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1. REFLECTIONS





Above. The terminus of an existing ramp connecting the upper patio and pool terrace is reconfigured from its previous location against the wall of the residence, to move through the garden.

Right. Glass railings replace existing carved wood panels along the ramp and upper patio, opening the space to the views beyond.





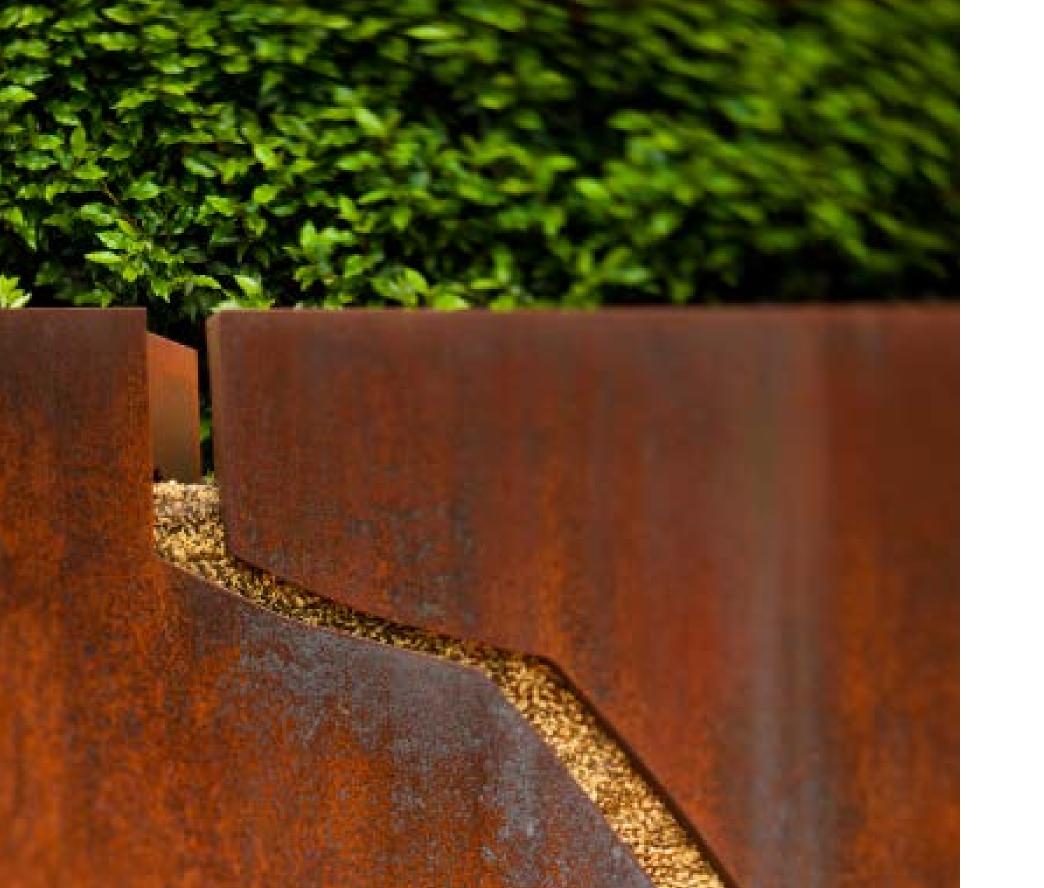


Previous Spread. Copper sheets of peeling Paperbark Maple (*Acer griseum*) contrast with the fine, geometric texture of Hebe.

Above. Red Masterwort (*Astrantia*) and Wisteria frame a view of an abstract stone sculpture.

