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# PETER OOSTERVEER

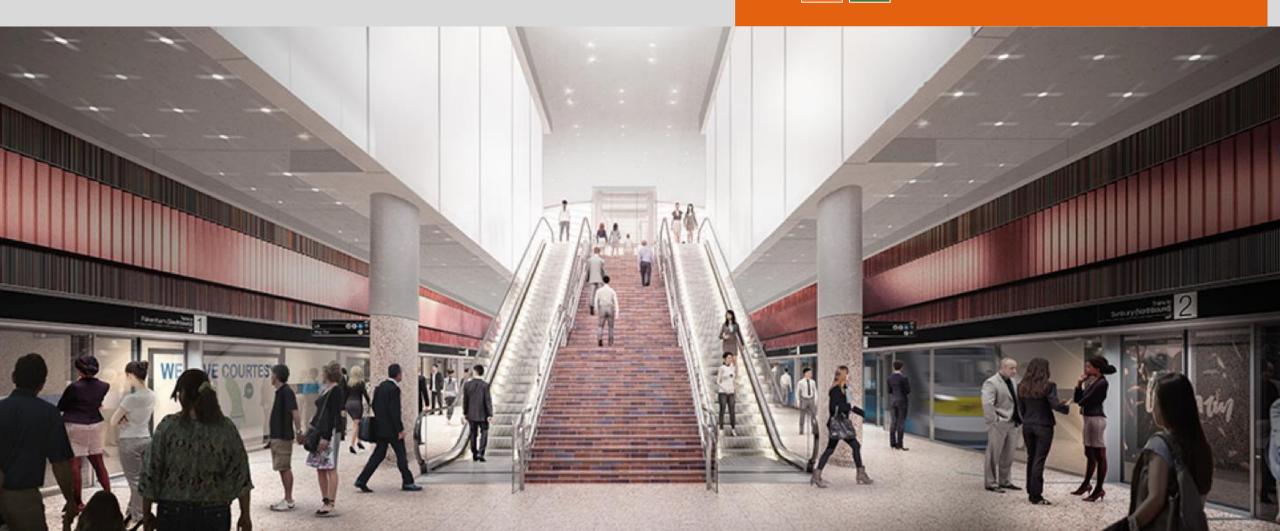
Chief Executive Officer

# **MELBOURNE METRO**

Melbourne, Australia



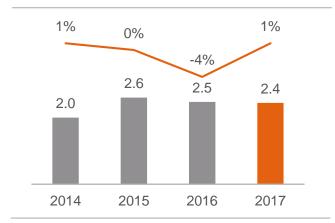




# PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT

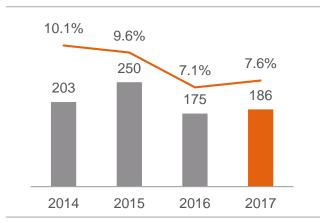
# Net revenue & organic growth

€ millions and %



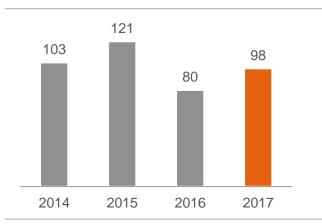
# **Operating EBITA (margin)**

€ millions and %



#### Free cash flow

€ millions



**Progress in 2017** 

Organic net revenue growth, resulting from increased client focus

Operating EBITA margin improved, driven by cost reductions

Free cash flow increased from improved business performance



# ON TRACK TO DELIVER ON OUR 2018-2020 STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

#### STRATEGIC PRIORITIES



- Voluntary staff turnover
- Staff engagement
- Brand
- Clients



- Organic net revenue growth:
  - Surpass GDP growth in our markets
  - Revenue growth for key clients 2x overall growth
- Innovation: digital adoption by our people and clients
- Sustainability

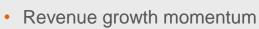


- Operating EBITA margin of 8.5%-9.5%
- NWC < 17%, DSO < 85 days
- ROIC >10%
- Dividend: 30 40% of NIfO
- Leverage: Net Debt / EBITDA between ~1.0 and 2.0

#### **PROOF POINTS 2017**



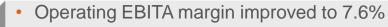
- People first
- Continued investment in Arcadis Academy
- One brand, recognized thought leader
- Focus on Global Key Clients (17% growth in 2017)



- North America back to growth after 3 years of decline
- North America back to growth after 5 years to
- E2MANAGETECH SEAMS

  COLLABORATE I INNOVATE I DELIVER

  Building Analytic Capability
- Major project wins in water resilience and green buildings



