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Replacing La Trobe University's Legacy License-Management System

The Challenge

La Trobe University in Melbourne, Australia, was using a patchwork of home-grown systems to manage software licenses. But differences between systems used by various departments made it challenging to distribute software across campus. The IT department also had concerns about the security of these aging, FTP-based systems and the long-term viability of maintaining them. The university needed a solution that could be used to manage their existing digital resources and support cloud licensing and other new models as needed.

The Solution

The university chose Kivuto Cloud to replace their existing solution. Kivuto Cloud helped them manage licenses for digital resources, while providing the following additional benefits.

- Simple management of departmental licenses

- The ability to distribute individual license keys directly to users

- Detailed, on-demand reporting

- A secure online portal where students and faculty can self-serve access to software.

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The Results

La Trobe replaced the disparate, unsecure systems used by various departments with a single, central, and secure solution. This gave central IT more control over how software licenses are managed and distributed while providing a streamlined and standardized experience to students and faculty throughout the school. Kivuto Cloud also saved the school the cost of hiring another resource to manage license distribution.

Kivuto Cloud has been so popular that students and faculty have requested that it be used to provide access to all of their digital resources.

About Kivuto

Since 1997, Kivuto has transformed the way academic software is delivered. Today, Kivuto streamlines the management and distribution of academic digital resources through Kivuto Cloud – a secure and centralized platform for schools to offer any type of digital resources to their students, faculty, and staff. Find out how Kivuto Cloud can help your institution. View our solution brief or book a demo today.

"Kivuto Cloud saves me a lot of time and ensures that my students and faculty get access to the resources they need in an environment that is easy to use and familiar to them, regardless of which department they are part of."

\- Adriano | IT Services Manager, La Trobe University

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