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ALPHA CONTROL ECOSYSTEM [ACE]

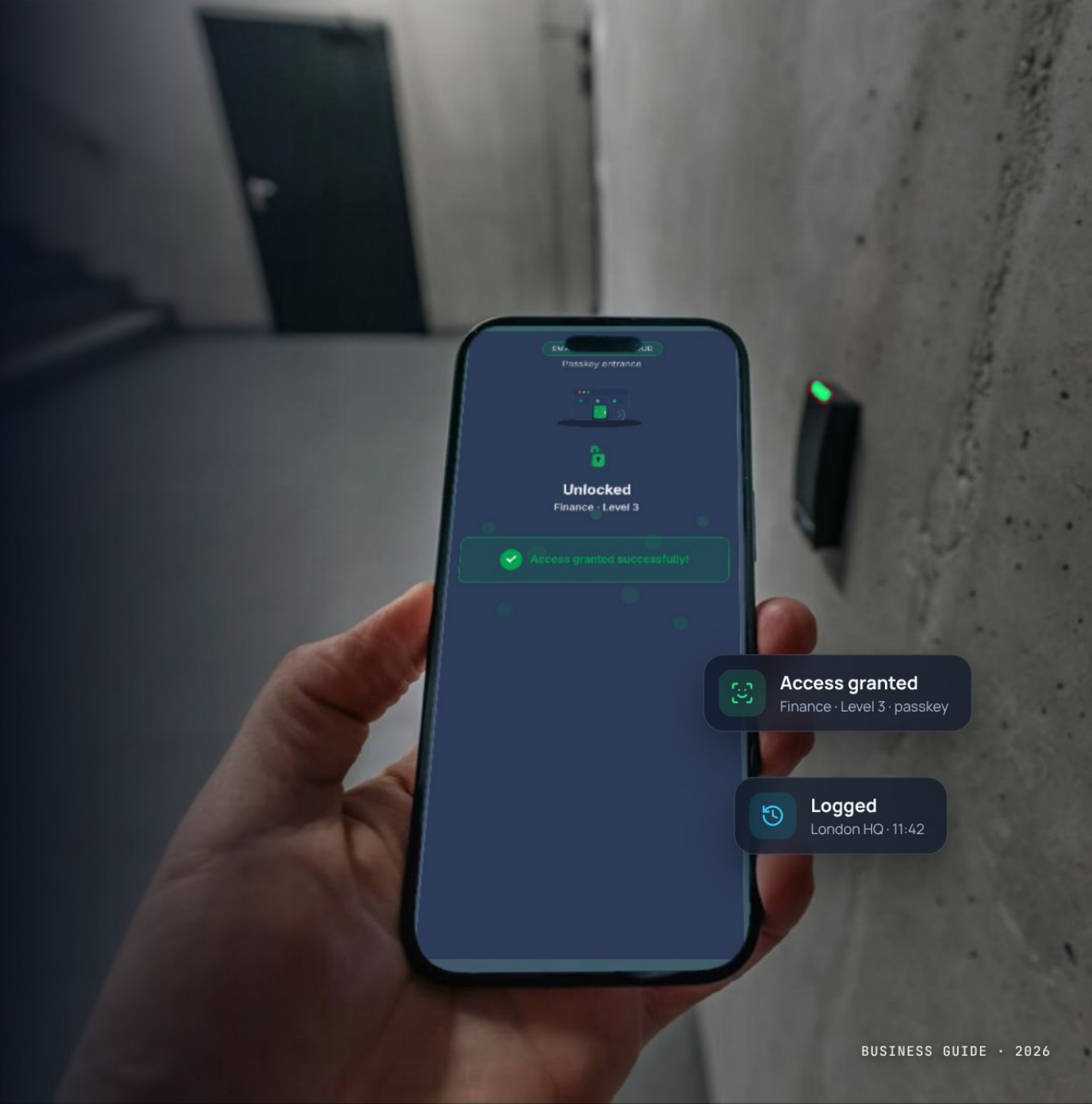
CLOUD ACCESS CONTROL FOR BUSINESS

Every door. Every site. One platform.

Access control, visitor management and video intercom for offices and multi-site organisations, run from any browser.

Book a demo →

See why it's different



No on-site servers

Cellular in 150+ countries

Live audit trail

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THE OLD WAY

Access control built for the server room.

- **A server to buy, patch and back up**
  Plus its database, operating system and licences.
- **Software on one PC, in one office**
  Away from that desk you can't see or change anything.
- **Cards to print, lose and re-issue**
  And no real idea who still has the old ones.
- **Cable from every door to a panel**
  Expensive to install, slow to extend.
- **A separate system for every site**
  Each new office means another server, VPN or contract.

THE NEW WAY

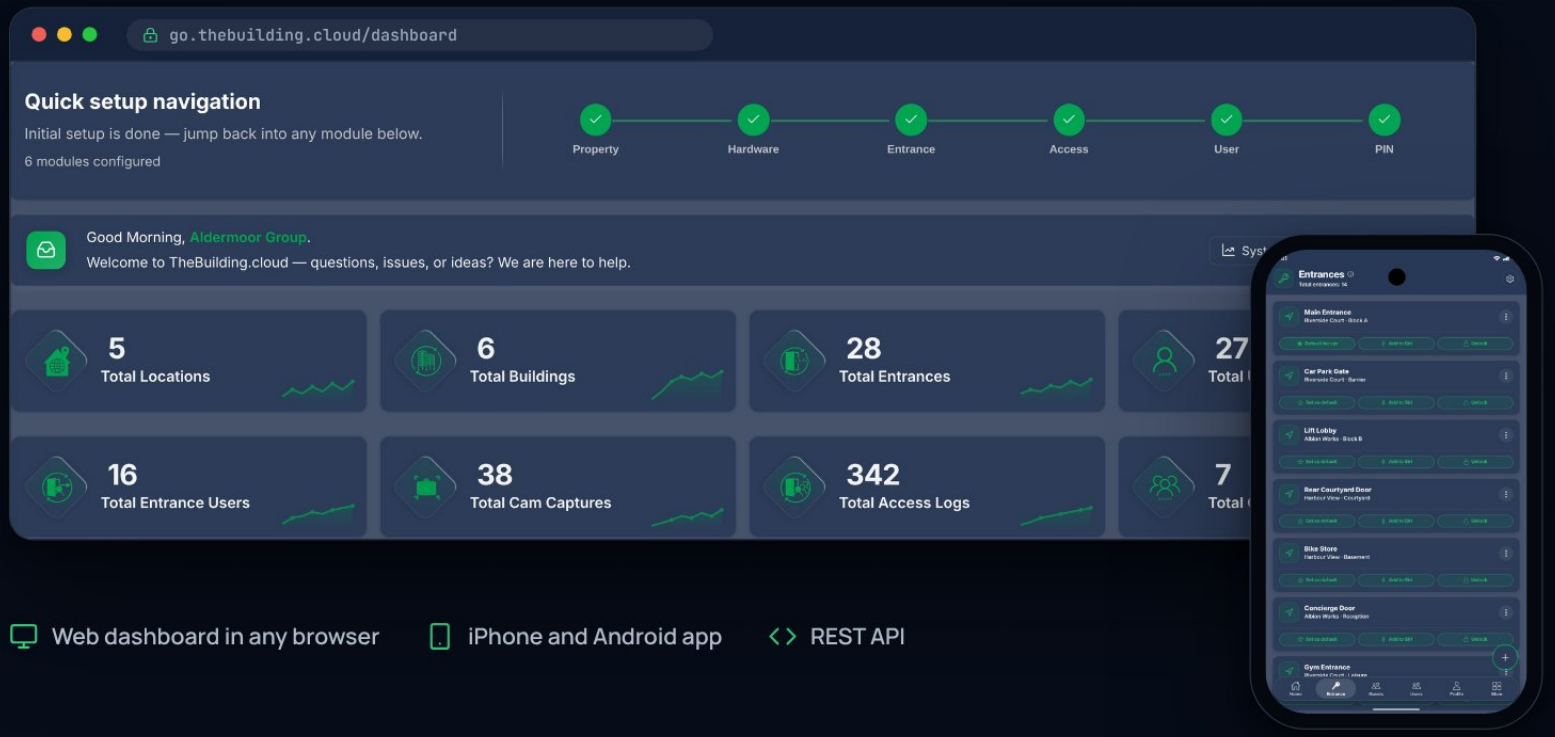
Access control that runs in the cloud.

