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425 Park Avenue, a 41-floor office building by Foster + Partners, nears completion in New York.

425 Park Avenue, the first full-block office building on the storied New York avenue in more than five decades, is inching closer to completion. New photographs reveal that the 41-floor office tower, designed by the British firm Foster + Partners for developer L&L Holding, has its glass clad fully installed and is currently removing the exterior tower crane. When complete, the 850-foot-tall, WELL-certified building will feature Four Twenty Five, the first New York restaurant by celebrated Eleven Madison Park chef Daniel Humm in eight years. He'll also manage The Diagrid Club, a tenant-only amenity floor that features wellness programming by the David Lynch Foundation and a permanent installation of Yayoi Kusama's Narcissus Garden (1966). The tower's temporary certificate of occupancy is expected for December.