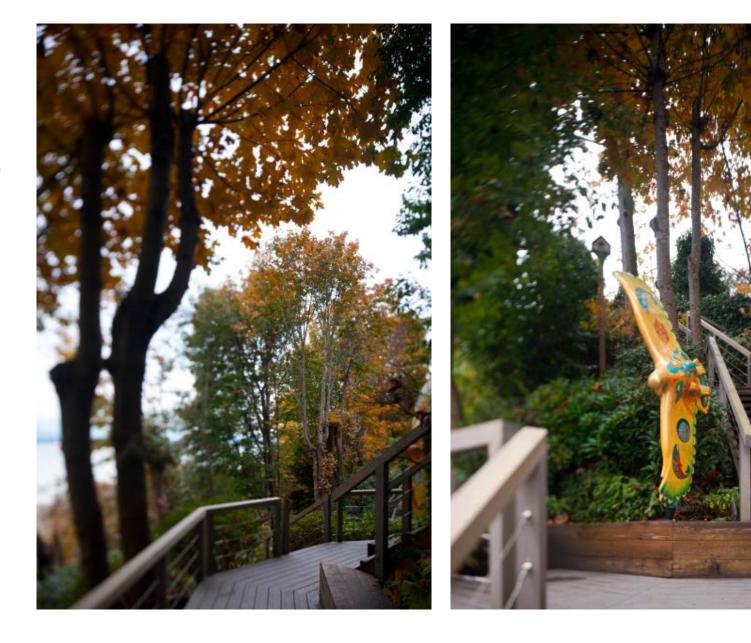
Right. Persian Ironwood (*Parrotia persica*), Spurge (*Euphorbia*) and Smoke Bush (*Cotinus*) embrace a sculpture from the client's collection.



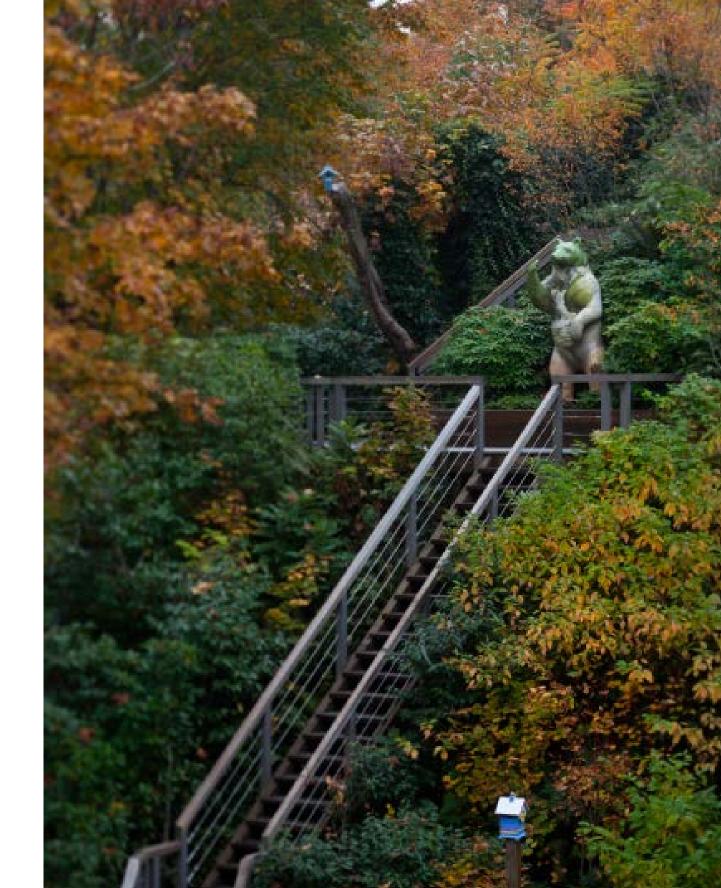




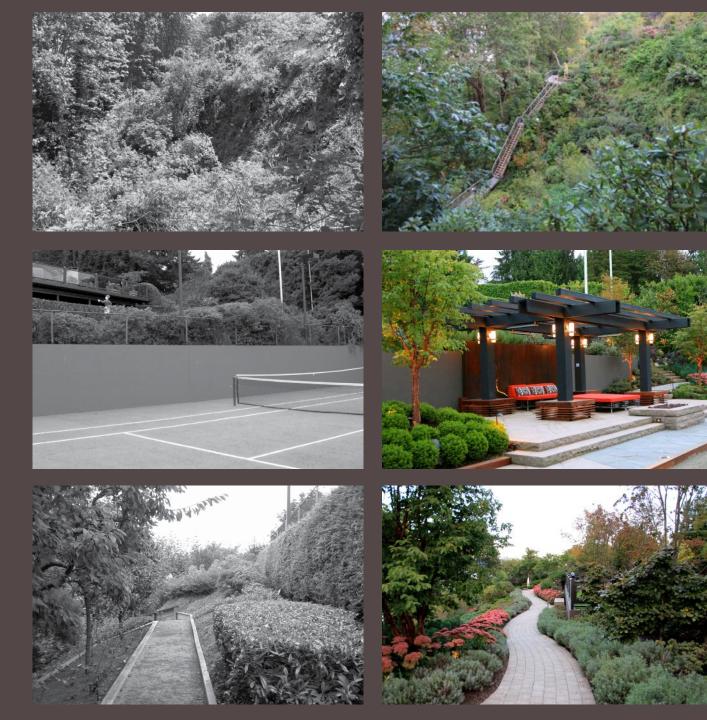
Left. A site-specific fractured Corten steel sculpture forms the north wall of the bocce pavilion. Above. At the bocce court, crushed oyster shell and sand-stone form a harmonious palette of texture and colour.