- NWC: 16.9%; DSO: 88 days
- ROIC increased to 7.3% (2016: 6.8%)
- Proposed dividend €0.47 / share, pay-out ratio: 40%
- Leverage ratio at 2.1 (2017 year-end)
- CallisonRTKL: market consultation process started



# **RENIER VREE**

Chief Financial Officer

# **NIKE DISTRIBUTION CENTER**

Belgium





## Q4 / FULL YEAR 2017 - FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

In € millions	FY 2017	FY 2016	Change	Q4 2017	Q4 2016	Change
Gross revenues	3,219	3,329	-3%	805	854	-6%
Net revenues	2,437	2,468	-1%	595	608	-2%
Organic growth	1%			3%		
EBITDA	200	207	-3%	51	50	1%
EBITA	161	166	-3%	41	40	2%
Operating EBITA <sup>1)</sup>	186	175	6%	51	35	46%
Operating EBITA margin	7.6%	7.1%		8.5%	5.7%	
Free cash flow 2)	98	80	22%	85	102	-17%
Net working capital %	16.9%	17.5%				
Net debt	416	494	-16%			
Backlog net revenues (billions)	2.1	2.2	-7%			
Backlog organic net revenues growth (%)	2%	-6%				

<sup>1)</sup> Excluding acquisition, restructuring and integration-related costs and excluding the release of Hyder related litigation provisions of €19.4 million in 2016

- Operating EBITA margin improved to 7.6% (2016: 7.1%)
- Non-operating costs of €25
  million (2016: €29 million);
  mainly restructuring in Brazil and
  Europe (€20 million), and M&A
- Net working capital improved to 16.9% (2016: 17.5%)
- Backlog increased organically by 2% (2016: -6%). Currency impact of -9% mainly related to the US Dollar



<sup>2)</sup> Cash flow from operating activities minus investments in (in)tangible assets

# **FULL YEAR 2017** – NET INCOME AND EPS

In € millions	FY 2017	FY 2016	Change
EBITDA	200	207	-3%
Depreciation	-40	-41	
EBITA	161	166	-3%
Amortization	-31	-53	
EBIT	130	113	14%
Net finance expenses	-26	-29	
Income taxes	-20	-16	
Income tax rate	20%	19%	
Income from associates	-12	-3	
Non-controlling interests	-1	-1	
Net income	71	64	10%
Net income from operations <sup>1)</sup>	101	91	11%
EPS <sup>2)</sup> (€)	0.82	0.76	8%
EPS from operations <sup>2)</sup> (€)	1.18	1.08	9%
Dividend (proposal) per share (€)	0.47	0.43	9%

<sup>1)</sup> Excluding acquisition, restructuring and integration-related costs and excluding the release of Hyder related litigation provisions of €19.4M (2016)

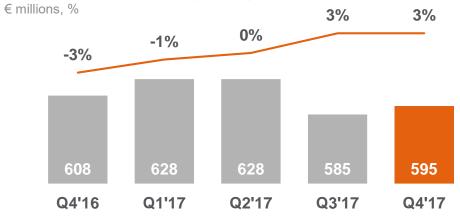
- EBIT(D)(A): 2016 included a €19 million provision release
- Amortization 2016 included €15 million impairment
- Net finance expense decreased due to lower debt and weaker US Dollar
- Income tax rate supported by US tax reform; one-time gain of €13 million from revaluation of deferred tax positions
- Loss from associates is related to noncore clean energy assets in Brazil
- EPS up from improved business performance
- Dividend proposal €0.47 (2016: €0.43) pay-out ratio unchanged at 40%



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2)</sup> Average number of shares 2017: €85.9 million (2016: €84.1 million)

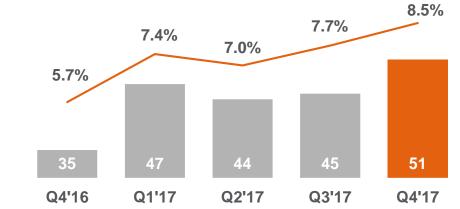
## **REVENUE** AND OPERATING EBITA

# Net Revenues and organic growth



# **Operating EBITA (margin)**

€ millions, %



- Q4 organic net revenue growth 3%; all regions except for Latin America and the Middle-East contributed to this growth
- FY return to organic net revenue growth of 1%:
  - North America back to organic growth of 2%
  - Continued growth in Continental Europe, the UK and Australia
- Q4 operating EBITA margin improved to 8.5%, to which North America, Continental Europe and Latin America contributed most
- FY operating EBITA margin higher at 7.6%
  - Improved margins in North America, Continental Europe and Asia
  - Lower margin in Middle East



