Gold Medal Performance by Quantum Leap Consultancy

Australia is very proud to have Sydney chosen as the venue for the Olympic Games in the year 2000. It was seen as an opportunity to showcase not only the natural beauty of the city, but also Australian technology and infrastructure, with state of the art stadium and communications. Quantum Leap Consultancy, a fully Australian owned company, was proud to have implemented the smartest technology used to date for managing the space and building assets at this international event.

The linked article from the Australian Financial Review features the innovative use of software to resolve the logistical problems raised by the management of the largest Olympic Village in history. Quantum Leap Consultancy worked closely with the Olympic Villages Planning Manager, Marc Klein, who held the same role at Atlanta. We highlight the following from the article:

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"When I saw the other products out there, Quantum Leap's [custom-modified ActiveAsset Planner-based] product was head and shoulders above everyone else's in terms of the functionality, both in the real time querying and the assets residing only in the database and not on the drawings."

Marc Klein describes his task. "It starts at the fact that we have to basically outfit, completely move in and set up two suburbs' worth of goods with 25 million dollars' worth of furnishings and 60 million dollars' worth of

technology, and all the pieces have to be put in the right room in the right place in a very short space of time for us to operate."

The result of the SOCOG alliance is Villages Space Planning & Facilities Management System (VSPFM). A critical system for SOCOG, sitting on the IBM network, the VSPFM system is now positioned to be the central repository for other systems that need to be integrated.

Summing up ..., Marc Klein agrees: "I think its safe to say that no software has ever done this job before".