Project: The Hub, 5 Piccadilly Place
Location: Manchester
Architect: Glen Howells
Structural Engineer: Tier UK
Main Contractor: Carillion

The Hub is a 10 storey ‘U’ shaped development, wrapped around a hard landscaped plaza, of 167 new apartments in the heart of a Manchester mixed use development area, by Argent Group in Manchester City centre.

The building structure is formed entirely from precast elements, which has led to each floor level being erected and clad within a 4 week period.

PCS was involved from a very early stage to develop the site using a wide range of precast sections:

Architectural sandwich cladding panels, Precast stairs, Twin wall, Solid wall, Hollow-core planks, Solid wall lift shafts.