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## Museum of Art and Design

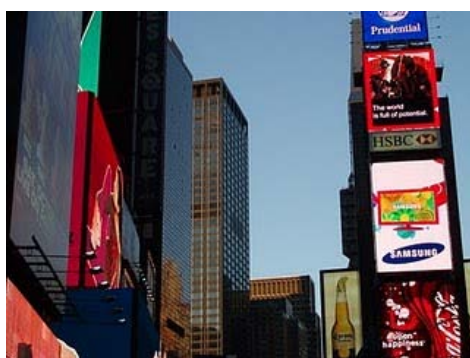
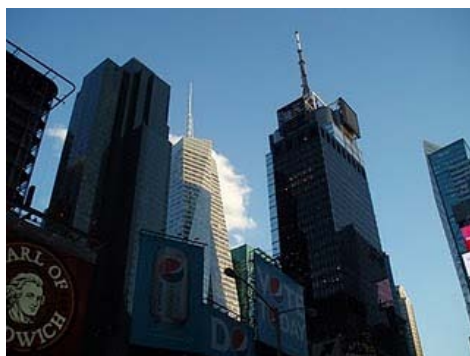
The glorious weather has returned and mighty pleased I am too!

So, on Thursday night me and Mr Copperwheat ended up getting a bit tipsy, listening to music and not going to bed till 2:30!! All unplanned, but great fun.

Much to my surprise I woke at 6am, feeling surprisingly ok and going for a half hour run! Running round the streets of Williamsburg, slightly hazy and listening to my ipod gave me a rejuvenated feeling. The past few days I'd been feeling a bit sad/anxious/mixed emotions about returning to the UK. Obviously I want to see my nearest and dearest, that means you Ben, friends and family, but I will be sad to leave. I feel very at home here and I'm enjoying city life far more than I thought I would. Still I know plenty of people out here, so that equals more trips over! Can't wait.

After my run I headed into Manhattan to [The Museum of Art and Design](#). A real mixture of work was to be seen.

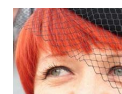
The current exhibition there is [Dead or Alive - Nature Becomes Art](#). Really great show, unfortunately no pictures were allowed but you can see plenty on the site, I've added 3 at the bottom of the post, just so you can see what kind of thing was there.



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The walk there.



The Museum of Arts and Design is one of the 12 Collaborative Cities. Designed by Michael Sorkin Architecture.  
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The museum itself! I didn't even realise it looked like that till I did a search. Everything's soooo big!



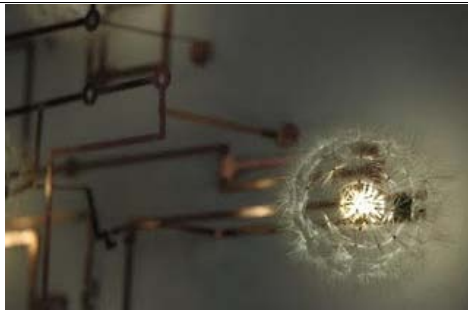




Some weird ceramic organ/face thing!!



Object made from a gazillion feathers!



Beautiful lighting system. The tiny seeds were placed into led lights.



As well as all of the above I met [Ruth Marshall](#), an Australian artist who has been living and working in New York for the past 17 years! She is part of the open studio's segment at the museum. I was able to chat to her about her work, knitted animal hides! Great work, lovely lady.



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