

### BLD124689 - Reaping the Benefits of the Cloud

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### **Class summary**

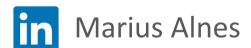
- This class will demonstrate what Collaboration for Revit (C4R) is, and how the integration with BIM 360 Team works.
- Tips and workflows using C4R in large scale multidisciplinary projects.
- How to communicate and collaborate in the cloud using BIM 360 Team.

### **Learning Objectives**

- Discover best collaboration practices in large-scale multidisciplinary projects
- Learn how to identify the potential of BIM 360 Teams, and how it transforms the traditional designing process
- Understand how to tap into the cloud with help of Forge 360
- Learn how to drive innovation and save money simultaneously

### The speaker

- Civil Engineer and BIM specialist at Norconsult.
- Have been working with Revit and other Autodesk products for over 10 years.
- BIM/Revit geek, and proud of it!
- Get connected







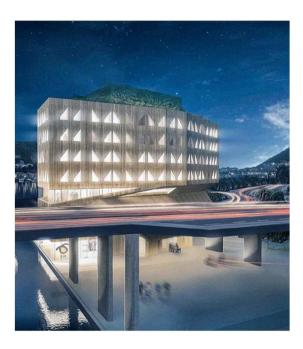
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### **The Company**

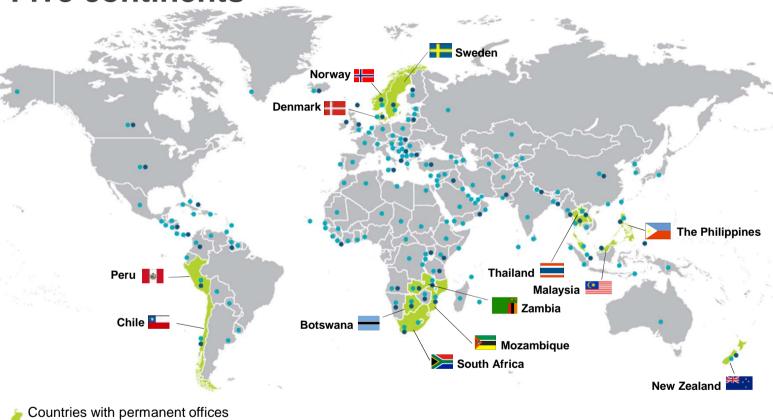
## Norconsult 💸

- 3250 Employees
- 20 000 Projects
- 4,2 Sales MRD NOK
- 52 Countries with projects