- **Nothing to host**
  No servers, no software to install, nothing to back up.
- **Any browser, anywhere**
  Run every site from the security desk, a laptop or a phone.
- **The phone is the credential**
  Passkey, QR code or PIN. Cards and fobs still work.
- **Each door connects on its own**
  Cellular or Wi-Fi controllers, no cable back to a panel.
- **Every site in one dashboard**
  A new office joins the same platform, people and rules.

• THE PLATFORM

Everything your doors need. One login.

Access control, visitors, intercom, audit and integrations share the same people, doors and sites. Set something up once and it works everywhere.



Web dashboard in any browser iPhone and Android app REST API

Access control
Doors, groups, credentials and schedules

Visitor management
Pre-registered visitors with QR passes

Video intercom
Answer on phone, tablet, browser or car

Audit trail
Live logs, filters and exports

Integrations
Fire, intruder, CCTV, number plates

Automation
Rules, alerts and notifications

● MULTI-SITE

Every site. Every building. Every door.

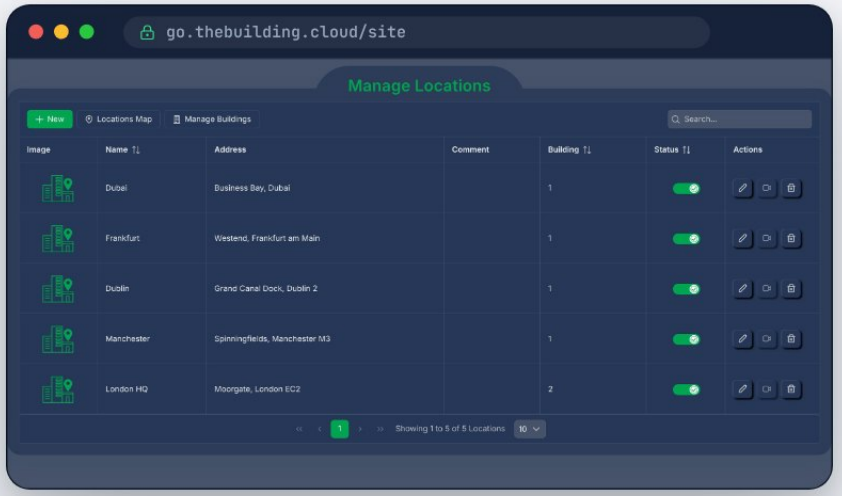
One structure from head office to the smallest branch. Give each site its own managers and keep the whole picture in one place.

ORGANISATION

Aldermoor Group
Organisation · 28 doors

LOCATIONS · BUILDINGS · DOORS

- **London HQ** — Moorgate, London — 2 buildings · 15 doors
- **Manchester** — Spinningfields — 1 building · 4 doors
- **Dublin** — Grand Canal Dock — 1 building · 3 doors
- **Frankfurt** — Westend — 1 building · 3 doors
- **Dubai** — Business Bay — 1 building · 3 doors



Delegated site managers

Operators see and manage only the buildings assigned to them.

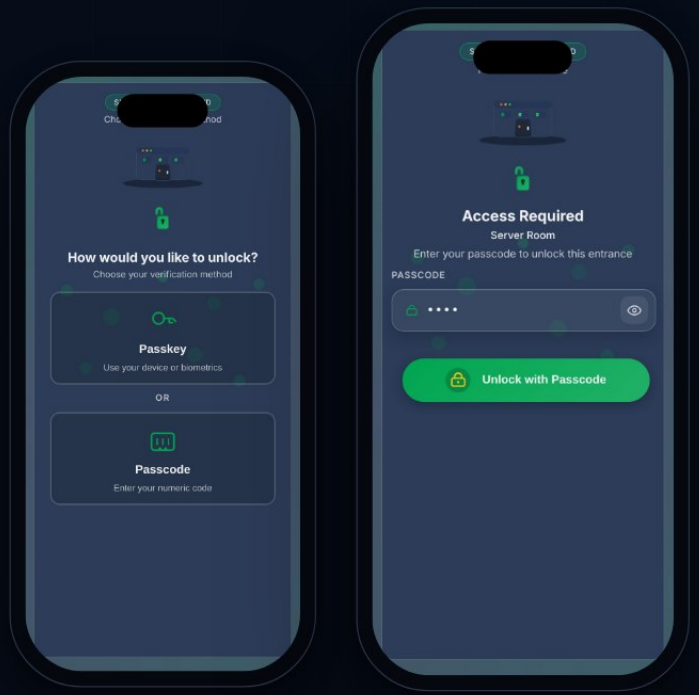
Several organisations, one login

Switch between workspaces without signing out.

● CREDENTIALS

One door.
Every way in.

Staff, visitors and contractors each use what suits them. Every credential is issued, limited and removed from the same dashboard.



Phone passkey
Face ID or fingerprint, no app needed

Passcode
Typed on the phone's number pad

QR code or NFC tag
Scan or tap to open the unlock page

Card or fob
Tapped on the reader

Keypad code
Typed on the door keypad

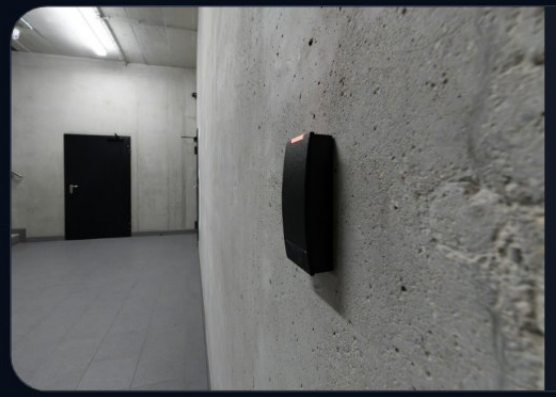
Number plate
Read by car park cameras

Remote
Key-fob remote for gates

Caller ID
Call the door to open it

App and dashboard
An Unlock button, wherever you are

Video intercom
Visitors call, staff let them in



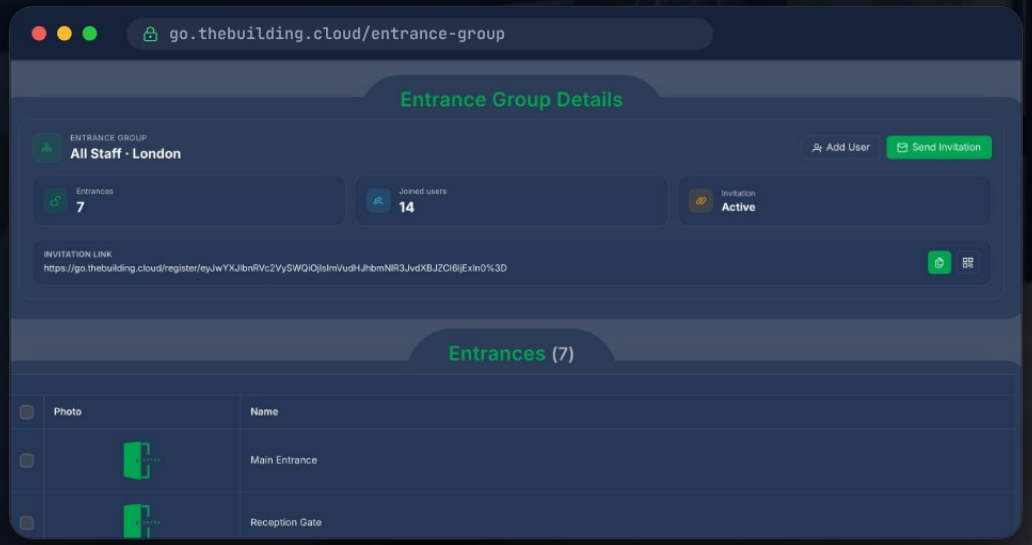
Replacing a system? Keep what works.