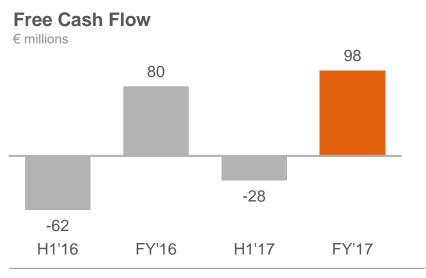
# **CASH** FLOW STATEMENT

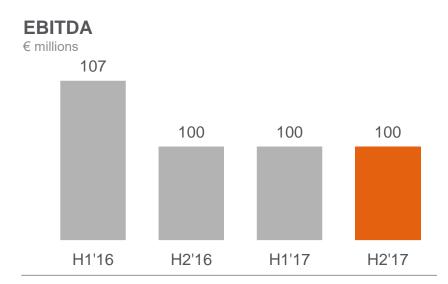
In € millions	FY 2017	FY 2016
EBIT	130	113
Depreciation and amortization	71	94
EBITDA	200	207
Changes in net working capital	2	-1
Changes in other working capital	2	-6
Tax paid	-25	-25
Net interest paid	-24	-24
Other	-4	-12
Cash flow from operating activities	151	139
Capital expenditure	-53	-59
Free cash flow	98	80
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- Free cash flow improved to €98 million (2016: €80 million) due to higher EBIT
- D&A: 2016 included €15 million impairment
- Other: 2016 impacted by €19 million litigation provision release
- Capital expenditure lower due to less office investments

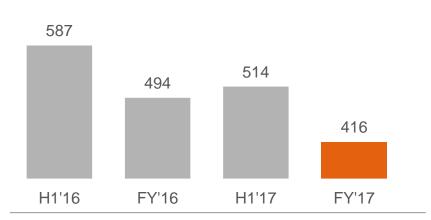


# STRONG FREE CASH FLOW IN 2017, NET DEBT SUBSTANTIALLY BELOW LAST YEAR



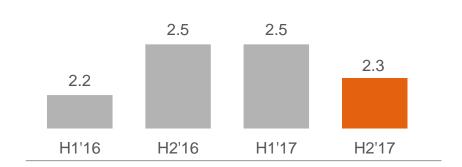


# Net Debt € millions



Average net debt / EBITDA

Calculated using bank covenants methodology





# **BALANCE** SHEET

#### In € millions

Assets	31 Dec 2017	31 Dec 2016	Equity and liabilities	31 Dec 2017	31 Dec 2016
Intangible assets	1,074	1,170	Equity	981	1,002
Fixed assets	93	100	Loans & borrowings	474	700
Other non-current assets	91	87	Other non-current liabilities	146	176
Trade receivables	579	622	Billing in excess of cost	284	287
Work in progress	486	518	Short-term debt	214	56
Other current assets	116	111	Accounts payables	237	253
Cash and cash equivalent	s <b>268</b>	260	Other current liabilities	371	394
Total	2,707	2,868	Total	2,707	2,868

- Balance sheet impacted by lower USD (-14%) and GBP (-4%)
- Portion of long term debt moved to short term as €197 million Bank Loan Terms and USPP's are due to expire in 2018
- Net debt / EBITDA covenant leverage ratio improved to 2.3 (2016: 2.5), the year-end ratio improved to 2.1 (2016: 2.3)

## **REDUCTION WORKING CAPITAL AND DSO REMAINS PRIORITY**

#### Working capital 2016/2017

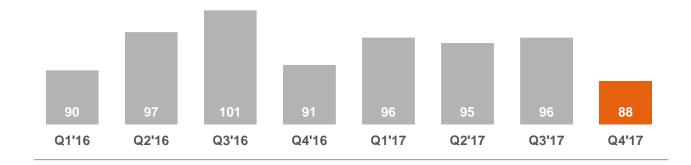
€ millions & as % of gross revenues



- NWC of 16.9% at a 3 year low, driven by Continental Europe
- Cash collection KSA and Qatar remains priority

#### DSO 2016/2017

number of days



- DSO at 88 days from 91 days in Q4 2016
- DSO improved in Continental Europe and Latin America



