General description
The virtual business space will provide a simulated office environment for a virtual business enterprise. Basic AV presentation facilities will be provided in both a simulated general office and meeting room environment for student and facilitator use.

Supported learning modes
Didactic / lecture presentation
In didactic mode, students and facilitators will be able to use basic AV presentation systems to deliver simple presentations.

Layout
AV presentation facilities will be provided in both the general office space and the meeting room.
A small cupboard will house dedicated PC and AV equipment. Users will be able to load DVDs, USB devices and other media directly to the cupboard-mounted PC.

Lighting control
Room lighting will be controlled by the lighting control panel.

Video display
Each AV presentation system will consist of a single projection onto a nominated wall. Video will be provided in wide aspect ratio, sized and specified primarily for the presentation of data. Users will have the capability to connect a laptop to the presentation display or to use a dedicated PC.

Audio reproduction
Reproduction of audio signals from a connected laptop or PC will be provided by small wall mounted stereo speakers. A wireless microphone may also be provided for voice reinforcement.

Control
Control of the presentation systems will be via a wall mounted keypad controller, at a location adjacent to each display. The presentation system will be controlled by the provided keyboard and mouse.

Interactivity and collaboration
Group collaboration in the virtual business space will be provided by shared audio and video signals.

For more information contact your Academic Development Group