

## **WSP Acquires kW Mission Critical Engineering and tk1sc in the United States**

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Both transactions will further consolidate WSP's Property and Buildings business in the complex data center, healthcare, and science + technology markets in the United States.

"Welcoming kW Mission Critical Engineering and tk1sc into the WSP family further expands our building sector capabilities in the high growth data center, healthcare and science + technology markets in United States, while significantly increasing our presence on the West Coast and providing us a platform to expand our data centre capabilities in Europe and Asia," commented Alexandre L'Heureux, WSP's President and Chief Executive Officer. "In line with our 2019-2021 Global Strategic Plan, these acquisitions solidify our already strong presence in these complex markets, which will now represent more than 65% of our Property and Buildings practice in the United States," he added.

The acquisitions reflect WSP's focus on growing markets that will continue to have a profound impact on our society globally. Demands for healthcare, science + technology, and data center facilities have been on an upward trajectory for many years. The positive outlook for the data center market has been accelerated as a result of the pandemic, with business closures and stay-at-home orders around the world fueling an increase in streaming services, digital communication and workplace coordination technologies, among others.

*Link to original press release:*

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