



NEWSLETTER

spring 2024

Dear Members & Friends

We've have had a busy start to the year and the event calendar for 2024 is slowly building up. Our chapter in Geneva had a successful event at CERN, with places selling out at record time - given the overwhelming response, we hope to repeat the visit at a later date.

A highlight in this year's calendar is our AGM on 22nd May, where we will have as our very special guest, **Mario Greco**, Group CEO of Zurich Insurance, a long standing AusCham corporate member.

As we look to expand our membership, we welcome your support in referring potential members to connect with the Chamber and join us at an upcoming event. Please visit our [membership](#) page on the AusCham website, or learn more about membership opportunities [HERE](#).

I look forward to seeing you at the next event!



Kind regards

Vicki Tanner
President @Australian Swiss Chamber of
Commerce

upcoming events



Wednesday, 22nd May 2024 - 6:30pm

Please join us for a special event with [Mario Greco](#), CEO of Zurich Insurance Group, the leading international insurance company, headquartered in Zurich.

Recently recognised with the prestigious “Insurance Leader of the Year” award from St John’s University in New York, Mr Greco has led Zurich Insurance since 2016. During that time, he has delivered commercial success, strengthened Zurich’s position in markets around the globe and has led an innovative and customer focused transformation in the culture and capabilities of the company.

We are honoured to have the Australian Ambassador to Switzerland, [H.E. Elizabeth Day](#), join us for this special event.

An opportunity to network and enjoy an apéro riche will take place following the formalities.

AusCham Members - please note the Annual General Meeting 2024 will precede this event at 6:00pm.

More information and how to register [HERE](#).

Thursday, 25th April 2024 - 11:00am

ANZAC DAY SERVICE

11:00am, Thursday 25 April 2024

Commonwealth War Graves, St. Martin's Cemetery, Vevey
Ceremony followed by morning tea. All welcome!

Lest we forget



Anzac Day is a national day of remembrance in Australia and New Zealand that broadly commemorates all Australians and New Zealanders who served and died in wars and conflicts. Commemorated on 25th April each year, it is the anniversary of the landing of Australian and New Zealand troops at Gallipoli, Turkey on 25 April in 1915, marking their first engagement in World War I.

The Australian Consulate General in Geneva extend an invitation to all to join the Australian Embassy and the Australian and New Zealand Consulates-General for the 2024 Anzac Day service at St Martin's Cemetery, Vevey on Anzac Day - Thursday, 25th April 2024.

Please arrive by 10:50am for an 11:00am commencement. The ceremony will be followed by morning tea. No registration is necessary.

Save these dates! Look out for more details to follow.

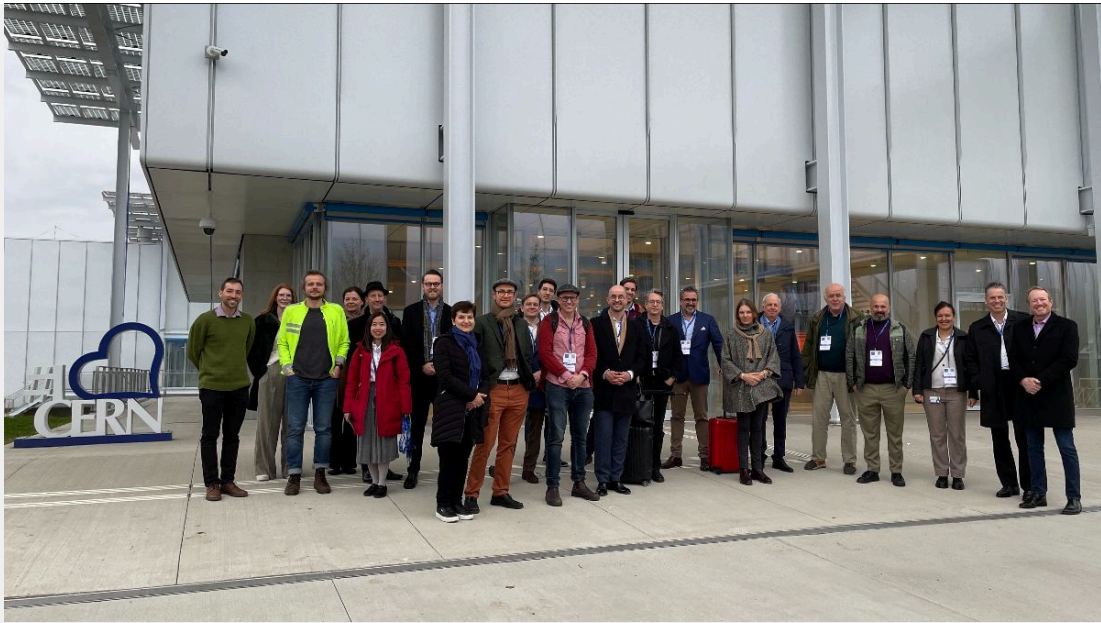
- **30th May** - Geneva - Networking Drinks. Venue TBC.
- **12th June** - Zurich - in collaboration with [Invest Victoria](#), we are delighted to invite the AusCham community to an event showcasing investment opportunities in the state's growth sectors.
- **20th September** - Limpachtal - join in the 2024 KMU Swiss Golf Ambassador Tournament. In collaboration with Chamber of Commerce Switzerland Central Europe (SEC), compete against representatives of other chambers of commerce for a chance to win the Swiss National Golf Trophy.

