

# Membership Guide European Union Chamber of Commerce in China

### PLAY YOUR PART

Seeking greater market access and improved operating conditions for your business in China.

#### **About the European Chamber**





The European Chamber is recognised by the European Commission and the Chinese authorities as the official voice of European business in China.

#### Advocacy: We Support Your Government Affairs Advocacy Efforts





#### **Attend Meetings with Government Officials**

413 meetings held at all levels

# Influence the Development of Government Legislation

**97** submissions of comments

# **Contribute to Drafting of Advocacy Letters to Government**

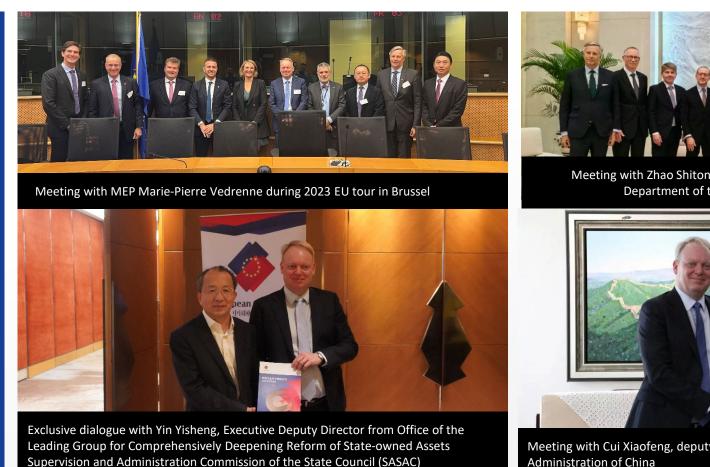
35 advocacy letters sent

Contribute to the Chamber's advocacy work to increase market opening and bring about regulatory reform in China. Join forces with other companies in your industry to positively influence policymaking.

#### Participate in high-level government meetings



# 137 High-level Meetings in 2023





#### Be part of our industry-leading working groups



Participate in the Chamber's working groups to ensure your business concerns are at the heart of our advocacy agenda. Take advantage of opportunities to join high- and working-level meetings with government officials.

#### **Working Groups**

- Agriculture, Food and Beverage
  - Dairy Industry
  - Food for Special Medical Purpose and Paediatric Nutrition
- Automotive
- Auto Components
- Aviation and Aerospace
- Carbon Market
- · Compliance and Business Ethics
- Construction
  - Heating
- Cosmetics
- Energy
- Environment
- Finance and Taxation
- Financial Services
  - Asset Management
  - Banking and Securities

- Insurance
- Non-banking Financial Institutions
- Healthcare Equipment
- Human Resources
- Information and Communication Technology
  - Cybersecurity
- Intellectual Property Rights
- Investment
- · Legal and Competition
- Logistics
  - International Liner Shipping
- · Maritime Manufacturing & Industrial Services
- · Petrochemicals, Chemicals and Refining
- Pharmaceutical
- · Rail
- Research and Development
- Standards and Conformity Assessment
  - Quality and Safety Services

#### **Fora**

- · Corporate Social Responsibility
- Finance and Taxation
- Government Affairs
- · Human Resources
- Logistics
- Manufacturing
- Marketing and Communications
- Small and Medium-sized Enterprises
- Sports
- Standards and Conformity Assessment

#### **#BecauseofUs: Advocacy Success**



The European Chamber's advocacy work is recognised and welcomed by the Chinese Government at all levels, and has helped to solve countless problems across many different industries.



The four-year extension of the individual income tax (IIT) regime for foreign nationals until the end of 2027.



The three-year extension for the completion of product registration changes, to alleviate bottlenecks in the medical device industry.



New measures that improve IP protection during China's drug procurement process.



A levelling of the playing field regarding the implementation of new standards for imported food.