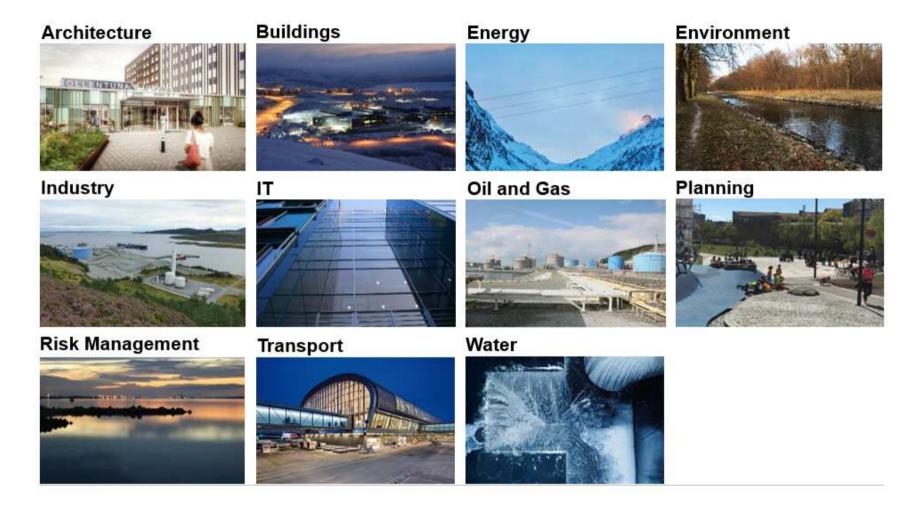
#### 90 offices **Five continents**



Countries with projects in 2016

Countries with projects since 1956

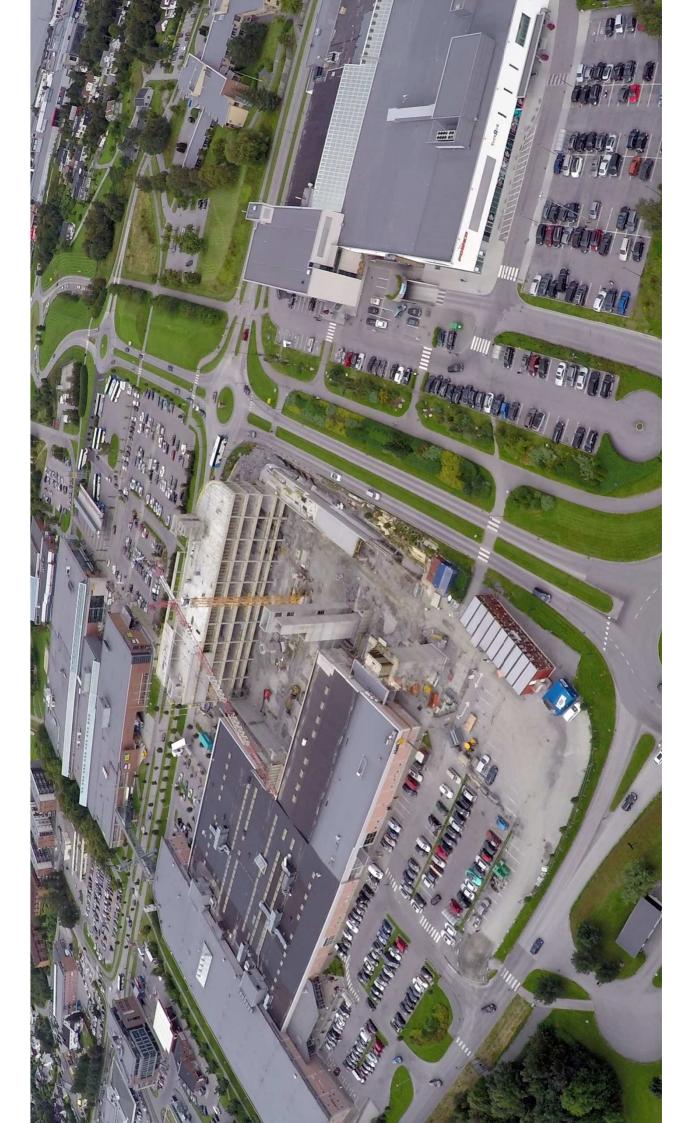
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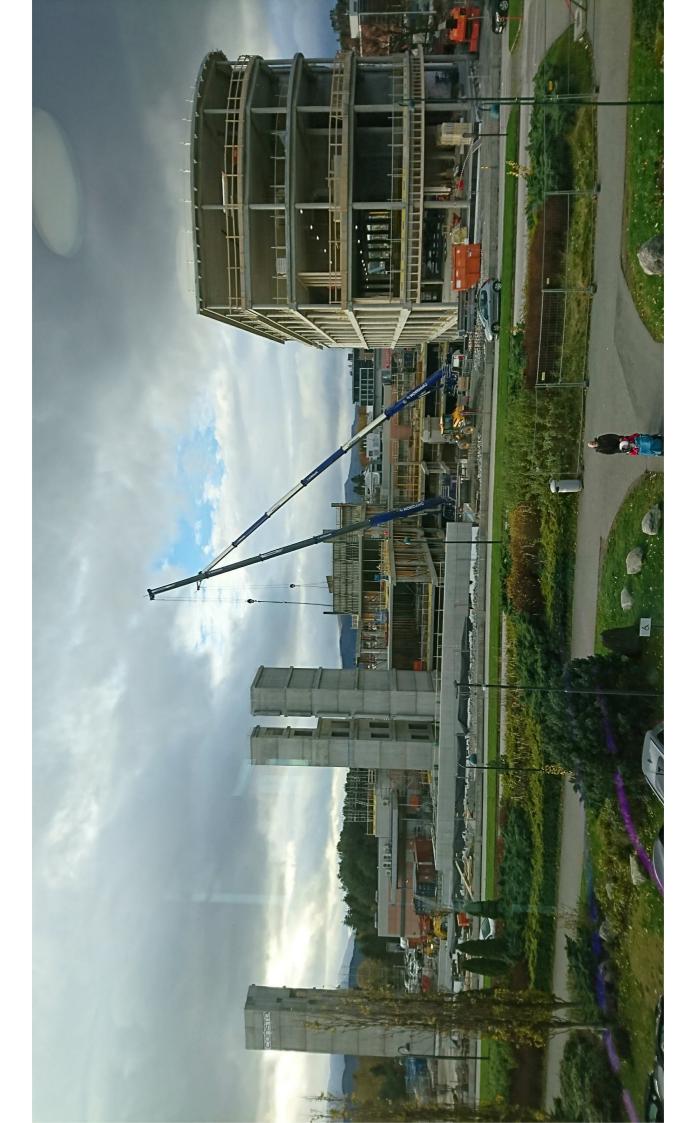


