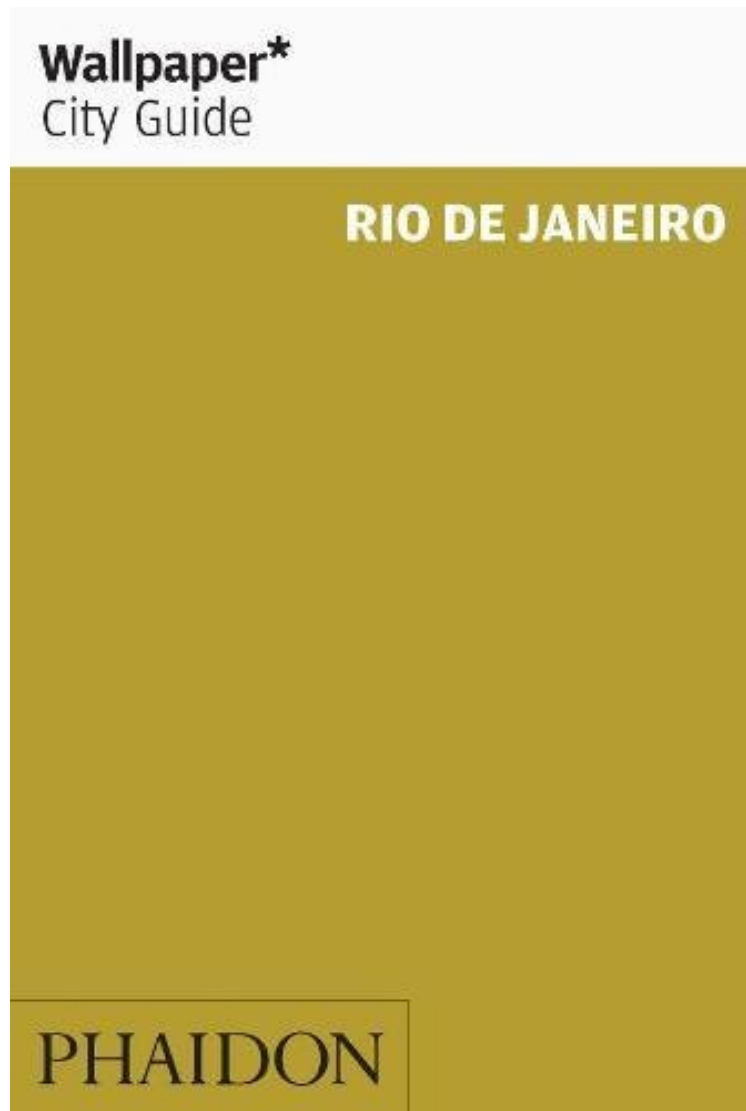


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food and drink mentioned with much gusto at Livreria da Traversa are no longer on offer; pictures of hip restaurants such as Gero are of other restaurants; references in the book to sites mentioned later (eg "Casas das Canoas") are nowhere to be found; stores such as Gabinete Duilio Sartori have closed. I could go on with more examples, but you get the picture. This guide may have been up to date when it was first published, but has not been updated since (despite saying it was 2013 edition). Absolutely disappointing and amateur effort. 2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. All the must-see places in Rio. By TN After traveling to Rio for 10 years and then living there from 2006-2007, I was amazed when I saw this guide. In a tiny book it contains all the must-see places in Rio. The hotel options are very high-end and so won't help the budget traveler, but if you want to know what sights to see this guide distills them down into only the most essential. I've reviewed the wallpaper guide for Buenos Aires as well and find the same to be true of it. 8 of 10 people found the following review helpful. not worth it. By J. Usdan just a bunch of pretty pictures with short descriptions. Maybe useful for a few restaurants to go to (like Garcia e Rodriguez for brunch). Other books are better.

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