Ontico controllers have Wiegand inputs, so existing card readers and keypads can often stay. Your current cards and fobs become credentials in the same dashboard.

INTERNAL DOORS

Not just the front door. Every door inside.

Finance, server rooms, executive floors, post rooms. Put every internal door on the same system as the entrance and decide exactly who goes where.



Finance Team

Level 3 · Finance

3 PEOPLE · OFFICE HOURS

IT & Server Rooms

Server Room · London · Comms Cupboard · Server Room · Manchester · IT Room · Dublin · Serverraum · Frankfurt

5 DOORS IN 4 CITIES

Executive Floor

Level 4 · Executive Suite · Board Room

4 PEOPLE

Contractors · Goods In

Goods In · Post Room

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● ACCESS RIGHTS

Right people.
Right doors.
Right hours.

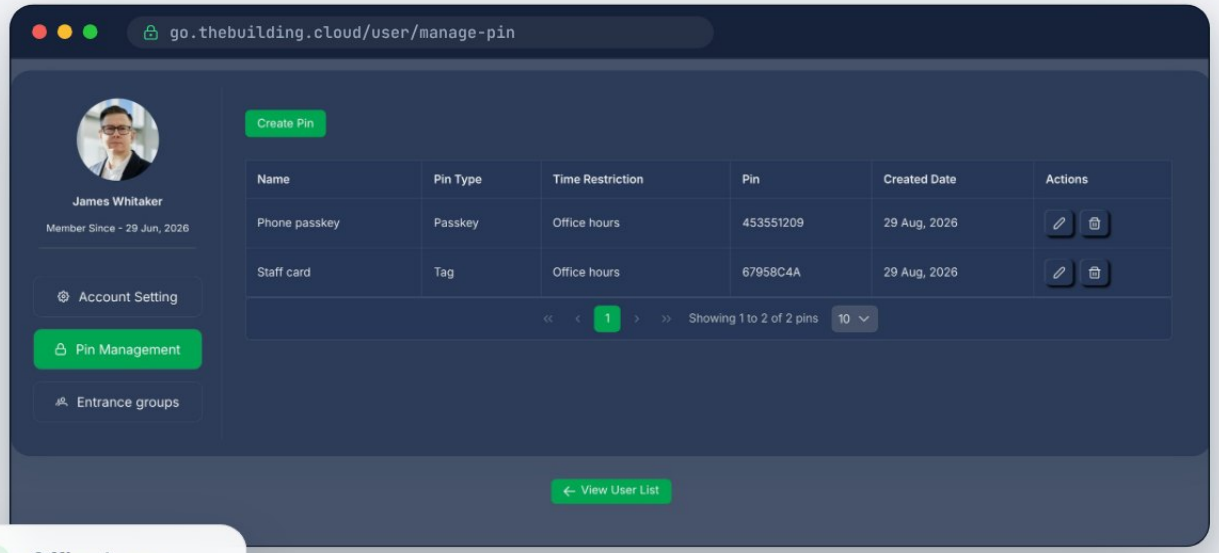
Access groups
A group is a list of doors. Add someone to it and they can open all of them.

Time limits on credentials
Days, hours, start and end dates, even a number of uses, checked by the controller.

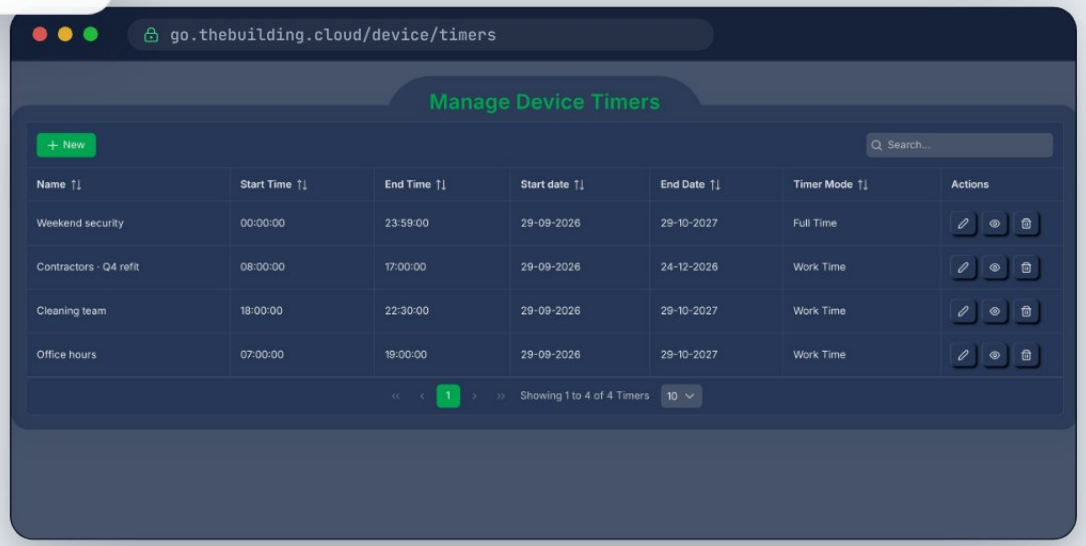
Unlock schedules
Keep reception open during the day, one-off or recurring, in each site's timezone.

