

Site Safety Seminar for Capital Works New Works Contracts 新工程合約工地安全講座

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Innovative Site Safety Measures 工地安全創新措施

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Construction of Public Housing Development at Tuen Mun Area 54 Site 1&1A 屯門54區 1&1A公營房屋發展計劃 Presented by: Mr. Jethro Chan 陳駿傑先生 Site Agent 工地代表

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1.智能臉部辨識系統 Facial Recognition System

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屯門54區1&1A使用人臉識別技術於地盤入閘安排及開士架控制, 以取代掌骨機等傳統舊式識別系統。





地盤入閘安排 Site Access Control



地盤入閘系統

- 智能人面識別系統
- 翼門出入閘機
- 溫度檢測熱像儀





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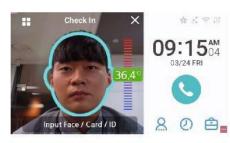




溫度檢測熱像儀

自動化體溫監控系統,可以檢測皮膚溫度高的工友,在螢幕上顯示溫度,並在檢測到高於標準溫度時發出警報並不准進入地盤範圍。測量溫度識別位置於人臉的上方區域。







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地盤入閘安排 **Site Access Control**

如何使用

- 人面識別系統接駁工人讀卡系統
- 新工友入職時需拍卡以識別工友身份
- 於鏡頭前記錄面容數據
- 每次入閘只需拍卡,望鏡頭,半秒內識別工人 面容及量度體溫,如面容不正確,體溫過高便 不能進入地盤範圍







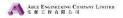
地盤入閘安排 **Site Access Control**

自動化

好處

- 資料準確可靠
- 完全非接觸式
- 記錄即時體溫
- 完整體溫記錄





鏡頭能適應太光及太 暗環境

克服地盤環境能力

- 熱像儀能持續探測背 景温度,作出調整
- 識別時間快速,應付 上下班大量工友同時 推出



困難

- 鏡頭不能在直射的陽 光下運作
- 人臉上不可以遮蓋, 口罩需拉底才可識別
- 建議的環境溫度10°C 至35°C,太熱太冷影 響準確度



物料升降機控制 Hoisting Equipment Control



如何使用

- 進行物料升降機(開士機)訓練時,工友面容識別會記錄於開士架控制面板(Control Panel)。
- 當工友使用開士架控制器,開始電源後,面容識別系統會啟動識別使 用者身份,如使用者並没有上訓練堂,開士架便不會運作。

好處

- 準確記錄每位使用 者使用資料
- 有效防止胡亂使用 及未經批准下傳用







2. 流動應用程式 APP for Safety Management







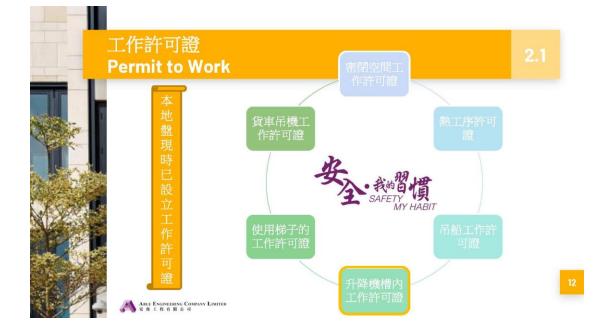
Novade

是一個數碼平台支援流動應用 程式及網頁平台。

屯門54區 1&1A使用Novade於安全管理之上,以取代舊式巡查記錄及工作許可証申請。



























工作許可證 **Permit to Work**



- 有效及快速進行工作許可証申請,預設選項,省卻文字輸入。
- 提交資料準確,易於檢視。
- 提升申請及批核透明度,所有持份者都可實時監察所有工作許可證申請。
- 提升前線員工機動性,於地盤位置都可處理許可証申請。
- 有效識別工人身份,並確保其資格證書都在有效期內。
- 識別裝備,查看證書及確保狀態良好。
- 加強問責制,透過程序直接批核並簽署。
- 管理層可實時掌握所有高危工作情況。



Permit to Work

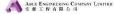


數據分析

- 透過Dashborad,管理人員可即時監察許可證所有 數據。
- 有效分析申請記錄
 - 那座申請最多
 - 那位分判記錄最齊
 - 那位前線參與度最高
 - 那位工人牌照將近過期



■已簽發 ■已撒離/註銷 ■ 被拒絕 ■被撤回 = Other





總結 Conclusion

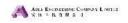
創新措施用於安全管理:

更易更方便安全管理



- 一記錄即時及完整
- 有效及快速進行
- **提升透明度・可實時監察**
- 是升前線員工機動性
- 〉有效識別使用者身份









THANKS!



