



How can you manage your British/German business goals in the current uncertain climate?



Fostering businesses, organisations and individuals across borders

Why we should jointly act:

The Bundesbank's most recently published revised figures show again the strong bilateral British-German trade to be the fifth largest of all German bilateral trade relationships, after the US, the Netherlands, France and China.

The total bilateral trade including goods and services in 2018 was € 176 bn, down slightly by 2.6% from € 181 bn in 2017 due to reduced goods demand in UK, mainly related to Brexit uncertainty.

About 2,500 German firms with around 400,000 employees do business in the United Kingdom. More than 1,200 British firms employing some 220,000 people are currently operating in Germany.

Plain numbers aside, we believe it is more important than ever before to foster international contacts and friendships between the United Kingdom, Germany and beyond.

In short: Whatever Brexit will bring in terms of change, the British-German business relationship remains crucial. For the United Kingdom. For Germany. For you.

How will you manage your UK/German business goals in the new environment?

How we can help:

In a world of accelerating complexity, volatility and disruption, businesses, organisations and individuals are looking for information, guidance and beneficial relationships to deal with their strategic and operational challenges.

The British Chamber of Commerce in Germany continually identifies relevant issues, bringing together experts, public bodies and our members to help them address and find solutions to their major concerns.

It is our genuine belief that economic prosperity and mutual respect for our cultures requires ongoing, open and direct cross-border dialogue.

Your benefits:

1. **Bilateral Trade and Business Organisation**

The BCCG is the largest British/German business and institutional network with 600 members and 4,000 active contacts.

2. **Networking Opportunities**

The BCCG offers members personal contacts across all industrial and service sectors as well as political and trade organisations. We support dialogue through an abundance of networking opportunities in all regions by means of around 100 annual content-driven conferences and top-tier events utilising member expertise and contacts.

3. **Policies and Special Topics**

BCCG industry expert groups confer and advise on a variety of relevant economic and/or political issues for members and stakeholders of the BCCG.

4. **Political Contacts**

BCCG supports its members' interests by maintaining political contacts in Germany and the UK.

5. **Business Knowledge and Communications**

BCCG offers business guidance through publication of PR and professional articles, press releases and advertising in its publications, the e-News Update as well as on the BCCG website.

6. **BCCG Organisation**

The BCCG offers assistance by answering daily enquiries and establishing relevant contacts. Besides the management office in Berlin, the BCCG is represented throughout Germany and the UK with ten regional committees to meet local needs and requirements.

7. **BCCG Foundation**

The BCCG supports bilateral education projects through the BCCG Foundation, a charity under German law. It supports students' masters studies in the UK and Germany.

For more details please visit www.bccg.de/foundation.

Your membership opportunities

Regular BCCG Membership

Membership categories for professionals as well as companies are based on the number of employees. Reduced fees apply to newly-established companies, to members of Young BCCG, to students and senior citizens.

Sponsoring Membership

We offer and would recommend, you consider the special VIP-status of a "Sponsoring Member". BCCG Sponsoring Members pay an additional amount to their regular annual fee. By acquiring Sponsoring Membership, you will also reap the benefits of

- First option for co-operation at events
- Invitation to the annual Sponsoring Members' Dinner in Berlin by HM Ambassador to Germany
- Special invitations to VIP events where attendee numbers are restricted
- Priority placements of advertisements and PR articles in BCCG publications
- Inclusion in expert groups.

Young BCCG

A number of members under the age of 40 have opted to form the Young BCCG sub-group. Members can register for this group which organises special events targeted to this demographic.

Young BCCG focuses on new concepts in corporate and public bilateral organisations and trade.

Membership Details

For details, current rates, how to obtain the premium status of Sponsoring Membership and the opportunities within the Young BCCG, please refer to our website www.bccg.de or feel free to contact us.

Becoming a member

I wish to join the BCCG as a:

- Regular Member
- Sponsoring Member
- Young BCCG

Name

Position

Company

Address

City, postal code

Telephone / telefax

E-mail

Number of employees

PRIVACY POLICY ACCORDING TO GENERAL DATA PROTECTION REGULATION (GDPR)

Please note the BCCG privacy policy re. General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR):

<https://www.bccg.de/membership>

I have taken note.

Date/Signature

You can also join the BCCG Network by registering online: www.bccg.de/membership .

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