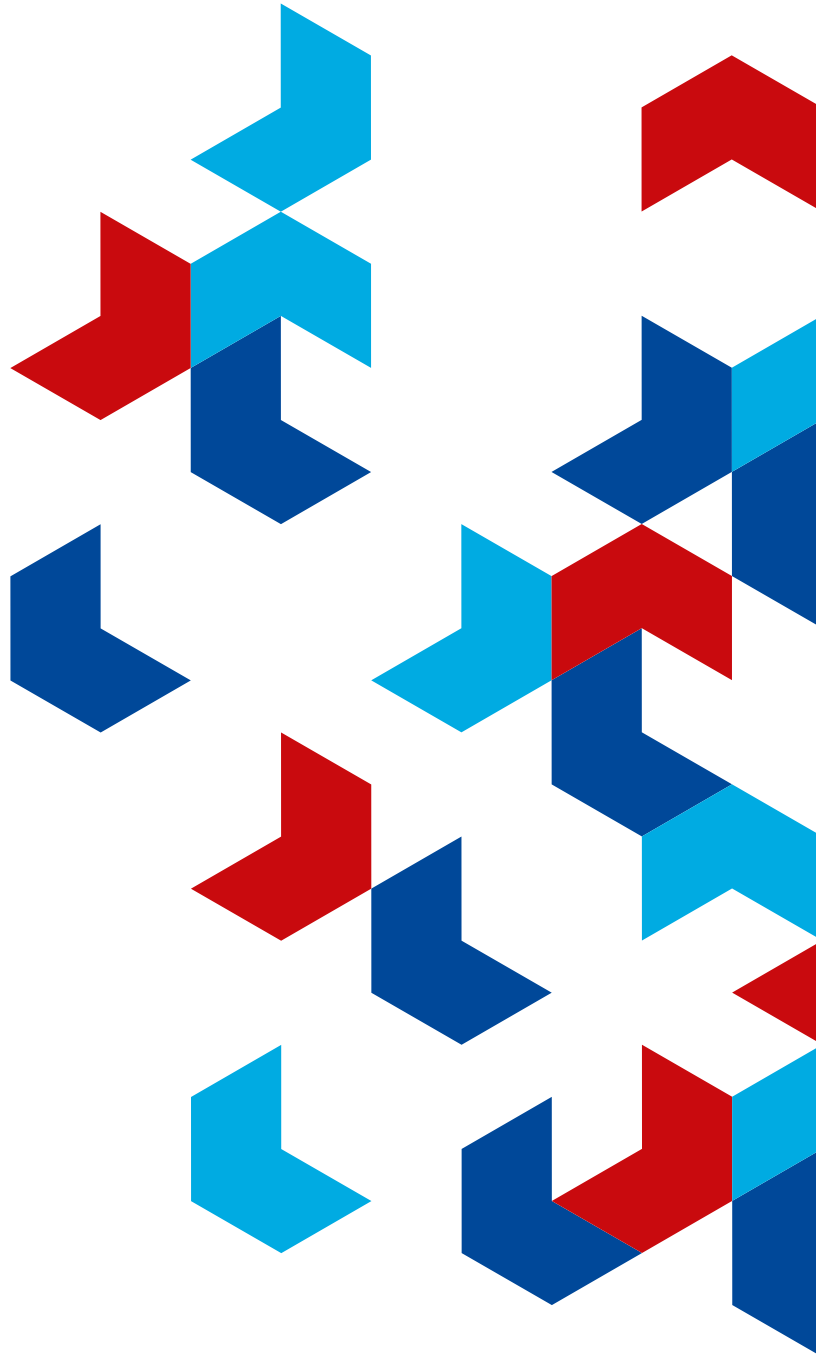
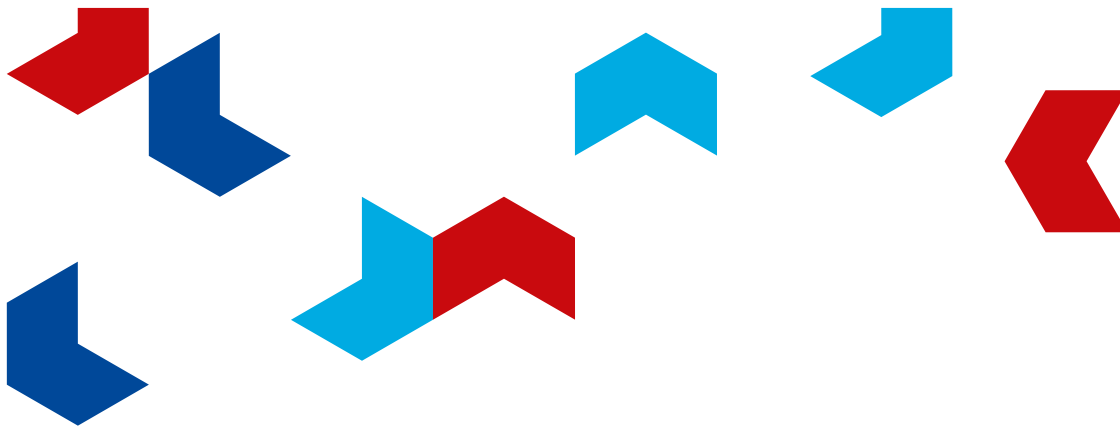




British
Chamber
of Commerce
Shanghai



Annual Review 2025



The British Chamber of Commerce Shanghai

is a dynamic network of international businesses sharing a common interest in China. Our members are the pulse of our organisation — we advocate best practice; we share knowledge; and we build trusted and long-lasting friendships.

Our purpose is to make connections.

Connections that open opportunity, empower businesses and unite our community in China.

Let's Connect.

Contents

- 1 [2025 Highlights](#)
- 2 [Message from the Chair](#)
- 3 [Message from the Executive Director](#)
- 4 [Executive Committee 2025](#)
- 5 [UK Advisory Board](#)
- 6 [Message from the British Consul-General Shanghai](#)
- 7 [Overview of 2025 Activities](#)
- 8 [• Advocacy in Review](#)
- 10 [• Knowledge in Review](#)
- 12 [• Community in Review](#)
- 14 [Zhejiang Office in Review](#)
- 15 [Sustainability & Innovation Awards 2025](#)
- 16 [The Committees and Respective Members](#)
- 29 [Special Thanks](#)
- 31 [2026 Key Activities](#)
- 32 [BritCham Shanghai Team](#)
- 33 [Join BritCham Shanghai](#)

2025 Highlights in Numbers

Membership

81

New members joined
10 new Platinum members* joined
**Incl. Associate Platinum*

Committees

12

Active Committees include 156
individual member volunteers
117 committee events & meetings
2,100+ attendees

Activities

200+

activities (incl. Chamber and
Committee events and meetings)
attracted 8,000+ audience

Sustainability & Innovation Awards

143

applications from a wide range of
industries entered 8 awards
46 outstanding businesses and
individuals were shortlisted.
The newly introduced online voting
element garnered nearly 1.4 million
public views.

Community

6,000+

registered participants and 100+
organisations and vendors support
the Fortnum & Mason's Great
British Day Out, celebrating culture
and community.
Over RMB 60,000 raised at the
Shanghai Nights year-end party to
support the charity organisation –
RDA Shanghai.

Marketing & Communications

17,730+

WeChat followers (17% increase)
5,880+ LinkedIn followers (8%
increase)
27 videos published on WeChat
Channel, reaching 15,000+ viewings
50+ media mentions

Message from the Chair



Kirsten Johnston

Chair, BritCham Shanghai
Founder & CEO, JWDC

It has been an immense privilege to serve as Chair during our 110th Anniversary year. The year began with a meaningful opportunity to represent the Chamber in early January at a business roundtable with the Chancellor of the Exchequer, the Rt Hon Rachel Reeves MP, joined by members from across the business community. I was honoured to share stories and insights from our membership, particularly how British innovation has found resonance in China and continues to generate value for the UK. During our conversation, the Chancellor expressed her desire to work more closely with BritCham Shanghai as part of the UK's broader growth strategy, which has given us renewed impetus to advance the Chamber's advocacy work.

Our commitment to fostering cross-sector dialogue was further demonstrated at a closed-door roundtable with Rupert Daniels, Director of Services and Skills at the Department for Business and Trade. This session brought together Chamber members

As we close the chapter on 2025, I reflect with pride on an extraordinary year for BritCham Shanghai, marked by strong engagement, strategic dialogue and a memorable 110th anniversary.

and UK creative-sector businesses to explore investment opportunities and closer collaboration, following the inaugural Creative Industries roundtable led by Baroness Shriti Vadera earlier in the year. The depth of discussion on talent mobility, strategic partnerships and narrative-building highlighted the strength of our platform in facilitating substantive engagement between members and key stakeholders.