Here is the footage from
Site Safety Seminar for Capital Works New Works Contracts
which was held on 11 December 2020
The speaker is Mr. Jethro CHAN
Site Agent of Able Engineering Company Limited
His presentation topic is
Innovative Site Safety Measures

Hello

I am Jethro Chan from Able Engineering Holdings Ltd
Thanks for the Housing Authority for letting us share
our site safety experiences today
Our site is the Tuen Mun Area 54 Site 1 & 1A
public housing development project
of which I am the representative
Please allow me to introduce to you
the innovative site safety measures we have been using
Today I am going to particularly focus on two projects
The first one is a facial recognition system
and the second one is a mobile app
which is the safety system we are currently using
To begin our Facial Recognition System
is a kind of technology that uses the special features of
human faces to recognise and distinguish between people

Our site uses this recognition system

for site access control and material hoist equipment control

This system has replaced traditional recognition systems

such as the handkey biometric palm reader

These are the turnstiles that we are now using

We have three of them which comprise certain components

The first is a smartcard system

The second is a camera and display

The third is the facial recognition system

Due to the pandemic we have added a temperature monitor

And just a few words about it

it automatically detects people's body temperature

so it can detect the temperature of our workers' skin

If it detects a high temperature

the worker will not be allowed to enter the site

This system focuses on the face and forehead so it can detect

the body temperature even when a safety helmet is worn

And now we will talk about how this turnstile works

First connect the smartcard machine on the turnstile

to our facial recognition system

A new worker first taps his card on the first day of work

so that the system recognises his identity

He needs to turn left and right before the camera

so that the system can record the facial data

After that he just needs to tap the card every time and

looks at the camera for half a second

the system will detect his face and temperature

If the facial features do not match the record or

the temperature is too high then the worker cannot enter

What are the advantages of this system?

First of all it is automatic and we do not have to

measure or record body temperature manually

Its data is very accurate

Except tapping the card the whole process is contactless

As our entrance gates are wing type instead of the turnstile type

basically workers can enter the site without touching anything

The system can also tell you your body temperature

and this data is recorded and saved onto our system

What issues that the system is facing? The site environment After all construction sites are different from offices
The cameras can cope with very bright or dark environments and the temperature monitor will automatically adjust according to the background temperature
Also the system responds quickly in the morning or evening workers can enter or leave the site without having to queue Now let us talk about the challenges

The camera cannot work when sunlight is shining into its lens so if the sun is shining directly onto the lens in an open space then the camera will not work

As you may have guessed

the facial recognition system cannot work for a covered face you have to pull down or remove your mask for this check Also its accuracy may be affected if it is too cold or too hot Now I will talk about using the facial recognition system in controlling the material hoist

Just now Mr Fong mentioned our work in his presentation We have been using this all along

We agree that it is very useful so let me show you its use
During induction training of workers for material hoists
we record the worker's facial data in the control panel
When the worker borrows the control key to turn on the hoist
the system will try to recognise his face
If the worker has not gone through the training
the material hoist will not be operable

What are the advantages of this system?
First we will have accurate records of
whom has operated this material hoist
Second it stops the hoist from being misused
and it also stops workers from

lending it to others without authorisation
which they used to by just passing around keys or smartcards
This facial recognition check prevents this from happening
Next I am going to introduce our app for safety management
We devised this app in collaboration with a firm called Novade
Here you can see the app appearance on my phone
It is a digital platform supporting mobile apps and websites

so we can view this on a web browser on a PC machine too

We use this in safety management replacing our old paper-based

inspection records and applications for Permit-to-Work

You can see there are three options on the screen

The first is 'Action'

