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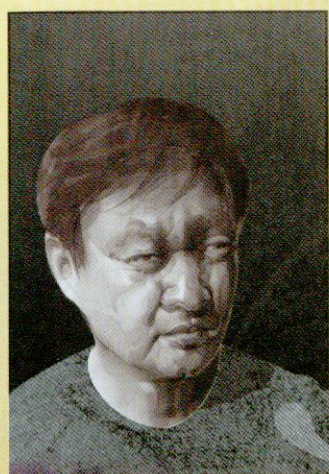




# Judges' Awards

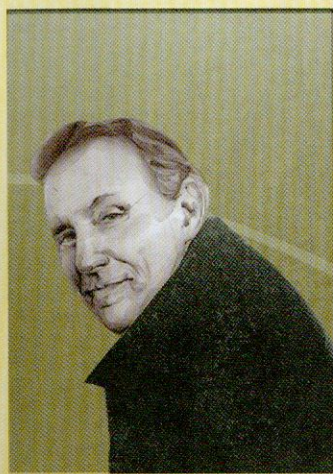
## 2007

The ultimate in global design, architecture and style, as selected by this year's élite panel of international judges. Here are 12 pages of what they loved more than anything else in the world...



**NAOTO FUKASAWA** DESIGNER

Renowned product designer who first shot to fame with his wall-mounted CD player for Muji



**IAN SCHRAGER** HOTELIER

Innovator who created the destination and boutique hotel concepts and remains a huge global influence



**RON ARAD** DESIGNER

Architect, furniture designer and international creative force, known for his experimental techniques



**VIKTOR & ROLF**  
FASHION DESIGNERS

Maverick duo famed for their sharp tailoring and pretty, witty dresses



**JANE BIRKIN** ACTRESS

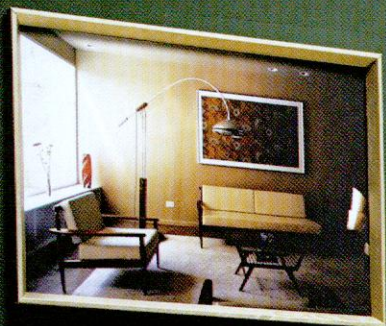
Style icon, now playing Electra at the Theatre des Amandiers in Paris and with a film, *Boxes*, due out this year



**MATTEO DI MONTEZEMOLO** MD

Managing director of Italian group Charme, the design industry's first multi-brand conglomerate







**Photographer Marcus Gaab**

Set design/production:  
Winnie Placzko at Agentur-e

For more pictures and details of  
all nominees for the Judges' Awards,  
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## **Best new hotel**

### **Home, Buenos Aires**

In Buenos Aires' hip Palermo Viejo neighbourhood, Home was designed by architects Rodrigo Cunill and Juana Grichener. The exterior may be austere, but the rest of the hotel is warm, light and airy thanks to a 300 sq m garden and a heated pool. All 17 rooms (above left) have their own distinct style with a retro theme, mixing vintage European wallpapers, Chilean rugs and custom-made watambu wood beds with CD and book libraries, MP3 players and Wi-Fi. Room rate: from \$115, [www.homebuenosaires.com](http://www.homebuenosaires.com)

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