### The project

- Expansion of existing shopping center with 36.000 m2.
- Project started december 2016.
- Estimated to be finished in november 2018.
- Will be Norways biggest shopping center with a total of 130.000 m2 after expansion is finished.







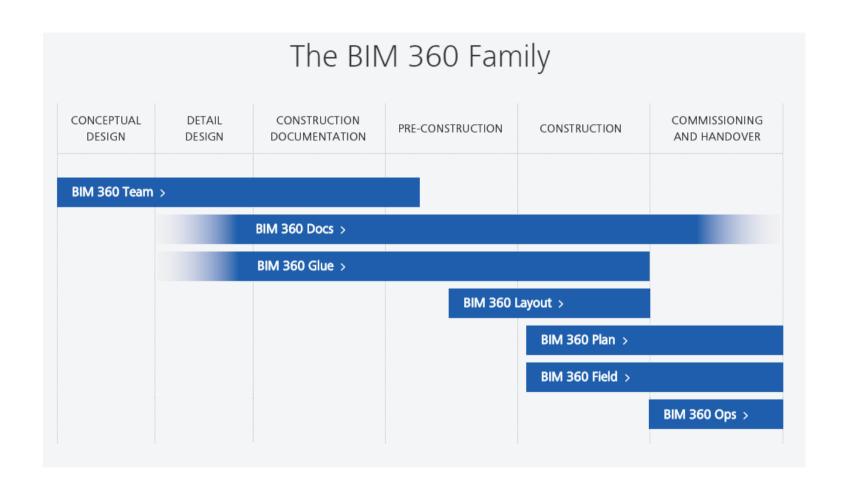


Overview

### **Collaboration for Revit (C4R)**



### BIM 360 Team, and the other family members....





Project startup

### How do I get C4R and BIM 360 Team?

- Subscribe to the C4R services from the Autodesk webpage.
- Assign the purchased contract to a BIM 360 Team HUB and invite users to it.
- Create a project on the Team HUB.
- Leave this to the Contract Managers or Software Coordinators!
- Now you are ready to roll!

### Starting a cloud based project

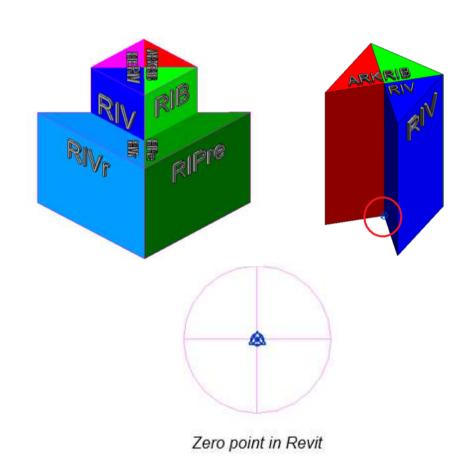
- Start a Revit project file as you always do.
- The difference is in the Worksharing tab.
- Save the project file to the Cloud.