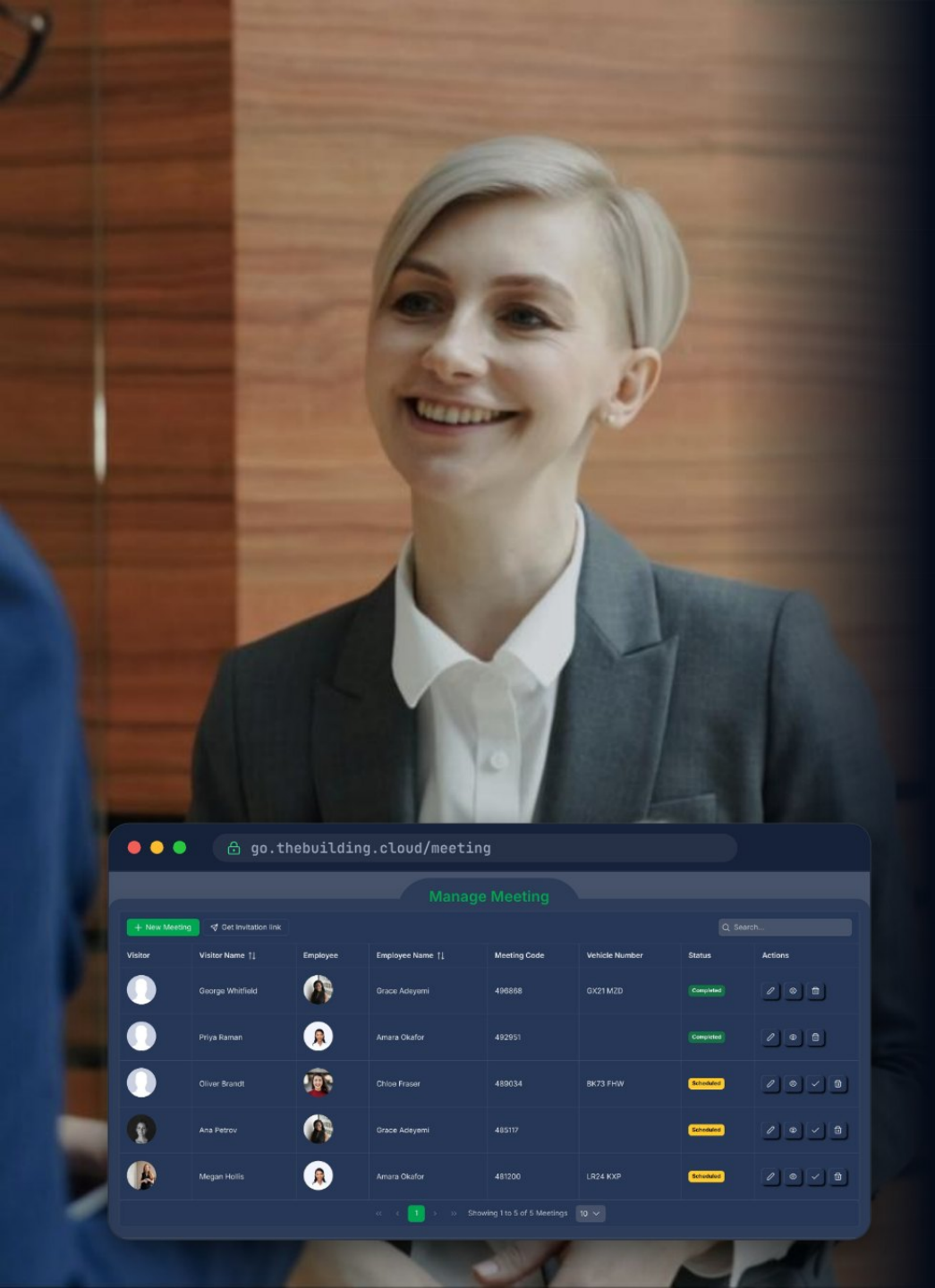
Location check
App unlocks work only within a set distance of the door.

Remove in seconds
Delete a person or a credential and their access ends.





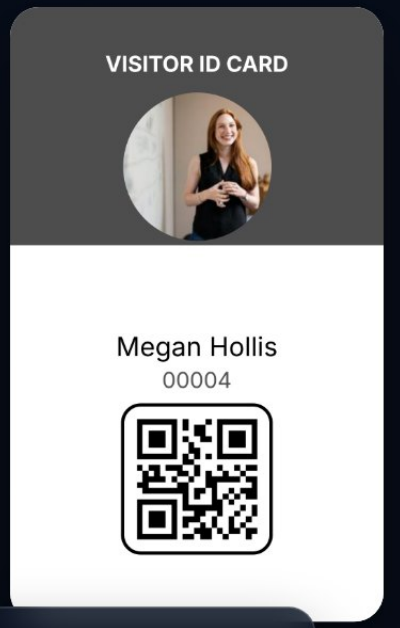


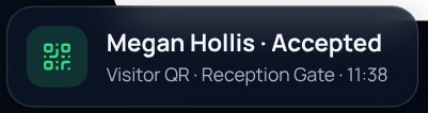


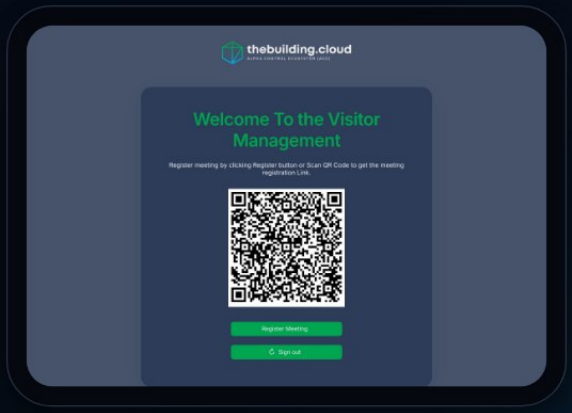
● VISITOR MANAGEMENT

Expected. Pre-cleared. Welcomed.

1. **Book the visit**
   Visitor, host, purpose, date, times and vehicle plate.
2. **A visitor card by email**
   Its QR code opens reception. A plate can open the car park.
3. **Scan and walk in**
   Each entry lands in the audit trail.
4. **Visit over, access over**
   Mark it complete or let the visitor sign out. Their codes are deleted.







SELF-REGISTRATION AT RECEPTION

SECURITY OPERATIONS

Every site from one desk.
Or any browser.

Live access logs
Updates as doors open, at every site.

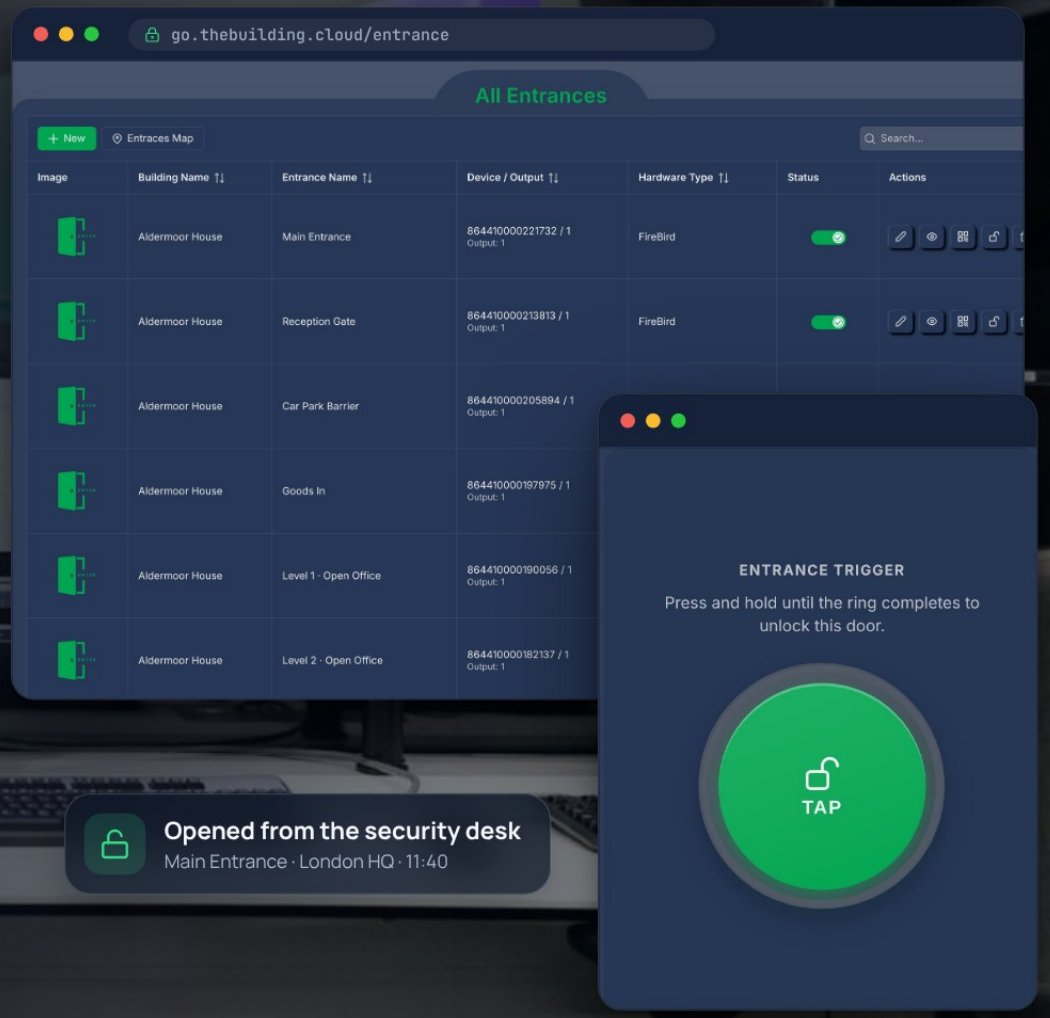
Remote unlock
Press and hold to open a door from the dashboard.

