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46th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING SCCC
21st ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING SHKBA

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SWISS CHINESE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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SWISS HONG KONG BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

PROGRAM

14:00 Welcome Remarks by the Host Ivan Gonzalez, CEO, Corporate Solutions, Swiss Re

14:05 Opening of the 46th Annual General Meeting by Robert Wiest, President of the SCCC

14:10 Welcome Remarks by XIE Guoxiang, Minister-Counsellor of Embassy of the People's Republic of China in Switzerland

14:20 Report by Natalie Rast, Head of Bilateral Economic Relations Asia / Oceania SECO on Bilateral Economic Relations between Switzerland and China

14:30 Introduction to the 4th China International Supply Chain Expo (CISCE) by Mingcheng Xiao, General Representative of CCPIT Representative Office in Switzerland

14:35 Reports SCCC

1. Activity Report SCCC 2025
2. Approval of the Accounts for the year 2025, Budget 2026
3. Release of the Board
4. Changes of the Board
   a. Board Resignations
   b. Board Elections
   c. Overview of the Advisory Board
5. Election of the Auditors for 2026
6. Romandie Chapter Activity Presentation
7. Ticino Chapter Activity Presentation

15:05 21st Annual General Meeting of the Swiss-Hong Kong Business Association (SHKBA as per separate agenda) by Gino Giuliato, Board Member of the SHKBA

15:15 Break

15:45 – Sino-Swiss Economic Forum (three simultaneous breakout sessions):

16:30 Breakout Session 1

1. Join the debate - "Switzerland as a Small Country Can Only Benefit From China's Industrial Policy" organized by VISCHER & MLL
2. Winning B2B Visibility & Leads in China — Insights, Case Study & Practical Expo Learnings organized by S-GE
3. Navigating the 2026 Sino-Swiss Corridor: Strategies for Innovation, Investment & Growth organized by ICBC Zurich Branch

16:30 Break and change breakout session

16:45 – Breakout Session 2

17:30

17:30 Apéro Riche

Annual Report 2025

1. General Overview

The year 2025 marked an important milestone for the Swiss-Chinese Chamber of Commerce (SCCC), characterized by a significant increase in exchanges between Switzerland and China, the successful implementation of the Chamber's new strategy, and the celebration of two major anniversaries: the 45th anniversary of the SCCC and 75 years of diplomatic relations between Switzerland and China.

Following the continued reopening and normalization of international exchanges, Chinese delegations resumed visits to Switzerland and Europe in large numbers. The Chamber experienced a strong increase in activities and engagement throughout the year. In total, members and guests attended 49 China-related events organized or supported by the SCCC, covering topics such as life sciences, artificial intelligence and cloud technologies, legal developments, banking and finance, China business trends, innovation, and social networking. Across all events, the Chamber welcomed approximately 2'300 participants.

2025 was also the first full year of implementation of the Chamber's renewed strategy and mission statement, adopted to strengthen the Chamber's role as a leading platform for Sino-Swiss economic exchange. The mission of the SCCC is to facilitate business relations between Switzerland and China for the benefit of its members by:

- acting as a platform for community building, business networking, knowledge exchange and learning
- advocating for members' shared interests towards resp. governments as well as engaging with relevant stakeholders
- contributing to shape productive economic Sino-Swiss relations, considering the evolving international context

Committee Activities and Industry Engagement

A major organizational focus in 2025 was the reactivation and strengthening of the Chamber's industry committees. The committees included Legal, Export, Machinery, Electrical Engineering and Metals (MEM) Industry, Membership, Insurance, Life Sciences, Policy & Advocacy, Education, and Startup.

These committees organized a variety of highly targeted and successful events throughout the year.

On April 10, 2025, the Policy & Advocacy Committee, led by Markus Herrmann, organized the China Policy & Strategy Luncheon. The event focused on China's evolving strategic business environment ahead of the 15th Five-Year Plan (2026–2030) and addressed the implications for Swiss and European companies active in China. The luncheon also marked the beginning of the committee's advocacy activities, reflecting the Chamber's commitment to supporting members amid increasing geopolitical and regulatory complexity.