A defining moment of the year was our **110th Anniversary Government Dinner**. This marked BritCham Shanghai's first-ever Government Dinner, bringing together over 300 guests from across the Chinese and British government and business communities to celebrate more than a century of shared success and partnership. Throughout its history, the Chamber has served as a vital bridge, connecting enterprises and deepening friendship between our two nations. The British Ambassador to China, Peter Wilson CMG, spoke warmly of the Chamber's century-long legacy of resilience and entrepreneurial spirit, noting the UK Government's long-term commitment to a strategic relationship with China.

Throughout 2025, the Chamber has continued to provide members with an inclusive and proudly diverse platform from which to share insights, build alliances and learn together. Our success is owed to the commitment and inspired actions of our members, partners, committees, secretariat and Executive Committee, to whom I extend my sincere thanks. I would also like to pay special thanks to our outgoing ExCo members for their valued counsel and generous contributions, and to warmly welcome the incoming ExCo for 2026-27. May the next chapter of the Chamber flourish under your expertise and leadership.

As I prepare to hand over the role of Chair at the 2026 AGM, I do so with immense pride in what we have achieved together. It has been an honour to serve the Chamber on ExCo for the past six years, and as Chair during such a memorable year. I look forward to continuing to support BritCham Shanghai as it evolves in influence and relevance in this complex market.

Thank you for your continued support, and may you all prosper in 2026 and the Year of the Horse.

Message from the Executive Director



Stuart Dunn

BritCham Shanghai
Executive Director

In an environment of ongoing market uncertainty, we remained steadfast in our mission to provide members with insights, connections and opportunities. Across the year, we delivered a rich programme of **advocacy, knowledge and community activities and engagements** that helped our members navigate change, build resilience and advance their ambitions in China and beyond.

Membership stabilised after two years of growth with an overall increase in value and volume of membership. Importantly, 80% of new members came via referrals, highlighting the strength of peer-to-peer advocacy within our community.

Throughout the year, we broadened engagement across industries and organisational levels, ensuring members from diverse sectors could connect and benefit from relevant insights and opportunities.

Organisationally, we made significant strides in strengthening the Secretariat's capability to deliver even

As we reflect on 2025, I am pleased to share what has been a remarkable and purposeful year for BritCham Shanghai — one defined by strategic delivery, strengthened member value and operational progress, all anchored by our 110th anniversary milestone.

greater value to our members. Through a new dedicated Advocacy executive and the launch of our **bi-weekly Policy Digest**, members received timely regulatory insights while our engagement with both Chinese and UK government stakeholders grew stronger and more impactful. We also enhanced our internal structure with a dedicated committee team, enabling us to manage the increasing scope and complexity of our programmes with creativity and efficiency.

The **Breakfast Talks** brought fresh opportunities for our community to connect with thought leaders. We were honoured to host distinguished speakers, including the British Ambassador to China, the Consul-General, the Defence Attaché, and the British Trade Commissioner for China. Their insights were highly valued and led to 10+ additional talks with visiting professors, authors, and business leaders — a format we are excited to expand further.

Our signature events programme continued to deliver strategic value:

- The **1915 Club Dinner** offered elevated experiences that fostered meaningful business connections.
- The **110th Anniversary Government Dinner** strengthened

engagement with key stakeholders and welcomed the Deputy Secretary-General of the Shanghai Municipal People's Government

- The **110th Birthday Dinner** provided a memorable celebration.
- **Great British Day Out** became our largest event in modern history in both guests and vendors
- The **Sustainability & Innovation Awards** Gala Dinner, registered as a Shanghai Climate Week event, celebrated leadership in a topical and credible way.
- **Shanghai Nights** successfully engaged our wider community while raising RMB 60,000 for charity.

Looking to 2026, our priorities remain clear: deepen member value, strengthen UK–China business engagement, and innovate our programming to enhance the Chamber's priorities.

Thank you to all our members, partners, committee member volunteers, and our Chair Kirsten Johnston, Vice Chair Ted Wan and the whole ExCo for your ongoing support, commitment and creativity. It is your involvement that drives this Chamber forward.

Executive Committee 2025

Chair



Kirsten Johnston
 Founder & CEO, JWDC

Vice Chairs



Ted Wan
 President, Greater China, Smiths Group



Edward Weeks
 Senior Executive Vice President, Deputy Chief Executive Officer, HSBC Bank (China) Company Limited

Treasurer



John Chattock
 Partner, KPMG Shanghai

Consultant Director



Alex Roberts
 Partner, Linklaters LLP Shanghai Representative Office

Policy Adviser



Christopher Dunn MBE
 Associate, Brunswick Group

Strategic Adviser



Julian Jeffrey
 Chief Executive Master, Executive Office, Wellington College China Group

Committee Ambassador



Vicky Li
 FCMA, CGMA, Regional VP, North Asia, the Association of International Certified Professional Accountants (AICPA&CIMA)

Brand & Comms Ambassador



Daniel Lyons
 Director of Communications, Dulwich College Shanghai Pudong

International Representative



Ray Chisnall
 Industrial, Manufacturing & Logistics Sector Lead, Gleeds

Co-Opted



Stephanie Chen
 General Manager, Chinese Mainland – Shanghai, John Swire & Sons



Grace Guan
 Regional Director, China and East Asia, Edinburgh Global, University of Edinburgh



Siyao Jiang
 China Managing Partner, ERM



Harriet Sheffer
 Head of Strategy & Commercial | OUTFORM APAC



Joanne Wood
 Founder and Managing Partner, Capital Eight



Gabriel Wong
 Honorary President of Research Institute of Shanghai Yachua Pilkington Glass Group
 Ex-Inbound/Outbound Lead Partner, Ex-Deals Markets Lead Partner, Ex-Lead Partner of China Corporate Finance, PwC

Ex-Officio



Matt Burney, CMG
 British Consul-General Shanghai



Sohail Shaikh
 British Deputy Trade Commissioner for China



Cat Sinclair-Jones
 Director East China, British Council; Consul (Culture and Education), British Consulate General Shanghai



Stuart Dunn
 Executive Director, BritCham Shanghai

UK Advisory Board

UK Advisory Board represents a powerful network of senior professionals with deep expertise in UK-China relations, trade, and industry and offers invaluable insights to support UK businesses operating in or with China.

The Board provides strategic guidance and valuable insights to support the Chamber’s mission of promoting UK business interests in China. Serving as a sounding board to the Chamber’s Executive Committee (ExCo), the Board helps shape the Chamber’s approach to emerging opportunities and challenges, ensuring its relevance in the dynamic UK-China landscape.

Mission

The mission of the UK Advisory Board is to offer non-binding advice and perspectives on important matters impacting UK-China relations. The Board serves as a strategic sounding board for the ExCo, helping to shape the Chamber’s business operations, policy formulation, and market expansion efforts, while also representing the Chamber in relevant forums.

Vision

To enhance the Chamber’s influence and effectiveness in promoting UK business interests in China, fostering better connections and collaboration between British and Chinese businesses, and elevating the Chamber’s presence in key industry and government networks.

International Representative



Ray Chisnall
Industrial, Manufacturing & Logistics Sector Lead, Gleeds

Advisory Board Members



Martin Boden
Chief Executive Officer, Global Strategic Accounts, Sodexo



Penny Burgess
CEO / Business Advisor / International Marketing & Communications Consultant

Advisory Board Members



Richard Burn
Senior Advisor, APCO, former British Trade Commissioner to China; Board member, Great Britain China Centre



Carma Elliot, CMG OBE FRSA
Former British Consul-General Shanghai, and Minister (Culture and Education), British Embassy Beijing



Chris Wood CMG
Former British Consul-General in Shanghai (2019-2023)

Message from the British Consul-General Shanghai



Matthew Burney, CMG
British Consul-General Shanghai

It's a real pleasure to write as BritCham Shanghai marks its remarkable 110th anniversary. This isn't just a milestone - it's proof of the resilience, creativity and spirit of our UK-China business community. Over the past year, through the multitude of events and activities delivered by BritCham Shanghai, I've been reminded how vital the Chamber is: a bridge between government and business, and a community where people support each other and get things done.

We have a strong platform to build on: The formal channels are broadly in place - the Economic and Financial Dialogue in January; JETCO in September; the Joint Commission on Science in November 2025; and environmental dialogues in March and June. And the Prime Minister's 1 December speech set a clear direction and an honest tone - honesty being the best way to build trust, in China and at home. As he said, our approach to China must be "long-term, consistent and strategic." We won't chase headlines or veer from one extreme to another. We will engage openly, build trust and focus on what matters for our businesses and our shared future. Recent government-to-government exchanges show a serious commitment to dialogue at the highest level. I'm excited by the prospect of even deeper engagement in 2026 - and I know many of you are too.

