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UK and US Trade

History

The United States and United Kingdom have a rich trade history that goes back two hundred years. The U.K holds a half a trillion dollar investment in the U.S economy. From 2011 to 2012 U.K exports to the U.S actually increased by two billion dollars. The emerging markets in renewable energy and Petrochemicals are creating new investments for British companies in the U.S.

Upcoming Signature Event

JPMorgan fined for London Whale

JP Morgan admitted traders acted "recklessly" violating U.S. laws by distorting prices in the financial market; as a result currently being regulated and fined by the US Commodities Futures Trading Commission. JP Morgan has settled to pay US\$100 million over the losses acquired by its former UK based trader, Bruno Iksil, nicknamed "London Whale" who obtained his name as a result of his big bets in the financial market. Thus far this is considered one of the largest banking fines in US

Churchill Legacy Gala 2013
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NOVEMBER 15, 2013, 6PM -10PM

An Evening with Celia Sandys
author and granddaughter of Sir Winston Churchill

**We Shall Not Fail:
The Inspiring Leadership of Winston Churchill**

Join Celia Sandys as she shares memories and anecdotes about her grandfather Winston Churchill

Cocktails, Formal Attire and Dinner, Live 16 Piece Band
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Host Keith Landry, Fox 35 News Orlando

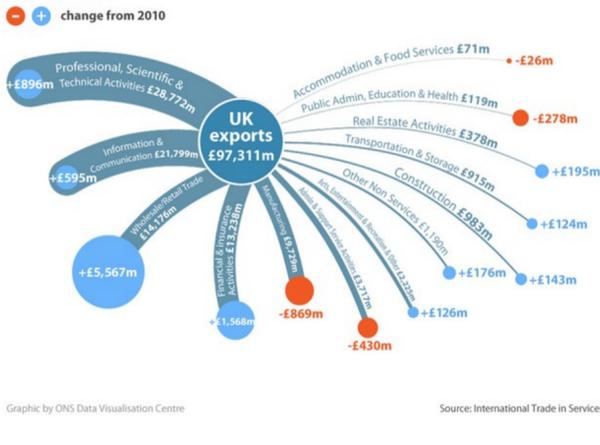
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Apple Snags Burberry's Chief Executive

As the tech giant Apple Inc. suffers from diminishing sales, Angela Ahrendts from the British luxury retailer Burberry Group moves in to reignite the retail flame. In her seven years at Burberry, Ms. Ahrendts quadrupled share price and over tripled sales. Known for utilizing positive energy and emotion, as well as teamwork, Ms.Ahrendts will use her skills set to aid Apple's retail stores and oversee online sales.



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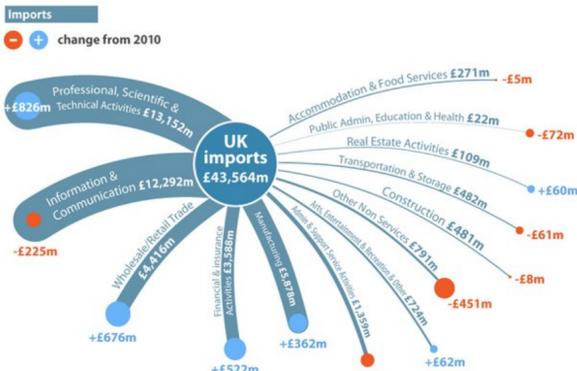
Large Investments

UK's investment from China is generally aimed towards the energy sector.

In current news, Manchester Airport is to receive investment from Chinese company Beijing Construction Engineering Group (BCEG). The £800 million is to enable development of city surrounding Britain's 3rd busiest airport and will aid in the creation of 16,000 jobs in the form of offices, hotels, manufacturing firms, logistics, and warehouses.

Pending Trade Agreement

Anticipation is growing towards opening a free trade deal between Europe and China, however the EU seems apprehensive about such an agreement. Mayor of London, Boris Johnson, holds the opinion that simply reforming import duty and value added tax (VAT) won't do. Should the EU keep avoiding a more in-depth trade agreement with China, Johnson has made it clear that Britain will go about it in their own manner in order to enable the access of economic projects and benefits to both countries and create more job opportunities.



In the UK

Royal Mail Shares Jump

October 15 was the first day that people who bought shares through the Royal Mail government's website have been able to trade. Shares in Royal Mail closed at 489p, almost up 3%. Royal Mail also confirmed that full time staff will receive 725 shares, worth £3,545, at Tuesday's close. However, the privatization of the 52.2% stake in the Royal Mail has also angered trade unions, who have argued that customers will receive poorer service as a result.

