



Gum Kitai Gorod
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Description

Built from 1890 to 1893, the GUM Kitai-Gorod is certainly the most imposing of all GUM department stores. Standing for “Main Universal Store” in Russian, the GUMs were established during the Soviet Union in an attempt to democratize food consumption for the low-classes nationwide. This 242 meters long building was initially ordered by the “Red Square Society of the Superior Galleries”, a gathering of merchants willing to house all of their boutiques in the same building.

Metadata

- City: Moscow
- Country: Russia
- Cadastral Number: RU.C.SC.M.1
- GPS Coordinates: 55.7547° N, 37.6215° E
- Commercial: Shopping Centers