Doing business in China isn't always easy. Regulatory hurdles, market complexity and the need for predictability and transparency are real. But you're not on your own. My colleagues across the British Consulate-General and the wider China network are committed to pragmatic cooperation, rooted in mutual respect and a steady, long-term approach. My team and I are here to listen, support and work alongside you as you seize new opportunities and tackle new challenges. Together we can build a relationship that is not only strategic

and consistent, but also personal, dynamic and full of promise.

I'm consistently impressed by the Executive Committee - led by Kirsten Johnston - the Executive Director Stuart Dunn's leadership as well as the entire team of the Chamber as well as, of course, its vibrant membership. Your resilience and creativity inspire me to work diligently for both the UK-China relationship and for British businesses operating in China.

Alongside my colleagues at the Consulate-General, I look forward to working closely with BritCham Shanghai and its members to navigate new opportunities and strengthen UK-China business ties. The Chamber's role as a bridge between government and business has never been more vital. Through partnership and frank dialogue, we can ensure British companies have the support, connections and confidence to thrive in the Chinese market. I'm confident BritCham Shanghai will remain core to the beating heart of UK-China business relations.

There's much to do, and I look forward to our continued collaboration in the year ahead. Thank you for all that you do - and here's to another year of growth, partnership and shared success.

Overview of 2025 Activities

The value we bring

BritCham Shanghai delivers value to its members through the advocacy of policies and industries, timely knowledge sharing and insights, as well as community-based activities.



Advocacy

We empower our members by developing better trade relations and enabling policy reform. We work to promote member success and share essential industry insights.



Knowledge

We enable businesses to flourish through online and in-person knowledge-sharing events from roundtables, panel discussions and networking events; to training and mentoring.



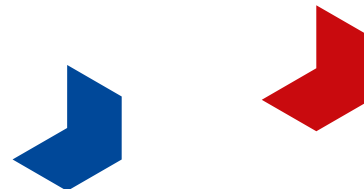
Community

Our community products unite our members through social gatherings, signature events and storytelling. Beyond just business, this is where trusted friendships are made.



Overview of 2025 Activities

Advocacy



Key Products

Advocacy Roundtables

The series aimed to gather and convey UK business voices to both UK and local government to guide and influence opinion and decision-making on diverse topics.

Policy Digest

A biweekly column provides the latest policy developments from the UK, China, and the East China region, with a focus on finance, trade, as well as life services sectors.

The Paper Trail

This is your go-to online archive of commentary, market reports, white papers supplied by members, for members. The Paper trail keeps track of latest insights and trends across many industries in China.

Advocacy in Review

In 2025, **ADVOCACY** remained a fundamental pillar of the British Chamber of Commerce Shanghai's work, strengthening the Chamber's role as a **trusted bridge** between UK business and key Chinese and British stakeholders. Through a combination of targeted government engagement, high-level participation in policy and investment dialogues, and newly launched research outputs, the Chamber continued to elevate the voice of UK business on matters of strategic importance.

A key milestone this year was the launch of several new advocacy and thought-leadership initiatives. The **Policy Digest**, introduced as a bi-weekly policy snapshot, provided timely and tailored insights into UK, China and regional policy developments, supporting evidence-based advocacy throughout the year. Complementary **Thought Leadership** pieces offered in-depth interviews and expert analysis on UK-China dialogues, major trade developments and emerging issues, further strengthening the Chamber's authoritative voice in commercial discourse.

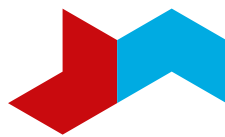
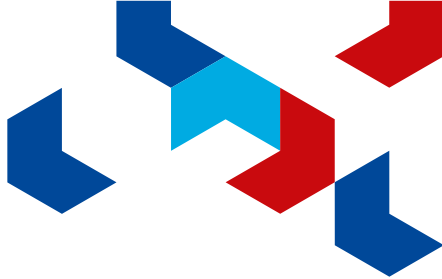
In parallel, BritCham Shanghai celebrated its **110th anniversary** with the inaugural Government Dinner, bringing together over 300 UK and Chinese stakeholders. The event was attended by newly appointed **British Ambassador of the People's Republic of China**, Peter Wilson CMG, the **Deputy Secretary-General of the Shanghai Municipal People's Government**, Gu Jun, and senior officials from surrounding provinces, reaffirming long-standing partnerships and underlining the Chamber's unique role in fostering constructive government-business dialogue.

Throughout the year, the Chamber maintained an active programme of government relations and policy engagement across Shanghai, the Yangtze River Delta and beyond. This included a series of visits, roundtables and meetings with municipal authorities and key institutions, such as the Shanghai Municipal Commission of Commerce (SCOFCOM), Invest Shanghai and district governments including Hongqiao International CBD, Jiading, Xuhui and Jing'an. These engagements provided platforms to exchange views on trade, investment priorities and the evolving business environment, while promoting the interests and perspectives of the UK business community.

BritCham Shanghai also played a visible role at major investment and cooperation platforms. During the China International Import Expo (CIIIE) period, the Chamber supported member engagement through official tours and booth visits.

Beyond Shanghai, the Chamber actively contributed to regional and national-level dialogues in Anhui, Hangzhou, Ningbo and Suzhou. These engagements included factory visits and roundtables with senior UK government representatives, including the British Consul-General in Shanghai and the British Trade Commissioner for China, covering sectors such as education, medical and healthcare, and innovation, reflecting the Chamber's continued commitment to supporting international cooperation.

Through these efforts, the Chamber reinforced its position as a vital advocate for UK business in East China, ensuring members' interests were at the forefront of ongoing policy developments. As we look ahead to 2026, BritCham Shanghai remains devoted to deepening UK-China business engagement and supporting members in a dynamic global landscape.



Take a look at some of our advocacy highlights in 2025.

January

- * BritCham Shanghai attended 2025 New Year Reception - organised by FAO and Shanghai People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries (SPAFFC)
- * BritCham Shanghai attended Opening Session of the Fourth Meeting of the Fourteenth Shanghai Municipal Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference
- * [BritCham Shanghai Meets Chancellor of the Exchequer](#)

February

- * BritCham Shanghai attended 2025 Briefing on Shanghai's Commerce and Investment - organised by Shanghai Municipal Commission of Commerce
- * Platinum Member Breakfast with British Consul-General, Shanghai

March

- * BritCham Shanghai attended 2025 Pudong New Area Forum for Chinese and Foreign Enterprises
- * [Bridging the Dialogue in Creative Industries: Closed-door roundtable held with Rupert Daniels, Director of Services and Skills at DBT](#)
- * [Closed-door Roundtable on Consular Support & UK Visa Guidance](#)

April

- * [BritCham Shanghai Visits Ningbo Investment Promotion Bureau and CCPIT Ningbo](#)
- * [Zhejiang Office welcomes British Consul-General and Hosts Education Roundtable](#)
- * BritCham Shanghai attended Shanghai Climate Week Opening Ceremony

May

- * [Members Engage in Fireside Chat with Dame Caroline Wilson DCMG, British Ambassador to China](#)

June

- * [UK-China Trade & Investment Roundtable in Hangzhou Explores New Opportunities Roundtable with HMT China on UK-China Trade & Industry Priorities](#)
- * Visit to North Hongqiao and build connections with the Hongqiao CBD Administrative Committee and Jiading District
- * Co-hosted Sino-British Symposium on Corporate Technological Innovation with SORSA

July

- * [BritCham Shanghai Meets with SCOFCOM to Deepen UK-Shanghai Business](#)

August

- * BritCham Shanghai met with the Vice Chair of CCPIT Anhui

September

- * BritCham Shanghai attended Shanghai Municipal Government National Day Reception
- Attended World Chambers and Business Associations Conference 2025 in Anhui and met with Secretary of the CPC Anhui Provincial Committee

October

- * Executive Director delivered keynote speech at Shanghai Investment Promotion Conference
- * [BritCham Shanghai 110th Anniversary Government Dinner](#)
- * BritCham Shanghai signed MoU for Xuhui District's Global Partnership

November

- * BritCham Shanghai attended the Invest in China - 2025 Shanghai City Investment Promotion Conference

December

- * Co-hosted UK Supply Chain Resilience Week – Shanghai Session with BritCham South China



Jun: Roundtable with Lewis Neal, British Trade Commissioner for China, on UK-China Trade & Industry Priorities



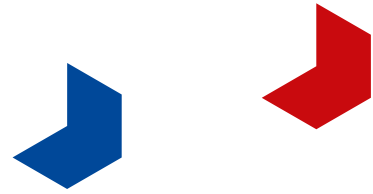
Jul: BritCham Shanghai Chair, Vice Chair, Policy Advisor, Consultant Director met with the Vice Chairman of SCOFCOM (Shanghai Municipal Commission of Commerce) and President of Invest Shanghai



Oct: BritCham Shanghai 110th Anniversary Government Dinner, attended by the British Ambassador of China, Peter Wilson CMG and Gu Jun, Deputy Secretary-General of the Shanghai Municipal People's Government

Overview of 2025 Activities

Knowledge



Key Products

Knowledge Exchange

is a series of debates, roundtables, panels, talks & presentations designed to share timely knowledge about business in China.

