

Case Study

Offices

National Union of Students Headquarters, London

Facts about the project

NUS Headquarters, Grays Inn Road, London

Architect: Manning Elliott

Contractor: Longcross Construction, Resonics Acoustic Treatments

Project size: 94 Panels

Project value: £10k

Products: Ecophon Solo™ Rectangle (2400 x 1200 x 40mm)

In May 2013, work was completed on the refurbishment and extension of six floors of an empty commercial property on Gray's Inn Road. Number 275 is now the new head office for the National Union of Students (NUS).

An existing basement, and ground floor through to the 4th floor were completely stripped out and re-fitted with Ecophon Free-Hanging Units installed throughout.

Cumbria-based Manning Elliott provided all architectural services for the project, while Longcross was the main contractor on the project. NUS staff now have headquarters in one of the greenest refurbishments in London.

As the new offices didn't have traditional suspended ceilings the building had numerous acoustic issues. Resonics Acoustic Treatments designed and installed 48 acoustic rafts made from Ecophon Solo™ panels. The interior acoustic design specialist had the rafts CNC cut and digitally printed with special colours. Edges were hand filled and sanded to give a perfect finish. The rafts were reinforced to support the very heavy lights that were to be installed. The aesthetic result in these open plan offices is stunning.



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