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## Check in: Estancia/Playa Vik

Jose Ignacio, Uruguay



With work by Uruguayan artists covering most of the interiors (literally), the [Estancia Vik](#) ranch, which sits on 4,000 sprawling acres, is the ultimate art hotel. The graffiti murals, oil paintings, friezes, sculptures and mixed-media installations are by the country's biggest art stars. Its new, more modernist sister property [Playa Vik](#), by Montevideo-born architect Carlos Ott (nearby, on a beach), follows the same design approach (this time bringing in some international talent): give artists free reign, so every square inch reads like an art installation you can sleep in.





