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**Project:**

**IP CCTV/access control integrated security system**

**Client:**

**University of Glamorgan**

**Value:**

**£226,000**

**Overview:**

The University of Glamorgan's multi-million pound ATRiuM building is home to the Cardiff School of Creative and Cultural Industries and, as such, houses a huge array of multi-media software and hardware. It was therefore essential that this equipment, which represents a massive capital investment, was properly protected.

Following a successful tender process, CDS was awarded the contract to complete a substantial security system installation at a number of the University's sites over a three year period.

**Project description:**

The installation process began in 2006 at the University's main campus in Treforest and its Glyntaf site. This involved utilising and extending the University's sophisticated existing network to roll out a large, state-of-the-art IP CCTV system comprising more than 80 cameras and combining analogue and digital technologies for both live and recorded viewing.

Throughout 2007 and 2008, CDS undertook stage one of the installation at the ATRiuM building in central Cardiff, installing complete CCTV and access control systems into one half of the building. The final phase which essentially replicated the first phase installation was completed during 2009.

An all Bosch system with compatible hardware and software was chosen as the preferred solution as it was able to deliver the degree of flexibility and robust functionality the University required. The security system was complemented by the creation of two state-of-the-art IP-based CCTV control rooms, on and off campus.