

For business.
For you.

**Shaping
the future
of global
business
since 1919.**



In a category of one.

There are many business organisations in the world, but the International Chamber of Commerce is firmly in a category of one.

Founded in 1919 by the original “Merchants of Peace”, ICC was built on the belief that trade and international cooperation can drive peace, prosperity and opportunity for all.

The collective voice of the real economy.

45 million companies

1 billion employees

170+ countries

US\$17.5 trillion in trade enabled annually

+US\$229 billion in disputes resolved each year

Today, ICC is the world's largest business organisation, representing more than 45 million companies employing over one billion people across more than 170 countries. ICC rules and standards facilitate more than US\$17.5 trillion in global trade annually, while the ICC International Court of Arbitration administers disputes worth more than US\$229 billion each year.





ICC is also:

The only business organisation with Observer Status at the United Nations

A leading voice for business at the WTO, G20, OECD, WCO and other major international institutions

A global network spanning more than 100 local offices and 90+ national committees

The creator of globally recognised standards including Incoterms® rules

One of the world's leading providers of international dispute resolution services

ICC operates at the intersection of global business and government, shaping the rules and standards underpinning international trade while providing a voice for business at the highest decision-making tables.

As a founding member of ICC, ICC United Kingdom connects UK business directly into this global network of influence, expertise and action.

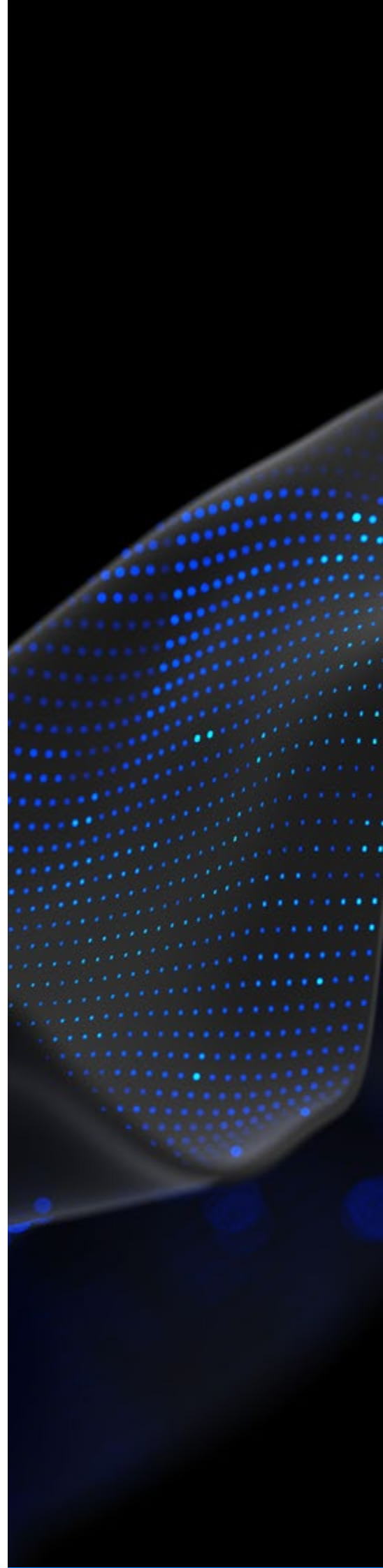
Why now?

As geopolitical fragmentation, technological disruption and economic transition reshape global commerce, businesses face escalating geopolitical tensions and growing trade frictions, from protectionist interventions to asymmetries in sustainability policies. This creates a growing need to engage in the development of international rules, standards and market frameworks.

Whether the issue is trade and investment, trade finance, AI governance, digital trade, climate policy, supply chain resilience or dispute resolution, decisions taken internationally increasingly shape commercial outcomes nationally.

ICC embraces change. Its legacy propels it forward, preparing it for whatever tomorrow holds and shaping the future of international commerce.

ICC provides a trusted platform through which business can engage with governments, international institutions and industry leaders to help shape the future global economy.



