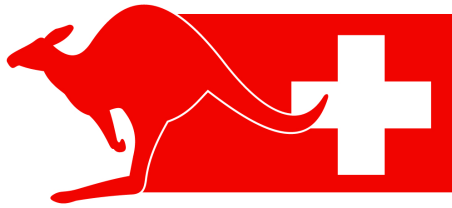




NEWSLETTER



Australian Swiss
Chamber of Commerce

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Dear Members & Friends

Thank you for your engagement and continued support throughout the first half of 2026, particularly our valued members.

2026 has already been a busy and rewarding year for AusCham. Together with our corporate members and partners, we've hosted a diverse [programme of events](#) covering topics ranging from retirement planning and the world of art and finance to discussions on leadership and global change. Our networking events in Zürich, Geneva and most recently Nyon have continued to strengthen connections across our community. A standout highlight was the event following our Annual General



Meeting (pictured above), where we explored board leadership, governance and board careers with distinguished guests, including our Patron, **H.E. Elizabeth Day**, Australian Ambassador to Switzerland and Liechtenstein, and representatives from the Australian Embassy.

We are also delighted to welcome **EY Switzerland as our Gold Sponsor** and extend our sincere thanks to Roger Disch, Partner, Mining & Metals Industry, whose support has been instrumental in helping AusCham continue to grow and deliver value to our members.

We are equally grateful to our institutional partners and colleagues for their ongoing collaboration and knowledge-sharing, particularly the Australian Embassy, which recently upgraded its membership to Large Corporate status. AusCham also remains actively engaged within the [Australian Business in Europe \(ABIE\)](#) network, which we co-chaired during 2025–2026. Through this network, we work alongside Australian chambers and business associations across Europe to provide reciprocal event access, strengthen advocacy efforts and support our members' shared interests.

Our sincere thanks also go to our [Board members](#), who generously contribute their time and expertise on a voluntary basis. At our recent Annual General Meeting, I was delighted to announce several new appointments to both our Board and Advisory Board. With such a talented group of leaders joining us, we look forward to building on our momentum and further strengthening the Chamber.

As always, we welcome your ideas for future topics, speakers and events, and we look forward to seeing you at one of our upcoming gatherings. If you are not yet a member, we encourage you to visit the [membership](#) section of the AusCham website to learn more about the benefits of joining our community. Be sure to subscribe to our [mailing list](#) to stay informed about the latest news and events.

Wishing everyone in Europe a wonderful and well-deserved summer break. We look forward to reconnecting with you and sharing an exciting second half of 2026.



Kind regards

Vicki Tanner
President @Australian Swiss Chamber of
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new board appointments



Charles Funnell

Managing Director
CF Commodities GmbH



Olivia Kinghorst

MC | Keynote Speaker | Moderator



Cara Morton

CEO Global Businesses & Operations
Zurich Insurance



Kynan Eng

(Advisory Board)
Entrepreneur in Residence
University of Zurich

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As a Gold Sponsor, EY will bring valuable expertise and insights to the AusCham network, contributing to our business events, thought leadership initiatives, and networking opportunities. We look forward to working together to support our members and the broader Australian-Swiss business community.

upcoming events

Save the dates - more information to come!

- **3rd September** - Zurich: Post Summer Drinks
- **30th September** - Geneva: event with EY and SUISSENEGOCE
- **22nd October** - Zurich: event with EY, Glencore and Macquarie Bank

member offers

We are grateful to the [following AusCham members](#) for offering their fellow AusCham members special discounts on their respective products and services.

To access your exclusive member discount codes, please contact us at [AusCham](#).

If your organisation has a special offer you'd like to share with fellow members, we'd love to hear from you—just reach out and we'll help spread the word!



As part of the Australian Business in Europe ([ABIE](#)) network, AusCham members are entitled to access ABIE events, often at member rates, at the

discretion of the respective ABIE organisation.

The ABIE network consists of numerous national associations throughout Europe, so if your business takes you to London, Paris, Madrid or a host of other major European cities, contact the representative ABIE network to find out more.

your feedback

How can AusCham help you?

- do you have any ideas for future events?
- for members, do you have any special offers to share with fellow AusCham members?
- would you like to join AusCham as an individual or corporate member? More information on [membership and how to join](#).

Your feedback on how we can better provide our services is important to us. Please contact us at [AusCham](#) and don't forget to follow us on [LinkedIn](#).



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