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# Wallpaper\* City Guide Oslo (Wallpaper City Guides)



## Synopsis

Wallpaper\* City Guides are a ruthlessly-researched, design-conscious guide, for the discerning traveller who wants to come away with a true taste of the best a city has to offer.

## Book Information

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Wallpaper\* City Guides are compiled by the magazine's travel experts, both by in-house editors, and correspondents who actually live in the highlighted cities, providing up-to-the-minute information.

I recently purchased two books from this series for a trip to Oslo and Stockholm. I did not find them useful at all and got alot more information from the City websites as well as the Tourist Information

booths when I arrived in each city. Even the maps included in the books were not helpful as they were too small. I was not familiar with this series when I purchased the books and could not open them to view them on the site - maybe that should have deterred me from purchasing them. I would not recommend these at all.

That book arrived in good quality. And I'm enjoying reading it. Thanks for that you have the book in stock.

I ordered this (and unfortunately a few other cities as well) thinking they would be little fit in your pocket type things that would contain helpful information on what to see in each city. What they are is just a heap of stupid artisty type photographs of the inside of hotel rooms, random people's flats, cafes, restaurants, shops, and other things you aren't going to be interested in seeing. There's even a page of a photograph of someone's CD and action figure collection in this Oslo one. Doesn't even have the outsides of any things you would actually go and look at and maybe photograph yourself when walking around Oslo. Nor an even half decent map, on the back cover there is a colour map of Oslo yet most of the street names are missing. So useless to find your hostel or whatever you're looking for. No information on how to get to the airports, especially the far away ones that Ryanair and the budget airlines use. A complete waste of money!

I picked up this little book because I found the larger, more comprehensive guide books overwhelming and very one-size-fits-all. If you want info on how to get to the airport or are just looking for a map of Oslo, this is not the guidebook for you. If you are interested in off-the-beaten-path shopping, beautifully designed hotels, and unique dining experiences, definitely get this book. I went to several restaurants recommended in it during my time in Oslo, and thought they were fantastic. Also enjoyed the shopping picks.

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