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## TAFE Queensland Gold Coast

### TAFE Queensland Gold Coast Improves Security with a Powerful HD Surveillance Solution from D-Link and BLUi Security Australia



*"I would recommend BLUi Security Australia and the D-Link HD IP surveillance solution to anyone who is looking for a security partner that will provide a system that is easy to use and delivers clear, usable surveillance footage."*

— Jerome Van Gramberg,  
TAFE Queensland, Gold Coast.

#### Background

TAFE Queensland Gold Coast had a requirement to upgrade their large number of CCTV surveillance cameras on site due to the low quality of the recorded footage.

#### The Challenge

TAFE Queensland Gold Coast's Jerome Van Gramberg explained, "The main issue with the existing system was that the clarity of the footage was very poor. Even though there were many cameras on site, it was difficult to positively identify persons that were on our watch list, making it even more difficult for our security team to respond quickly when these individuals approach or enter our premises. The individuals had to get pretty close to a camera for our security team to see them clearly, which is obviously not ideal."

The solution needed to provide clear video evidence to help onsite security respond faster.

#### BLUi and D-Link's Solution: Powerful, Expandable and Dedicated Surveillance

Van Gramberg and his team turned to security specialists BLUi Security Australia. Understanding that image clarity was paramount, BLUi partnered with IP Connectivity experts D-Link. By employing the use of D-Link's Full HD IP cameras connected to secured sections of the TAFE's data network, the new solution provided far better surveillance coverage, clearer images and integrated seamlessly with the TAFE's existing infrastructure.



Van Gramberg continued, "BLUi Security Australia and D-Link installed thirty D-Link DCS-6513 1080p Full HD IP cameras at our Gold Coast campus and the benefits were instant. Through strategic placement and configuration of these cameras, the onsite security team now have far superior video surveillance coverage on site with fewer cameras in use. The quality of the images from the D-Link cameras and the efficiency of the system as a whole is excellent."

TAFE Queensland Gold Coast's new system has also been designed to be particularly flexible and easy to use. It integrates:

- Thirty D-Link DCS-6513 HD IP cameras (expandable to sixty four with simple addition of software licensing) and
- A dedicated surveillance server platform provided by BLUi which in turn runs the powerful D-Link D-ViewCam Video Management System (VMS).

#### Benefits - Better Surveillance Coverage, Clear, Usable Footage and Easy to Use

Van Gramberg added, "I'm delighted to say D-Link's D-ViewCam software system is particularly easy to use and with the new D-Link cameras, image quality has improved markedly over our previous CCTV system. Also reviewing recorded footage after an incident and backing up evidence to USB is much faster than before. We can now also ID persons far more quickly and effectively and from greater distances than we could before."

Using D-Link cameras and D-ViewCam recording software, has clearly enabled the TAFE's onsite security team to better manage security and the transition to the new system has been particularly seamless.

#### Products integrated in this solution include:

	<b>30 x D-Link DCS-6513</b> Full HD 3MP Day & Night Outdoor Vandal-Proof Network Cameras
	<b>32 x D-Link DCS-6113V</b> Full HD Day & Night Vandal-Proof Dome Network Cameras

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