The Legal Committee, under the leadership of Lukas Zuest, relaunched its activities with the luncheon “Navigating Legal Challenges: Schindler's Increased Stake in its Chinese Joint Ventures” on May 15, 2025. Petra Winkler, General Counsel of Schindler, shared valuable insights into the legal and strategic challenges related to cross-border investments and joint ventures in China. The Legal Committee continues its long-standing tradition as a platform for the exchange of expertise on legal developments affecting Sino-Swiss business relations.

The MEM Committee, led by Franz Arnold and Kurt Haerri from Schindler, co-organized together with Swissmem the seminar “Verkauf in China – Chancen und Herausforderungen” on September 18, 2025. The event provided practical insights and facilitated discussions on successful sales strategies in the Chinese market for Swiss industrial companies.

One of the Chamber’s flagship sector events remained the 8th Swiss-Chinese Life Sciences Forum, organized by Stephan Weiss and Couzette Kleynhans at the Novartis Campus in Basel on June 11, 2025. Under the theme “Shaping the Future of Life Sciences: Swiss-Chinese Collaboration in Innovation and Biotechnology,” the forum brought together experts from academia, industry, and investment communities to discuss biotechnology innovation, regulatory developments, research collaboration, and startup ecosystems in both countries.

The Startup Committee, led by Bin Sheng, continued to strengthen ties between Swiss and Chinese innovation ecosystems. Throughout the year, several Swiss startup delegations visited China in cooperation with Venturelab and Swiss Technoparks, with the Chamber acting as a supporting partner.

Anniversary Celebrations: 45 Years of SCCC and 75 Years of Bilateral Relations

The year 2025 was exceptional due to the simultaneous celebration of the Chamber’s 45th anniversary and 75 years of diplomatic relations between Switzerland and China. To commemorate these milestones, the Chamber organized a series of online and offline anniversary initiatives throughout the year.

The highlight of the celebrations was the sold-out 45/75 Anniversary Gala Dinner held on September 04, 2025, at the Park Hyatt Zurich. The prestigious evening brought together distinguished guests from business, government, and diplomacy to celebrate the longstanding partnership between Switzerland and China.

The Gala Dinner featured keynote speeches by Federal Councillor Guy Parmelin, Ambassador Minjian Qian of the People’s Republic of China to Switzerland, and National Councillor and CEO of EMS Group Magdalena Martullo-Blocher. Guests also enjoyed cultural performances combining Swiss and Chinese traditions, the presentation of the Sino-Swiss Business Contribution Award, an exclusive dining experience, and extensive networking opportunities.

Additional anniversary activities included monthly publications and historical retrospectives featuring contributions from former SCCC President Felix Sutter, Jürg Burri, Ambassador of Switzerland to the People’s Republic of China, Mongolia and the

Democratic People's Republic of Korea and Ambassador Roger Gschwend, Head of the World Trade Division in the Foreign Economic Affairs Directorate at SECO and Delegate of the Federal Council for Trade Agreements.

The Chamber also conducted member interview recordings highlighting company experiences and perspectives on Sino-Swiss relations.

Major Events and Networking Activities

The Chamber organized numerous flagship events throughout the year.

The 45th Annual General Meeting of the SCCC and the 20th AGM of the SHKBA took place on May 28, 2025, at UBS, which was followed by the Sino-Swiss Economic Forum. The event featured four simultaneous breakout sessions on trade finance, RMB internationalization, legal developments related to US-China tariffs, and the future of mobility. Participants also had the opportunity to test drive Leapmotor electric vehicles, newly introduced to the Swiss market by Emil Frey.

Another successful event was the "Leap into the Future – Test Drive a Leapmotor EV" event held at ASSR Regensdorf on October 02, 2025. Combining practical driving experiences, road safety training, and networking opportunities, the event reflected the Chamber's increasing engagement in innovation and sustainable mobility topics.

The annual Christmas Apéro once again concluded the year in a festive atmosphere, welcoming more than 100 members and guests at LUX Zurich.

In addition, the Chamber's quarterly Afterwork Drinks continued to be extremely popular among members. These smaller-scale networking gatherings provided an informal setting for meaningful professional exchange and community building.

Member Services and Communication

Throughout 2025, the Chamber maintained a strong communication flow with its members and stakeholders.

The monthly national newsletter reached more than 4'600 readers and provided updates on events, economic developments, member activities, and China-related business news. The Chamber also continued to support members through direct inquiries, speaker recommendations, introductions, informal advisory services, and media contributions.

