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INTERVIEW WITH SALLY LOW

FOUNDER & CEO

LOW ASSOCIATES

TBCCI are very pleased to present the interview given by Sally Low, CEO and founder of Low Associates. Ms. Low talked about herself, her career at the British Chambers of Commerce, her vision of a world class Chamber of Commerce and Industry, her new venture ChamberExpertise from Low Associates and its relevance to Turkey. To view the interview with Sally Low, [click here](#).



INFORMATION GUIDE ON OPENING CORPORATE AND PERSONAL ACCOUNTS IN TURKISH BANKS FOR NON-TURKISH COMPANIES AND INDIVIDUALS



An information section on the TBCCI website has been prepared by İş Bank and TBCCI to present general information about the procedures for opening Accounts in Turkish banks for Companies registered outside Turkey and for individuals who are not Turkish nationals. İş Bank, the London Branch of Türkiye İş Bankası, is a Patron Member of TBCCI. The guide includes information on

- Opening Corporate Accounts In Turkish Banks in the UK
- Opening Corporate Accounts In Turkish Banks in Turkey
- Opening Personal Accounts In Turkish Banks in the UK
- Application Form downloads

To view the guide, please visit [Opening Accounts In Turkish Banks](#).

INFORMATION GUIDE ON EXPORT FINANCE

An information section on the TBCCI website is being prepared by HSBC, a Patron Member of TBCCI, to present general information about Export Finance procedures and opportunities. The guide will be on the TBCCI website shortly.



CROSS BORDER LEGAL ISSUES-3; ARBITRATION IN TURKEY

14 June 2012 House of Lords, London

Time: Registration: 5:30. Start 6:00 pm, End: 9:00pm

Venue: The House of Lords ([See Directions](#)), Room: 4A, St Stephen's Entrance

Organised By: TBCCI and
The Turkish British Legal Society TBLS



Welcome Speech: **Dr Harvey Marshall** Chairman, TBCCI

Moderator: **Emma Edhem** Barrister, President of The TBLS, Director TBCCI,

Prof. Dr. Bülent Çiçekli Member of the 1st Chamber, High Council of Judges & Prosecutors, Ministry of Justice Turkey

Prof. Ziya Akıncı, Founding Partner, Akıncı Law Office, Istanbul

Prof Jeffrey Blum, MD, Interlink International Trading

Richard Jones QC, Partner, No5 Chambers

Mathew Saunders, Partner, Joint Head of the International Arbitration Group DLA Piper

Gülten Sahin, Legal Advisor, Turkish Economy Bank - BNP Paribas Joint Venture

Q & A -- Networking

Subjects to be covered by the Speakers: ADR and Arbitration in Turkey, İstanbul Arbitration Centre Project, International Arbitration and Trade, Commercial Disputes in International Projects, Procedures and Methods in International Arbitration.

To register, please email info@tbcci.org.

Fees: TBCCI, TBLS, BizNeT, LCCI members & Law Students: £40. Non-members: £80 (VAT included)

Attendance: Strictly by invitation: Only those who have received return email confirmation should attend.

TURKEY: 2013 AND BEYOND

Thursday, 28 June 2011

ORGANISED BY

TBCCI Turkish British Chamber of Commerce & Industry
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VENUE: Norton Rose LLP, 3 More London Riverside, London SE1 2AQ. For directions, see [Norton Rose London](#)

PROGRAMME:

2:00-2:30pm Registration

2:30-4:00pm Session-1

Welcome Speech, HE Mr. Ünal Çeviköz, The Turkish Ambassador to the UK

The New Turkish Incentive Scheme, Kaler Hürcan, Senior Advisor to Investment Support & Promotion Agency Turkey

The New Turkish Commercial Code, Janberk Ersan, Turkey Assurance Services, PricewaterhouseCoopers

The New Legislation for Foreigners Buying Property in Turkey, Onur Kordel, Partner, [Bener Law Office](#)

4:00pm Coffee Break

4:15-5:45pm Session-2

Trade-Investment-Joint Project Opportunities in Turkey, Michael Essex, Deputy Head, Turkey, UK Trade & Investment UKTI

Mega Projects in Turkey, Istanbul Finance Centre, Istanbul Canal, Speed Trains, Health Campuses (Speaker from the Ministry of Development Turkey confirmed, name TBA)

