

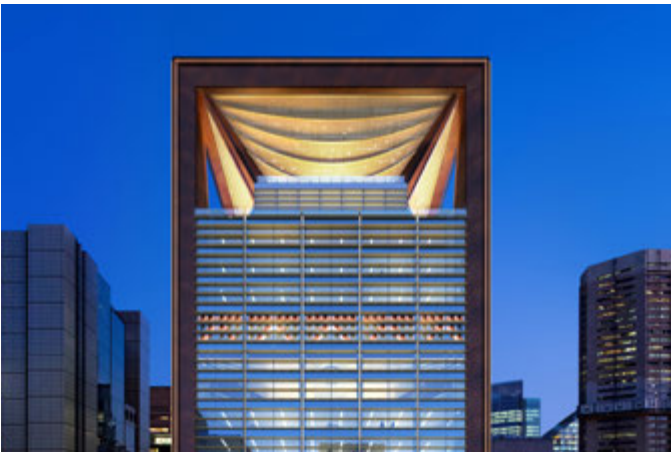


The Qianhai Financial Holdings Building

Shenzhen, China



Location Shenzhen, China	Co-Architect AUBE
Date 2020 - under construction	Structure Consultant CCDI
Client Qianhai Financial Holdings Ltd	MEP YMME
Century Securities Co.Ltd	Facade Consultant SUP
Total Investment 4.5 Billion RMB	Lighting Designer BPI
Height 245m / 1,476ft	Landscape Designer ACLA
Total Gross Floor Area 127,600m ²	Project Manager Gemdale
Floors 46	General Contractor CSCEC



With a building height of 245m and clad in warm metallic finishes, Qianhai Financial Holdings Building is a commercial high-rise in the centre of the Qianhai district in Shenzhen, China. The unique structural system of this building creates a community-friendly arcade space that captures the characteristics of Lingnan: the river, the bay, and the area south of the Nanling Mountains.

At street level, four mega-columns allow for a five-storey podium building to be held aloft, creating a striking undercroft that makes way for a free-flowing public ground plane with a new park, underground retail, and connections to the metro.



Punctuating and contrasting with the tower's order and rectilinearity are two triple-height sky lobbies created for its major clients, Century Securities and Qianhai Financial Holdings. These vertical villages create a diverse, elegant, green, and low-carbon office headquarters which frame the views toward the mountains, bay, and river.

At the top of the building there is a simple glazed octagon amenity space which offers 360° views of the wider bay area and beyond. Further outdoor landscaped amenity space can be found under the soaring wings of the building's feature crown. Composed of inclined double-mesh facades, the crown catches the warmth of the daytime sun, and at night becomes a beacon on the skyline.