The China Business Guide, powered by VISCHER, continued to serve as a valuable resource and entry point for Swiss SMEs interested in doing business in China. The platform provides practical information and expert insights from experienced China practitioners.

Organizational Developments

The Chamber's operational stability remained strong throughout the year. The headquarters team, led by Beilun Wei and Sisan Tang, successfully coordinated national-level activities, member engagement, and event management. In Romandie, Bin Zhou continued to lead the regional chapter and further strengthened the Chamber's presence in French-speaking Switzerland.

The Chamber would like to express its sincere gratitude to all members, sponsors, speakers, partners, committee leaders, and volunteers for their continued support and commitment throughout 2025. Their engagement remains essential to strengthening Sino-Swiss economic relations and ensuring the continued success of the Chamber.

2. Chapter Activities

Romandie Chapter

In 2025, the SCCC Romandie Chapter further strengthened its role as a key platform for promoting economic and institutional exchanges between Switzerland and China in the French-speaking part of Switzerland.

The Chapter maintained a well-balanced portfolio of activities, combining business events, high-level delegation exchanges, and flagship cultural gatherings, thereby reinforcing member engagement and increasing its visibility among a broader stakeholder base. Key highlights included the Chinese New Year Gala with nearly 200 participants, the 10th anniversary event of the Switzerland–China Free Trade Agreement supported by SECO and S-GE, and the Shanghai–Geneva Investment Dialogue held during the visit of a Shanghai delegation led by Ms. Zhang Ying. This engagement not only strengthened bilateral investment dialogue but also laid the groundwork for a Swiss business delegation to Shanghai in March 2026 for the Global Investment Promotion Conference. In addition, the Mid-Autumn Festival event at Richemont headquarters provided a high-quality networking platform. These activities continued to reinforce the Chapter's role as a bridge between Switzerland and China.

From a governance perspective, the development of the Advisory Board, as a complement to the Board of Directors, strengthened the Chapter's strategic capacity. In 2025, five experienced professionals joined the Advisory Board, broadening expertise and supporting future development.

The Chapter also expanded its presence across the Romandie region beyond Geneva, increasing its regional reach and engagement opportunities.

Looking ahead, the Chapter will continue to refine its governance structure, renew its Board, and leverage the Advisory Board to expand activities and deliver sustainable value to its members.

Ticino Chapter

In 2025, the Ticino Chapter continued to promote and strengthen relations between Southern Switzerland and China, confirming its role as an active platform for dialogue and cooperation in the economic, academic, and cultural fields. Particular attention was given to the position of Lugano as a strategic point of connection for international exchange.

During the year, the Chapter further developed its collaboration with leading academic institutions in the region, including SUPSI and Franklin University Switzerland. These initiatives created valuable opportunities for exchange among universities, businesses, and Chinese counterparts, with a focus on innovation, entrepreneurship, sustainability, and international cooperation.

A key highlight of 2025 was the Ticino Chapter's involvement in the Locarno Film Festival. In this context, the Chapter organized a gala evening that brought together representatives from the cultural, business, and institutional communities. The participation of Jackie Chan gave particular prominence to the event and contributed to reinforcing the Festival's role as a platform for intercultural dialogue.

Another significant moment came in November 2025 with the meeting between Federal Councillor Ignazio Cassis and Chinese Foreign Minister Wang Yi. This high-level exchange reflected the constructive and ongoing dialogue between Switzerland and China and provided an important institutional backdrop to the Chapter's activities.

Through these initiatives, the Ticino Chapter reaffirmed its commitment to fostering long-term relations between Southern Switzerland and China across multiple sectors.

Swiss-Hong Kong Business Association

The year 2025 was an exciting and special one since it also marked the 75th year anniversary of bilateral relations between Switzerland and China:

Throughout the year, our members also enjoyed access to all SCCC events, as well as our popular social gatherings such as the Christmas Apéro and Afterwork Drinks, which continue to be valued occasions for informal networking and community connection.

On May 28, 2025, the year started off with the AGM and Sino Swiss Economic Forum in Zurich at the UBS headquarters. The event was fully booked with more than 150 guests and the breakout sessions on trade finance with China, RMB transactions, information about the US-China tariff war as well as about the future of mobility with partners such as ICBC, UBS, Vischer and Leapmotor provided many interesting discussions and perspectives.

