

Training+ Client Case Study – Pladis

Driving Consumption, Productivity and Adoption of Microsoft Office 365 for their global workforce.

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During 2016, Yildiz Holding brought together its core biscuit and confectionary businesses Godiva Chocolatier, Ulker, United Biscuits and DeMet Candy Company to form a new global company, Pladis. This created CEEMEA’s largest food company boasting over 350 years of family brand heritage. With this came the challenge of uniting 26,000 people, based at 34 sites across 13 countries. This new, global business needed to collaborate seamlessly across their sites, and they chose Microsoft Office 365 as their digital workplace platform to enable this.

Pladis quickly realised that in conjunction with their technical project to facilitate the roll out they would require a strategy to drive skills and adoption. However, the global, disparate nature of their business meant it was going to be a challenge that required an innovative solution. After assessing their options, they turned to Combined Knowledge and their Training+ Office 365 Azure app to complement their drive for true transformation.

Pladis employees are able to self-serve, high quality 1080P, modularise Office 365 video learning at their desk or on the move from within their Office 365 environment. This approach not only provides the base level of knowledge each employee requires, it also allows them to continually build their skills, remain agile and up to date with all of the latest Office 365 developments. The benefit realisation is immediate as Pladis can push essential learning to their power user group to help them provide instant business support as well as allowing the wider population to pull learning as and when required.

Training+ has helped Pladis drive true benefit from their Office 365 adoption, ensuring a smooth transition to their new digital workplace was achieved with minimal disruption to business as usual. They are now also reaping the benefits of ongoing, up to date training content at their fingertips. All achieved in a cost-effective way without the traditional classroom training headaches of cost, travel and time away from the office.

