

La Pitié Salpêtrière, Paris, France, Paris

Client

Hôpitaux Universitaires La Pitié
Salpêtrière – Charles Foix

Program

Rehabilitation and extension of the
Castaigne Building, the neurology
division of the Pitié-Salpêtrière
Hospital in Paris

Selection method

Public competition

Team

Groupe-6 (Architect, Lead consultant, BIM
Management, Quantity surveying) -
ARTELIA (Engineering) - Echologos
(Acoustical studies)

Completion

2022

Surface area

16,500 m²

Capacity

Capacity: 153 beds /
Ambulatory: 39
places / Critical care:
18 beds

Construction costs

22 M€

Location

Paris



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A contextual modernity

The rehabilitation and extension of the Castaigne Building, the neurology division of the Pitié-Salpêtrière Hospital in Paris, offers the opportunity to update its image, while introducing a new architectural coherence to this heterogeneous site. The new West building, widened on its South facade and its West

Gable, revisits the existing building codes, to give it an assumed modernity: the modular frame and the proportions are declined, the repetitiveness and the

homogeneity shape its architectural identity. The colors and materials used are identical to those of the existing facade with the exception of the stone facings: the reinforced profiled glass facing preserves the rhythm and visual impact of the existing façade.

It is in its streamlined glass elements that modernity and innovation are concentrated and expressed: the facade becomes an “active envelope” with the implementation of the concept of “energy wall”, an innovative façade with solar technology.