Masters & Mentors

is your series of training and mentor programmes to skill-up your team.

Business Exchange

is our series of structured networking events designed to spark new business opportunity for members.

Knowledge in Review

In 2025, BritCham Shanghai's **KNOWLEDGE** pillar remained a key driver of value for members, delivering a rich programme of over 80 impactful knowledge sharing events that engaged more than **3,000 participants**. C-suite executives, industry experts, key opinion leaders (KOLs) and government decision-makers participated in a variety of roundtables, briefings, forums, site visits and masterclasses that offered valuable insights into economic outlooks, sustainability, AI, education, cross-border trade, outbound investment and evolving regulations.

A recurring theme throughout the year was understanding change and fostering adaptability. Events such as the China and Global Economic Outlook and sessions on Outbound Investment provided members with timely analysis of macroeconomic trends, investment landscapes and cross-border opportunities. The Chamber also facilitated discussions on strategic geopolitical and trade dynamics, offering crucial perspectives on the global and regional business environment.

The Chamber further delivered forward-looking content on innovation and technology, while sector-specific events provided deep dives into healthcare and life sciences, digital medical industry developments and new-retail transformation.

Knowledge exchange extended beyond traditional formats, with unique activities such as factory visits to Yaohua Pilkington Glass Group, Haleon Suzhou, Hangzhou Medterials, alongside soft-skill enrichment sessions that broadened professional development opportunities.

In summary, BritCham Shanghai's KNOWLEDGE pillar in 2025 provided strategic insights and practical tools that empowered businesses to adapt and thrive amid complexity, strengthening the Chamber's role as an essential knowledge partner in the evolving China landscape.

Take a look at some of our Knowledge Highlights in 2025.

January

- * Safeguarding, Inclusion and Sustainability in Schools

February

- * ESG Strategies for P&C in China
- * Bridging Innovation: UK-China Science, Technology & Business Opportunities for Global Good
- * Exclusive British Equestrian Tourism Presentation Chat

March

- * Connecting with the British Community in China: Consular Support & UK Visa Guidance
- * P&C Roundtable: Strategies and best practices for disabled employees in China
- * China Economic Outlook
- * CIM Roundtable with Professor Amanda from University of Southampton

April

- * UKRI Breakfast Roundtable: Innovate UK
- * Is there a Talent War? Exploring the shifts shaping China's Talent in 2025
- * [Webinar] Foreign Exchange Risk & Currency Vulnerability for Business
- * Roundtable Discussion: Exploring the Future of ESG – Trends in China and Beyond in 2025
- * SME Circle: Finance, International Trade Relations, and Regulatory Updates for SMEs in China
- * [Webinar] China's Integration of Foreigners' Work Permits with Social Security Cards
- * Breaking Barriers: Trade Challenges Facing Chinese Enterprises
- * AI for Coaching: Transforming Leadership and Personal Growth
- * Healthcare & Pharmacy Roundtable

May

- * AI for Coaching: Transforming Leadership and Personal Growth
- * Healthcare & Pharmacy Roundtable
- * Roundtable Discussion on U.S. Tariffs – Insights for UK Businesses in China
- * P&C Roundtable: Brain, outsourced - How do we ensure that humans keep thinking, when AI seems to be able to do it for us
- * AI Applications in Business
- * Importance of Nutrition and Habits in the Lifestyle of Modern Woman
- * UK-China Outlook

June

- * Data Asset Capitalisation and Commercialisation Roundtable
- * Recent Legal Developments in 2025 – Impact on MNCs and Foreign Investment
- * The China New-Retail Summit
- * Sustainability & Innovation Best Practice Sharing
- * BritCham Suzhou Factory visit – Sino-British Tech Synergy: Bridging Heritage and Innovation
- * China's Own Golden Triangle
- * The Trump Legacy: What's Next
- * Idea to impact - From spark to scale
- * Alternative Investment Series
- * Exploring the Future of ESG: 2025 Q2 Roundtable Discussion on Trends in China and Beyond

July

- * The Marketer's Lounge: InterChamber Event for International Marketeers
- * Navigating Global Supply Chains: Legal, Finance, SME & ESG Perspectives
- * Igniting Engagement
- * How Gen AI is Going to Affect Your Business?
- * A New Day, A New Start: Breakfast with Renewal

August

- * China Economic Outlook: Key Trends for H2 2025 and Beyond

September

- * K12 Principals' Roundtable Discussion
- * How to Lead Business Transformation through Sustainable Food
- * Senior Students Leadership Forum: Ethical Leadership in the Tech Age
- * Can Multinationals Still Compete in China?
- * A roundtable breakfast with Karen Millen

October

- * Shanghai 2030: Transforming Supply Chains for Radical Sustainability & Circular Innovation
- * The Hormone Shift: Mastering Female Health Transitions with Clarity and Confidence
- * New Regulations and Opportunities for Foreign Investors in Healthcare Investment
- * BritCham Shanghai Launches a New Creative Hub
- * Corporate Athletes | Unlocking Team Peak Performance through Sports-Inspired Strategies
- * Surviving and Thriving in the Chinese Century

November

- * People & Culture Roundtable "Making China Heard: How Local Leaders Can Influence Global Decisions"
- * Pre-COP30 Briefing Session
- * A Leader in Name Only: Avoiding the Trap of Invisible leaders
- * Leading Through Crisis: Building Corporate Resilience in an Uncertain World

Overview of 2025 Activities

Community

Key Products

Great British Events

is a collection of exceptional signature events that bring out wider business community together.

After Hours

is a series of light social events that united members for drinks, chats and games after the working day.

Community in Review

2025 continued to showcase the vibrant spirit of the Chamber **COMMUNITY**, with a diverse programme of social activities and gatherings connecting members, partners, and friends across Shanghai and East China.

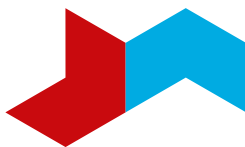
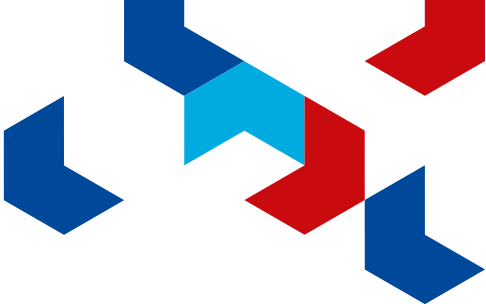
As the Chamber celebrated its 110th Anniversary, the Anniversary Birthday Dinner at Fairmont Peace Hotel was a memorable evening, bringing together our community to reflect on the Chamber's legacy while looking ahead to the future of UK-China business collaboration.

A highlight of the year was the **Fortnum & Mason Great British Day Out 2025**, which attracted over 6,000 registered participants and more than 100 exhibitors from member companies, community partners, and friends. This signature family-friendly event blended sports, live entertainment, learning, and networking, reinforcing the Chamber's role as a hub for community connection and engagement.

The **STEM Racing** (supported by Formula 1) **Season 2024–25** inspired students in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics, culminating in a thrilling finale that encouraged teamwork, innovation, and future-ready skills, while highlighting the Chamber's commitment to educational initiatives.

The year-end **Shanghai Nights** was a vibrant evening of celebration and giving. Thanks to everyone's generosity, the event raised over RMB 60,000 in support of RDA Shanghai's work with children and adults with disabilities—a meaningful achievement reflecting the spirit of the night.

Throughout 2025, the Chamber's community programme offered members opportunities to connect, celebrate, and learn, from cultural evenings and networking sessions to family-oriented and educational activities, strengthening relationships within the business ecosystem and celebrating shared passions for culture, collaboration, and community.



Take a look at some of our Community Highlights in 2025.

