

## At Design Miami, a Balenciaga-Stuffed Sofa and More Steal the Spotlight

Miami Art Week's linchpin design event is filled with no shortage of delights

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Yesterday, as many East Coasters continued to deal with bleak winter weather, [Design Miami](#) kicked off in the sunny art-focused city. Gallerists, editors, and more quickly flocked to the tent outside the [Miami Beach Convention Center](#) to drink in the week's linchpin design event. Inside the veritable cabinet of curiosities, a handful of booths and their accompanying works stood out. Below, AD PRO reports on the best of the best—from [Fendi's](#) dreamy Roman loggia to [Harry Nuriev's Balenciaga](#) clothing-filled sofa.



Monumental ceramic works by Roberto Lugo at Wexler Gallery.  
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### Roberto Lugo's Homage to Two Legends

[Wexler Gallery](#) debuts monumental ceramic works by artist [Roberto Lugo](#), whose unmistakable *Street Shrines*, which stand at around five feet tall, pay homage to music giants Notorious B.I.G. and Tupac Shakur. "The first time I sat down at the wheel I felt like I wasn't supposed to be there," explains the artist, who grew up in Philadelphia's Kensington neighborhood. "I want to make work that can engage with the community where I came from."