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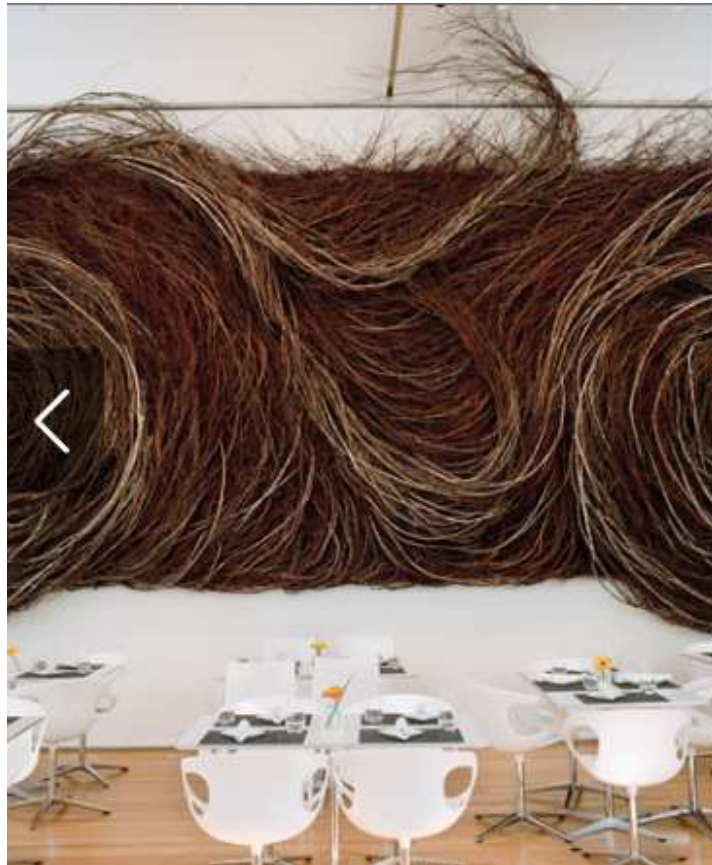
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*North Carolina's axis of cool.*



**North Carolina Museum of Art**

This museum reopened in April after a three-year expansion, unveiling a new, light-filled 127,000-square-foot building designed by Thomas Phifer. Thirty new Rodin sculptures dominate the sculpture gallery (modeled after one at the Canova Museum in Possagno, Italy). At Iris, the museum's surprisingly ambitious restaurant, the Fritz Hansen chairs swivel, the better to admire the local sculptor Patrick Dougherty's "Out of the Box," a hypnotic, 75-foot-long piece made out of red maple saplings. Free admission.

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