


Perspective of Judicial Video conference in Spain: challenges and innovation actions

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01 Introduction

Videoconference is used in Criminal, Social and Civil Courts, in every hearing or statement.



Since 2024, remote trials and declarations are being prioritised, rather than on-site ones

Integrated with other systems:

- *Hearings and statement recordings*
- *Judicial File Visualisation*
- *Automatic Transcription*

Judicial VC in Spain

01 Introduction

The information about the reports is sent back to Minerva, from where notifications are created and sent to the various parties involved in the court hearing.

Information about the reports is also sent to the Efideliu application, a court hearing recording system, for the creation of said procedure in this application.

If a participant wishes to participate by videoconference, they must request the corresponding President of the Court (Judge/Magistrate) to make a statement by VC.

In the event that the declaration by videoconference is authorised, the invitations for the meeting are sent via email in which the necessary data for the connection are specified (link, meeting ID, meeting PIN code).

The procedure is similar for cross-border VCs, there is no distinction with respect to domestic videoconferencing.

In the case of VC with another court, penitentiary institution or other official organization, **the connection is made by a direct call from the courtroom to the corresponding external organization.**

Ministry Territory: 674 courtrooms and testimony rooms, spread across 23 provinces (22 + National High Court and Supreme Court)

Because hearings and statements are recorded in court using the Efidelius system and because of how the videoconferencing is integrated with this system, **court hearings cannot be held entirely online.**

VC participants connect to a common URL where they enter the meeting ID and password they received by email.

Other 12 regions in Spain use their own VC and court recording system and connections procedure. **CTEAJE (State Technical Committee for the Administration of Justice)** is the organ whose mission is to unify these procedures, even if applications or systems are different between regions.