After having been newly elected into the Board of Directors of the Swiss Hong Kong Business Association at the AGM, Daniel Meyer then represented the chamber at the Hong Kong Business Associations Europe Forum in Milano in September 2025. Participants from various HK Business Associations in Europe discussed with senior representatives from Hong Kong Trade Development Council the future strategy for

the Hong Kong Business Associations in Europe and how to bring even more benefits in the future to their members.

Marcel Schmid in October 2025 in Zurich met with the newly appointed director of the European Economic and Trade Office of Hong Kong in Berlin, Mr. Indiana Wong and was firming up their collaboration with SHKBA going forward. Their continued support for events such as the Zurich Film Fesitival (ZFF) as well as our annual flagship Chinese New Year event is greatly appreciated.

Undoubtedly, the highlight of the year was then our Chinese New Year Reception, held on March 4, 2026. This flagship annual gathering has become a cornerstone of our calendar—offering a festive and welcoming environment for members and guests to connect. With over 200 attendees, it was once again one of our largest and most celebrated events. We were honoured by the attendance of Mme Yun CHEN, Consul General of the People's Republic of China in Zurich as well as Mr. Indiana Wong from the European Economic and Trade Office of Hong Kong as well as senior representatives from government and industry.

Events of this scale and quality require extensive planning, coordination, and teamwork. A heartfelt thanks to our dedicated organizing teams in Zurich and Berlin, whose tireless efforts made this event a great success. Special gratitude also goes to our generous sponsors—HKETO, HKTDC, and—for their continued support and partnership.

In 2026, in his role as President of the Swiss-Hong Kong Business Association, Marcel Schmid was invited by InvestHK to visit Hong Kong, where he attended a comprehensive program including meetings with government and regulatory officials, the Hong Kong Stock Exchange, as well as visits to various innovation and science parks. He also met with the Consulate General of Switzerland, SwissChamHK, banks, and several family offices. In addition, Marcel attended the "Wealth for Good" Family Office conference alongside more than 400 international professionals. Altogether, and he spoke with more than 50 individuals during a very productive schedule.

As always, we remain committed to providing our members with meaningful insights, valuable connections, and engaging programming. We greatly value your continued support and look forward to your feedback and participation in the year ahead.

3. Membership Development

The Zurich and Ticino Chapter recorded a growth in membership with 93 new members and 41 lost members so that it resulted in a total of 423 members at the end of 2025.

The membership in the Romandie Chapter stood at 117, reflecting a stable overall base, with the reduction mainly driven by stricter student membership criteria (-28), while the successful acquisition of a Silver Sponsor contributed to an overall increase in revenues.

SHKBA acquired 11 new members and lost 7, leaving a membership count of 56 at the end of 2025.

4. Government Relations and Delegation Activities

The Chamber continued to play a leading role in facilitating high-level exchanges between Switzerland and China.

Throughout 2025, the SCCC organized and supported numerous delegation visits and investment promotion conferences involving Chinese provinces, municipalities, and industrial parks.

Among the key events were:

- The Switzerland-China (Chongqing) Cooperation and Development Conference on Service Industry in April 2025
- The Beijing Shijingshan District Investment Promotion Conference – Zurich Session in October 2025
- The Discover Dandong, Liaoning – Gateway to Northeast Asia in October 2025

These events provided platforms for Swiss companies to engage directly with Chinese government representatives and explore cooperation opportunities in areas including digital economy, life sciences, advanced manufacturing, sustainability, finance, and emerging technologies.

In total, the Chamber received 39 delegations from various Chinese provinces, municipalities, and development zones during the year.

The Romandie Chapter also remained highly active and facilitated four delegations, with the Shanghai delegation led by Ms. Ying Zhang representing a particular highlight and paving the way for a planned Swiss delegation visit to Shanghai in 2026.

The SCCC maintained close cooperation with important institutional partners including the Chinese Embassy in Switzerland, the Chinese Consulate General in Zurich, SECO, the Swiss Embassy in China, the Swiss Business Hubs in China, CCPIT, SwissCham China, and the Euro-China Business Association (EUCBA).

5. Meetings of the Board

In 2025, the board members in Zurich, Romandie and Ticino met 15 times for board meetings in person or online. The National Advisory Board and the Board of Directors met twice for the bi-annual gathering in March and October 2025 to discuss current economic developments and challenges related to China. Numerous ad hoc meetings were held during the year to discuss important issues in smaller groups of board members.