January

- * Scottish Connector – A Night Celebrating Robert Burns 2025

February

- * After Hours – Bright Beginning: Cheers to the year ahead
- * Annual General Meeting After Party

March

- * After Hours – No Agenda Social Mixer
- * 1915 Club Dinner

April

- * St George's Day Celebration 2025: Raising a Toast to England

May

- * Social Mixer – Hangzhou Lifestyle Outing
- * BritCham Shanghai 110th Birthday Dinner
- * After Hours – Fish & Chips Night

June

- * Whisky & Liberty - a Scotch Malt Whisky Society tasting
- * InterChamber Mixer: King's Birthday Drinks

July

- * After Hours – July Curry Night
- * Launch & Briefing: 2025 Great British Day Out & Great British Sports Day
- * After Hours – One-Year Office Anniversary & 110th Anniversary Lounge Launch

August

- * Briefing: 2025 Great British Day Out & Great British Sports Day
- * After Hours – Summer Bingo Night
- * Overseas Returnee Zhejiang Summer Mixer

September

- * 1915 Club Dinner
- * Welcome Back InterChamber Mixer
- * Sports Teams Pre-event Briefing
- * Fortnum & Mason Great British Day Out 2025
- * Together for Mid-Autumn Joy
- * After Hours – Moonlight Mixer

October

- * Alumni Match Corner: Personality x Possibility
- * BritCham Shanghai 110th Anniversary Government Dinner
- * BritCham Shanghai Launches a New creative hub

November

- * An Evening with Richard Hammond's Spirits: China Launch & Tasting
- * Shanghai Nights: An Evening of 20s Glamour and Cabaret

December

- * ExCo & Chairs Christmas Appreciation Dinner
- * Platinum Member Christmas Appreciation Dinner
- * Christmas Connections: Festive Mixer 2025



BritCham Shanghai 110th Birthday Dinner



Fortnum & Mason Great British Day Out & Sports Day 2025



Shanghai Nights: An Evening of 20s Glamour and Cabaret

Zhejiang Office in Review

In 2025, the BritCham Shanghai Zhejiang Office strengthened the Chamber's presence in Zhejiang and supporting members' business development across the wider East China market. The Office remained focused on community building, membership engagement, high-quality programming, advocacy support, and close collaboration with the Shanghai team.

Community development remained a key priority. The Zhejiang Office deepened engagement with UK business branches and brands active in the province, alongside UK alumni organisations and a growing network of Chinese associations. Strong and constructive relationships were maintained with both UK and Chinese government stakeholders, enabling the Office to support company visits, roundtables, and policy-related discussions. The Office also supported visits by UK companies and UK-led delegations to Hangzhou, reinforcing BritCham Shanghai's visibility within the UK business community in Zhejiang.

Membership engagement progressed steadily throughout the year. The Zhejiang Office focused on strengthening relationships with existing members, welcoming new companies into the Chamber, and maintaining regular dialogue with prospective members. The team stayed closely connected with member operations in Hangzhou and the wider province, providing hands-on support for member showcases, conferences, and community activities across sectors including education, healthcare, professional services, hospitality, and technology.

Looking ahead, the Zhejiang Office will continue to build on this foundation by deepening member value, expanding committee engagement in Hangzhou, and further strengthening Zhejiang's role within the BritCham Shanghai community.

Key Activities in Highlight

February

- [BritCham Shanghai Expands Community in Zhejiang – BritCham Shanghai](#)

March

- UoM Global MBA Alumni Talk
- Hangzhou Lifestyle Outing After Hours

April

- [BritCham Shanghai met with Ningbo Investment Promotion Bureau, CCPIT Ningbo and visited Ningbo Silent Technology and the University of Nottingham Ningbo China](#)

May

- AI for Global Good Roundtable - with British Trade Commissioner for China and Deputy Head of British Embassy
- [BritCham Shanghai Zhejiang Office Welcomes British Consul General and Hosts Education Roundtable](#)
- [Hangzhou Lifestyle Social Mixer – BritCham Shanghai](#)

June

- [UK-China Trade & Investment Roundtable Session with British Trade Commissioner for China](#)
- [Technology Empowers Education Roundtable](#)
- Alternative Investment Series – Invest in UK Property

July

- [Trends and Investment Opportunities in Healthcare Industry roundtable](#)

September

- [Global Economic Outlook for H2 2025: Outbound Investment](#)
- 2025 Overseas Returnee Zhejiang Summer Mixer

November

- [UK-China Digital Medical Industry Forum](#)

Sustainability & Innovation Awards 2025

In 2025, BritCham Shanghai proudly hosted the third edition of its national sustainability programme, **rebranded from the ESG China Awards to the Sustainability & Innovation Awards**. This rebrand reflects the growing focus on innovation and actionable ESG practices, positioning the Awards as a high-profile platform to recognise excellence among local and international organisations, NGOs, and individuals implementing forward-thinking sustainable initiatives in China.

The 2025 Awards received **143 applications from over 20 cities and 11 countries**, with approximately 40% from foreign companies operating in China and 60% from domestic enterprises. [A total of 46 outstanding submissions were selected as finalists](#), demonstrating the breadth, ingenuity, and impact of sustainable practices across sectors and regions.

Eight award categories were presented, including newly introduced awards for Partnership, Sustainable Consumer Engagement, Sustainable Finance, and Social Impact, alongside core categories such as Innovation, Circular Economy, Sustainable Supply Chain, and ESG Leader. The Awards also featured a new online voting element, which garnered nearly 1.4 million public views, engaging the wider community in recognising sustainability excellence.

[The Gala Awards Ceremony](#), held as a registered Shanghai Climate Week 2025 event, brought together industry experts, senior officials, and business leaders to celebrate exceptional achievements and share insights. Award Chair Dr. Lu Jian Zhong highlighted the increasing adoption of ESG practices among local and international organisations, while BritCham Shanghai reaffirmed its commitment to advancing responsible business, knowledge sharing, and collaboration across China.

Timeline & Key Activities

- 23 Dec 2024
Applications open
- 19 Feb 2025
Applications close
- 20 Feb – 13 Mar 2025
Judging process
- 18 Mar 2025
Finalist Announcement Event
- 25 Mar– 10 Apr 2025
Finalist interviews
- 26 Mar – 10 Apr 2025
Public voting
- 28 Apr 2025
Awards Ceremony Gala Dinner



Awards Ceremony Gala Dinner

The Committees and Respective Members

Our Chamber delivers real value to its membership through a series of active member-run Committees. The Committees bring industry expertise and local knowledge to the wider BritCham community.

Members can join Committees to increase their exposure and be more actively involved in current topics impacting business in China.



Advanced Engineering & Manufacturing

Chair



Ted Wan
President, Greater China, Smiths Group

We provide our members with an informational and educational forum to discuss timely and topical issues relating to their industries. We serve to promote UK engineering and manufacturing in China and we advocate to appropriate levels of government.

We host exceptional events including high level CEO roundtables, knowledge sharing events in English and Chinese, as well as participating in the wider community social network.

Members

Andrew Starforth
Programme Director,
Anemol Marine

Dr. Bernd Pichler
Managing Director
Greater China, Aston
Martin

Charlie Qiu
China President,
GKN China
Automotive

Derek Cheng
Managing Director,
Dominio China Ltd.

Tara Yin
China Managing
Director, Morgan
Thermal Ceramics

Chole Wang
Deputy General
Manager, Drees &
Sommer
Engineering
Consulting
(Shanghai) Co., Ltd.

Steve Au Yeung
EY Greater China
Consulting Partner, EY
Asia-Pacific Global
Business Services
Leader, EY

Kim Xu
COO, Shanghai Circle
Harmony Health Ltd.

Lucinda Zhang
Government Affairs,
SMITH&NEPHEW
MEDICAL
(SHANGHAI) LIMITED

Ada Chen
Head of CA&S G.C.,
Reckitt

Scot Chen
Head of CA&S G.C.,
Reckitt

Bingguang Yu
Senior Partner, Allbright

Linian Li
General Manager,
Modern Water

Byron Zhang
Vice
President/General
Manager Asia, TT
electronics integrated
manufacturing
services

Nugent Ross
Senior Manager,
International
Corporate Affairs,
AstraZeneca China

Maxwell J Kirkby
CEO, Huang & Kirkby
Medical Consulting Co

Sabeen Irfan
Community
Engagement Director
& Senior Operations
Manager, United
Family Healthcare

Nicolas Zhu
Partner, Head of
Lifesciences and
Healthcare Sector
Group, CMS, China

Michael Yang
Executive Director,
Gleeds

2025 Activities

26 Jun
[The Importance of
Evidence Generation in
Delivering High-Quality
Healthcare](#)

16 Sep
How is AI Being Utilized
Across the Healthcare
Sector, and What Does
the Future Hold?

21 Nov
AE&M Sub-Committee
Working Group Meeting

Creative Industries & Marketing

Chair



Natalie Lowe
CEO & Founding
Partner,
The Orangeblowfish

Vice Chair



Steven Proud
Global Key
Accounts Director,
Brandigo China

Our purpose is to enable international creative industries of all sizes to maximise the impact of their work in China. We do this as a united and influential force — advocating for fairer market conditions, delivering essential industry knowledge, mentoring and training businesses, and enabling the best creative talent to enter our firms.