UK-Turkey SME Projects

- 1- Semhar Habtezion, International Trade Adviser, UK Trade & Investment UKTI
- 2- [Speaker](#) from [KOSGEB](#) for Turkish SME projects, confirmed, name TBA

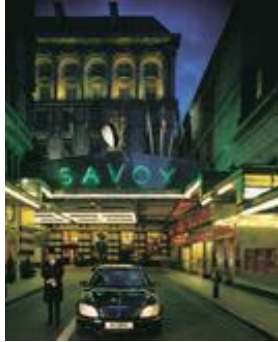
Concluding remarks, Jeffery Barratt, Partner, Norton Rose

5:45-7:15pm Networking, Food & Drinks

To register, email info@tbcci.org. Registration Fees: TBCCI, BizNeT, LCCI members: £50. Non-members: £100 (VAT inc.)

TBCCI ANNUAL BALL THE SAVOY.

Saturday, 20 October 2012



THE SAVOY BALL HIGHLIGHTS

British Guest of Honour: Nick Baird, CEO, UK Trade & Investment

Champagne Reception

4 course splendid dinner

Complimentary drinks

Music-1: [JNB](#)

Music-2: [The Artesian String Quartet, Royal Academy of Music.](#)

Music-3: Group Anatolia

Chocolate Fountain

Raffle & Auction

DanceMusic

Prices (VAT incl.)	Early Booking	Standard	EARLY BOOKING OFFER
Ticket pp	£135	£155	WILL END ON
Standard Table for 10	£1,350	£1,550	30 JUNE 2012
Silver Table	£1,700	£2,200	
Gold Table	£2,400	£3,000	
Platinum Table	£3,000	£3,700	

NEWS FROM MEMBERS

NORTON ROSE LLP is the sponsor and host of the TBCCI 'Turkey: 2013 and Beyond' Conference;, Thursday, 28 June 2011. Please see above.

FRESHFIELDS BRUCKHAUS DERINGER LLP will be hosting the TBCCI 'Infrastructure and Investment Services: Turkey' Conference on 5 September in London. Conference details will be announced shortly.

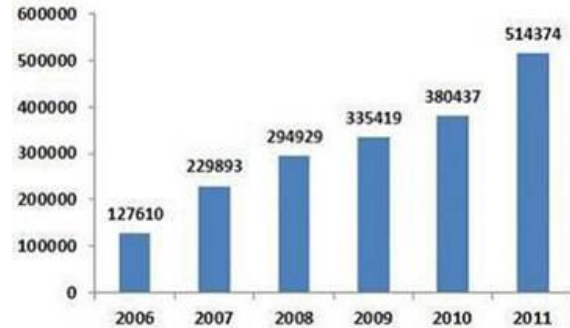
ACCOUNTING DIRECT PLUS has introduced a new Application for Smartphone's to facilitate f managing Books and invoicing. See <http://www.accountingdirectplus.com>

TULIP HOLIDAYS. Itir Sökmen, Director of Tulip Holidays, has been elected as President of [The Association of Turkish Women in Britain](#) (ATWIB: Britanya Türk Kadınları Derneği). Mrs Sökmen was the recipient of The Most Successful Businesswoman award at the [Most Successful Turk Awards 21 November 2011 Ceremony.](#)

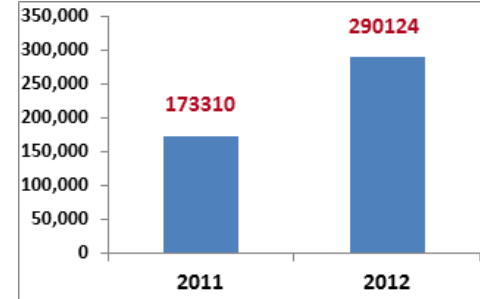
MEETING OF 'TURKS ABROAD' 6-8 JUNE 2012, ANKARA

The 2012 meeting of '[Turks Abroad](#)' was held on 7-9 June in Ankara. The TBCCI was represented at that meeting by two Board Members; Nuri Bulgurcu (Sinem Hair & Beauty Salon) and Itir Sökmen (Tulip Holidays).

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