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Let Rio de Janeiro Inspire You!

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Regardless of your preferences, you will find it in Rio de Janeiro. Which also means you will find things you probably wouldn't have sought on your own. To me, that means one thing... inspiration.

COMFORT



I love comfort. Who doesn't? I think Brazilians, especially those from Rio de Janeiro, perfected comfort. An easy way to add Brazilian comfort flare to a normally stuffy life (not pointing any fingers, just making some generalizations)? Buy Havaianas! These are the flip-flops many Brazilians swear by. They are often imitated, but your feet know the difference! The best part? They're affordable. More expensive flip flops set you back quite a bit, but Havaianas are cheap enough you can get a pair for each bathing suit... or at this time of year... wool coat?

WELCOME TO TRAVEL FROM HOME!

Every Monday we travel to a new destination by using stories, videos and photos to guide the way. We'll learn a little about the culture, history, food and idiosyncrasies that make a place special. All from home! Please join the journey and the fun!

Oh, and I love and read all comments!

Upcoming destinations include: Brussels, Singapore, Normandy, Idaho, Cuba, Timbuktu

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STYLE



Meat Pie (Two Ways)



Rio de Janeiro has style and Rafael Simoes Miranda exemplifies. A design Renaissance Man. He works in more than one field, but there is one common thread - innovation. Check out [his website](#) to get a glimpse of his other projects.

{Photo Credit [Rafael Simoes Miranda](#)}

CONNECTION



The Campana Brothers have used the connection they have with their home country to create the Favela Chair (the top image). They continue to impress the design community with their originality. Check them out below and purchase their products at [Moss](#).

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