



ALLIES IN COMMERCE

A multiyear effort is under way to reset the terms of the UK's relationships with the EU, the U.S., and other trading partners.

The outcome of the negotiations between the UK and the EU matters deeply for American corporations that have invested nearly \$750 billion in and export to the UK, for U.S. subsidiaries in other EU member states doing business in Britain, and for the thousands of UK-headquartered firms with significant equities on both sides of the Atlantic.

The U.S.-UK Business Council ensures that the UK, EU, and U.S. governments understand the significant business impacts as these relationships evolve.

The U.S.-UK Business Council is the premier Washington-based business organization dedicated to strengthening the commercial relationship between the U.S. and the UK. The Council's aim is to promote at the highest levels of business and government a mutually beneficial economic relationship. We do this via advocacy, engagement, and strategic communications. The Council provides a unique platform for companies to meet policymakers and impact key decisions on trade, investment, and regulatory matters.



Members of the U.S.-UK Business Council visit with senior officials at No.10 Downing Street.



Council Goals

- Advance the interests of the business community as the UK resets its relationship with the EU.
- Secure and build upon the open market access the UK has achieved through its existing trade agreements as a member of the EU and WTO.
- Advocate for and provide substantive inputs into the negotiations for a future U.S.-UK trade agreement.
- Address issues in the context of current and future economic ties between the U.S. and the UK.

Program of Work

COMMUNICATIONS

Reports reflecting Council members' interests address: market access and regulatory issues in the UK-EU negotiations; priorities for a U.S.-UK trade agreement; and desired UK policy changes to ensure continued competitiveness after the country exits the EU. These reports are complemented by bi-weekly newsletters, teleconferences, and breaking news dispatches.

EXECUTIVE ROUNDTABLES

Frequent roundtables allow for off-the-record conversations between senior executives and government officials.

EXECUTIVE DELEGATIONS

Annual delegations to meet give members a unique opportunity to meet with senior officials and thought leaders in London and across the UK.

ANNUAL FORUM

Yearly conferences in Washington and London focus on member priority issues such as market access, customs rules, movement of skilled labor, tax, regulatory cooperation, antitrust, intellectual property rights, data, and digital issues, among others.

Working Groups

When necessary, we form ad hoc working groups to address discrete issues identified by our members. These groups focus on priority issues such as:

**Manufacturing,
Supply Chain,
& Customs**



**Financial
Services**



**Regulatory
Cooperation**



**Digital Economy
& Cybersecurity**



**Life
Sciences**

