



WHEN IN BRAZIL, SHOP BRAZILIAN DESIGNERS

From bikini to havaianas, Brazil is famous for sexy summer fashion. Here are some of our favorite designers you shouldn't miss out on.

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With eighteen stores in Brazil and a worldwide distribution (including the Middle East) **Lenny Niemeyer** is indisputably the country's most famous swim-wear designer. Upon entering her universe you will discover that she is much more than just that. Pretty handbags, sandals and accessories complete her collection of bikinis, suits, silk and cotton shirt dresses and kaftans, brushed with colors and flora or landscapes for an entire summer holiday wardrobe.

Sylvia Furmanovich also finds in nature a great source of inspiration. Her jewelry is a mix of impeccable polished gold matched with ivory, coral, turquoise, woods or precious stones. Her bracelets and bangles are true showstoppers. To entice her Arab clientele she created an Egyptian collection.

Rio's society darling **Victor Dzenk** is known for flamboyant and colorful cocktail and eveningwear. Take home one of his animal printed or gold embellished kaftans for summer, complete with one of his scarves that are a must buy!

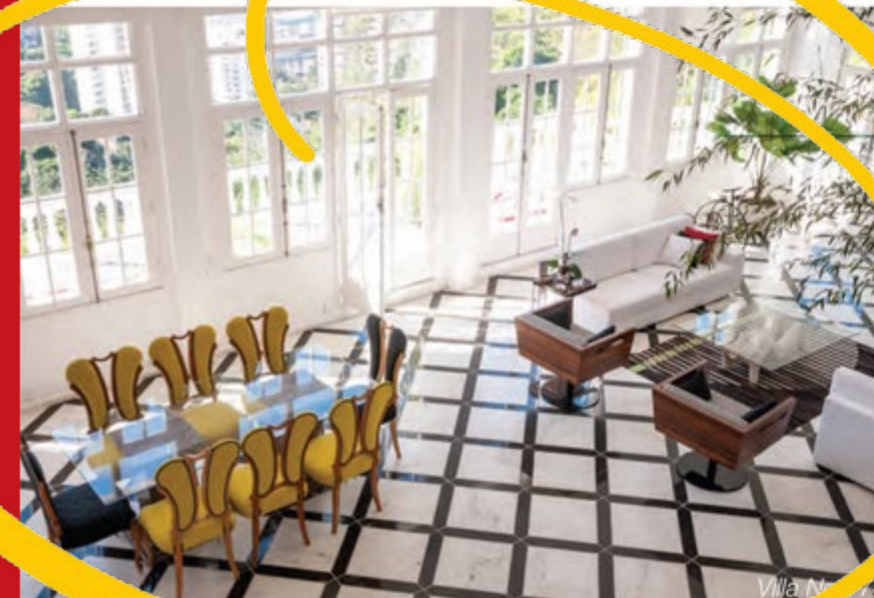
WHERE TO STAY

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Belmond Copacabana Palace:

Facing the ocean, this French architecture building on the famous Copacabana beach is the most iconic of luxury hotels in Rio. For the past 90 years, the rich and famous, including Madonna, Michael Jackson, Diana – Princess of Wales have stayed there. Two pools: one semi-olympic and another exclusive for VIP guests, tennis court, fitness center, spa, bars and two restaurants are part of the amenities. A curiosity? Next to the 200 rooms, the sixth floor has Penthouse suites, all with a terrace overlooking the beach.

www.belmond.com/copacabana-palace-rio-de-janeiro



H. Stern

Mara Hoffman
for
Havaianas

Lenny Niemeyer

Villa No. 174:

This is a boutique hotel combining luxury and artistic, picturesque, traditional accommodation. Founded by a Serbian fashion entrepreneur, the hotel is located at the Bohemian neighborhood of Santa Teresa. It seems like an old colorful mansion divided into studios decorated with the influence of Southeast Europe, mixed with other styles, in an old-modern way. The surprise factor? Every furniture piece in Villa N°174 was found in vintage markets and restored by local artisans.

www.villa174.com

A elegant place to dine?

The Rocky-Bar, at the Unique Hotel. Shaped like a giant boat, you'll be impressed by this hotel's architecture. If you take the lift to the top, you'll find an amazing terrace with lounges and a pool where you can have a cocktail (try Caipirinha!) and a good menu to enjoy traditional cuisine.

A fun place to dance Samba?

Rio Scenarium located in Lapa, another Bohemian neighborhood of Rio de Janeiro. This is one of the most famous places – a samba school – to go and try the carioca dance.

www.rioscenarium.com.br/novo