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Deus Ex Machina's first custom scooter will have you on your bike

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A new direction for custom motorcycle builder Deus Ex Machina, this modified scooter – dubbed 'La Derny' – is a modern twist on the roadside-assistance Vespas used in bicycle races in Italy...

Out with the old







Taking Peugeot's retro-looking Django as a base, the folks at <u>Deus Ex Machina's Milan branch</u> wanted to create a bike that could carry a bicycle from the sister Deus Cycleworks department. They were inspired by old <u>Vespas</u> that had been modified to carry spare bicycle parts for roadside assistance during road races and, as such, gone is the Django's ungainly looking front end, replaced with a more traditional brushed aluminium fairing.



In fact, almost everything has been modified, from the new two-person saddle (and its custom-built mountings) to the more motorcycle-esque handlebar arrangement. Adding the finishing touches are the rear-mounted spare wheel, the 'Servizio Corse' stickers and, of course, the stylish Deus Cycleworks bicycle. 'La Derny' is currently for sale in Milan – we can't think of a better way of rocking up at the The Tweed Run in London this summer...

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