

Collaborative Business Intelligence strategy for a Central Government client (UK)



Following Gordon Brown's accession as UK Prime Minister, this organization was formed as a merger of 2 departments responsible for education and wider topics such as health, safety and well-being of children. It is also responsible for post-19 education, universities and adult learning. The project defined the departmental strategy for Business Intelligence inline with its new mission. **MIKE2.0 provided the overall approach, architecture framework and estimating models for building a business case for a multi-year solution. Also applied were thought-leading aspects of MIKE2.0 related to Enterprise 2.0.**

Business Needs

- A solution for coordinating policy work across Government
- An approach covering children's well-being, safety, protection, care and health, education, parenting, family welfare and child poverty.
- Address issues faced by analysts in supporting policy development, answering of parliamentary questions, measuring progress against PSA & DSO indicators and releasing statistics externally.

Our Approach

- Gathered high-level business requirements and defined CSFs based on interviews with over 50 individuals
- Defined future-state conceptual architecture
- Produced a case for change, business case, roadmap and financial model showing required activities, indicative costs and benefits
- Used the MIKE2.0 open source methodology as an overall framework

Client Results

- The approach was socialised and very well received at highest levels of DCSF and is progressing towards approval.
- The future Business Intelligence solution will be a key enabler for the department to meet its vision for the future.
- BearingPoint recently finished a proof of concept of the proposed strategic solution, built in conjunction with SAS and Teradata.