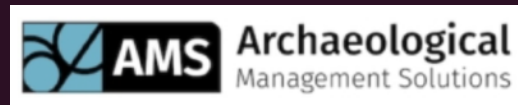


Client Case Studies



3 ISO Implementation – Archaeological Management Solutions



The Context

- Archaeological Management Services (AMS) has brought together a unique multidisciplinary team of archaeologists, project managers and historians.
- Founded in 2011 by Ed Danaher, AMS is divided into three service sections: Environmental Impact Assessment, Archaeological Contractor and Project Archaeologist.
- The AMS Irish office is based in Kilrush, Co. Clare and its UK team is based in York.
- Initially, AMS wished to formalise and align its existing quality management system to the requirements of ISO 9001 and achieve certification.

The Challenge

- When Antaris began working with AMS, we soon realised that the company was already working to an extremely high level of quality, environment, and health and safety requirements.
- The team was extremely knowledgeable and very quickly assumed responsibility for quality, environment and health and safety issues.
- As the company was quite advanced in the quality of its management systems documentation, the big challenge was to instill confidence in the implementation team and ensure it was conversant with the management system terminology and processes required by the three standards.

The Idea

- Antaris began working with Archaeological Management Solutions with the initial task of implementing ISO 9001:2015 in order to meet tender requirements.
- Additional requirements arose for ISO 14001, and then ISO 45001.
- AMS decided to change the scope of the project from ISO 9001 implementation to the implementation of an integrated management system comprising of ISO 9001, ISO 14001 and ISO 45001.

The Execution

- Antaris worked closely with the AMS team to arrange and update their documentation and explain how they were meeting standard requirements.
- Antaris carried out internal audits and pre-certification audits with AMS and approached these in such a way as to increase awareness and confidence while ensuring their system was meeting all standard requirements.
- Antaris worked closely with the AMS team prior to the certification audit with NSAI to ensure that it had full confidence in the integrity of its management systems.

The Results

- AMS received zero findings in its audit and was commended on the quality of both the development and implementation of all three management systems.
- AMS is now certified to all three standards: ISO 9001, ISO 14001 and ISO 45001
- Antaris continues to work with AMS since they received certification. Antaris has helped them complete tender documentation and will continue to work with them as their management system matures and becomes fully integrated into the AMS business processes.

Thank you.

We look forward to hearing from you.

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