The Fountain of Hope

The Fountain of Hope is situated in the northern corner of the Xujiahui Park in Shanghai. The sculpture was donated to Shanghai by the City of Marseille, Shanghai's Sister City. The sculpture is one half of a complex cultural exchange project, in which The Shanghai Garden, which is a park donated to Marseille by Shanghai, makes up the other half. The tree in the centre of the Fountain Pool is 9 meters high, 6 meters wide and it covers an area of 240 square meters. It is shaped like an open book. The sculpture at the top is made of stainless steel in the shape of a tree built in the centre of a pool featuring 26 water fountains with an electronic control system' choreographed into three groups.

Details

Location:

Xujiahui Park, Shanghai, China

Surface finish:

No. 1 surface (hot rolled plate)

Fabrication process:

Steel sheets welding

Photographer:

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