# **AGEING RECEIVABLES**

1) Excluding receivables from associates

	<b>31 December 2017</b>	3	6	
In € millions	Gross receivable	As %	Gross receivable	As %
Not past due	298	47%	341	50%
Past due 0-30 days	109	17%	121	18%
Past due 31-120 days	81	13%	79	12%
More than 120 day due	147	23%	137	20%
Total	635	100%	678	100%
Provision receivables	-57		-58	
Provision %	8.9%		8.6%	
Net Receivables <sup>1)</sup>	578		620	

- KSA: projects completed in 2016
- US: Oil & Gas project involving insurance
- Provision movement due to utilization of €11 million, net addition of €11 million (P&L charge) and FX impact of -€1 million

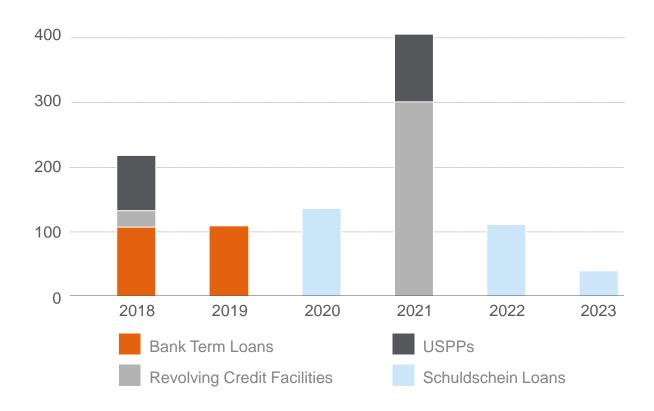


Overdue receivables include two large items:

# **MATURITY PROFILE OF FINANCING**

# **Maturity profile of debt**

€ millions



- In 2018 €197 million of debt is expiring for which various options are considered
- Average interest expense at 3.2% (2016: 3.0%) of gross debt



# **SEGMENTS**



# **AMERICAS**





# **OUR PEOPLE**

6,800



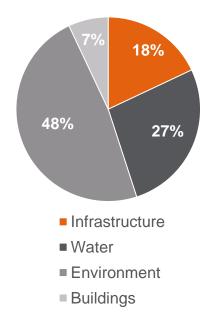
# **OUR CLIENTS**

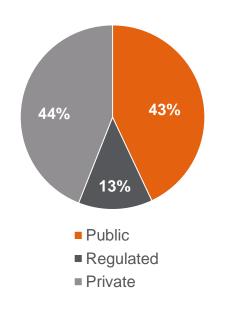
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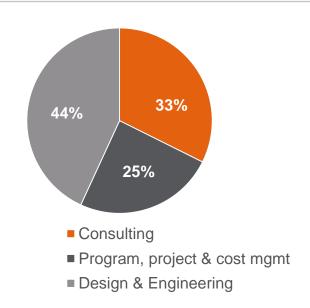


## % OF ARCADIS NET REVENUE

31%









# **AMERICAS** SEGMENT 2017 RESULTS

In € millions	FY 2017	FY 2016	Change	Q4 2017	Q4 2016	Change
Gross revenues	1,175	1,227	-4%	293	323	-9%
Net revenues	751	769	-2%	175	187	-7%
Organic growth	-2%			1%		
EBITA	36.0	26.3	37%			
Operating EBITA <sup>1)</sup>	47.5	36.1	31%			
Operating EBITA margin	6.3%	4.7%				
Backlog organic growth	-4%					
DSO	84	86				

<sup>1)</sup> Operating EBITA excludes acquisitions, restructuring and integration-related costs

- Organic growth of 2% in North America and -26% in Latin America. Q4 organic growth in North America of 3%, supported by all business lines
- Operating EBITA improved 31% as organic growth returned and operating EBITA margins improved from 7.1% to 8.1% in North America
- Q4 operating results in Latin America close to break-even. Brazilian economy is gaining traction
- Backlog North America organic increase of 5% due to overall good order intake. Positive momentum in Brazilian order intake in Q4
- DSO improved by 2 days



# **BRAZIL CLEAN ENERGY ASSETS**





- Arcadis Logos Energia (associate, 49.99% owned by Arcadis) has equity stakes in 6 biogas plants in Brazil that convert landfill gas into bio-methane (natural gas substitute) and power, thereby significantly reducing greenhouse gas emissions
- In 2017 we re-assessed the business to optimize value, resulting in an investment plan which is on track. Arcadis will invest up to €20 million
- In 2017 a loss of €12 million was recorded, mainly caused by the loss of production due to relocation of the largest biogas plant
- In the second half of 2018 the divestment of all biogas plants will be initiated