Why organisations join ICC.

Influence

Shape international rules, standards and policy frameworks before they become regulation or market practice.

Access

Engage directly with governments, regulators, multilateral institutions and senior business leaders across the world.

Insight

Anticipate geopolitical, regulatory and market developments through trusted intelligence, expert networks and peer exchange.

Solutions

Help develop practical frameworks, standards and systems that make global trade more efficient, trusted and sustainable.

Profile

Position your organisation within one of the world's most respected and internationally connected business networks.

Capability

Develop expertise across your organisation through commissions, working groups, technical forums and international best practice.

How ICC delivers impact.

Shaping frameworks

Helping develop the international rules, standards and policy frameworks governing global commerce.

Promoting international best practice

Convening business, governments and institutions to drive responsible, practical and globally aligned solutions.

Implementing solutions

Delivering tools, standards, pilots and market frameworks that enable businesses to operate internationally with greater confidence, efficiency and trust.

ICC's work spans international trade, trade finance, arbitration, sustainability, digital trade, AI governance, customs, taxation, competition policy and cybersecurity.

Global capabilities.

ICC's unique institutional infrastructure enables it to combine advocacy, standard-setting and implementation.

ICC International Court of Arbitration

The world's leading international commercial dispute resolution institution, administering disputes worth more than US\$229 billion annually.

ICC Banking Commission

The leading global rulemaking body for trade finance, shaping standards and guidance used across international banking and trade.

ICC Digital Standards Initiative

Driving the transition to interoperable digital trade systems and paperless trade worldwide.

ICC World Chambers Federation

Connecting a global network of more than 12,000 chambers of commerce.

ICC Commercial Crime Services

Supporting efforts to combat fraud, piracy and commercial crime internationally.

ICC Academy

Delivering international education and professional training programmes for business and trade practitioners.

Five global priorities. One global platform for action.

ICC's global strategy focuses on five interconnected priorities shaping the future of international business. Through its global network, ICC helps bridge business expertise and public policy to deliver practical solutions at both national and international levels.

Enabling global trade

Promoting open markets, modern trade rules, trade finance, customs modernisation and digital trade to support economic growth and opportunity.

Promoting integrity and the rule of law

Advancing dispute resolution, anti-corruption, responsible business conduct and trusted commercial frameworks.

Accelerating climate action and sustainability

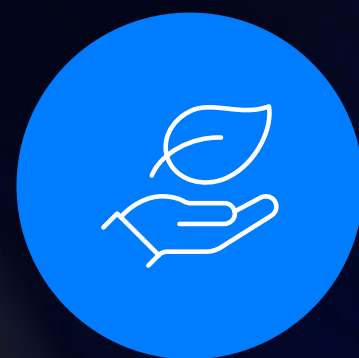
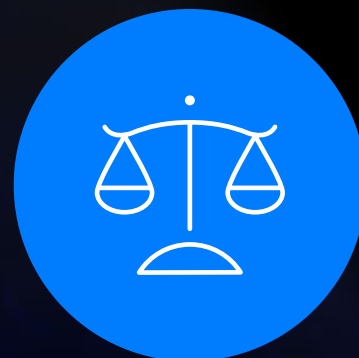
Supporting climate finance, carbon markets, biodiversity, sustainable supply chains and responsible business practices.

Enabling effective digitalisation

Driving trade digitalisation, AI governance, cybersecurity, trusted data flows and digital standards.

Enhancing international cooperation

Ensuring business expertise informs international decision-making and supports effective global governance.



Where members shape global business.

ICC's twelve global policy commissions bring together thousands of experts from business, finance, law, technology and industry. They provide a unique platform through which members help develop international policy positions, shape global standards, contribute technical expertise and engage directly with major intergovernmental processes.

Arbitration and ADR

The ICC Commission on Arbitration and ADR is ICC's unique think tank enabling thought leadership in the field of dispute resolution by pooling expertise and raising awareness and understanding around practical and legal issues in arbitration and ADR.