Above. Birdhouses punctuate the embankment walk while transitions in the pathway hinge around sculptural elements. Right. Fall colour and sculpture bring a sense of whimsy to the experience of the embankment.



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Above. Rolling lawn provides ample space in which to play.

Right. Supported on one side only, the arbor embraces the lawn and walkway while framing the axial entry to the ravine pavilion.

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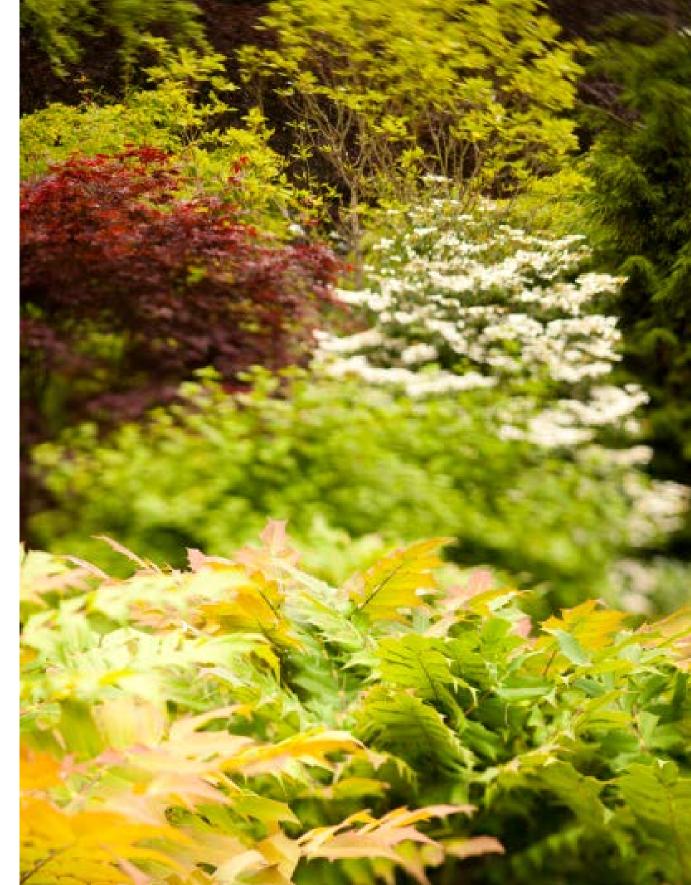
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Left. In the ravine, Maidenhair Fern (*Adiantum pedatum*) cascades over a pathway of crushed basalt.

Right. Contrasting textures and colours provide lush visual interest throughout the year.

