

**Doing Business with China:
The Benefits and Barriers**

A Meeting for Fellows and Special Guests

Venue: The Royal Academy of Engineering
29 Great Peter Street, London SW1P 3LW

Date: 9 March 2006, 1pm – 5.30pm

Schedule

- 1.00pm Buffet Lunch
- 2.00pm **Why China?**
Lord Broers FREng FRS - President of The Royal Academy of Engineering
Why China is important to UK engineering.
- 2.10pm **Fourth Place and Growing**
Lord Powell - Chairman of the China-Britain Business Council and member of the China Task Force
The economic perspective.
- 2.30pm **Building the Future**
Martin Manning FREng - Director of Ove Arup and Partners
Experience of capital projects and joint ventures in China.
- 2.50pm **A New Wave of Engineers**
Professor Graham Davies FREng - Head of School of Engineering, University of Birmingham
Current collaborations and future trends in Chinese academia.
- 3.10pm Break
- 3.30pm **China and the Global Energy Market**
Lord Browne of Madingley FREng - Group Chief Executive of BP
Developments in the Chinese energy sector and beyond.
- 3.55pm **The World Standard**
Mike Low FREng – Director of British Standards
Why standardisation is crucial for collaboration.
- 4.15pm **How to Succeed**
Rob Margetts CBE FREng - Chairman of BOC Group and Chairman – Europe of Huntsman Corporation
Learning from experience what works in China.
- 4.35pm Panel Discussion
- 5.00pm Reception