

HOSPITALITY CENTRE

The Hospitality Centre, located on the 9th floor of Tower A, is a beautifully designed area where the Government of Canada provides official hospitality in connection with its conduct of foreign relations. Guests and visitors are treated to a spectacular panoramic view of the Ottawa River and the Gatineau Hills from this location atop the building. The Hospitality Centre can accommodate up to 145 persons at a sit-down meal and up to 225 guests at a stand-up reception. There are two smaller dining rooms as well, which can accommodate up to 12 and 26 people respectively at sit-down meals.

CAFETERIA

The Department's 600-seat cafeteria is located on the main floor, just to the left of Tower C. Dominating it is a work entitled *Veneration of the White Collar and Blue Collar Worker*, by Vancouver-based artist Gathie Falk. The two-sided ceramic wall mural pokes a bit of fun at the civil servants and workers that Falk imagines will be eating lunch at these tables. At first sight, all those shirts and ties, glasses and pens may seem identical, but closer examination reveals each to be slightly different from the next. Such is Falk's vision: what may appear ordinary is, after all, unique.