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Mike Golden and Thad Wong are co-founders and co-CEOs of @properties, one of the largest and most innovative real estate brokerage firms in the U.S. Since its founding in 2000, @properties and its affiliated companies have grown to over 3,500 agents in nine states, with annual sales volume of $16 billion. @properties is the #1 firm for residential sales in Chicago and is ranked by REALTrends as the 8th largest brokerage firm in the country by sales volume.

Last year, Thad and Mike launched @properties' national franchise brand and struck their first franchise deals in early 2021. They also own Proper Title, one of Illinois' largest title insurance agencies, and are partners with Guaranteed Rate in Proper Rate, a national mortgage lender.

Leaders in real estate technology, Mike and Thad directed the development of pl@tform™, @properties' proprietary suite of brokerage tech applications. They have provided venture capital for a number of prop-tech startups.

Through their non-profit foundation, @gives back, Thad, Mike and the @properties team have raised over $1 million for local charitable organizations.