

REGISTRATION FORM

Please fill in one registration form for each participant and return via fax to +49 (0)30 206 70 829 or register online at www.bccg.de/events. Limited number of participants.
Registration deadline: 20 April 2018.

Registration for 3 May 2018, London

Name _____

Position _____

Company _____

Company invoice address _____

Postcode, city, country _____

E-mail _____

Telephone _____

BCCG Member yes no

3 May 2018, London - Please register for:

Participation AGM (**members only, 13:00**) yes no

Participation Annual Conference (14:30) yes no

Participation Reception & Dinner (19:00) yes no

Choice of menu: Meat Vegetarian

Cost Contribution:

3 May 2018 - Whole day conference package

BCCG Members: 80 EUR p.p. + VAT

Guests: 95 EUR p.p. + VAT

PAYMENT:

After registration you will receive an invoice. Please transfer the fees **in advance** to the BCCG bank account as specified on your invoice, adding your name and invoice number. It is also possible to settle the account by credit card MasterCard/Visa (see invoice for details).

With your application to this event, your obligation of payment is given. Cancellations can only be accepted if received by the BCCG up to eight days before the event in writing. After your payment and application in writing your participation will be registered.

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Annual General Meeting 2018 and Conference



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The Apex Temple Court Hotel 1-2, Serjeants' Inn, Fleet St, London EC4Y 1LL, **Reference: LUT0205**

02.05.2018: £ 276 incl VAT 03.05.2018: £ 229 incl VAT

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02. & 03.05.2018: £ 273,60 incl VAT

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Invitation and Programme BCCG Annual General Meeting 2018 and Annual Conference

The Future of German-British Trade
after Brexit

Thursday, 3 May 2018

London

Nat West, 280 Bishopsgate, London EC2M 4RB



DEAR MEMBERS AND GUESTS,

You are cordially invited to the BCCG's Annual General Meeting (AGM) 2018 and Conference, organised by the BCCG Regional Committee UK.

Included with this invitation are the registration form and further information about the programme. Partners and guests are also welcome to attend the conference as well as the dinner.

The future of German - British trade after Brexit

It has been two years since a slight majority of the British population voted in favour of Brexit and yet the dimensions of this decision are still not foreseeable. How access to the European single market and the trade union will be organised in the future is still highly uncertain. This already interferes with today's trade and business life, while negotiations about an agreement concerning the UK withdrawal are still ongoing. In order to limit the potential negative impact some companies are starting to establish subsidiaries or move headquarters.

The current status of the negotiations provides a two years transition period subsequent to the negotiation period and the actual withdrawal in March 2019. Hence a sudden change in the applicability of laws may be avoided. However, this also means another period of two years of uncertainty with trade companies not knowing whether or not there will be custom duties applied to their goods and services and to what extent.

The United Kingdom's trade surplus lies within services, especially financial services into the European Union. If a future free trade agreement between the EU and the UK, which will be negotiated from March 2018 onwards, resembles the CETA agreement for instance, the service aspect would not be included.

Therefore from the British point of view, a CETA Plus might be needed. What must that "Plus" comprise of according to the British industry especially, the financial industry and how will German – British trade after Brexit look like?

We invite you to join our discussion, and look very much forward to seeing you on 3 May 2018 in London.

Kind regards,

Michael Schmidt, President
British Chamber of Commerce in Germany e.V.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2018

Thursday, 3 May 2018

**Venue: Nat West, 280 Bishopsgate,
London EC2M 4RB**

13:00 Registration AGM & Refreshments

13:30 AGM only for BCCG members

14:30 Registration Conference & Refreshments

15:00 Conference in English language

„The Future of German - British trade after Brexit“

Welcome

Michael Schmidt, President BCCG, Berlin

Keynote Speech

The Rt Hon Greg Hands MP, Minister for Trade Policy,
London

Keynote Speech

Ross Walker, Head of European Economics at
Nat West

16:00 Panel Discussion

Julie Chappell OBE, Managing Director Business,
London & Partners

Stephan Mayer, PSiS at the Federal Ministry of the
Interior, Building and Community

Dr. Ian Robertson, Special Representative of the BMW
Group, former member of the Board of Management for
BMW sales

Thomas Tugendhat MBE MP, Chair of the Foreign
Affairs Select Committee

Ross Walker, Head of European Economics at
Nat West

Moderation

Prof. David Marsh, CBE, Managing Director and
Co-Founder, OMFIF Ltd

17:15 Closing Remarks

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2018

For BCCG members only

Thursday, 3 May 2018, 13:30 - 14:30

19:00 Reception & Dinner
Dress code: Black Tie / Business Attire

Venue: The Law Society
113 Chancery Ln, London WC2A 1PL

Welcome:

Michael Schmidt, President BCCG

Dinner Speech:

**His Excellency The Ambassador of the
United Kingdom Sir Sebastian Wood
KCMG, British Ambassador to Germany**