UK - China (Jiangsu) Bilateral Investment Cooperation Conference

I. Theme

Deepening Investment Cooperation for Mutual Benefit and Win-Win Outcomes

II. Time & Venue

Time: 15:00 – 17:30, Sunday, 7 September 2025 **Venue:** Ballroom I & II (3F), Shangri-La Hotel, Xiamen

III. Organisational structure

Hosted by:

- Jiangsu Provincial People's Government
- UK Department for Business and Trade (DBT)

Organised by:

- Jiangsu Provincial Department of Commerce
- China-Britain Business Council (CBBC)

IV. Participants

Jiangsu Side:

- Governor and Vice Governor of Jiangsu
- Officials from provincial departments
- Representatives from Jiangsu cities and development zones
- Representatives of Jiangsu enterprises

UK Side:

- British Embassy Beijing
- British Consulate-General Shanghai
- British Consulate-General Guangzhou
- DBT and CBBC Delegation: Representatives from UK cities and enterprises
- UK entrepreneurs

V. Agenda

| 15:00 | Registration |
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| 15:30 | Conference begins |
| 15:35 | Leadership Addresses |
| | XU Kunlin, Jiangsu Governor (7 mins) |
| | Peter Wilson, His Majesty's Ambassador to China (7 mins) |
| | James Sassoon, Honorary President, CBBC (5 mins) |
| 16:00 | Investment Environment Presentations |
| | SI Yong, Director-General, Jiangsu Department of Commerce |
| | - Jiangsu's business environment (10 mins) |
| | John Edwards, Director, Chief Operating Officer, Office for Investment |
| | - UK's business environment (10 mins) |
| 16:25 | Enterprise Speakers |
| | WU Di, Director, bp China Investment Ltd./President, bp Gas China (6 mins) |
| | CHANG Liang, Chairman, Jiangsu Aland Nutritional Products Co., Ltd. (6 mins) |
| | Laurence HUANG, Vice President, Corporate Affairs & Market Access, AstraZeneca China (6 mins) |
| 16:45 | City & Industrial Park Introductions |
| | Councillor Nick Small, Cabinet Member for Growth and Economy, Liverpool City Council (6 mins) |
| | CUI Rongguo, Secretary of the Party Working Committee of Wuxi High- tech Zone and Secretary of the Xinwu District Party Committee (6 mins) |
| 17:00 | Business Matchmaking |
| 17:30 | Conclusion |