

Currie & Brown

UNIT4 SUPPORTS CURRIE & BROWN'S GLOBAL GROWTH OBJECTIVES AND INCREASES STAFF UTILIZATION

Currie & Brown is one of the world's leading asset management and construction consultancies, advising clients on the management and utilization of physical assets and is differentiated by innovation, expertise and experience.

UNIT4

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES



Vertical expertise

Unit4 has given thousands of service-oriented firms an overview of finances, people and projects and how they affect performance and results.



VALUE DELIVERED

2-4% staff utilization rise - projected to be worth £200K PA

10% cut in admin overhead

Enabled regional-to-sector UK restructure

“Using U4BW allowed us to meet our goal of applying industry best practice consistently across our entire business whilst at the same time keeping it simple. That's why we've been so successful.”

Ian Fleming, Finance Director, Currie & Brown

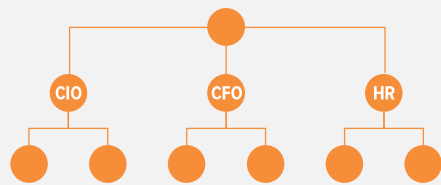


OPERATES IN

Europe, Middle East, India APAC & Americas

Revenue £80m

Customer since 2012



No. of employees 1,500

Why did they need to change?



CHANGE PRESSURES

Governmental Regulations and Compliance

Expansion

Mergers and Acquisitions

Business Process Change

Financial Management-Driven Change



ROADBLOCKS

Disparate systems caused issues with the consistency, accuracy and clarity of business processes and data. An integrated system - owned by Ops not Finance - able to operate on a multi-national basis and accommodating local requirements was needed.

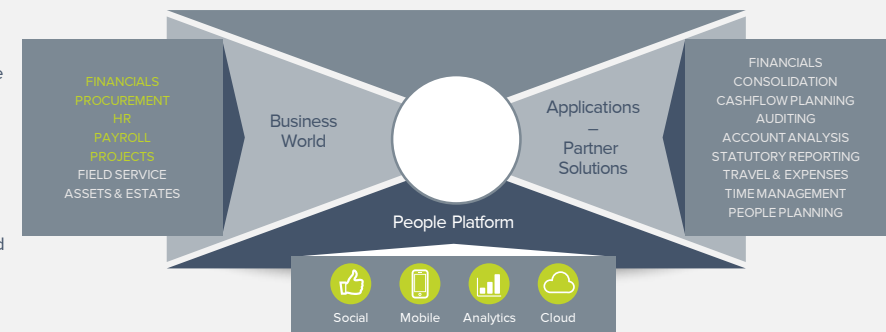


RISKS

Without a fully integrated ERP the ability to deliver comprehensive, accurate and timely financial and operational management information to support the current and forecast business growth would have been problematic.

How did Unit4 help?

Currie & Brown chose Business World because its out-of-the-box finance and business functionality met the team's specific needs. It is quick and simple to implement and can be enhanced post-implementation easily as information and business needs change. Embridge Consulting's communication skills, product knowledge and Unit4 contacts ensured the project ran smoothly with issues resolved quickly and fully.



What did we achieve?

Monetary savings
Projected annual savings of £200,000 thanks to more flexible allocation of staff driving 2-4% staff utilization improvement. Admin overheads also cut by 10%.

Improved operations
Enabled Currie & Brown in the UK to restructure the business from regional to sector based. This allowed great focus on areas of industry expertise; more flexible allocation of staff.

Efficiency and governance
With greater confidence in accuracy and reliability of finance and business data, team identified and resolved loss-making projects quickly and effectively thereby improving performance and profitability.