Vienna has a long tradition in the design of shop entrances, which, dating from the 19th century to the present, play an important role in creating the street scene and the high-quality architecture.

Kärntner Strasse, Graben and Kohlmarkt have always been prime addresses for those who inevitably associate a visit to the inner city with a high-calibre shopping experience. The shops of enterprises with a tradition dating back to the monarchy can be found cheek to jowl with stores of famous international brands.

1895: J. & L. Lobmeyr
1010 Vienna, Kärntner Strasse 26-28
Architect: ALOIS WURM-ARNKREUZ
Client: J. & L. Lobmeyr

1910/13: Schneidersalon Knize (tailor’s)
1010 Vienna, Graben 13
Architect: ADOLF LOOS
Client: Knize & Comp.

1964/65: Retti Candles
1010 Vienna, Kohlmarkt 8-10
Architect: HANS HOLLEIN
Client: Marius Retti

1992/93: Knize Lady
1010 Vienna, Graben 13
Architect: PAOLO PIVA
Client: Knize & Comp.

1999/2000: Chanel
1010 Vienna, Kohlmarkt 6
Design: PETER MARINO
Implementation: PETER DURSTMÜLLER
Client: Chanel GmbH.

2004: Manner am Stephansplatz
1010 Vienna, Stephansplatz 7
Architects: BWM-Architects and Partner
Client: Josef Manner & Company AG