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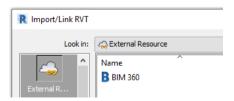
### **Operation Zero-Point**

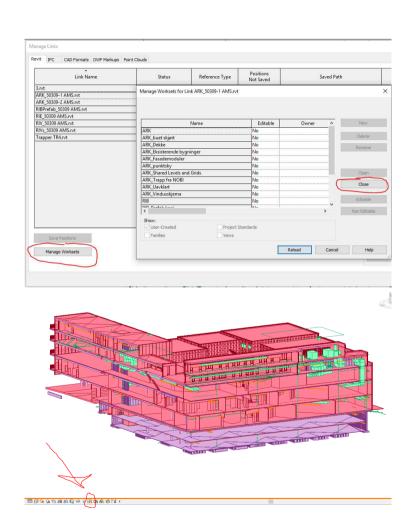
- Probably the most important thing you do in the project!
- Define location early!
- Why make it complicated when it can be made ridiculous easy?
- Use Origin to Origin when linking models together!



#### Worksets

- Add each Revit link to a own workset.
- Simplifies controls of the linked files.
- Ability to not load worksets in linked files.
- Speeds up performance.
- Visualize different disciplines with worksharing display.





### Multiple objects @ the same location – Maybe not?

- Define the ambitions of BIM in the project.
- The different disciplines control their own objects.
- The Architect removes ALL the structural objects after the Civil Engineer have take over the responsibility of the objects.
- Structural objects ONLY in the Engineers model.
- What about doors/windows in concrete walls?
- Cast in place and precast objects. How about the analytical lines?
- The details are always correct!

# Live Demo



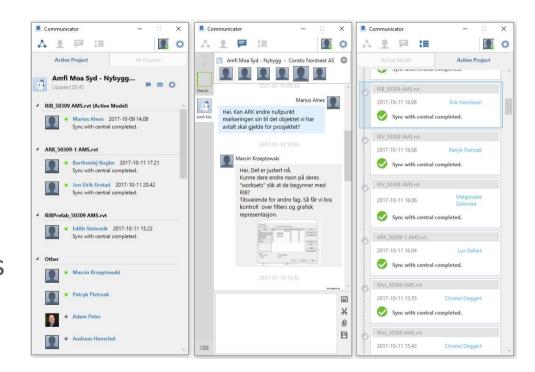
Drawing Live in Revit

### **Collaborating in the Cloud**

- Everything is up to date. Always!
- No need for importing/exporting Revit models.
- Building the projects puzzles pieces together!
- Keep in mind that communication is essential.
- Make ruleset for how changes should be communicated.

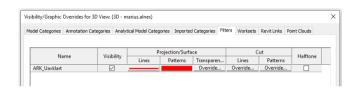
#### The communicator

- Communicate with project members through a chat function.
- Capture an area on the screen and send it to project members.
- Keep track on the updates on the different models, and see when the files are synchronized.



### **Highlight unfinished areas**

- Something in your model that are made temporary or to show an alternative option?
- Show it to the other project members!
- Keep in mind that you are not the only one in the model.
- Add objects to a workset so other disciplines can apply colour filters to it.





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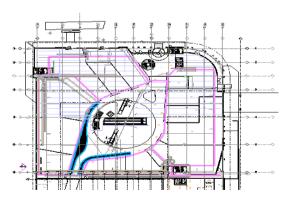


Publish views/sheets to the cloud

### Setting up the views before publishing

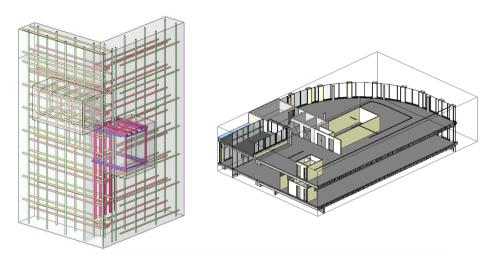
- Make views which have different combinations of project disciplines.
- Structural elements and the technical disciplines to locate duct openings etc.
- Include 2D views to support the 3D views when commenting on the BIM 360 platform.
- Add view templates to the views when you have them just the way you want!