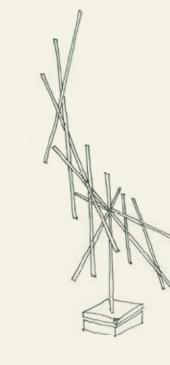






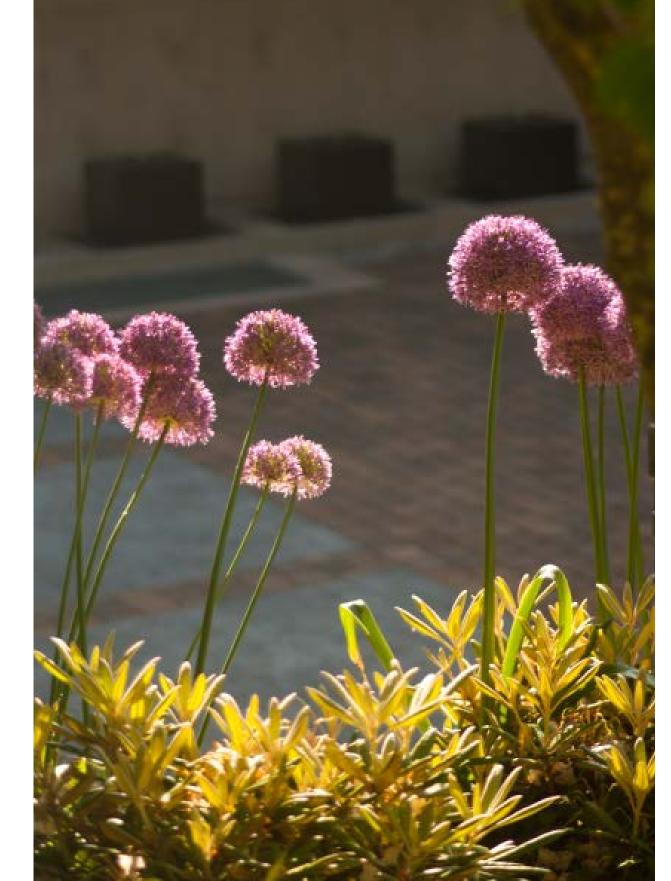
Left. Inspired by an abstract red chandelier in the home's interior, the custom sculpture on the great lawn was designed as a counterpoint to balance the garden architecture.

Right. Sculpture concept development.











Above. Ornamental Onion (Allium), Plantain Lily (Hosta) and Gingko (Gingko biloba) create a richly textured, yet ap-propriately restrained composition.

Left. Rhododendron leaves reach towards the fine blooms of Ornamental Onion (Allium).

Next Spread. A timeless tapestry of water, pebbles, slate and planting.

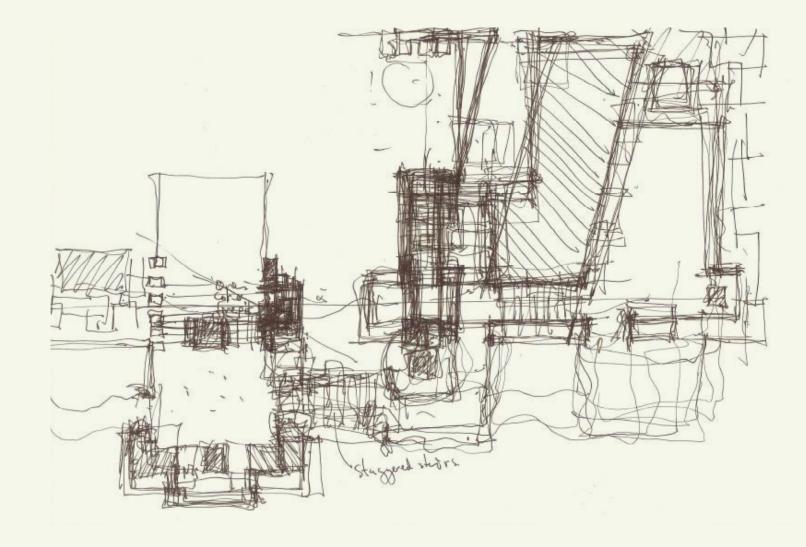












Above. Concept exploration drawing.

Left. A juxtaposition of the organic against the refined, the lower pool terrace links to the beach beyond.

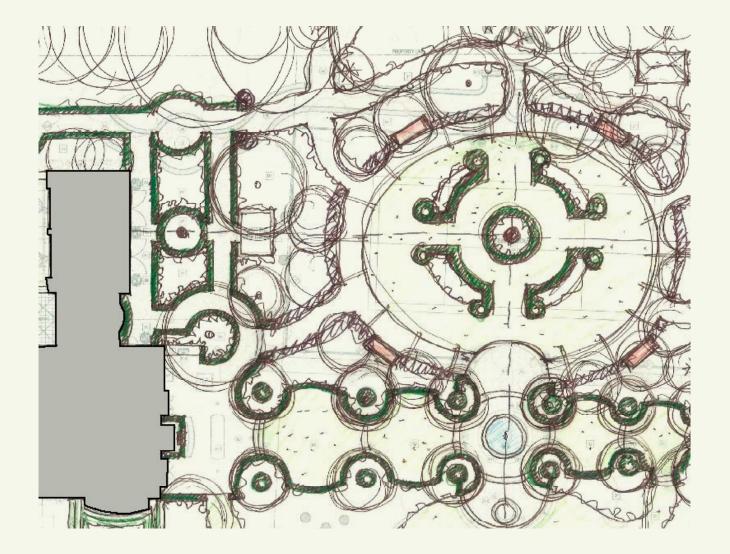
Next Spread. Nestled in the beach grasses, the rectilinear glass tiled pool provides an architectural contrast to the organic.