past events



5th March 2024

The AusCham community gathered for an informal evening of networking – current members, new colleagues and friends came together for an opportunity to expand contacts in a fun and relaxed environment!



12th March 2024

Fantastic event at [CERN](#), the European Organization for Nuclear Research, and one of the world's largest and most respected centres for scientific research. AusCham members and friends enjoyed an apéro afterwards at the onsite CERN restaurant, with superb Aussie wines from [Vinoroo](#), an AusCham corporate member. [Read more...](#)

Looking to support CERN's outreach to Australia? Here is a unique opportunity to support a highly successful program at non-science events alongside CERN and others from renowned universities and scientific institutions. See how you or your organisation can help [HERE](#).



19th March 2024

We were delighted to partner with the [Western Australia Government Office](#), an AusCham corporate member, for an evening of friendship and hospitality at an invitation only dinner in Zurich.

We were also delighted to support John Langoulant AO, the Agent General for Western Australia and his team, in their visit to promote investment in WA-based renewable energy, critical minerals and other core resource projects.

Special guests included H.E. Elizabeth Day, Australian Ambassador to Switzerland (pictured). [Read more...](#)

welcome

A warm welcome to our newest corporate members...



As part of [deVere Group](#), one of the world's leading independent financial consultancy, [deVere & Partners Switzerland SA](#) provides trusted, independent financial advice to expatriates and international investors based in Switzerland.



[Erremme Business Advisors](#) (EBA) is a Maltese firm offering a wide range of services to both local and international clients.



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IT'S LIKE NO OTHER.

The [Western Australian Government Office](#) (WAGO) in Europe promotes awareness of Western Australia as an attractive destination for trade and investment.



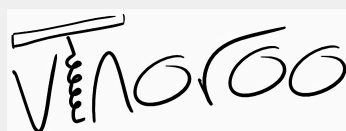
[Crikey Beer](#) is the spirit of Australia captured in every bottle. The team behind the brand joined forces with the goal to launch an Australian quality brewed, thirst quenching beer.



SCUTELLA
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[Scutella Wines](#) are passionate about bringing the world-renowned range of Sparkling Red Wines from Australia to Switzerland.

AusCham Members! Scutella Wines are offering a 20% discount off the first purchase. Please contact us at [AusCham](#) to obtain your discount code.



Based in Vaud, but accessible to all in Switzerland, the team at [Vinoroo](#) work with wonderful

independent wine producers in Australia to share 'Awesome Aussie Wine' in their adopted country.

AusCham Members! The Vinoroo team are offering a 10% discount off the first purchase. Please contact us at [AusCham](#) to obtain your discount code.

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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