For example records of our safety checks

Permit-to-Work (PTW) and some safety forms

Just to mention some of the PTWs used on our site right now

they cover six areas

the first is working in confined spaces

the second is PTW for lifting operations of lorry-mounted cranes

the third is for using ladders

We also have PTW for lift shafts for working inside life shafts

Finally we have the Hot Work Permit and

one for using suspended working platforms

I will use applying for a PTW for lift shaft work as an example

First the sub-contractor's person-in-charge

needs to apply for a PTW using the app

Frontline staff are then responsible for signing and issuing it

Management can access the app at any time to see

PTWs that have been issued or applied for

In particular on the day after the job is completed

the sub-contractor's person-in-charge needs to cancel this PTW

and a frontline staff has to confirm the cancellation too

Later I will talk about the importance of cancellation

and confirmation of cancellation

But first let us talk about applications

Very simply speaking

the sub-contractor's person-in-charge is our administrator

He has to use the app to choose which PTWs to apply for

Then input some basic information

such as which block or building

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which floor whether it is a high-level or low-level zone

All of these are pre-set

Then fill in some information such as the date and time

the job description the company and the foreman in charge

These three fields are pre-set

so you do not have to input a lot of text and

the process is not complicated either

You have to select what jobs you are doing inside the lift shaft

which sub-contractor company do you come from?

then select the foreman-in-charge from names contacted before

select the foreman who is in charge of approvals

In the second half of the application you will be shown

some foreseeable hazards inside the lift shaft

Examples shown here cover falling objects fall from height

insufficient lighting or electric shock

All of these are recorded and saved

Based on these hazards

the subcontractor can put into place certain safety precautions

or preventative measures

Inside the lift shaft

there must be a suitable working platform and CSSR-Form 5

as well as independent lifeline

Workers must wear personal protection equipment such as

safety harness fall arrestor safety helmet and hand straps

The application cannot be processed until all of these are ticked

A photo taken and submitted on site is required

Workers must wear their personal protective equipment properly

Most importantly the app requires you to take photos on site

and you cannot just upload existing photos from your phone

So the system reinforces authenticity of information

The worker you saw just now

he had to put on all his personal protective equipment

take the photo and upload it in the app

The next stage is approval

Likewise the foremen must do the approval on site

They have to take photos there to prove that

the worker has put on all his personal protective equipment

and he has to check that the equipment is in good order

At the same time he has to sign

After approval he can lend the key to the administrator

In the 'Review' section

our managers can log in the app at any time to know

which applications have been submitted or approved today
At the same time we can see the details of each application
such as which block floor or worker in question
We can also pick out an individual report to review it
As for cancellation

At the end of the work day the foreman has to cancel this PTW and take photos on site too

The importance of cancellation is to ensure that all workers have left the work site safely

and that the site has been properly cleaned and tidied up We have to take photos of the site

to show what the environment is like at the end of the day This is a sample of the PTW for working in confined spaces We can put photos of some of the PTWs of our workers as well as the gas monitor or

some of the equipment used in confined spaces onto the app so that everyone can see and understand the situation clearly What are the advantages of this PTW? First processing of applications for PTW becomes very effectively and quickly Many stuff has been pre-set saving the input of much text The submitted data is accurate as they are standardised options We can avoid inaccurate data entry

The transparency of the application process is also enhanced All stakeholders meaning our colleagues have installed the app and they can all see the information pertaining to each PTW The app has also improved flexibility

as workers can apply for or process their PTW anywhere on site It also effectively recognises the identity of each worker and we can check his PTWs or certificates easily We can also see if the equipment is in good condition Another advantage is that the system reinforces accountability It requires the foreman to approve and sign the PTW directly so it shows which colleague is responsible for each item The management team can also get a good picture of such high-risk activities in real time

Basically once I log in this app

I can know which block is our worker working in the lift shaft or where they are doing lifting operations or hot work When I go back to the office I can turn on my computer and look at the dashboard How can this dashboard help us? It helps us with data analysis we can see which block on site has the most applications which contractor has got the neatest and most complete records which frontline worker has been most involved We can even see which workers' permits are about to expire So to briefly conclude we have been using these innovative measures for safety management It helps us build an accurate and easy-to-understand data bank Our records are instant and comprehensive and the data is effectively and quickly processed There is not too much administrative work and transparency is enhanced too because we can monitor the situation in real time workers also enjoy more flexibility The system also easily recognises the user's identity whether they are workers or contractors Finally in conclusion these measures enhance the ease and convenience of site safety management That is all for my sharing today

Thank you everyone