 Left. Persian Ironwood (Parrotia persica), Ornamental On-ion (Allium), and Boxwood (Buxus) create a whimsical and dramatic entry.
 Above. Ornamental Onion (Allium) flowers float over Laven-der (Lavandula) blooms.







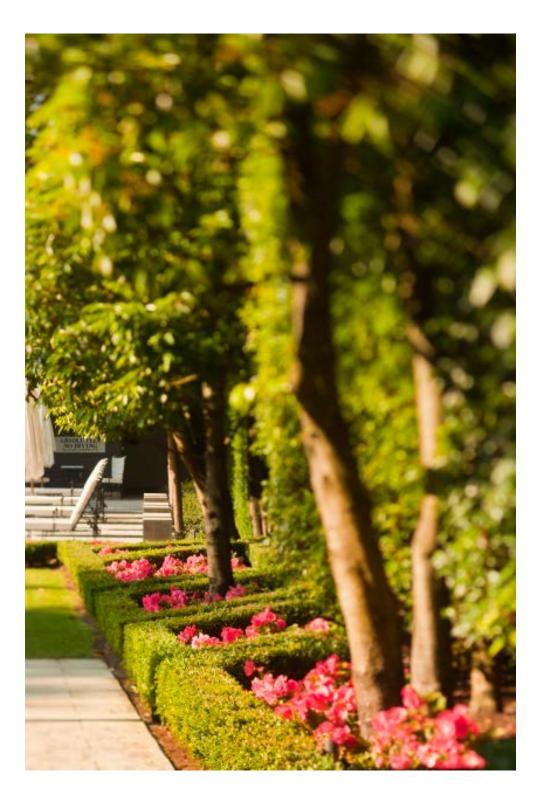
Above. Planting Plan.