6. Consolidated Financial Report 2025 and Budget 2026

(The amounts are shown in rounded figures)

For the year 2025 the consolidated income combining the chapters of Zurich, Geneva and Ticino amounted to CHF 664’000 which represents an increase of 1% in comparison to 2024. A slight decrease in subscriptions fees was more than compensated by an increase in other operating income (advertisement, sponsorships and events).

Whilst income was higher by 1%, operating expenses also increased by 1% due to higher service expenses (costs related to events organized by the Chamber).

The loss for the year was CHF 5’000, which was the same as in 2024.

The Chamber’s financial position remains very healthy with cash and money market funds at the same level as last year (CHF 886’000 versus CHF 887'000 in 2024).

Despite inflation impacting the SCCC’s operating cost, the chamber has not increased its membership fees for the last six years.

We would like to take the opportunity to thank the GM and the Chairmen for their great work that is reflected in the sound financials of 2025.

The books have been audited by BDO Zurich. Based on the limited statutory examinations the audit company has confirmed that the financial statements of the chamber comply with Swiss law and the articles of association.

For the budget 2026 we are assuming a similar development as in 2025.

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To the General Meeting of

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Report of the statutory auditor on the limited statutory examination of the financial statements for the year 2025

(for the period from 01.01.2025 to 31.12.2025)

4 May 2026
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Report of the statutory auditor on the limited statutory examination
To the General Meeting of

Wirtschaftskammer Schweiz-China, Zurich

As statutory auditor, we have examined the financial statements (comprising the balance sheet, operating statement and notes) of Wirtschaftskammer Schweiz-China for the financial year ended 31 December 2025.

These financial statements are the responsibility of the Committee. Our responsibility is to perform a limited statutory examination on these financial statements. We confirm that we meet the licensing and independence requirements as stipulated by Swiss law.

We conducted our examination in accordance with the Swiss Standard on the Limited Statutory Examination. This standard requires that we plan and perform a limited statutory examination to identify material misstatements in the financial statements. A limited statutory examination consists primarily of inquiries of entity personnel and analytical procedures as well as detailed tests of entity documents as considered necessary in the circumstances. However, the testing of operational processes and the internal control system, as well as inquiries and further testing procedures to detect fraud or other legal violations, are not within the scope of this examination.

Based on our limited statutory examination, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the financial statements do not comply with Swiss law and the articles of association.

Zurich, 4 May 2026

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ppa. Christian Reichmuth

Auditor in Charge
Licensed Auditor

i.V. Sophia Piccinni

Licensed Auditor

Enclosure
Financial statements

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Swiss-Chinese Chamber of Commerce (consolidated), Zurich

Balance sheet at December 31 2025
(in Swiss Francs)

	31.12.2025	31.12.2024
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	885'689	587'050
Trade receivables third	164'986	205'587
Other short-term receivables	28'378	23'089
Accrued income and prepaid expenses	16'460	10'466
	1'095'514	826'192
Financial assets		
Money market fixed term	0	300'000
	0	300'000
Fixed assets		
Tangible fixed assets	600	800
	600	800
Total assets	1'096'114	1'126'992
Liabilities and capital fund of members		
Current liabilities		
Trade creditors third	14'878	11'155
Other current liabilities	44'191	46'084
Deferred income and accrued expenses	309'408	337'496
	368'478	394'735
Capital fund of members		
Assets	290'633	290'633
Profit brought forward	441'623	446'644
Loss for the year and last year	-4'620	-5'021
	727'636	732'256
Total liabilities and Capital fund of members	1'096'114	1'126'992

Statement of income and expenditure for the year ended December 31 2025
(in Swiss Francs)

	Note	2025	2024
Operating income			
Subscription fees	1	358'330	361'007
Other operating income	2	305'769	297'255
		664'099	658'262
Operating expenses			
Service expenses		175'695	168'375
Personnel expenses		377'429	376'337
Other operating expenses	3	112'477	116'571
Depreciation on fixed asset items		200	270
		665'801	661'553
Operating profit (EBIT)		-1'702	-3'291
Financial expenses		1'422	552
Operating result before taxes		-3'124	-3'843
Earnings before taxes (EBT)		-3'124	-3'843
Direct taxes		1'496	1'178
Loss for the year and last year		-4'620	-5'021

Swiss-Chinese Chamber of Commerce (consolidated), Zurich

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended December 31 2025

Applicable accounting law and principles

These financial statements were prepared according to the provisions of the Swiss Law on Accounting and Financial Reporting (32nd title of the Swiss Code of Obligations). Assets are valued at lower of cost or market and liabilities are entered at their nominal value.