Intercom in the browser
Answer visitors and tap Unlock.

Maps
Every location, building, door and controller.

Floor plans
Live device icons on your own plans.

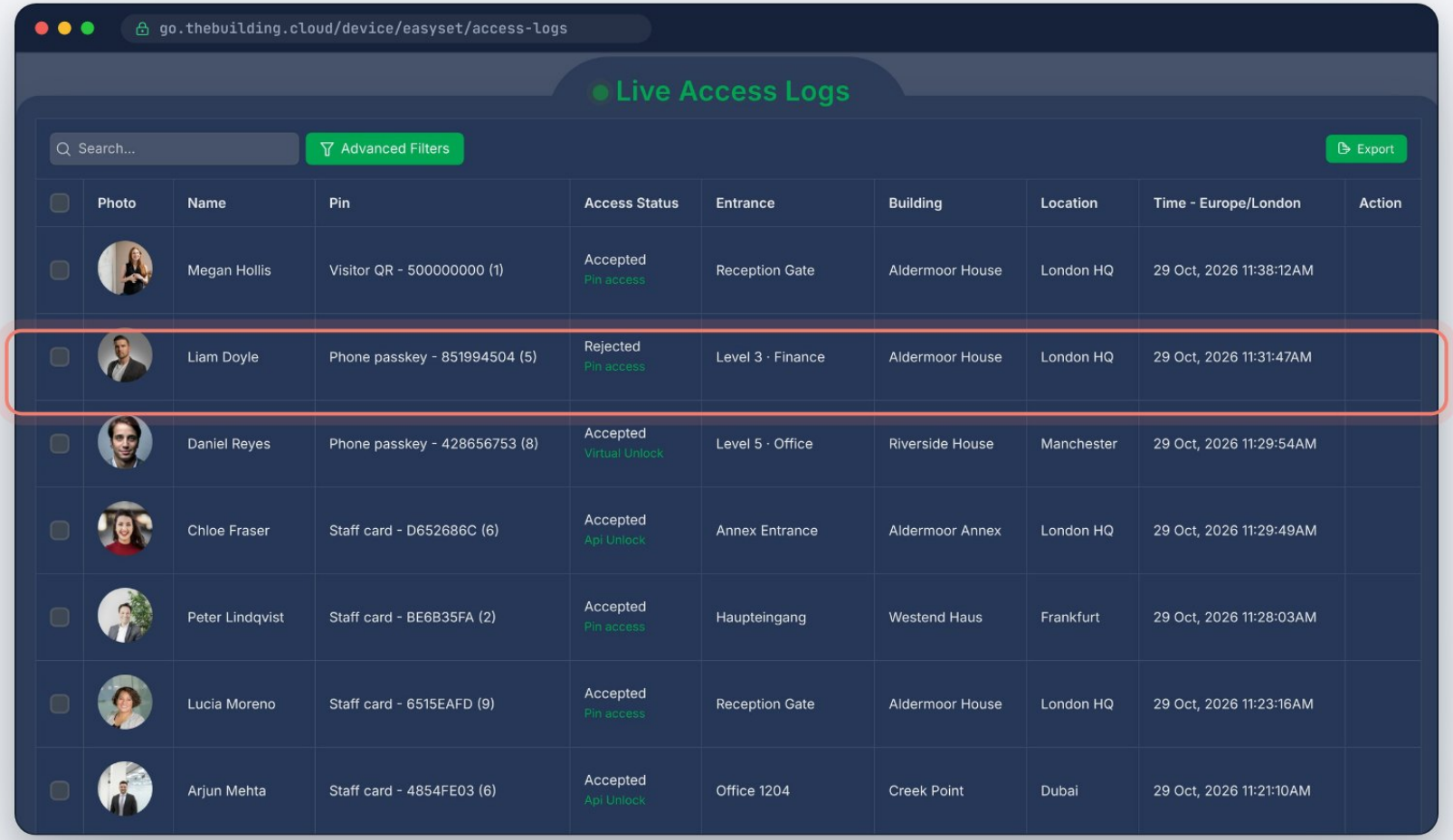
Notice board
Email, SMS, voice, push, Telegram or Slack.



● AUDIT TRAIL

Who. Which door. How. When.

Every unlock and every refused attempt is recorded with the person, the credential, the door and the time, at every site.



Person and credential

Photo, name, and the passkey, card, QR or code used.

Accepted or rejected

And how: PIN, app, API or virtual unlock.

Door, building, location

In your own timezone, filtered any way you like.

Export for audits

CSV, HTML or PDF reports.

11:31 · Rejected

A contractor's passkey tried Level 3 · Finance. The door stayed shut and the attempt is on record.

● HARDWARE & CONNECTIVITY

Every door online. Wherever it is.



Cellular controllers

A built-in SIM with data top-ups and usage managed in the dashboard.

Wi-Fi models

For sites with dependable building Wi-Fi.

Off your IT network

Cellular units need no firewall changes, no VPN and no on-site server.

Live status

Online state, signal and last check-in for every controller.

Firmware over the air

Staged roll-outs that pause themselves if updates fail.

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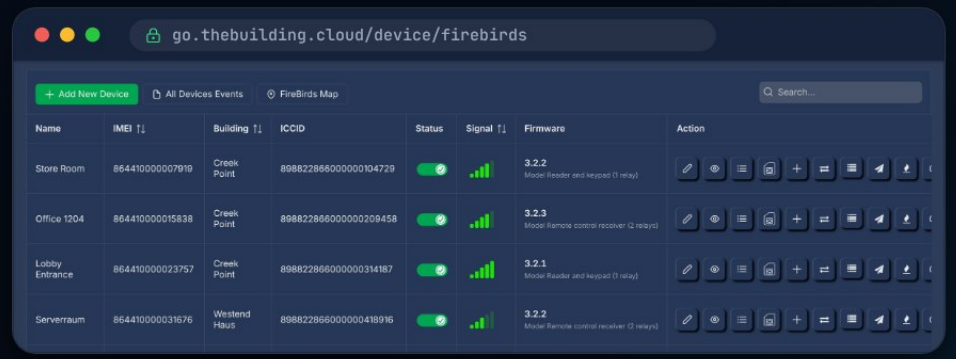
COUNTRIES WITH CELLULAR COVERAGE



• INTEGRATIONS

The whole building. One platform.

Alarms, cameras, number plates and smart devices report to the same dashboard, and automation rules tie them together.



Controller goes offline → Email and Slack facilities

Known plate arrives → Open the car park

Fire panel event → Alert the fire marshals

FOR DEVELOPERS

Your buildings, as an API.

Anything you can do in the dashboard, you can do in code. Connect HR, ERP, BI or your own apps with a documented REST API.

