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Human centric lighting and tunable white solutions have also been implemented in many rooms of our new headquarters, such as the Barrisol light ceiling of our lounge.



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The New Helvar



*The lighting industry is changing and Helvar is embracing the future.
A couple of months back Helvar moved its headquarters to Espoo in
Finland, to newly renovated offices by the sea.*

The new Helvar headquarters brings together Finland based employees from Product Management, Research & Development, Sales, Marketing, Technical Support and Customer Service functions into one location from

three separate sites. The move creates an improved experience for all employees, thanks to the hi-tech working environment at Keilaranta, and provides easier access for customers visiting. It also enables Helvar to build a closer

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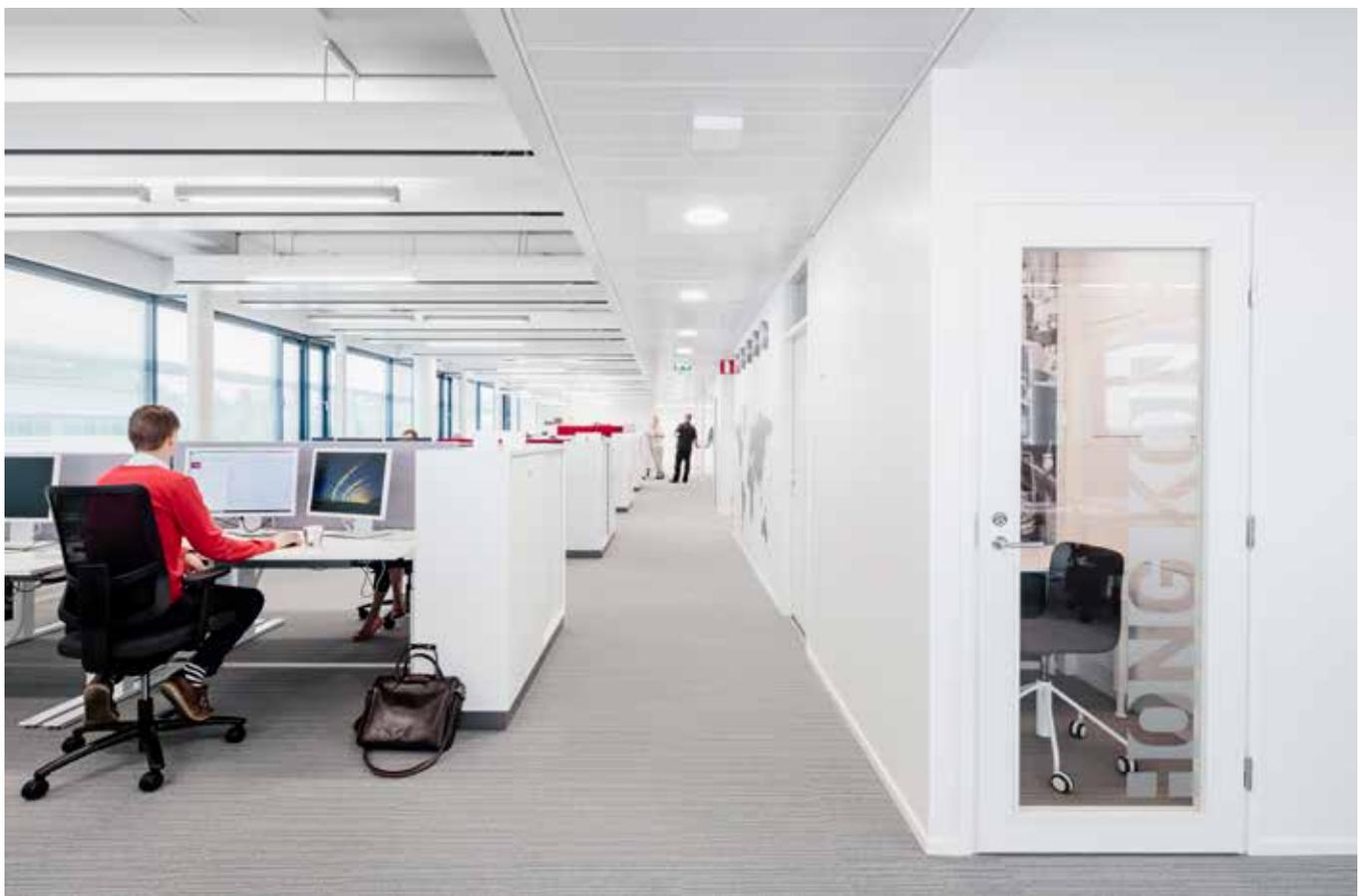
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partnership and collaborate more effectively with nearby Aalto University, Finland's leading institution, supporting technology, business and the arts.

Helvar's latest lighting controls technology is an integral feature of the new headquarters. It empowers employees, allowing them to accommodate the different type of spaces and tasks that take place in the facility and use the building as efficiently as possible. These include the capability to utilise informal areas for short discussions and meetings and also to take advantage of excellent mobile connectivity for those who need to work on the go.

“The company is at an exciting point in its growth and a significant part of that future is our developments in wired and wireless lighting control solutions and cloud services. The new headquarters in Espoo, Finland supports with its enhanced environment new ways of working that allow us to excel in these developments. It will allow us to bring added value to our customers and partners alongside.” says Lars Hellström, Marketing Director.

Helvar's intelligent lighting control system for its facility deploys automated solutions which enable the technology to adjust to natural light levels, time of day and the colour temperature needed, pre-programmed or self-learning. Wireless and DALI devices will combine to create versatile and personalised spaces for employees, allowing them to customise the lighting in their own work areas to suit personal preferences. It will thus impact positively on emotional well-being, motivation and the productivity of all employees.





The crisp and modern colour temperature of 4000 K was selected in the general areas of the new office, when in the meeting rooms the more cozy temperature of 3000 K helps to get a more intimate feeling.



Stand-alone solutions like Active+ and Select the Weather have been implemented in several rooms to show the easiness and simplicity of our commission free smart lighting solutions. Our predictive lighting solution, ActiveAhead is in use as well and learns more every day.