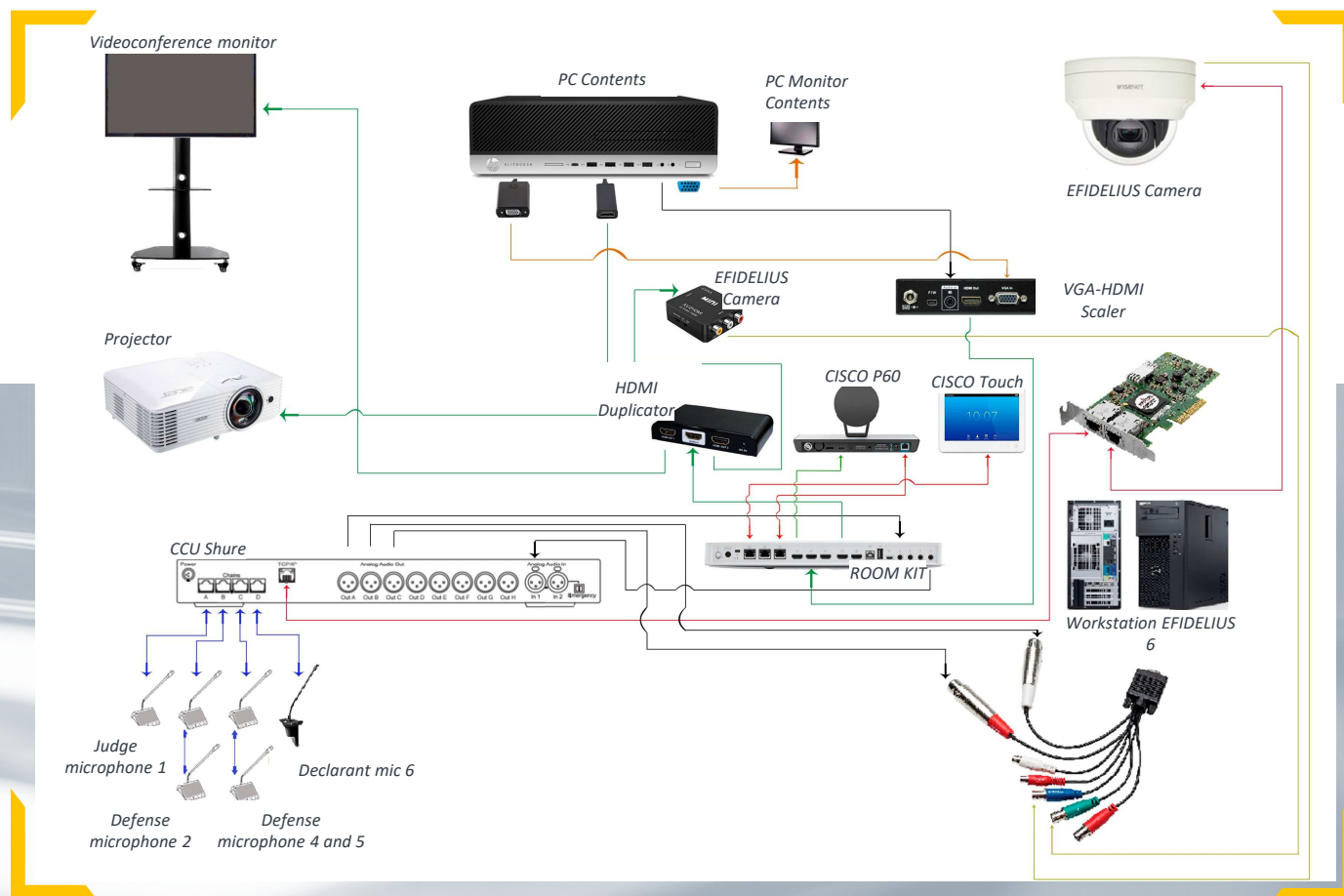
Judicial VC workflow

01 Introduction

Judicial VC workflow

- Network connection FTP shure microphone.
- Analogue audio connection.
- Digital video/audio connection via HDMI.
- Analogue composite video connection.
- VGA / DVI analog video connection.
- Network connection for camera and video control RTSP, shure CCU control, Vconf control.

STANDARD WIRING DIAGRAM COURT ROOM WITH CODEC ROOM KIT PLUS



02 Challenges

CTEAJE coordination is essential to unify procedures among all regions. However, each region using different VC and recording systems present still connection issues from one region to another.

Participants identification should be more secure and automatic. This should be done integrating VC system with identification platforms.

VC systems is still too “fabricant-dependant”. In order to allow new functionalities and reduce costs, the direction should be the opposite

Satisfy new requirements in the VC system: integration with judicial procedure systems, improve security, creation of sub-rooms (judge's room, defense room, prosecution room, etc.) and the possibility of sending documents...

Towards one court hearing recording and VC system

03 Strengths and innovation actions

Ministry has supplied VC systems to more than 300 small towns and villages, allowing citizens to connect to hearings remotely from a town public office.

VC system is fully integrated with court recording systems, allowing having the VC during a hearing in the same recording and in the judicial file

All court recording are textualized automatically with more than 90% accuracy rate. Textualisation processes the audio from the **Efideli** recording to generate a text file (PDF) with the transcription of said audio, which allows for efficient searches.

The screenshot displays the MODFISCAL web interface. On the left, a video feed shows a courtroom with several people seated at desks. Below the video, there is a 'Create tags' button and a text input field containing 'los dice, por favor, su'. A tag labeled 'testigo' is shown below the input. On the right, a search results table is displayed. The table has columns for 'Inicio', 'Fin', and 'Texto'. The search term 'testigo' is entered in the search bar. The results table lists several entries with timestamps and transcriptions. Below the table, there is a section titled 'Consultation of the participants in the dialogues' with buttons for 'Interviente1' through 'Interviente6' and a 'Todos' button. At the bottom, there is a 'Record of timeline display' section with a clock icon and a play button.

Inicio	Fin	Texto
01:33.790	01:34.780	testigo
02:19.360	02:21.850	señor testigo responde las preguntas
03:31.640	03:34.030	debido al contexto por el testigo
03:35.610	03:37.970	señor testigo responde la pregunta
07:35.470	07:39.800	no haya habido un reconocimiento de parte del testigo del acusado
08:11.750	08:14.020	procederá contra interrogar el testigo
10:24.660	10:31.660	el establece una relevante para establecer los fines que llevarán a cabo testigo a

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The electronic court file can be consulted through the Horus file viewer

- The file includes the recordings made in the courtrooms and the **textualisations**.
- **Carpeta Justicia** (Justice Folder) is a tool that adds access to Justice services. Among other services, it allows access to each electronic court file.



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En el caso de los ciudadanos este acceso sólo aplica al orden civil exceptuando los procedimientos de familia.

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