

[News story: China IP Roadshow 2017](#)

The UK Intellectual Property Office is holding a UK-wide intellectual property roadshow run by Tom Duke, the UK's IP Attaché to China.

The annual China IP roadshow will run from 18 to 20 September 2017 and this year will visit Glasgow, Edinburgh, Leeds, Barnsley, Liverpool and Manchester.

Based in the British Embassy Beijing, Tom supports over 200 UK companies each year to protect and enforce IP in China. He will draw on this experience to provide practical advice on a range of ventures in China, including exporting, manufacturing, investment (in China, the UK and third countries), collaborative research, technology licensing and creative projects.

China IP Roadshow events are open to large and small business, and cover all industry sectors. The events will cover all major aspects of IP: patents, trade marks, designs, copyright and trade secrets. All sessions will be interactive with opportunities to comment, ask questions and network with other participants.

The dates and locations for each city are provided below, along with links to further information and registration pages. All events are free of charge.

Monday 18 September 2017

In partnership with [Scottish Enterprise](#), the China IP Roadshow will begin with events in Glasgow and Edinburgh.

Glasgow

- time/date: 10am-12:30pm (including networking lunch), Monday 18 September 2017
- venue: Scottish Enterprise Glasgow office, Atrium Court, 50 Waterloo Street, Glasgow
- more information and [sign-up details](#) are available

Edinburgh

- time/date: 2:30pm-4:30pm, Monday 18 September 2017
- venue: Scottish Enterprise Edinburgh office, Apex House, 99 Haymarket Terrace, Edinburgh
- sector focus: IP and retail, including food and beverages, healthcare, personal care, cosmetics and fashion.
- more information and [sign-up details](#) are available

Tuesday 19 September 2017

We are delighted that for the first time the China IP Roadshow will visit Yorkshire for events in Leeds and Barnsley. Events will be held in

partnership with the [Business and IP Centre \(BIPC\) Leeds](#), the [Barnsley Business and Innovation Centre \(BBIC\)](#), the [IP Yorkshire blog](#) and [4-5 Gray's Inn Square](#).

Leeds

Barnsley

- time/date: 2:30pm-5pm, Tuesday 19 September 2017
- venue: Barnsley Business and Innovation Centre, Wilthorpe and Head Office, Innovation Way, Barnsley
- more information and [sign-up details](#) are available

Wednesday 20 September 2017

The China IP Roadshow will visit Liverpool for a meeting held in partnership with [Invest Liverpool](#), before returning to Manchester for the third year running, working with partners the [China-Britain Business Council \(CBBC\)](#).

Liverpool

- time/date: morning , Wednesday 20 September 2017
- venue: TBC, Liverpool city centre
- a sign up page will be published shortly. For more information and to be notified when registration is open please [email Monica Su](#)

Manchester

- time/date: 2:30pm-6pm (including early-evening networking reception), Wednesday 20 September 2017
- venue: TBC, Manchester city centre
- more information and [sign-up details](#) are available

If you require further information on the 2017 China IP Roadshow please contact [Monica Su](#)