DIALOG

VANCOUVER HOUSE

Catalyzing untapped urban spaces under the bridge

Mixed-Use



LOCATION

Vancouver, BC

CLIENT

Westbank Project Corp.

COMPLETION

2020

COLLABORATORS

Bjarke Ingels Group (BIG) – Design

Architects

Glotman Simpson Consulting

Engineers

Morrison Hershfield

PFS Studio

ICON Pacific Construction Corp.

Nemetz & Associates

WSP Canada Inc.

BVDA Group Ltd.

Buro Happold

DIALOG SERVICES

Architecture

Interior Design

Planning & Urban Design

Vancouver House is a collaboration between DIALOG and Bjarke Ingels Group (BIG). This neighbourhood-scaled project is comprised of four highly crafted buildings at the north end of the Granville Bridge. The project's iconic tower dramatically unfolds from a mixed-use urban village under the bridge. This new neighbourhood is comprised of three intimately-scaled triangular buildings that provide spaces for working, shopping, and leisure. The tower gains its form in response to site constraints, shape shifting from a triangle at its base to a rectangle 500' above the bridge. A central cathedral-like urban realm below the bridge offers ample opportunity for a variety of uses and public events.