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Project size: 15,000 ft^2

Ovarro, (formally Servelec Technologies prior to this project) has been a long standing client, with Dale having worked on fit-out projects in London and Sheffield on their behalf.

With Ovarro's project in Eckington we were able to deliver a turnkey solution in under 12 weeks that delivered on the organisations key goals, a space that was future-proofed to facilitate their growth aspirations; a space that attracts and retains the best talent in a competitive industry through offering a office space that inspires and promotes wellbeing.

The project was delivered on time and on budget, and by using a phased approach to complete the project, Ovarro's team were still able to continue working from their location.

MEETING OUR CLIENTS GOALS THROUGH DESIGN

Our tactics to meet Ovarro's company goals were to bring the design together under a grand unifying theme that was creative and reflective of Ovarro's brand. We tried to foster an atmosphere of teamwork with collaborative spaces, white boards and technology and support employee wellbeing and mental health, by providing, breakout areas, booths for independent working, improved welfare facilities, including WC's, shower facilities and kitchen areas.

Although we do a lot of research to understand what our clients do, we don't pretend to be experts in their field. What we do know is that providing hardware and software to clients all around the world means a huge variety of job types among the workforce.
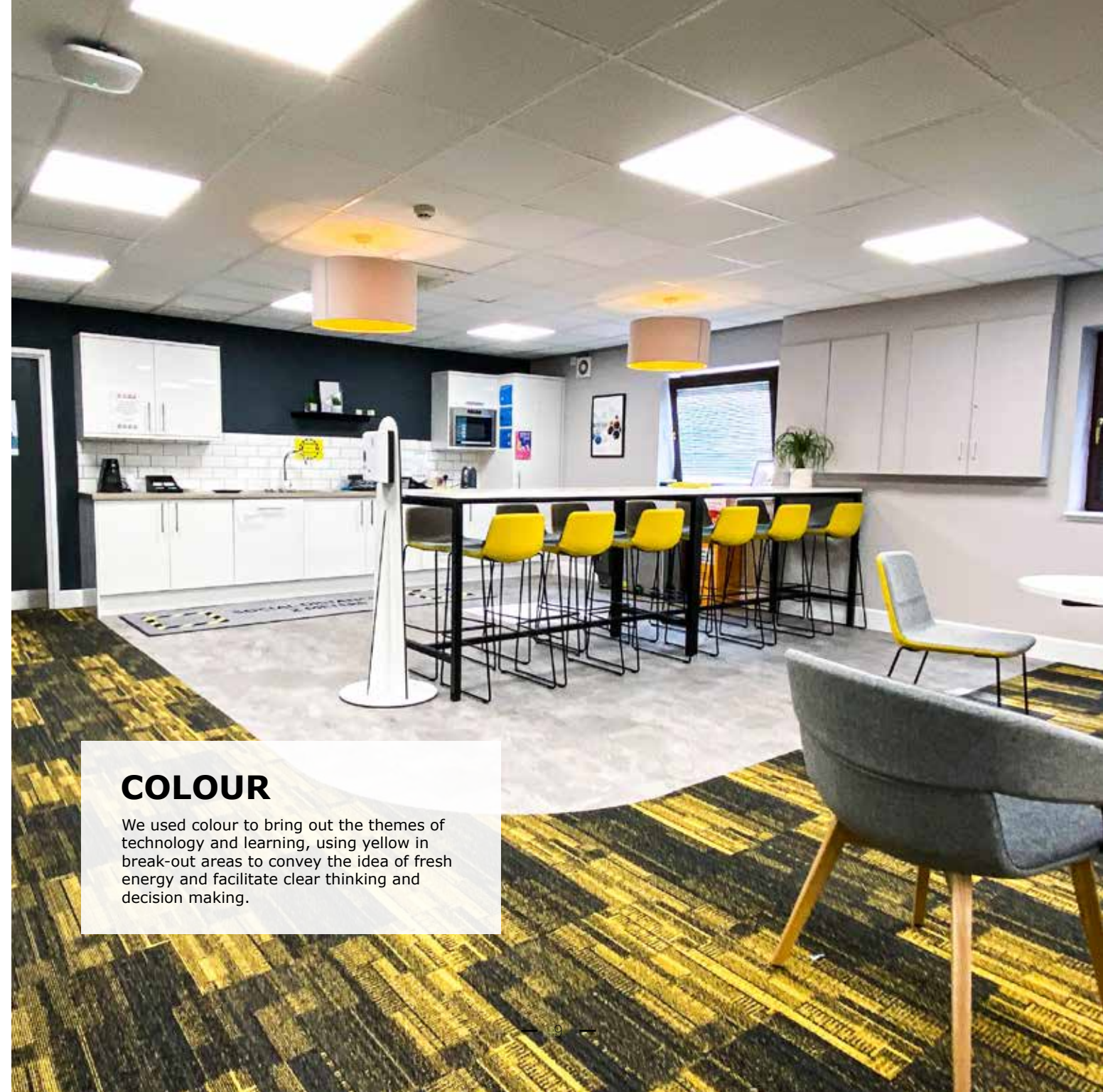
ACOUSTICS WAS KEY

Naturally, all those different job functions operating in one open plan space meant that Ovarro faced a major noise issue. With a room full of software developers, engineers, salespeople and account managers working away, the background volume of the space posed an acoustic problem.