#### Business Intelligence: We Help You Understand Policy and Market Conditions



#### Policy and market conditions are communicated broadly to our members via:

- **Regular meetings** of working groups and fora which disseminate the latest policy updates and industry-specific information.
- **Publications and newsletters** that are distributed by email and social media, both on a national and local level across our seven chapters.





#### Learn from and interact with leading experts on China



- Content-driven events bring the top experts in policy, consulting, academia and economy to you.
- Become a speaker and submit content to our publications to demonstrate your company's expertise to fellow members and gain visibility.







#### Access current reports on China's business and economic landscape

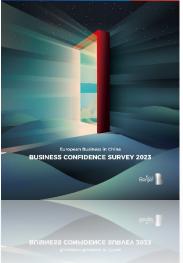




#### **Position Paper:**

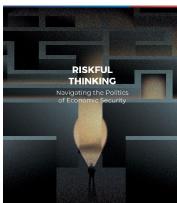
the most comprehensive breakdown of assessments and recommendations from European companies on China.





# **Survey:**

annual analysis of **European business** perceptions of China's current commercial environment.



CHINA MACRO GROUP

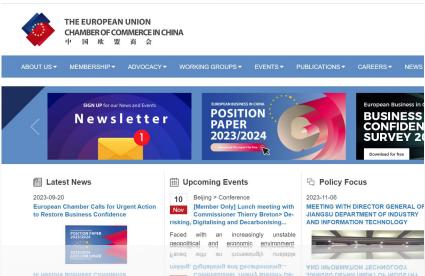
### **Business Confidence** Thematic Report:

regular indepth study on topical issues in China's economic and policy landscape.



#### **EURObiz:**

bi-monthly magazine detailing the current experiences of **European business** in China.



10 Beijing > Conference

#### Website:

http://www.europeanchamber . com.cn/ keep track of events, participate in fora discussions, and download publications, presentations and meeting minutes.



Policy Focus

#### **Community:** We Help You Expand Your Network in China



Through our nine offices in China we offer a wide range of unique events and services that bring the local business community together and provide members with opportunities to expand their personal and business networks.



#### Who can join?





#### Foreign-invested companies registered in China

#### **Local membership**

Less than 250 employees worldwide **6,900 RMB**Between 250 and 1000 employees worldwide **10,500 RMB**More than 1,000 employees worldwide **21,000 RMB** 



#### **National membership**

Less than 250 employees worldwide **16,900 RMB**Between 250 and 1000 employees worldwide **26,500 RMB**More than 1,000 employees worldwide **53,200 RMB** 



EU companies with no legal representation in China 6,900 RMB

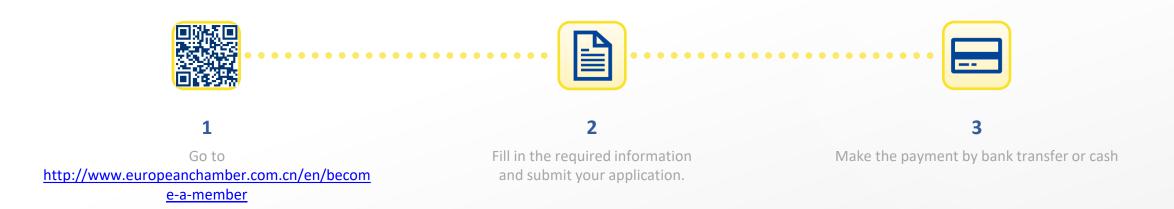


European passport holders working for Chinese companies 6,900 RMB

- Fees cover membership for 12 months starting from the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month after the payment date.
   All staff from the member company can enjoy member benefits. (All memberships)
- Branches of companies already members of the European Chamber enjoy a 50% discount on membership fees. (Local membership)

# Join Now - Three Quick Steps:





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#### THE ADVISORY COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN CHAMBER

The 36 members of the Advisory Council are particularly active in representing and advising the European Chamber, and make an enhanced contribution to the Chamber's funding.







































































