Spring 1981
By Alan Chung Hung, China/Canada

### **Robson Square, Howe**



Powder-coated steel
This large red steel coil

This large red steel coil appears to be holding up the upper level of Robson Square.

Primary #9 1981
By Michael Banwell, Canada

### **Robson Square, upper level**



Powder-coated steel

This sculpture is a playful exercise in form, space, colour and architecture.

# Symbols of the Cuneiforms 1960

By Patricia Thomas, Lionel Thomas and F. Lachnit. Canada

### **Burrard and Alberni**



Metal relief with Plexiglas inserts

This delicate relief was created for and remains at the site of the former Vancouver Public Library. The forms reference symbols from language and writing. 15

Offsite Rotates every six months
By Local and International Artists

### Shangri-La Hotel, 1100 West Georgia



Offsite is a permanent site for temporary artwork, funded by the City of Vancouver through an agreement with Westbank developers and the Shangri-La Hotel.

# Landscape: Possessing Numerous Peaks 2016

By Huang Zhiyang, China

### 1161 West Georgia



White marble

Eleven human-scale sculptural forms with textured undulating lines are scattered across the plaza. A two dimensional wall relief titled *Ripple* is situated on the east plaza wall.

OPTION: One block west on Georgia at Bute, southwest corner, see "Persian Wall" by Dale Chihuly.

Untitled 2008
By Al McWilliams, Canada

### 1205 West Hastings



Marble and gold-leafed aluminum

The artist's ambition to place a unique autonomous artwork into the chaos of downtown creates an anomalous and allusive object that exists on its own terms.

The City of Vancouver Public Art Program supports excellence in contemporary art in public spaces throughout the city. The program features emerging and established artists working in new and traditional media through stand-alone commissions and artist collaborations

Learn more about these and other artworks in the Public Art Registry at:

- vancouver.ca/publicart
- ourcityourart.wordpress.com
- · facebook.com/vanculture
- @VanCultureBC

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# Public Art

### **Burrard Corridor - Downtown**

This public art walk follows Hornby and Burrard streets to the Vancouver Art Gallery and returns via Georgia and Bute streets. Look for more artwork along the route and at the Convention Centre.



### Digital Orca 2009

By Douglas Coupland, Canada

### **Jack Poole Plaza, Vancouver Convention Centre**



Stainless steel armature with powder-coated aluminum cladding

Digital Orca is representative of Coupland's ongoing interest in the synthesis of popular culture and modern technologies.



### The Drop 2009

By Inges Idee, Germany

### **Bon Voyage Plaza, Vancouver Convention Centre**



Polyurethane over expanded polystyrene

The 65-foot 'raindrop' by this Berlinbased collective references our strong connection to water as a natural resource and in our rainy climate.



# Lying on Top of a Building 2008

By Liam Gillick, United Kingdom/USA

### Fairmont Pacific Rim Hotel, 1038 Canada Place



Stainless steel

Gillick's artwork along the balconies is a reflection on development, progress and achievement in the city in relation to the political and corporate realm.



### Working Landscape 1988

By Daniel Laskarin, Canada

### 901 West Hastings



Wooden planks, living trees and steel containers

This kinetic artwork creates a public space that changes through time at speeds reflecting a workday schedule.

OPTION: Walk to Burrard along Hastings to view the Art Deco Marine Building on the northwest corner.



# Public Service/ Private Step 2003

By Alan Storey, Canada

# **Environment Canada, Department of Fisheries and Oceans, 401 Burrard**



Steel, aluminum, LED screens, electro-mechanical interface

Storey uses interactive technology to present the inner traffic of the building elevators in public space.



# The Builders 1986

By Joyce McDonald, Canada

### **Burrard SkyTrain Station**



Black Quebec or Cambrian granite

This sculpture depicts a person in prayer using simple shapes and strong forms.



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### Vessel 1986

By Dominique Valade, Canada

### **Burrard SkyTrain Station, Discovery Park**



Granite

Abstract geometric shapes suggest the form of a ship.



# Broken Column, (Pendulum) 1987

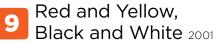
By Alan Storey, Canada

### **HSBC Building, 885 West Georgia**



Aluminum with electric motor Storey's site-specific sculpture combines art, technology and architecture.

### Four Boats Stranded:



By Ken Lum, Canada

### **Roof of the Vancouver Art Gallery, 750 Hornby**



### Fibreglass sculptures

Four stylized boats represent different segments of Vancouver's layered history.

OPTION: Walk one block east on Georgia to Granville to see a temporary installation in the window of the Canada Line City Centre Station.

### Placed Upon the Horizon, Casting Shadows 1990

By Lawrence Weiner, USA

### Vancouver Art Gallery, 750 Hornby



Yellow cedar relief

This conceptual art piece is based in the images that are evoked by the text.



# Bird of Spring 1979

by Abraham Etungat, Canada

### **Robson Square, near Vancouver Art Gallery**



#### Bronze

This work is a bronze replica of an original 14 cm soapstone carving by the artist from Cape Dorset, Nunavut.