Presentation of the Swiss-Hong Kong Business Association's Accounts in the Annual Financial Statements

The financial statements of the Swiss-Chinese Chamber of Commerce (SCCC) also include the financial statements of the Swiss-Hong Kong Business Association (SHKBA).

The articles of association of SHKBA state that the annual financial statements of SHKBA are included in SCCC's, that the financial years of SCCC and SHKBA are concurring and the waiver of the association's claim to its funds in case of dissolution of SHKBA.

Number of employees

The average number of full-time equivalents for the current and prior year was below 10.

The figures of the corresponding period have been adjusted to the actual presentation.

Information, breakdowns and explanations relating to balance sheet and income statement items:

		2025	2024
1	**Subscription fees**		
	Subscriptions Zurich members	279'000	266'200
	Subscriptions Geneva members	70'730	87'557
	Subscriptions Ticino members	3'300	2'600
	Subscriptions SHKBA	5'300	4'650
		358'330	361'007
2	**Other operating income**		
	Income from advertisements, publications, sponsorships	139'056	89'354
	Income from Zurich events	60'219	102'617
	Income from SHKBA	-	-
	Income from Geneva events	24'887	4'667
	Income from business advice, info services, sublease office space	81'607	100'617
		305'769	297'255
3	**Service expenses**		
	Service expenses Zurich	146'099	146'940
	Service expenses Geneva	29'597	21'434
		175'695	168'375
4	**Other operating expenses**		
	Rental and related costs	59'806	58'446
	Infrastructure costs	8'642	18'174
	General office expenses	7'791	6'184
	Travel and representation expenses	2'254	4'426
	Accounting and legal expenses	22'029	22'896
	Marketing Expenses, Newsletter	8'533	1'030
	Expenses SHKBA	-	-
	Other expenses	3'423	5'415
		112'477	116'571

Zurich, 02 February 2026

Budget 2026 - Zurich

Description	2026 Budget as of 04.02.26	2025 reported Year
Income	CHF	CHF
Subscriptions individual members (300)	27’825.00	32’900.00
Subscriptions small enterprises (500)	65’782.50	65’000.00
Subscription medium enterprises (1'000)	64’000.00	58’000.00
Subscriptions large enterprises (2'500)	111’625.00	121’250.00
Subscriptions students (50)	1’575.00	1’850.00
Subscriptions Ticino members	2’600.00	3’300.00
Subscriptions Hong Kong members (SHKBA)	4’850.00	5’300.00
Total Subscriptions	*278’257.50*	*287’600.00*
Income cooperation agreements (S-GE, ICBC, VISCHER)	117’500.00	68’793.21
Income from events and seminars	30’000.00	70’262.37
Income from other events	3’000.00	4’851.51
Income from coop-events/mandates (incl. mailings)	30’000.00	55’367.57
Income from services (enquiries, consulting etc.)	20’000.00	37’181.95
Income sublease office	40’620.00	38’466.94
Advertisements, promotions on web	0.00	0.00
Other income	0.00	237.09
Extraordinary income	0.00	0.00
Total Income	519’377.50	562’760.64
Expenses	CHF	CHF
Expenditures for events and seminars	50’000.00	114’413.93
Expenditures for cooperation events	20’000.00	30’050.63
Expenditures for mandates and services rendered	4’000.00	1’634.07
Total variable costs	*74’000.00*	*146’098.63*
Gross salaries (3 employees)	239’600.00	238’556.17
Personnel & social insurances	52’000.00	42’754.25
Professional Development & Education	0.00	0.00
Other personnel expenses incl. part time aid(s)	6’000.00	6’625.00
Rental and related costs	56’540.00	56’721.70
Office expenses (printing matters, copies, office material etc.)	2’000.00	2’981.96
Costs for phone, fax, internet services	2’000.00	2’970.90
Postage, mailing services	500.00	191.20
Newspapers, books, subscriptions	500.00	727.00
Accounting, tax and legal costs	13’000.00	14’017.90
Marketing & Communication	1’000.00	8’533.30
Cost for infrastructure (IT- & web-services, repairs etc.)	25’000.00	8’642.31
Anniversary Magazine	0.00	0.00
Travel & representation expenses	5’000.00	2’087.60
Expenses SHKBA (events, mailings, printing matters etc.)	0.00	0.00
Other administrative costs (incl. memberships in Associations)	2’000.00	1’667.24
Depreciation, bank charges	500.00	1’539.95
Total fixed costs	*405’640.00*	*388’016.48*
Total Expenses	479’640.00	534’115.11
Expected net gain for 2026 & net gain 2025	39’737.50	28’645.53