Banking

Advancing trade finance, sustainable trade finance, digital assets, financial crime prevention and access to finance.

Business integrity

Promoting anti-corruption, responsible business conduct, business and human rights, and corporate integrity.

Commercial law and practice

Developing practical legal frameworks, model contracts, Incoterms® rules and trade digitalisation reforms.

Competition

Helping shape international competition policy, compliance frameworks and sustainability-related collaboration.

Customs and trade

facilitation

Supporting efficient border processes, customs modernisation and practical trade facilitation solutions.

Digital economy

Driving policy and standards relating to AI, cybersecurity, data governance and digital trade.

Environment and energy

Advancing climate action, carbon markets, biodiversity, sustainable finance and circular economy initiatives.

Intellectual property

Supporting innovation, intellectual property protection and emerging issues relating to technology and artificial intelligence.

Marketing and advertising

Developing global standards for responsible marketing, advertising self-regulation and consumer trust.

Taxation

Contributing business expertise to international tax policy and dispute prevention.

Trade and investment

Leading business engagement on WTO reform, trade policy, investment frameworks and market access.

ICC United Kingdom.

**As a founding member of ICC,
ICC United Kingdom serves as
the representative office of ICC
in the UK and plays a leading role
across the global ICC network.**

ICC United Kingdom provides a practical forum for engagement on international trade and policy, bringing together business leaders, trade experts, financial institutions, law firms, technology providers and policymakers to help shape practical international solutions.

ICC United Kingdom convenes more than 2,000 industry experts across a membership of over 250 organisations spanning major banks, multinational companies, law firms, trade technology firms and business associations.

**Connecting
UK business
to global
influence
since 1919.**

Our work focuses on:

Strengthening the multilateral trading system

Accelerating trade digitalisation

Influencing international tax policy

Shaping the future trade ecosystem

Supporting sustainable trade and climate action

Strengthening UK economic diplomacy.

ICC United Kingdom is recognised internationally for its leadership in digital trade and co-chairs the B2B Cluster under the Commonwealth Connectivity Agenda.

Recent programme highlights include:

Co-chairing the B20 Taskforce on Digital Transformation

Leading UK business delegations to the WTO and WIPO

Participating in the UN Tax Convention negotiations in New York and Nairobi

Delivering annual flagship Business and SDGs Conference in Parliament

Supporting Commonwealth trade digitalisation initiatives

Supporting implementation of the Electronic Trade Documents Act

Hosting the ICC Banking Commission in London in 2026.

ICC United Kingdom is also helping drive the digitalisation of UK trade, with the potential to unlock:

£25bn

in trade
growth

£224bn

in efficiency
savings

£22bn

in SME working
capital

A network of global leaders

ICC United Kingdom members include many of the world's leading companies, banks, law firms and technology firms.

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Google

HALEON



J.P.Morgan



Linklaters



NatWest Group



TikTok



vodafone

ICC United Kingdom's Board brings together senior leaders from business, finance, law, diplomacy and technology, including:



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TREASURER



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FLINT GLOBAL



Vindi Banga
CLAYTON DUBILIER & RICE



Aedamar Comiskey
LINKLATERS



Harry Matovu KC
BRICK COURT CHAMBERS



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OCTOPUS ENERGY



Saif Malik
STANDARD CHARTERED



John Davies
BRUNSWICK



**Lord Holmes of
Richmond MBE**



Russ Shaw CBE
GLOBAL TECH ADVOCATES



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Build a better business world with ICC.

- **Opportunities to influence the rules that shape your operating environment and bottom line**
- **Visibility and credibility on the global stage**
- **Early warning of regulatory change and a voice in shaping outcomes**
- **A gateway to ICC's unique global network**

ICC membership is an opportunity to influence the frameworks shaping the future global economy while connecting your organisation to one of the world's most respected international business networks.

The rules shaping tomorrow's economy are being written today.

Our members do not simply respond to global change.

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