degree in industrial design from the University of Michigan. He currently holds over 80 design and utility patents. Tom lectures to professional design societies and universities internationally on the topic of environmentally sustainable design and his “Four Corners” design philosophy.