# **EUROPE AND MIDDLE EAST**





# **OUR PEOPLE**

13,100



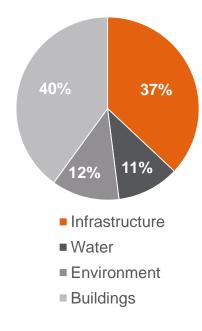
## **OUR CLIENTS**

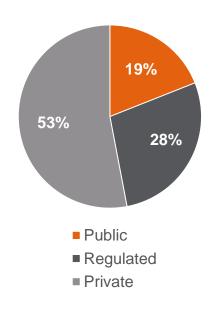
Southern Water, HS2, Cross Rail 2, ProRail, Rijkswaterstaat, Societe du Grand Paris, Nike, Opel, Emaar, Vinci

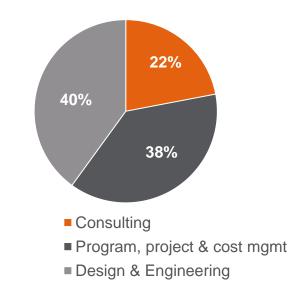


#### % OF ARCADIS NET REVENUE

46%









# **EUROPE & MIDDLE EAST SEGMENT 2017 RESULTS**

In €millions	FY 2017	FY 2016	Change	Q4 2017	Q4 2016	Change
Gross revenues	1,337	1,398	-4%	340	353	-4%
Net revenues	1,113	1,117	0%	282	279	1%
Organic growth	4%			4%		
EBITA	74.0	67.0	10%			
Operating EBITA <sup>1)</sup>	84.3	83.9	0%			
Operating EBITA margin	7.6%	7.5%				
Backlog organic growth	10%					
DSO	96	100				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1)</sup> Operating EBITA excludes acquisitions, restructuring and integration-related costs

- Organic growth of 4% consists of 6% increase in Continental Europe, 7% in the UK, compensating a 10% decrease in the Middle East
- Operating margin in Continental Europe improved to 7.3% (2016: 6.8%). The private sector drove growth in revenues and order intake
- UK operating margin at 9.2% (2016: 10.0%) due to a high level of bidding activity. Backlog up 36% after winning many strategic pursuits
- Middle East operating margin declined to 4.7% (2016: 8.6%). Backlog came down due to selective bidding and lower demand
- DSO improved by 4 days with Continental Europe and the UK around 70 days. Middle East DSO of ~250 days remains a priority



# **ASIA PACIFIC**





# OUR PEOPLE

5,700



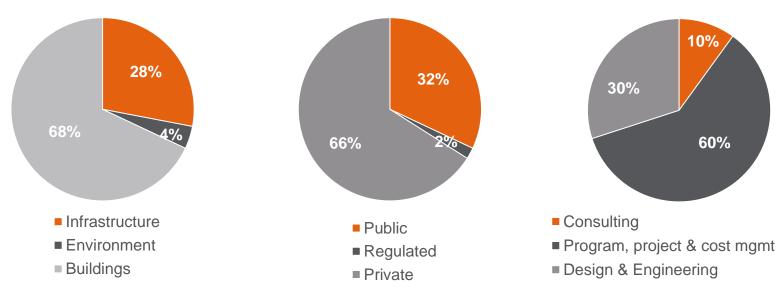
## **OUR CLIENTS**

Sung Hung Kai, China Resources, HSBC, Citi, Adidas, BMW, Huawei, Alibaba, LendLease, CPB, Acciona



# % OF ARCADIS NET REVENUE

14%





## **ASIA PACIFIC SEGMENT 2017 RESULTS**

In € millions	FY 2017	FY 2016	Change	Q4 2017	Q4 2016	Change
Gross revenues	387	378	2%	98	97	2%
Net revenues	344	338	2%	85	84	1%
Organic growth	2%			8%		
EBITA	30.1	30.7	-2%			
Operating EBITA <sup>1)</sup>	30.7	31.3	-2%			
Operating EBITA margin	8.9%	9.3%				
Backlog organic growth	6%					
DSO	85	84				

<sup>1)</sup> Operating EBITA excludes acquisitions, restructuring and integration-related costs

- Australia organic growth at 12%, fueled by major projects wins like Sydney and Melbourne Metro
- Revenues in Asia declined earlier in the year, and returned to growth in the fourth quarter. Brunei business divested
- Operating margin in Asia slightly improved to 8.8% (2016: 8.6%), in Australia lower at 10.3% (2016: 11.0%) due to underperforming projects in the first half of 2017
- Backlog growth in Asia due to good order intake in second half of the year. Strong backlog growth Australia