288 API OPERATIONS

42 RESOURCE GROUPS

3.0 OPENAPI SPEC

terminal

```
# 1  Get a token, or create one under Manage API
curl -X POST https://go.thebuilding.cloud/api/auth-token \
  -H "Content-Type: application/json" \
  -d '{"email":"it@company.com","password":"••••"}'

# 2  Pull refused attempts into your SIEM
curl "https://go.thebuilding.cloud/api/access-logs?access_status=rejected" \
  -H "Authorization: Bearer $TBC_TOKEN"

# 3  Open a door from your own app
curl -X POST https://go.thebuilding.cloud/api/entrances/28/unlock \
  -H "Authorization: Bearer $TBC_TOKEN"
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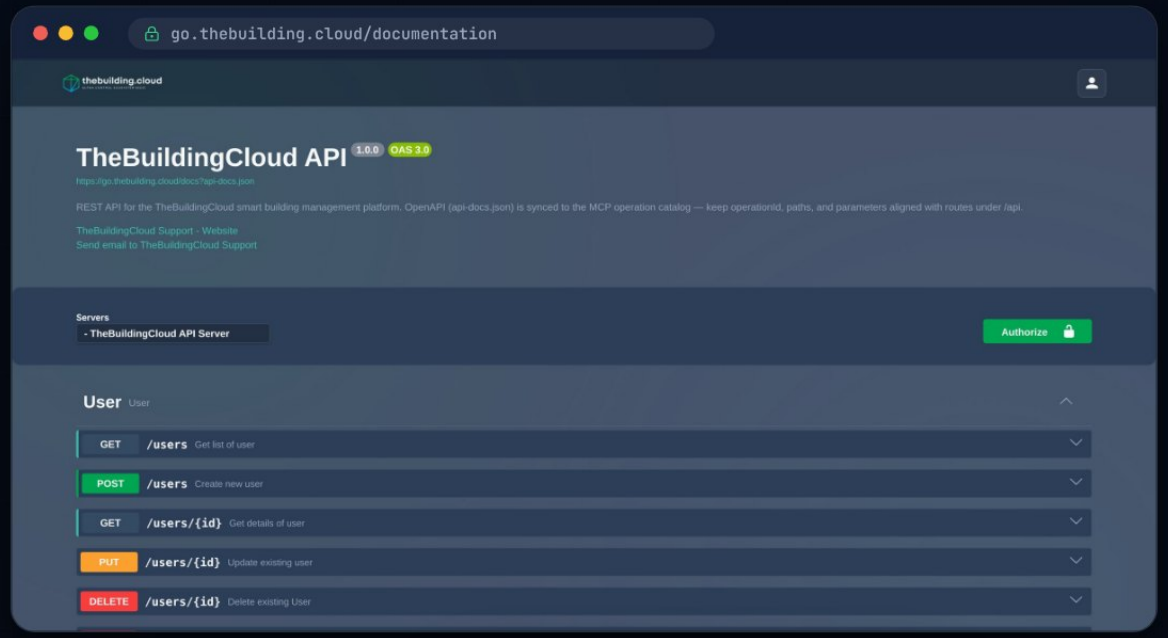
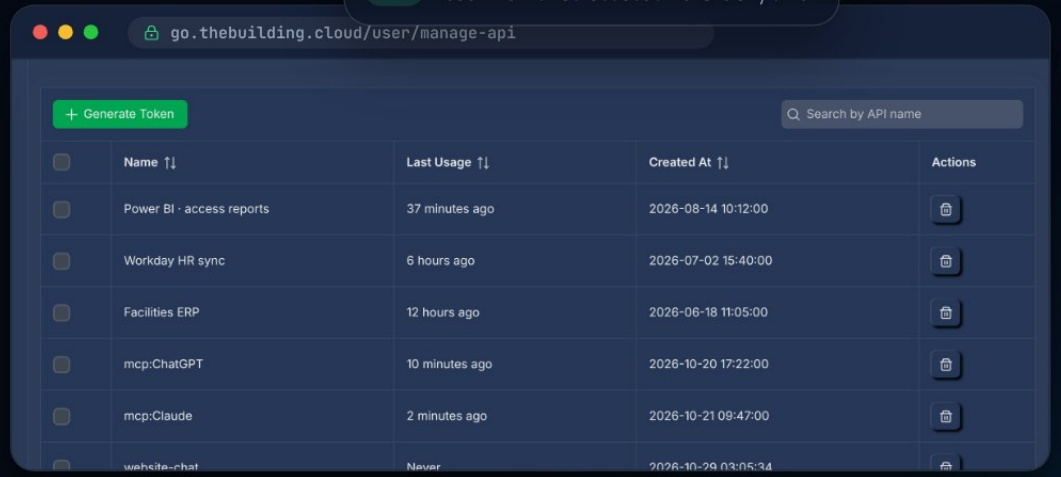


One token per integration
See when it was last used · revoke any time



● WEBHOOKS & AUTOMATION

Events out.
The moment they happen.

Turn anything that happens in your buildings into a call to your own systems, with no polling and no custom middleware.

WHEN

An event

- Entrance opened or intercom call
- Fire or fault on a panel
- Input opened or closed
- Controller offline or back online
- Number plate read

IF

A rule

- Built in the automation editor
- Matched or unmatched plates
- Run it on demand to test
- Every run is logged

THEN

Call Webhook

- POST to any HTTPS URL
- Your own headers and keys
- JSON body you design
- Live values from `{{ variables }}`

INTO

Your systems

- SIEM and security operations
- ERP, ticketing and BI
- Zapier, Make or n8n
- Your own apps and services

Call Webhook · number plate read

```
POST https://ops.aldermoor.example/hooks/anpr
X-Api-Key: ••••••••••••

{ "body": {
    "event": "plate_read",
    "plate": "{{ car_plate }}",
    "photo": "{{ cam_capture_photo }}",
    "org":   "{{ organization_name }}"
} }
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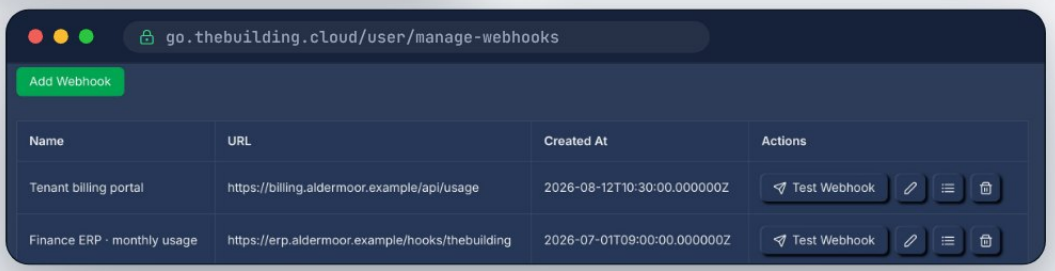


VARIABLES YOU CAN DROP INTO ANY BODY

`{{ user_name }}` `{{ user_email }}` `{{ device_name }}` `{{ device_imei }}`

`{{ car_plate }}` `{{ organization_name }}`

● MCP SERVER

Plug your buildings into any AI.

Our Model Context Protocol server connects ChatGPT, Claude, Copilot, Cursor and other AI tools to TheBuilding.Cloud. Ask in plain English, or let an agent do the admin, with each person's own permissions.