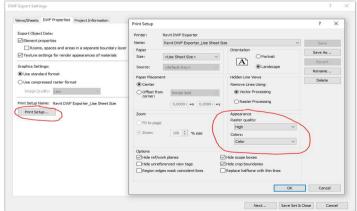




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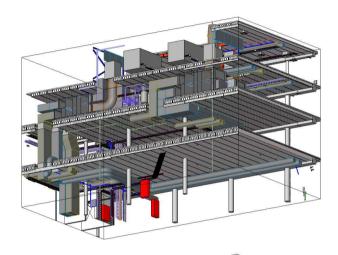
- Use section box to crop views of complex details in 3D or to crop a specific area in the model you want to highlight.
- Remember to set the DWF export settings before publishing!
- Revit use these settings when publishing the views to the cloud.

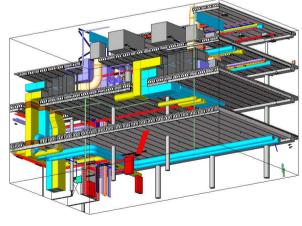




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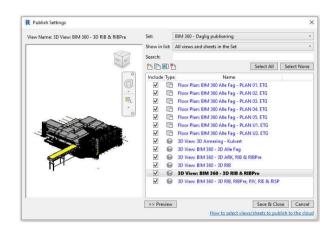
- Put colours on the pipes and ducts!
- Use "By linked view" in the VG overrides in the linked file.
- Tell the technical engineers to set up views you can borrow.

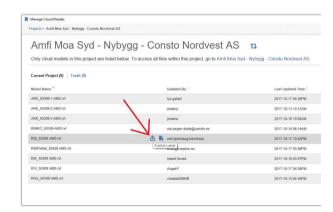




### Publishing the views/sheets to the Cloud

- Set up the views and sheets you want to publish to the cloud.
- Save different sets to make it easier to publish next time.
- Remember to synchronize before publishing!
- By clicking one button you will publish the drawings.
- The best part is that the publishing process is running in the background! No waiting time!





# Live demo

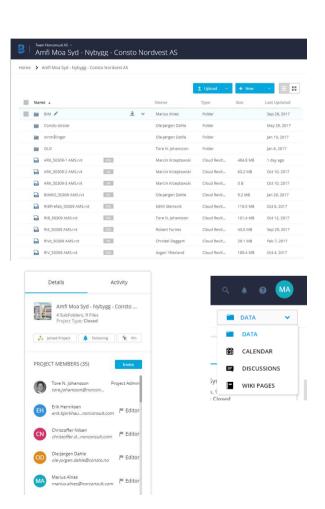
# 2 min stretch!



BIM 360 Team

#### The dashboard

- The Cloud Revit models are located at this area.
- When clicking on a Revit model file you will be able to view the last published views/sheets.
- It is NOT the last synchronized file you are opening!
- Keep track of when the models have been published the last time.
- Add folders and upload any type of files.
- Calendar, Discussions and Wiki Pages.
- Overview of project members.



### **Forge Viewer**

- Great viewer! Graphics are awesome!
- Made very easy. Everyone can use it.
- Can open multiple 2D and 3D file formats.
- Click on the Cloud Revit files to view published views/sheets.
- Highlight objects categories or objects in the model.







### **Forge Viewer**

- Have multiple tools to explore and analyse the models.
- Basic tools such as orbit, pan, zoom, etc.
- First person (new first person). Great to get e realistic view of the design.
- Markups. This is the BIM 360 Team tool.
- Section analysis. Same as in many other viewers, but still a little different.
- Print button to collect snapshots from the model.
- Properties. See object information.