Members

Soudamini Khurana
Creative Director,
Fugumobile

Theodore O'Mahony
Studio Director, GM &
Founder, KANVID

Richard Seymore
Regional Director, Trade
and Investment, China
Invest Northern Ireland

Konnor Davis
Director, KD Theatrics

Ex- Officio Member

Cat Sinclair- Jones
East China, British Council;
Consul (Culture and
Education),
British Consulate General
Shanghai

2025 Activities

25 Mar
No Agenda Social Mixer

31 Mar
CIM Roundtable with Professor
Amanda from University of
Southampton

18 Jun
Idea to impact - From spark to scale

30 Oct
BritCham Shanghai Launches a New
Creative Hub

Special thanks

The Chamber would like to extend special thanks to the following member(s) who have left throughout the year for their contribution to the committee:

Pamela Chen
Partner & Managing
Director, Mother

Penny Jin
Founder and Managing
Director, iStage Academy

Anthony James Reed
Founder, Reed
Photographic

Janet Jiang
Deputy Executive Director,
The British Chamber of
Commerce Shanghai

Jacob Ketcher
Development Manager, Acclime China

Education

Chair



Stuart Perrin
Chief Officer of
(Education) Ecology,
Xian Jiaotong-Liverpool
University (XJTLU)

Vice Chair



Julian Jeffrey
Chief Executive Master,
Wellington College China

Vice Chair



Sherry Fu
Managing Director,
China, The
University of
Manchester

Members

Jenny Cao
CEO, GE5 Education

Garrison Lu Feng
Chairman & National
Director, The Duke of
Edinburgh's International
Award China

Grace Guan
Regional Director, China
and East Asia,
Edinburgh Global,
University of Edinburgh

Iain Kilpatrick
Executive Headmaster,
YK Pao School

Su Si
Head of Education,
China, Department for
Business and Trade,
British Consulate General
Shanghai

David Wang
Head of Partnerships,
Education, British Council

Nathalie Xu
Event Manager,
Wellington College
International Shanghai

Harriett Gething
Regional Director of
Admissions and Marketing,
China International Schools,
Nord Anglia Education

Thomas Hitchings
International Head of
Primary, Nord Anglia
Education – NACIS
Shanghai

David Foster
Director of Business
Development, The
University of Nottingham
Ningbo China

Jeff Wang
Head of School, Business
and Management, The Sino-
British College, USST

Paul Farrell
Principal,
Britannica International
School, Shanghai

Ronan Williams
Partner, EY

Tiefu Zhao
Senior Manager (East Asia),
University of Southampton

**Alix Hernandez
Reyes**
Global Admissions,
Marketing &
Experience (AMX)
Leader | International
Education Professional

**Haena Seongsin
Kim**
Managing Director,
WildChina Education

We advocate on behalf of British educational institutions who operate in China or who receive Chinese students in the UK. We actively share knowledge and insights to enable better awareness of education policy and to improve educational development from primary level, all the way through to tertiary, vocational and professional education in China.

2025 Activities

16 Jan
[Safeguarding, Inclusion
and Sustainability in
Schools](#)

20 Jun
[Global Visionary Series]
The Trump Legacy:
What's Next

9 Sep
K12 Principal
Roundtable Discussion

24 Sep
[Senior Student
Leadership Forum](#)

Special thanks

The Chamber would like to extend special thanks to the following member(s) who have left throughout the year for their contribution to the committee:

Mandy Wong
Business Development Manager
(East Asia), City&Guilds

Joe Jones
Director, International Future
China

Terence Clarke
Co-founder, UpSkill
Consulting

Mark Pinner
Head of Communications,
BE Education

ESG

Chair



Stephen Baron

Interim Director Climate, Reputational and Sustainability Risk, Asia and Middle East and Head of Reputational and Sustainability Risk China, HSBC Bank (China) Company Limited

Vice Chair



Jennifer Jiang

Partner, ERM

Vice Chair



Emmanuel DELPLANQUE

CEO, Be-Cause Environment Technology Co., Ltd.

Nancy Sun

Senior Partner, China Head of Energy Practice, Dacheng

Alvin Yan

Regional Compliance Director – Greater China, Reckitt China

Juliette Chen

Senior Manager, Corporate Responsibility, Great China, IHG

Shirley Shen

Marketing Director, Rentokil Initial China

Dr. Li Nan

Operations Director ENR China, Johnson Matthey

Members

Cecilia Wang

Vice President, Communication & External Affairs, bp China

Carol Zhang

APAC Sustainability Leader, Edrington

Mandy Xu

China Comms lead, Haleon

Gordon Gao

COO, Shanghai Office, Barclays Bank PLC

Phoebe Li

Sustainability Manager, Aden Group

Julie KOCH

Sustainability Director, Sodexo China

Shuhao ZHANG

Head of Sustainability & Engineering Consulting, Drees & Sommer

We aim to support and educate businesses on how they can become ‘more sustainable’ with ESG principles and SDG goals. We bring together expertise from the members to be able to share best practices and highlight the efforts members are committing

In this area, with both quantitative and qualitative considerations.

2025 Activities

10 Apr

[Roundtable Discussion: Exploring the Future of ESG – Trends in China and Beyond in 2025](#)

12 Jun

[Sustainability & Innovation Awards Best Practice Sharing Event](#)

27 Jun

[Exploring the Future of ESG: 2025 Q2 Roundtable Discussion on Trends in China and Beyond](#)

10 Jul

[Navigating Global Supply Chains: Legal, Finance, SME & ESG Perspectives](#)

23 Sep

[How to Lead Business Transformation through Sustainable Food?](#)

16 Oct

[Shanghai 2030: Transforming Supply Chains for Radical Sustainability & Circular Innovation](#)

7 Nov

Pre-Cop Online Briefing Session

Special thanks

The Chamber would like to extend special thanks to the following member(s) who have left throughout the year for their contribution to the committee:

Lloyd Roberts

Vice President-Trading Division China, Jaguar Land Rover

Sophia Xu

Chief Sustainability Officer, Shanghai, Dodgen Chemical Technology Co. Ltd

Dr. Ellen E. Touchstone

Chair, XJTLU Sustainability Council and IBSS Associate Dean, Responsible and Sustainable Business Education, International Business School Suzhou Xi'an Jiaotong – Liverpool University,

Xiaowei Li

Key Account Director, Wood Zone Co., Ltd

Cherry Zhu

Director, Barclays China

Guoxiong Zhang

Managing Director, Deloitte

Siyao Jiang

Partner, ERM

Angela Chen

Corporate Responsibility, Greater China, IHG

Financial Services

Chair



Tim Yu

Chief Financial Officer,
Next Beauty Shanghai
Office

Vice Chair



Danish Qureshi

Managing Director,
Country Head of
International Subsidiary
Banking, HSBC China

Vice Chair



Jean-Paul Cyr

Senior Manager –
Projects and Governance,
Lloyd's Insurance
Company (China) Limited

We share valuable insights about the business environment, financial regulation and economic updates in China. Our purpose is to learn together and share experiences with our stakeholders. We organise insightful events that opens opportunities for members to network, collaborate, share expertise and to stay informed about the financial services sector.

Members

Kerry Or

Director, Winton
Investment Management

Jerry Su

Partner, Mazars

Eddy Tao

Head of China & Business
Development Director,
Berkeley Group

Joanne Wood

Chairman, Capital Eight

Eric Zheng

Chairman of the Board
of Heng An Standard
Life, Standard Life
Aberdeen

Cecilia Li

Partner, PwC

Chris Zhang

Managing Director, LucaNet

Eric Pang

Audit Partner, KPMG

Alina Tang

Partner, Mazars

Tianwei Xu

Deputy Chief Executive,
Head of Personal
Banking, Bank of East
Asia (China)

Pei Ke

CSO, China, Barclays Bank

Dr. Han Lin

General Manager, China,
Aspect Capital

2025 Activities

8 Apr

[Webinar] Foreign Exchange
Risk & Currency Vulnerability
for Business

20 Jun

另类投资系列活动 – 英伦
机遇篇

10 Jul

Navigating Global Supply
Chains: Legal, Finance,
SME & ESG Perspectives

Special thanks

The Chamber would like
to extend special thanks
to the following
member(s) who have left
throughout the year for
their contribution to the
committee:

Grace Kuo

Branch Manager,
Barclays Bank Shanghai
Branch

Zoe Liu

Chief Representative,
City of London Shanghai
Office

Maria McDermott

Director, SinoComply

Matthew Wong

Partner, PwC China

People & Culture

Chair



Fabrizio Ulivi

Managing Partner,
SBA – Shi Bisset &
Associates

Vice Chair



Madge Xue

HR Director, Greater
China, Reckitt

Vice Chair



Matt Anderson

HRVP, Jaguar Land
Rover China

We support members by enabling the sharing of HR best practice as well as topics of immediate interest and need.

Our committee has a diverse range of HR expertise that members can leverage. We ensure that the events, and support we arrange, helps our members in their quest to have the best possible recruitment, development, performance, reward and retention of their people.

