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## CINEMA PARADISO

**A VISIT TO A CINEMA CHAIN** is rarely an aesthetically rewarding experience, but the arrival of a new Curzon branch in London's rapidly evolving Victoria area is set to change that. Its interior, by London designer Afroditi Krassa, eschews ugly carpets and anonymous furniture in favour of a marble bar - which doubles as the ticket office - on the ground floor and a mezzanine lounge where visitors can read books and magazines or browse an archive of free-to-watch films. The decor references Giò Ponti and Eileen Gray, featuring geometric floors and accents of blue and burgundy; screening-room extras include custom-made seats with ample leg room and drinks tables that have built-in wine buckets. In the front window, an old cinema curtain has been repurposed as a projection screen on which classic movies are shown. 58 Victoria Street, London SW1 ([curzoncinemas.com](http://curzoncinemas.com)).

