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Turkish design firm Autoban has been outfitting interiors for Istanbul's popular **House Cafe** chain for years; its latest iteration, inside the city's Istinye Park mall, is part city square, part living theater. The 200-seat space features neoclassical lattice-like structures for eat-and-be-seer dining, and—we're guessing here—the world's longest tufted-leather sofa. Alisveris Merkezi No. 510 Sariyer, Istanbul +90 212 345 62 02 [www.icehousecafe.com.tr](http://www.icehousecafe.com.tr)

Among the few who could pitch "hermaphrodite forks" to a tableware company carried at Bed Bath & Beyond and get away with it, Constantin and Laurena Boyr designed the **Hybrida** flatware collection for Gourmet Settings to mix and match with whatever else is in your kitchen drawers. The designers claim the knife is "masculine," the spoons are "feminine," and the forks are, well, a hybrid of the two; \$60 for a 20-piece set. [www.boyr.com](http://www.boyr.com)

Sacramento's **Ella Dining Room & Bar** sits two blocks away from the capital building, and its sophisticated interior—by the Dutch firm Uxus Design—would do the eco-friendly governor's office proud: 500 salvaged antique Hungarian shutters line the walls and ceiling, while the bar is outfitted with soapwood cocktail tables and reclaimed-wood stools. 1131 K Street, Sacramento (916) 443-3772 [www.elladiningroomandbar.com](http://www.elladiningroomandbar.com)

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