

West Edge Creative

Upgrading to Pro Tools HD

West Edge Creative needed an upgrade in order to meet the increasing demands of their music studio. When they came to us, we suggested and installed a Pro Tools HD 3 Accel system, D-Command control surface and a Mac Pro. The installation caused West Edge minimum disruption and gave them great potential for continued growth.

Based in Galway, West Edge Creative aims to provide the most up-to-date music and post-production facilities in the west of Ireland. Sean Horsman from West Edge has been touring for many years as a live engineer, working with artists like Elbow, McFly and Franz Ferdinand.

Powerful processing and hands-on control

With West Edge Creative going from strength to strength in recent years, the company required a studio upgrade to ensure it was able to meet increasing demand. To do this, they needed fast processing power and a high level of creative flexibility.

The main priority was to equip the studio with the latest technology. After consulting with one of our audio consultants, Rob Holsman, Sean and he agreed on a Pro Tools HD 3 Accel system, D-Command control surface and a Mac Pro to run it all. The command system's smooth workflow and hands-on control, combined with the Mac's processing power, would give the company the ability to handle the range of music and post services they wanted to provide, and maximise engineers' time.

More flexible production

In upgrading the studio, we provided West Edge with a high level of flexibility. The installation went without a hitch, and it's allowed the company to further its work in the industry, with the ability to mix TV and DVD recordings, and produce albums in-house.



In a nutshell...

Who are West Edge Creative?

Galway's West Edge Creative recording studio is run by Sean Horsman, a live engineer with acts including Elbow, McFly and Franz Ferdinand.

What did they need?

Faster, more powerful equipment that could cope with the growing demand for the studio.

How did Jigsaw24 help?

We provided a Pro Tools HD 3 Accel system and D-Command control surface, all run from a high-spec Mac Pro.

What were the benefits?

- The studio can now take on a larger number of high-end projects.
- Increased processing speeds and more powerful hardware mean that engineers can make more efficient use of their studio time.

“ Rob was there to sufficiently install the gear and see it up and running in a very short space of time, and the support is excellent. We're aiming to concentrate on TV and other post-production work from the end of this year, with plans to build a mobile facility next year. ”

Sean Horsman, **West Edge Creative.**

For more information about updating your studio to Pro Tools HD, get in touch on the details below.