

# VEDIA

Cornavin (GE)  
2013



## Architects

GM Architectes Associés SA

## Representative

HRS Real State SA

## Project completion

2012 – 2013

## Surface area involved

8'100 m<sup>2</sup>

## Scaffolding type

Lightweight 200 kg/m<sup>2</sup>

Located near the Genève-Cornavin train station by the railway tracks, the headquarters of VEDIA, a mail-order company, underwent major renovations on the whole of its two existing buildings (the interior and facade). In addition, a new industrial hall was built.

Due to the architectural complexity of the buildings consisting of a facade with both inclined and Alucobond cassette panels (insulation, substructure and suspended cassette panels), brackets of different depths were required based on a precise layout for the anchors.

On the south side, the proximity to the railway meant work needed to be carried out at night under the supervision of the inspectors of the CFF, the Swiss Federal Railways, to ensure compliance with safety standards, which notably required protective shielding to be erected along the perimeter.