

# What are the components of true BIM?

## The 6 Ds of BIM

- 1D** - A point in space with one direction.
- 2D** - Points in space with two directions. (a line or series of lines drawn.)
- 3D** - An object that holds three directions. (width, length and height.)
- 4D** - **Time** of that object moving through space. (phasing, sequencing)
- 5D** - Adding the aspect of **Cost** to a project (cost estimating, specifications, energy analysis)
- 6D** - The aspect of **Life Cycle Management** (owner/FM)