# **CALLISONRTKL**





# **OUR PEOPLE**

1,700



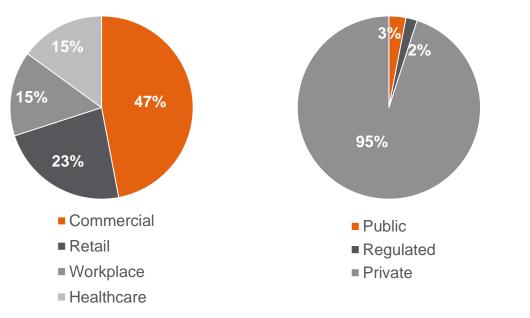
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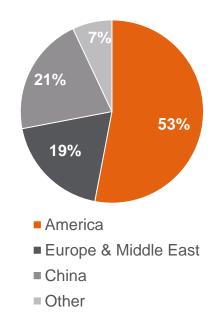
Nordstrom, AT&T, Emaar, Primark, Capital One, Stanford Healthcare



## % OF ARCADIS NET REVENUE

9%







# **CALLISONRTKL** SEGMENT 2017 RESULTS

In € millions	FY 2017	FY 2016	Change	Q4 2017	Q4 2016	Change
Gross revenues	320	326	-2%	73	81	-10%
Netrevenues	229	244	-6%	53	58	-8%
Organic growth	-3%			0%		
EBITA	20.8	22.9	-9%			
Operating EBITA <sup>1)</sup>	23.9	24.3	-2%			
Operating EBITA margin	10.4%	9.9%				
Backlog organic growth	-13%					
DSO	73	78				

<sup>1)</sup> Operating EBITA excludes acquisitions, restructuring and integration-related costs

- Organic decline of 3% largely driven by adverse developments in US commercial real estate and healthcare markets
- Organic revenues flat in Q4 after a weak Q3, supported by China
- Operating EBITA margin improved to 10.4% after cost measures taken earlier in the year
- DSO improved by 5 days
- Market consultation process for CallisonRTKL started to assess viability of sale



# PETER OOSTERVEER

Chief Executive Officer

# **EAST SIDE COASTAL RESILIENCY**New York, US









# **OUR STRATEGIC CONTEXT**

#### **MEGA TRENDS**



Urbanization & mobility



Sustainability & climate change



Globalization



Digitization

# STAKEHOLDER DIALOGUE



**Employees** 

Clients

Suppliers/subcontractors

Civil society

Investors

# SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS RELEVANT FOR ARCADIS















# COMPETITIVE LANDSCAPE

Changing client patterns

Shift to digital

Industry consolidation

Scarcity of qualified people

# **OUR POSITIONING**

# LEADING DESIGN AND CONSULTANCY FOR:

SUSTAINABLE AND RESILIENT CITIES

SMART INFRASTRUCTURAL SOLUTIONS

FUTURE-PROOF INDUSTRIES



## A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE THROUGH OUR STRATEGIC PILLARS



- Create an environment where our people can be at their best
- Recruit, develop and retain the workforce of the future



- Grow through providing integrated and sustainable solutions to our clients
- Be a digital frontrunner



- · Focus on where we can lead
- Deliver client and project excellence



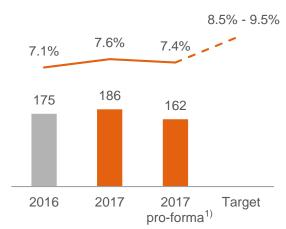
## **DELIVERING SUSTAINABLE VALUE**





# **Operating EBITA (margin)**





#### **NWC% and DSO**

% and days



#### **Value drivers**

- Key Clients
- Sustainable & resilient cities
- Digital Solutions

- Higher margin activities
- Project delivery
- Global Excellence Centers

- Selectivity
  - Arcadis Way
- Overdue receivables

Outlook

We will execute our strategy against the background of a positive market outlook. Considering the progress made in 2017 we expect to grow revenues organically and improve operating margin in 2018



<sup>1)</sup> Pro-forma: excluding CallisonRTKL

# **PRIORITIES 2018**

- Deliver financial objectives as per the strategic framework 2018-2020
- Select projects, businesses and geographies where we can lead
- Improve project delivery
- Invest in people and culture to build the workforce of the future
- Innovate to become a digital frontrunner in the industry























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