Inaugural Define: Seoul brings design, fine art to youthful Seoul neighborhood



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Under the theme of "A Look within Matter," participating galleries and brands have put forth their own interpretations of the fusion of art and design, with some efforts more successful than others.

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