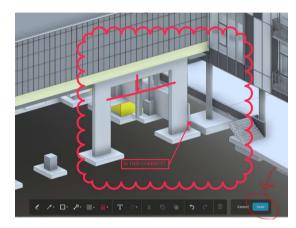


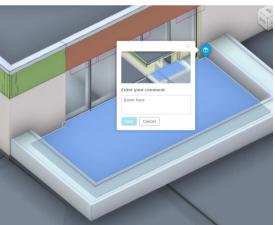
### **Using BIM 360 Team**

- Collaborating and communication using the cloud.
- Unites all team members on the same platform.
- Closer communication between the designers and the contractors.
- Accessible from anywhere using a web browser or mobile device.
- Make faster decision with all the stakeholders connected.

# **Using BIM 360 Team**Markup and comment tool

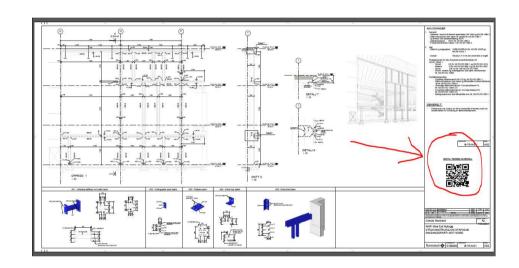
- 3 ways to communicate in the forge viewer.
- Use the markup tool to draw symbols and add text to a still image from the model.
   Great to show a different solution etc.
- Add comments to a point or object.
- Add a general comment using the comment field in the viewer.





#### **QR** codes

- QR codes are awesome!
- All you need is a web address and a QR code generator.
- Drawings are made from 3D models.
  Make the models accessible in the cloud.
- Put QR codes on sheets to connect the 2D drawing and 3D model.



### **QR-Code – Try it!**

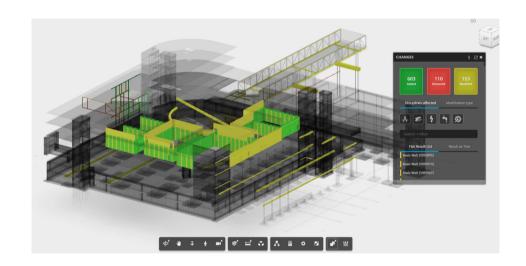


#### **Live Review**

- Set up a live session of the model with anyone.
- We browser is all you need. No software installation.
- Anyone of the invited members can control the model.
- Faster decision making.
- Discuss a problem on the building site from your office!

### **Compare versions**

- Compare different model versions.
- Highlight added, removed and modified elements.
- Keep track on the changes in the models.
- Great tool for contractors and building owners.

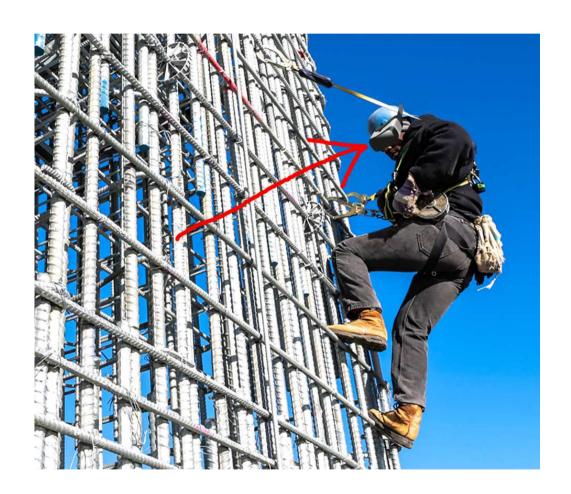




Final thoughts

### Final thoughts about the future

- Do we need the 2D detailing?
- Paperless projects. Are we there yet?
- VR on the building site?



# Questions?

#### **Office Hours**

- Other questions?
- This classroom, Delfino 4004, from 5:30pm to 6:30pm today!
- I'll be waiting.

#### **Session feedback**

- Your feedback is important. Fill out the class survey
- Use the AU mobile app or fill out a class survey online.
- Give feedback after each session.





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