

Manchester Unity Building



Built in 1932, the Manchester Unity Building houses twelve stories of offices, residential units, and retail spaces.

The building is clad in glazed terracotta faience and crowned with a turreted gothic style tower. It represents a rare blend of art, science, culture and commerce. The arcade includes Melbourne's first escalator, an elaborate mosaic floor, black marble, and polished brass, and copper plated elevator doors.

The building is 132 feet tall and when it was finished it became the tallest building in Melbourne. Today it stands as one of Melbourne's most architecturally impressive buildings.

