# THE JOSLYN



## AUBREY PLAZA

TAKES THE THRONE



## CREATIVE RETREAT

Art lovers visiting Houston's Menil Collection this fall will be in luck when the new Hotel Saint Augustine, in the city's lively Montrose neighborhood, opens just across the street. Designed by Lake Flato architects, the secluded offering has 71 rooms and suites furnished with a surrealist nod by the Post Company, a clubby restaurant and an intimate lobby bar, all done in creative partnership with Austin-based hoteliers Bunkhouse Group. *Rooms from* \$379: SaintAugustineHouston.com. — Sarah Medford

OBJECTOR DESIRE Fresh off the production of Donald .Judd's tableware, French brand Puiforcat has joined ceramicist Alev Ebüzziya Siesbye on Séléné: sublime silver "floating" bowls and vases. From \$2,340;

Puiforcat.com



#### **GREATER PLAINS**

RENOWNED ARCHITECTS SNØHETTA EXPAND OMAHA'S JOSLYN ART MUSEUM.

RAVITY-DEFYING swoops have become a signature of Snøhetta, the daring architects behind Oslo Opera House and Egypt's Bibliotheca Alexandrina. At the newly expanded Joslyn Art Museum in Omaha, Nebraska, reopening this fall, Snøhetta has instead gone low and wide, nearly doubling the Joslyn's existing gallery space with its sloping design for the Rhonda & Howard Hawks Pavilion. Inaugural exhibitions include a selection of works by Omaha native Ed Ruscha, part of a recent gift from the artist, and the first reinstallation of the museum's encyclopedic collections in its 93-year history. Joslyn.org. -S.M.

### HOOP DREAMS

WHAT'S NEWS

The classic gets a bold update. From left: Bottega Veneta, Panconesi, Oscar de la Renta, Loro Piana, Defaïence. For details see Sources, page 146.