ChatGPT
Connector, OAuth

Claude
Web, desktop, mobile

Claude Code
One command

VS Code · Copilot
.vscode/mcp.json

Cursor
~/.cursor/mcp.json

Windsurf
MCP config

Gemini · Codex CLI
Command line agents

Your own agents
OpenAI and Anthropic APIs

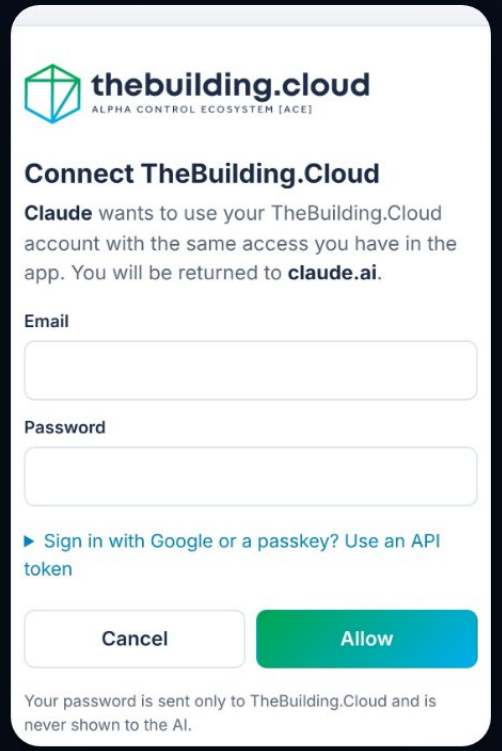
connect

```
# Claude Code
claude mcp add --transport http \
  thebuilding-cloud \
  https://mcp.thebuilding.cloud/mcp

# Cursor · ~/.cursor/mcp.json
{ "mcpServers": {
    "thebuilding-cloud": {
      "url": "https://mcp.thebuilding.cloud/mcp"
} } }
```

BUILT FOR AGENTS

answer_question	Any plain-English question, one call
search · fetch	Find doors, people, devices by name
quick_context	Live sites, buildings and doors
list_operations	Discover every API operation
call_read_operation	Run any read, no prompts
call_operation	Create, update, unlock, with confirmation



- OAuth 2.1 sign-in, password never seen by the AI
- Same permissions as the person
- Read-only until you switch on changes
- Secrets redacted, every call audited
- New API features picked up automatically

• AI ASSISTANT

Ask it anything.
Or ask it to do it.

An assistant built into the dashboard. It answers from your live data, explains how things work and, when you ask, makes the change for you.

Live answers
Who came in, which door, refused attempts, visitors, PINs.

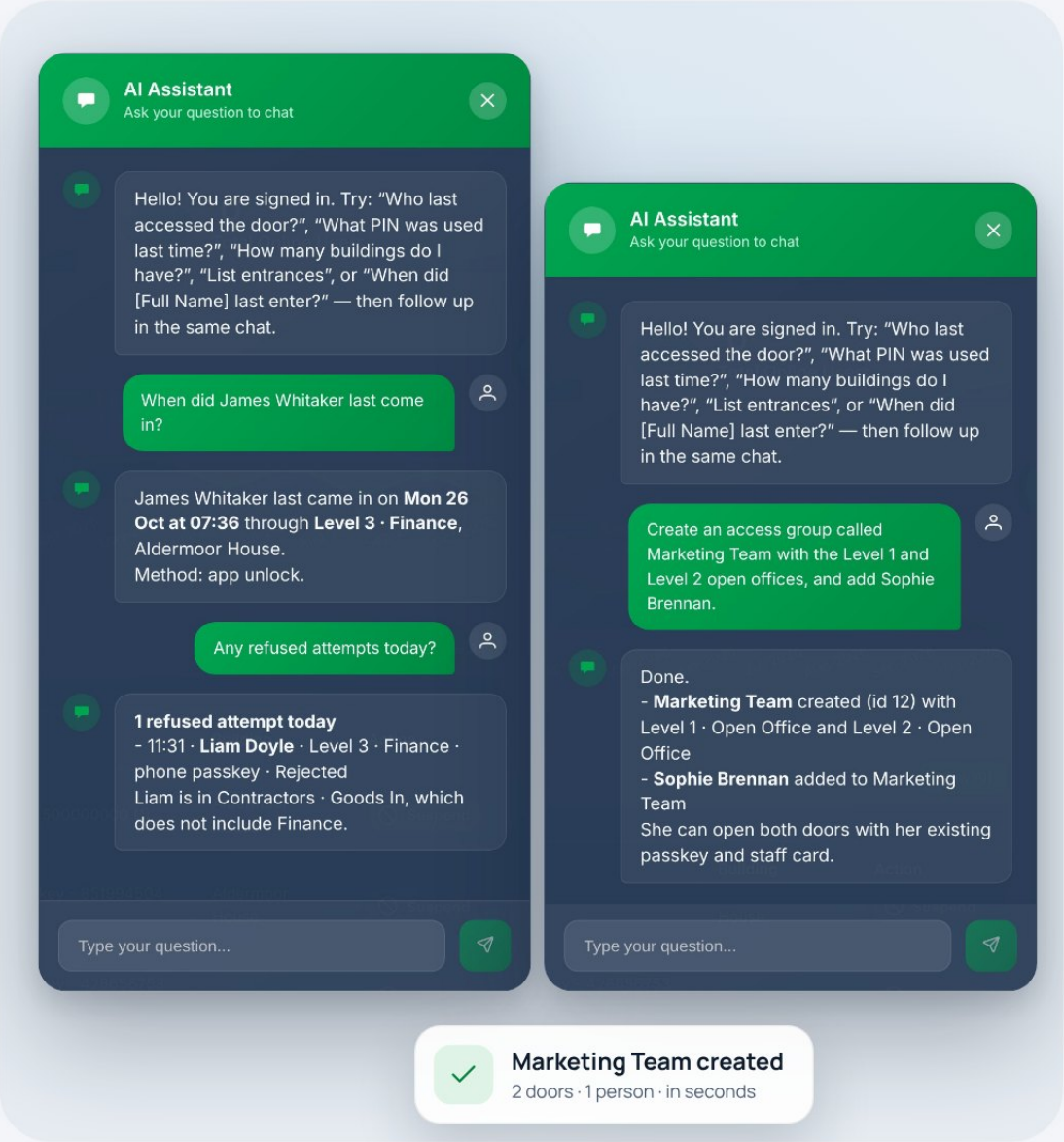
Does the admin
Creates groups, people and more, and confirms what it changed.

Your permissions
It works with your login, so it sees only what you can.

Knows the product
How-to, features and plans from a built-in knowledge base.

TRY ASKING

- Who last accessed the door?
- What PIN was used last time?
- How many buildings do I have?
- Create an access group for Marketing



COST OF OWNERSHIP

No server room. No surprises.

	SERVER-BASED SYSTEM	THEBUILDING.CLOUD
Hosting	✕ On-site server and database	✓ **Hosted for you**
Software	✕ Installed on chosen PCs	✓ **Any browser, plus the app**
Door wiring	✕ Every door back to a panel	✓ **Each controller connects itself**
IT work	✕ Ports, VPNs, firewall rules	✓ **Nothing on your network**
Credentials	✕ Printed cards, re-issued	✓ **Phones first, cards still work**
New sites	✕ Another server or link	✓ **Same platform, same login**
Updates	✕ Engineer visits, downtime	✓ **Over the air, in stages**
Visitors and audit	✕ Separate systems	✓ **Built in**



Pay as you grow

- ✓ Monthly subscription, no upfront server or licences
- ✓ Priced per door and per user
- ✓ Start with one site, add more any time
- ✓ Free, Pro and Enterprise plans

Pricing for your sites on request.

DEPLOYMENT

Site by site. Door by door.

