

Accenture completa l'acquisizione di "World Class Manufacturing Training e Consulting", business line di Stellantis

L'acquisizione rafforza il know-how di Accenture nell'ottimizzazione dei processi di business

Milano, 3 ottobre 2022 - **Accenture** ha completato l'acquisizione del ramo d'azienda di Stellantis che si occupa di **World Class Manufacturing Training e Consulting, centro di eccellenza** che supporta l'**ottimizzazione dei processi aziendali** nell'ambito della produzione e dell'intera supply chain. I termini finanziari dell'operazione, [che Accenture ha annunciato lo scorso 13 settembre](#), non sono stati resi noti.

L'acquisizione consente ad Accenture di integrare la metodologia World Class Manufacturing (WCM) all'interno della sua offerta di soluzioni che accompagnano le aziende nell'evoluzione della produzione e della supply chain verso una maggiore efficienza, sostenibilità e resilienza. Inoltre, attraverso l'acquisizione, verranno integrate nell'offerta di Accenture anche le soluzioni di training WCM per accrescere la capacità produttiva delle aziende e per la creazione una cultura di costante evoluzione e miglioramento all'interno degli stabilimenti industriali.

L'acquisizione è parte di una strategia di crescita di Accenture a livello globale, volta ad acquisire competenze cruciali nei mercati chiave in rapida espansione e aiutare i clienti a generare valore a 360° attraverso le loro attività.

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