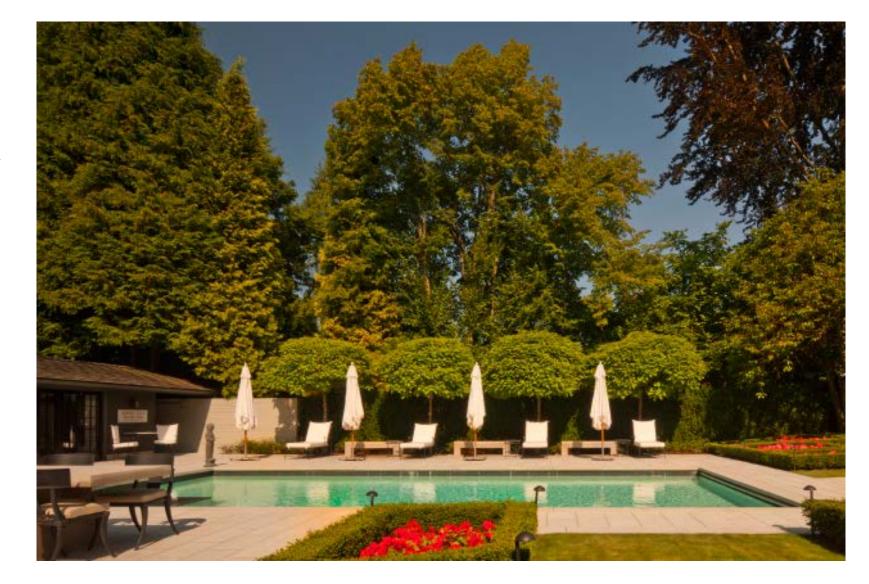




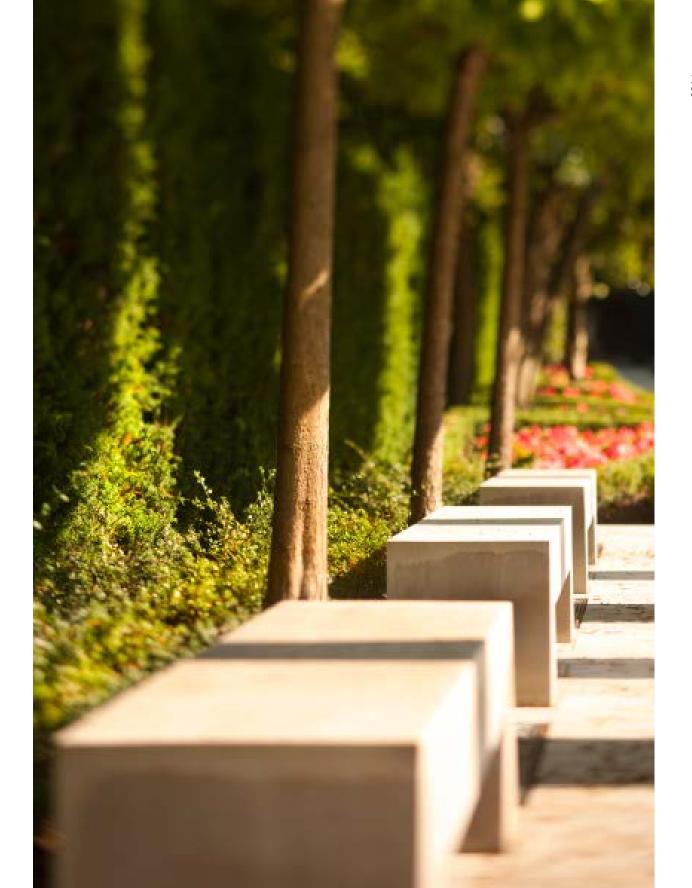
Left. Against a backdrop of Rhododendrons, the abstract sculpture juxtaposes colour, texture and geometry.

Right. Boxwood (*Buxus*) parterres lead the eye to the pool terrace.

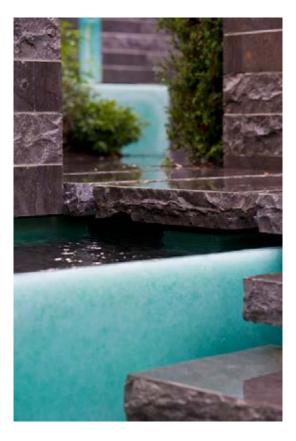




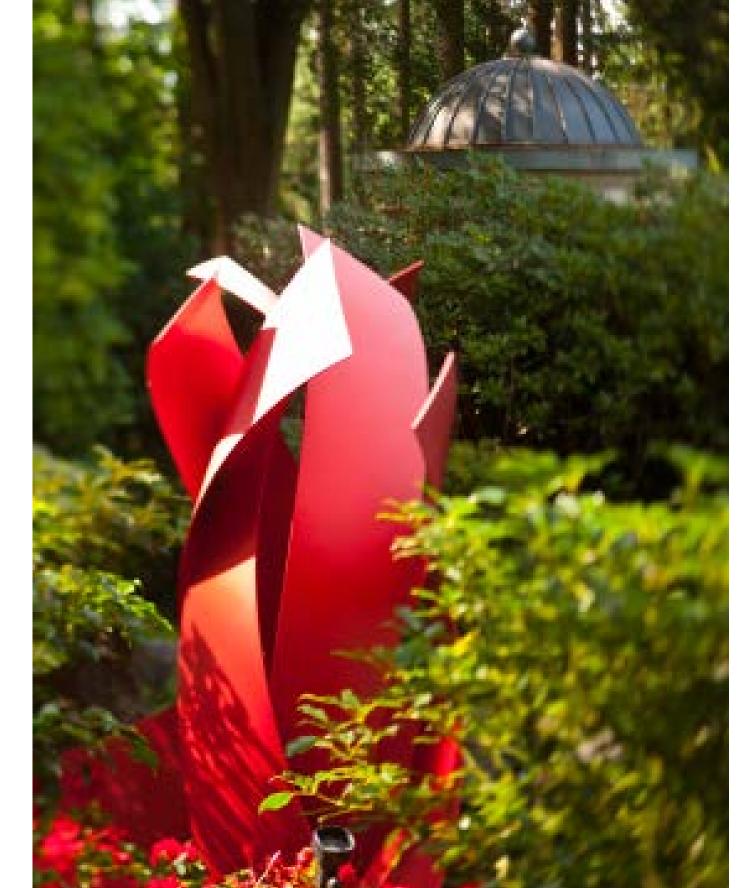
 Above. Globe Bean Tree (Catalpa bignoniodes 'Nana') and limestone benches define the east edge of the pool terrace.
 Right. Solid carved limestone benches and tree trunks in-voke a clear rhythm along the east property line.
 Next Spread. Twin sculptures frame the view of the garden from the pool house.