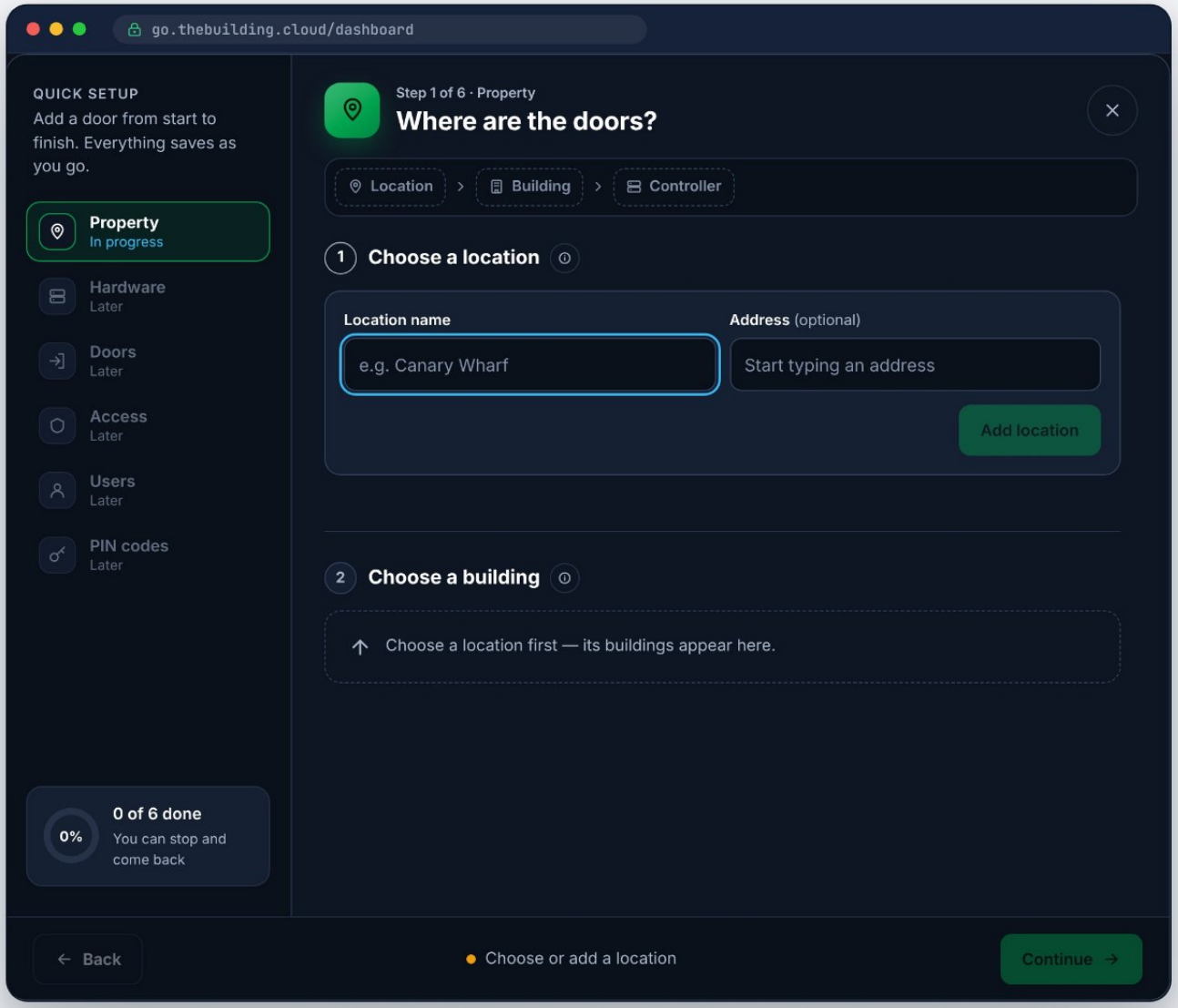
No server room to build and no cabling back to a panel. Each door is installed, connected and live on its own.

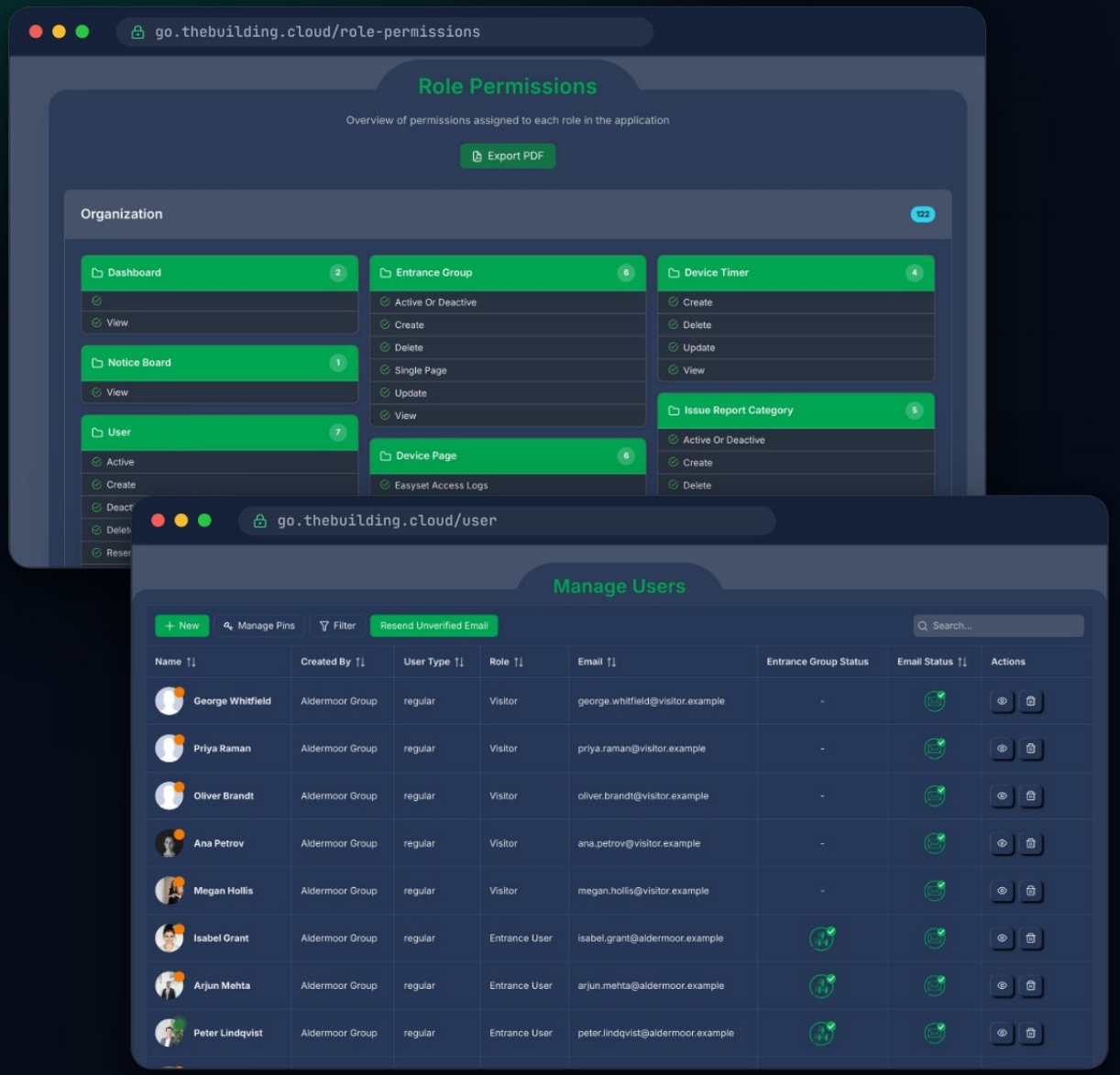
Survey
We check each door, its lock and the mobile signal.

Fit a controller per door
Powered locally, connected over cellular or Wi-Fi.

Guided quick setup
Six steps: property, hardware, doors, access, users, PIN codes.

Invite your people
Email invites to the app, then a passkey on their phone.





SECURITY

Secure by design.

For organisations that answer to auditors, insurers and their own IT team.

Passkeys
Sign in and unlock with Face ID or fingerprint.

Roles
Admin, operator, engineer, employee, visitor, guest.

Separated data
Each organisation sees only its own sites and people.

Request log
Changes to doors, groups, users and rules are recorded.

Access history
Every unlock and refusal, ready to export.

Staged updates
Firmware goes to a test unit first, then in stages.

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• SEE IT RUNNING

Try it on your own doors.

We'll connect a controller to one of your doors, set up your first site and walk your security team through the dashboard.

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