We decided to take a slightly contradictory sounding approach: accommodate those different ways of working, while actually improving collaboration.

We did this by splitting the space into team areas using acoustic panels in conjunction with structural poles to create sound-absorbing barriers. This clearly delineated between teams and the main walkways, without having something as permanent as a solid partition.
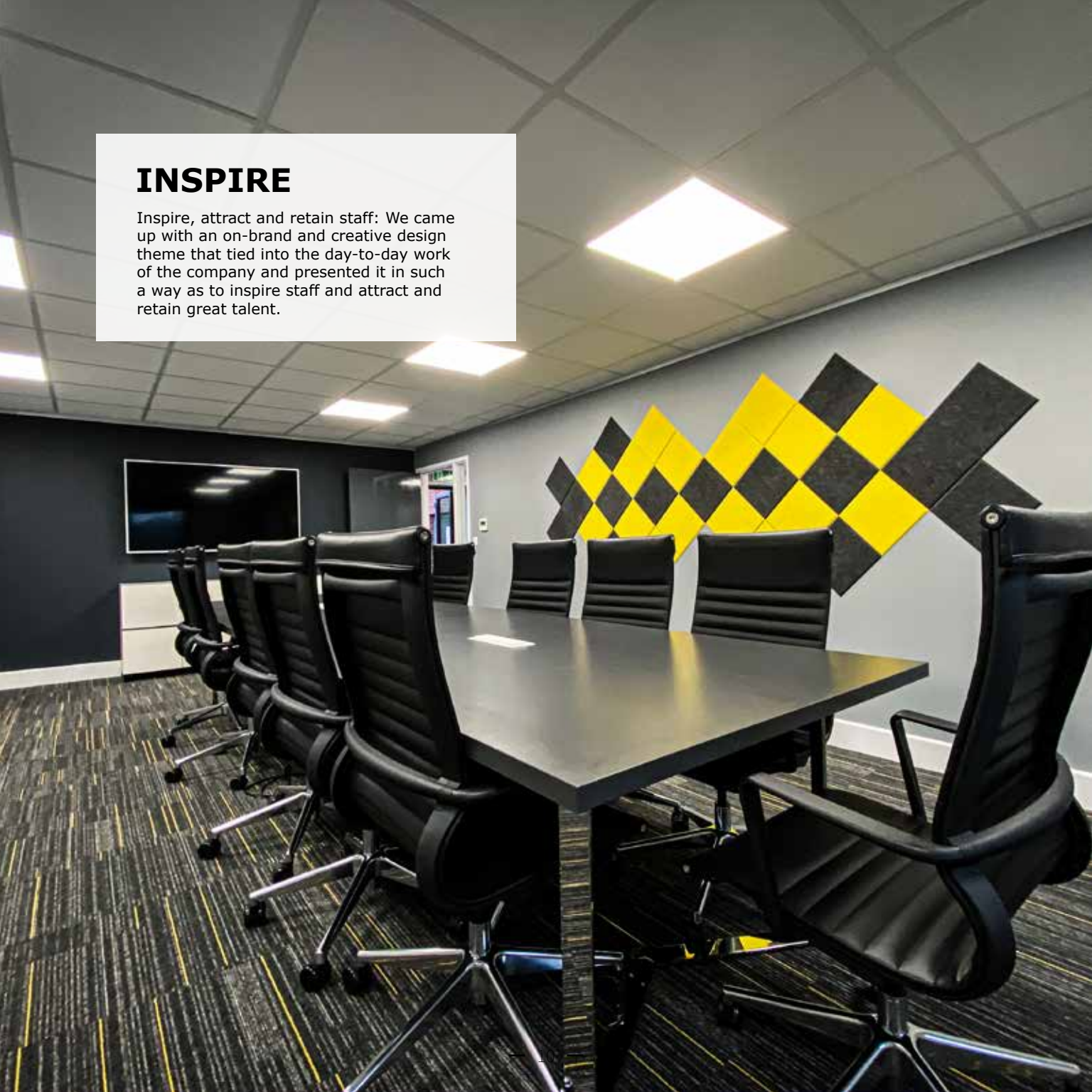
COLOUR

We used colour to bring out the themes of technology and learning, using yellow in break-out areas to convey the idea of fresh energy and facilitate clear thinking and decision making.

INSPIRE

Inspire, attract and retain staff: We came up with an on-brand and creative design theme that tied into the day-to-day work of the company and presented it in such a way as to inspire staff and attract and retain great talent.

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