Members

Sandy Xu

Talent Acquisition Director for
Chinese Mainland and HK, Haleon

Roy Ren

Senior Director,
Fragomen (Shanghai)

Nick Obolensky

Founder, Complex
Adaptive Leadership Ltd
& MD,
Agile Plus Leadership
Consultants

Marcia Chen

Founder & CEO,
Women Alliance Group

Rita Malvone

MD, Rita Malvone
Businesses Performance

2025 Activities

18 Feb

ESG Strategies for P&C in
China

25 Mar

P&C Roundtable: Strategies
and best practices for
disabled employees in China

2 Apr

Is there a Talent War?
Exploring the shifts shaping
China's Talent in 2025

11 Apr

[Webinar] China's Integration of
Foreigners' Work Permits with
Social Security Cards

20 May

P&C Roundtable: Brain,
outsourced - How do we
ensure that humans keep
thinking, when AI seems to be
able to do it for us

29 May

After Hours – Fish & Chips Night

13 Jun

BritCham Suzhou Factory
visit – Sino-British Tech
Synergy: Bridging Heritage
and Innovation

18 Jun

Idea to impact - From
spark to scale

18 Jul

Igniting Engagement

6 Nov

People & Culture
Roundtable "Making
China Heard: How Local
Leaders Can Influence
Global Decisions"

Special thanks

The Chamber would like
to extend special thanks
to the following
member(s) who have left
throughout the year for
their contribution to the
committee:

Phoebe Chang

Senior Manager, GP
Strategies

Jason Will

Country Manager, Asian
Tigers

Hospitality

Chair



Benjamin Zahn

Vice President of
Operations, East China
IHG Greater China

Vice Chair



Daisy Hu

Chief Rep, Jardine
Matheson (China)

Vice Chair



Robert Xia

GM China, Virgin Atlantic
Airways

Vice Chair



Tong Sun

Group Head, Business
Growth and
Performance, Aden

Our vision is to cultivate a vibrant community within the British Chamber of Commerce in Shanghai, where hospitality and retail professionals thrive through networking, collaboration, innovation, and shared learning.

We aspire to be a platform that fosters excellence, drives growth, and champions diversity and sustainability in the hospitality and retail sectors, ultimately enhancing the overall business landscape and contributing to the economic development of Shanghai, China and beyond. Let's connect.

Members

William Bray

CEO, Beef & Liberty
China

Rudy Wimmer

Partner / Corporate
Development,
DavidHugh

Sinan Yilmaz

Vice President,
Operations, Pudong
Shangri-La, Shanghai

Ken Grant

Director, FDKG

Christina Leung

Managing Director,
The Scotch Malt
Whisky Society

Matthew Cooper

General Manager,
Kimpton Qiantan
Shanghai

Mike Lee

Director of Commerce,
Artyzen Hospitality Group

Mark Ralph

Head of Business
Development, CMA Testing
(F&B) China

Tracy Guo

Brand Specialist, Vita
Student

Adam Zhang

Greater China
Representative, Dominio de
Cair

Vicent Zheng

General Manager, Shanghai
Union brand management
Co Ltd.

2025 Activities

11 Jun

The China New-Retail Summit

12 Jun

Whisky & Liberty – a Scotch
Malt Whisky Society tasting

25 Jun

Renewal Strategy for Culture,
Business, and Tourism:
Breaking Through with
Differentiation

Special thanks

The Chamber would like
to extend special thanks
to the following
member(s) who have left
throughout the year for
their contribution to the
committee:

Jeya Ibrahim-Lecomte

Head of Marketing, Topgolf

Abby Lin

Brand Manager, James
Johnston & Co. of Elgin

April Xie

Head of Brand and
Alumni, Vita Student

Vivian Lin

General Manager, The
Shanghai EDITION

Legal & Regulatory

Co-Chair



Dr. Adolf Peter
Professor, Shanghai
University of Political
Science and Law

Co-Chair



Yue Fu
Head of Corporate
Affairs, Haleon

Our Committee comprises legal and compliance professionals, including lawyers, in-house counsel, risk advisors and consultants and government relations specialist.

Our purpose is to share expertise and best practice regarding specific legislation, regulation and practical issues when investing and undertaking business in China. Our professional events include seminars, presentations, panel discussions and networking activities designed to attract prominent business figures, officials and those seeking to exchange knowledge with industry thought-leaders.

Members

David Chen
Legal Director, Smith &
Nephew

Alex Roberts
Partner, Head of China TMT,
Co-Head of Games and
Interactive Entertainment,
Linklaters LLP

Jianlin Ni
Partner, Dacheng Shanghai
Office

Dingyu Allen He
Legal Counsel, PwC China

Jonathan Wei
President, Projects and
Occupier Services, PRC,
Cushman&Wakefield

David Y. Chen
Partner, Herbert Smith Freehills

Joy kot
Senior Business Development
Manager, Clyde & Co

Vivian Mao
Partner, East China, Dezan
Shira & Associates

Selena She
Partner, Links Law Offices

Alvin Yan
Greater China Compliance
Director, Reckitt

Ulrike Glueck
Chief Representative
and Managing Partner,
CMS China

Bridge Zhao
General Counsel,
Smiths Group Plc Asia-
Pacific

Raymond Xu
Director, Raymond
Legal Ltd

Paul Tan
Senior Managing
Director, Ankura
Consulting

2025 Activities

15 Apr
[Breaking Barriers: Trade
Challenges Facing Chinese
Enterprises](#)

5 Jun
Data Asset Capitalisation and
Commercialisation Roundtable

9 Jun
Recent Legal Developments in
2025 – Impact on MNCs and
Foreign Investment

10 Jul
[Navigating Global Supply
Chains: Legal, Finance, SME &
ESG Perspectives](#)

28 Oct
[New Regulations and
Opportunities for Foreign
Investors in Healthcare
Investment](#)

Special thanks

The Chamber would like to extend special thanks to the following member(s) who have left throughout the year for their contribution to the committee:

Xiaoli Shi
Partner, Tsinglaw Partners

Technology & Innovation

Chair



Linian LI
Managing Director,
Modern Water China

Vice Chair



Andrew Starforth
General Manager,
Silverstream
Technologies (Shanghai)
Limited

Technology and innovation hold paramount strategic importance for the expansion, management, and operation of a business. The Technology & Innovation Committee serves as a pivotal broad platform for tech companies operating in China. We are dedicated to delivering value to our members through engaging events, high-level forums, and the timely sharing of insights.

Members

Pascal Jiang

Partner, Dacheng
Shanghai Office

Stuart Perrin

Chief Officer of
(Education) Ecology,
Xian Jiaotong-
Liverpool University
(XJTLU)

Stewart Randall

VP, Head of Electronics,
Intralink Group

Stephane Monsallier

CEO, System in Motion

Ervis Micukaj

General Manager, JET
IT Services

Harrison Lin

Business Development
Director, Alibaba Cloud
Europe

Amelia King

Director of EdTech and
Innovation, Dulwich
College Shanghai Puxi

Richard Seymore

Regional Director,
Invest Northern Ireland

Dr Cecilia Tsui

Founder & Executive
Director, Innovation
Forum HongKong

Ex- Officio Member

Charlotte Smart

Consul, Science and Tech
Shanghai, British
Consulate-General
Shanghai

2025 Activities

22 Apr

AI for Coaching: Transforming
Leadership and Personal
Growth

13 Jun

BritCham Suzhou Factory visit
– Sino-British Tech Synergy:
Bridging Heritage and
Innovation

Special thanks

The Chamber would like
to extend special thanks
to the following
member(s) who have left
throughout the year for
their contribution to the
committee:

Victoria Doamekpor

Director of Educational
Technology & Innovation,
Wellington College
International Shanghai

Jake Watkin

Managing Partner, 8
Hours Ahead

Small & Medium Enterprises

Chair



Stuart Dunn
Executive Director,
BritCham Shanghai

Vice Chair



Jonathan Chapon
Manager China | Chief
Marketing Officer,
Abacare

We serve as a united front for SMEs operating in China and to share valuable insights to British businesses seeking entry into this market.

We work together to overcome commercial challenges and we advocate for the best possible working conditions in our industries. We deliver valuable knowledge sharing, training and networking events, and we enjoy making new friends at our social connectors too.