Left and Above. Crafted by a local glass artisan, the garden's sculptural recycled glass elements reference the luminous colour of glacier-fed pools.



Left and Right. Framed by the columns of the gateway pavil-ion, a Matt Devine sculpture is both pivotal and invites the eye into the Koi pond garden.







Above. Bold textural contrast and forms create drama in the evening light.

Right. A large iron urn focuses views and provides a terminus for the axial garden path.





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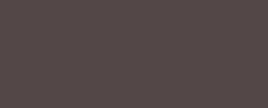






















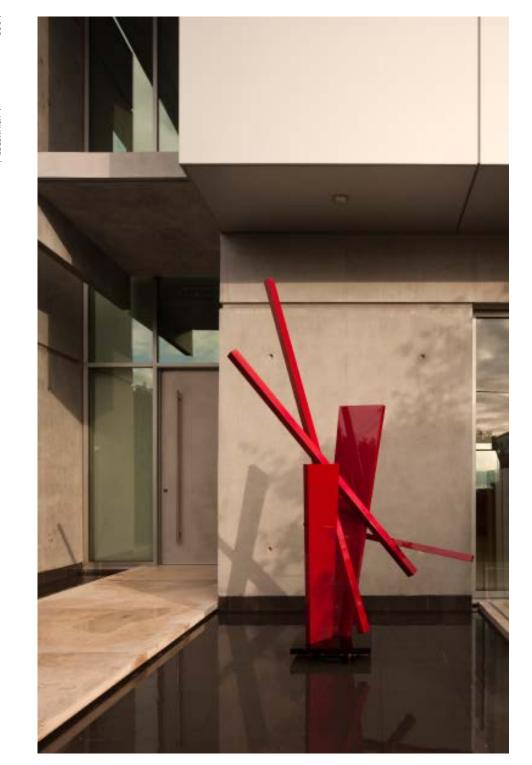


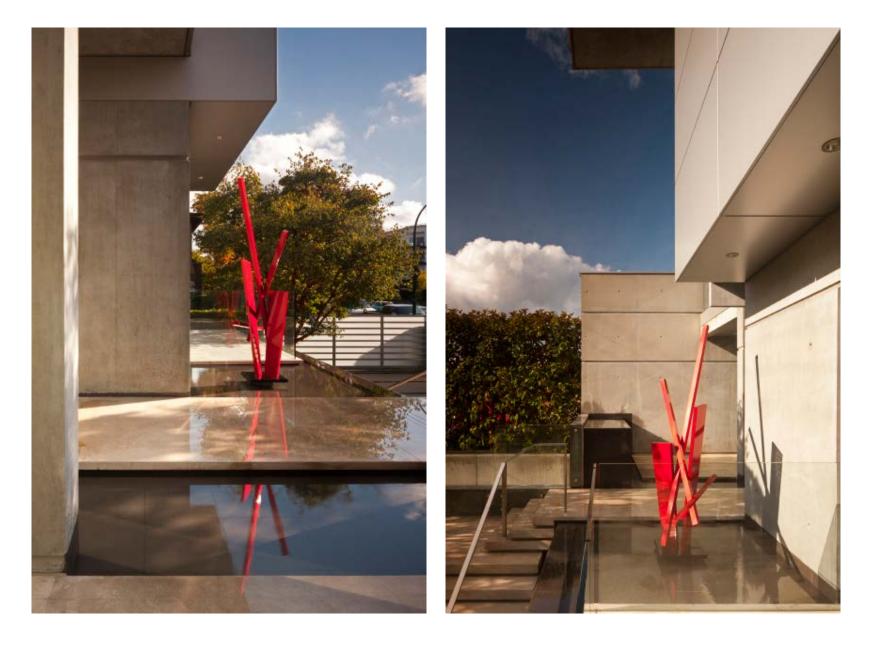




Above and Right. Cantilevered stairs float through a sunken courtyard behind a filigree of Black Bamboo (Phyllostachys nigra).







Left and Above. After a summer rain, the clean lines of the hardscape are punctuated by the reflected sculpture. Next Spread. The articulated volumes of the entry court and east elevation of the residence allow for a play of light and shadow. Semi-private and private space are subtly defined through the integration of low walls and partitions.



APPENDIX



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