

VU Condominiums - Canada's First Post Office - Heritage Marker and Title Plaque

Location Toronto, Ontario
Designer/Architect Joanne Tod
Purstion May 2011

Duration Mar 2011 - Jun 2011

Scope - Soheil Mosun Limited was contracted to fabricate and install this custom stainless steel public art piece which serves as a heritage marker for Canada's First Post Office which once stood where the VU condominiums at 234 Adelaide Street West now are.

Highlights - The main piece of this public artwork is 30" high tapering to 8" high over a 12'-0" total length. The stainless steel panel is fabricated from 1/4" thick Alloy 316 with a horizontally brushed finish. Graphics are etched with a black infill. The main piece is projection mounted to an existing planter using galvanized steel support arms. The smaller title plaque is also Alloy 316 stainless steel with dimensions of 17" high x 21" wide x 1/4" thick and is pin mounted to the wall beneath the main piece showing the stamproll.



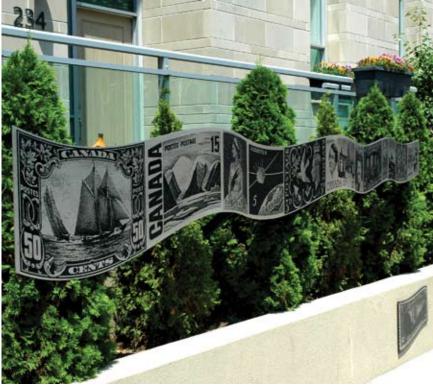
Detail segment of the Canda Post stamproll



The title plaque located beneath the Canada Post stamp roll plaque.



Detail of text etching and infill work



The Canada Post stamproll plaque and the title plaque in situ at 234 Adelaide Street West in Toronto



Detail of the 1/4" thick solid stainless steel