Members

Nancy Chen
Commercial Director, Star
Accounting & Consulting

Jacob Ketcher
Business Development
Manager, Acclime China

Peter Law
Tax Partner, Mazars
Shanghai

Willow Wei
Partner, Dacheng
Shanghai Office

Dr. Nicoleen Johnson
Lecturer in Business &
Management, Sino-British
College of the University of
Science and Technology

Ryan Molloy
CEO, RedFern Digital

Fabrizio Ulivi
Managing Partner, Shi
Bisset & Associates

Adam Livermore
Partner, Dezan Shira &
Associates

2024 Activities

11 Apr
SME Circle: Finance,
International Trade Relations,
and Regulatory Updates for
SMEs in China

13 Jun
BritCham Suzhou
Factory visit – Sino-British
Tech Synergy: Bridging
Heritage and Innovation

10 Jul
Navigating Global Supply
Chains: Legal, Finance,
SME & ESG Perspectives

Special thanks

The Chamber would like
to extend special thanks
to the following
member(s) who have left
throughout the year for
their contribution to the
committee:

Wafaa Ajrouj
Head of KA – MNC China,
Domino China

Women in Business

Chair



Nancy Chen
Commercial Director,
Star Accounting &
Consulting

Vice Chair



Marcia Chen
Founder & CEO of
Women Alliance Group

We are a community of professional women who proactively create business connections and open opportunities amongst our network.

We share insights and market knowledge, offer skills training, mentorship, cultural activities, seminars and executive events for our member companies. We are committed to inclusiveness and champion leadership success.

Members

Sabeen Irfan
Community Engagement
Director & Senior
Operations Manager,
United Family Healthcare

Cindy Cheung
Partner, Mazars

Alice Du
Regional Head of
Corporate, Shanghai,
HSBC

Lisa Zhang
Co-founder,
Alfilo Brands

Lisa Zhang
Regional Director, East
Asia, Edinburgh University

Aurora Zhang
Contractual Partner, Links
Law Offices

2025 Activities

28 Feb
Bridging Innovation: UK-China
Science, Technology &
Business Opportunities for
Global Good

28 May
Importance of Nutrition and
Habits in the Lifestyle of
Modern Woman

13 Jun
BritCham Suzhou Factory visit
– Sino-British Tech Synergy:
Bridging Heritage and
Innovation

16 Oct
The Hormone Shift: Mastering
Female Health Transitions with
Clarity and Confidence

Special thanks

The Chamber would like to
extend special thanks to the
following member(s) who
have left throughout the
year for their contribution to
the committee:

Pamela Chen
Partner, Managing Director,
Mother

Jeya Ibrahim-Lecomte
Marketing Director,
Topgolf

Wafaa Ajrouj
Head of KA – MNC China,
Domino China

Zhejiang

Chair



Shane Sang

Tax Partner, PwC

Vice Chair



Marcia Chen

Founder & CEO of
Women Alliance Group

The British Chamber of Commerce Shanghai (BritCham Shanghai) is proud to announce the establishment of a working committee for Zhejiang province, based in Hangzhou. The Zhejiang Committee aims to enhance communication and cooperation between British companies and Zhejiang-based businesses, as well as to promote bilateral trade and investment between the UK and Zhejiang, especially in Hangzhou; Ningbo; Wenzhou; Shaoxing and Jinhua.

Members

Nancy Yu

Partner, Beijing Dacheng
Law Offices, LLP
(Hangzhou)

2025 Activities

11 Feb

BritCham Shanghai Expands
Community in Zhejiang –
BritCham Shanghai

Special Thanks

BritCham Shanghai appreciates the engagement of all its member companies and is pleased to recognise our Platinum Members who continue to support the Chamber at the highest of levels.

Platinum & Associate Platinum Members



In addition, we would like to recognise the incredible support from the membership and wider business community for sponsoring our 2026 activities. * Including both general events and special events; logos are listed in no particular order.





2026 Key Activities

Entering the Year 2026, the Chamber and its committees continue to drive and organise a range of activities that bring members and the wider business community not only insights and knowledge, best practices and lessons learnt, but also networking and match-making opportunities to build trusted and long-lasting friendships.

Q1 (Jan to Mar)

- * Annual General Meeting
- * GR Series
- * Quarterly Platinum Member Breakfast
- * Quarterly Member Briefing
- * Quarterly Economic Outlook
- * International Women's Day Celebration Breakfast
- * Zhejiang Office Event Series
- * Committee Events
- * Training Sessions
- * 1915 Club Burns Night
- * After Hours Social Mixers
- * Sustainability & Innovation Awards Launch

Q3 (Jul to Sep)

- * GR Series
- * Quarterly Member Briefing
- * Quarterly Platinum Member Breakfast
- * Quarterly Economic Outlook
- * Committee Events
- * Training Sessions
- * After Hours Social Mixers
- * 1915 Club Dinner

Q2 (Apr to Jun)

- * GR Series
- * Quarterly Member Briefing
- * Quarterly Platinum Member Breakfast
- * Quarterly Economic Outlook
- * Zhejiang Office Event Series
- * Committee Events
- * Training Sessions
- * After Hours Social Mixers
- * British Ball
- * Sustainability & Innovation Awards Summit

Q4 (Oct to Dec)

- * Government Dinner
- * Quarterly Member Briefing
- * Quarterly Platinum Member Breakfast
- * Quarterly Economic Outlook
- * Committee Events
- * Training Sessions
- * Great British Day Out
- * Christmas Social Mixer

Please visit Chamber Website www.britishchambershanghai.cn for further details of confirmed activities.

** BritCham Shanghai reserves the right to alter the above plan.*

Executive Committee 2026

Chair



Edward Weeks
Senior Executive Vice President,
Deputy Chief Executive Officer,
HSBC Bank (China) Company
Limited

Vice Chair



Anthea Wang
Executive Vice President,
Public Relations and
Corporate Affairs, JLR China

Vice Chair



Harriet Sheffer
Head of Strategy &
Commercial,
OUTFORM

Treasurer



John Chattock
Partner, KPMG Shanghai

Consultant Director



Alex Roberts
Partner, Head of China TMT,
Co-Head of Games and Interactive
Entertainment, Linklaters LLP

Policy Adviser



**Christopher Dunn
MBE**
Associate,
Brunswick Group

Strategic Adviser



Vicky Lord
Managing Partner, Hameys

Committee Ambassador



Vicky Li
FCMA, CGMA, Regional VP,
North Asia, the Association
of International Certified
Professional Accountants
(AICPA&CIMA)

Brand & Comms Ambassador



Daniel Lyons
Director of Communications,
Dulwich College Shanghai
Pudong

International Representative



Ray Chisnall
Industrial, Manufacturing &
Logistics Sector Lead,
Gleeds

Co-Opted



Stephanie Chen
General Manager,
Chinese Mainland – Shanghai,
John Swire & Sons



Siyao Jiang
China Managing Partner,
ERIM



Joanne Wood
Founder and Managing
Partner, Capital Eight

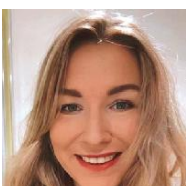
Ex-Officio



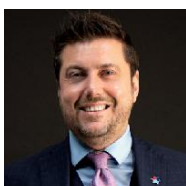
Matt Burney, CMG
British Consul-General
Shanghai



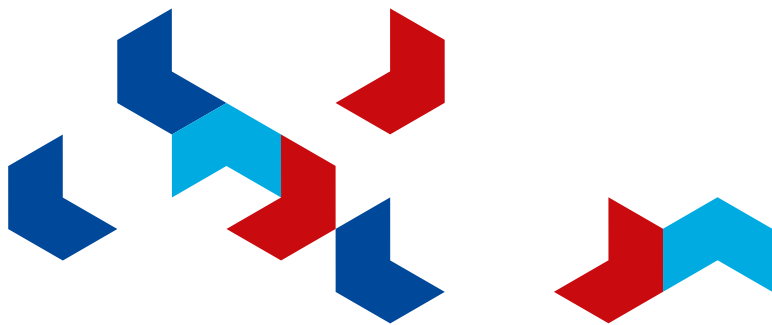
Sohail Shaikh
British Deputy Trade
Commissioner for
China



Cat Sinclair-Jones
Director East China, British
Council; Consul (Culture and
Education), British
Consulate General Shanghai



Stuart Dunn
Executive Director, BritCham
Shanghai



Meet our Chamber team



Stuart Dunn
Executive Director



Janet Jiang
Deputy Executive Director



Wendy Kang
Office Manager



Stephanie Feng
Key Account Manager



Elly Huang
Account Manager



Eloise Zhang
Project & Industry
Relations Manager



Yiwen Ling
Project & Industry
Relations Executive



Bale Xu
Events Executive



Yimeng Xia
Events & Marketing
Executive



Yuting Zhu
Advocacy &
Committee Executive

Become a member

The British Chamber of Commerce Shanghai is a strong and dynamic network of company members who collectively support, engage and share knowledge with a common interest in China.

Our membership is open to multinationals operating in China, UK companies*, and individuals.

For more details and apply online, please visit [*britishchambershanghai.cn/become-a-member*](http://britishchambershanghai.cn/become-a-member)

or email [*admin@britishchambershanghai.cn*](mailto:admin@britishchambershanghai.cn) to address your interest. Our membership team will follow up accordingly on further details.

Follow us on WeChat