Wirtschaftskammer CH-China

Budget 2026
01.01.2026 - 31.12.2026
Romandie Chapter

Date 31.03.2026

	Description	Budget 2026	Actual 2025	Actual 2024	Actual 2023
	Expenses	CHF	CHF	CHF	CHF
44070	Frais de réunions	20’000.00	29’596.56	21’434.40	10’909.27
50000	Salaires nets	76’000.00	76’000.00	77’503.50	65’346.20
57000	Charges sociales (y. c. assurance)	13’193.25	13’493.25	14’002.30	10’402.85
60000	Loyers et charges (y. c. assurance)	3’600.00	3’600.00	3’600.00	3’600.00
63000	Assurances pour dommage naturels	512.60	512.60	482.60	482.60
65000	Frais de bureau / Marketing	0.00	0.00	0.00	311.10
65900	Charges d'administration et d'informatique	9’000.00	11’153.81	11’368.00	17’604.55
66400	Charges de publicité	1’500.00	165.90	1’504.31	1’150.05
69000	Taxes CCP et banque	100.00	81.80	60.58	163.63
	Total Expenses	123'906	134'603.92	129'995.69	109'970.25
	Net profit actual year and last year	0	-33'265.91	-24'724.10	-43'570.50
	Total Expenses	123'906	101’338.01	105’231.59	66’399.75
	Income	CHF	CHF	CHF	CHF
30000	Cotisations 300	9’670.00	9’670.00	9’670.00	4’350.00
30010	Cotisations 500	25’000.00	21’670.00	22’280.00	13’115.05
30020	Cotisations 1000	22’000.00	18’810.00	23’800.00	17’000.00
30030	Cotisations 2500	22’500.00	20’010.00	17’500.00	22’500.00
30040	Cotisations 50	500.00	570.00	1’310.00	810.00
30200	Conférences-repas	32’000.00	25’346.80	26’004.62	4’624.70
30100	Sponsorship, revenue extraordinaire	12’236.00	5’261.21	4’666.97	4’000.00
	Total Incomes	123’906.00	101’338.01	105’231.59	66’399.75

Zurich, May 2026

Changes of the Board 2026

New Board Members

Board Member	Company
Roger Bieri	UBS
Daniel Bont	Switzerland Global Enterprise
Ivan Gonzales	Swiss Re
Christian Schneiter	VISCHER
Kristin Sperling	Schindler

Leaving Board Members

Board Member	Function
Franz Arnold (Schindler)	MEM Committee
Qing Dahinden-Zhou (UBS)	Membership Committee
Lukas Züst (VISCHER)	Legal Committee

Board Members Re-election

Board Member	Function
Bin Sheng	Succeed Consulting
Jingjin Guo	President Romandie Chapter
Couzette Kleynhans	Life Science Committee
Dominique Turpin	Education
Stephan Weiss	Treasurer, Vice President
Robert Wiest	President

Advisory Board Members 2026

Advisory Board Member	Company
Alexis de Méyère	PricewaterhouseCoopers AG
Andreas Bohrer	Lonza AG
Andreas Herzog	Andreas Herzog Consulting Laax
Beat Krähenmann	
Carole Ramuz	Brandsoul
Christophe Weber	Banque Cantonale de Genève
Cristina Macina	Nestlé S.A.
Esther Nägeli	Nägeli Attorneys-at-Law
Felix M. Sutter	Succeed Consulting
Jean-Michel Chatagny	Ageas Group, AG Insurance and Ageas Re
Katherine Xin	China Europe International Business School
Kurt Haerri	Schindler
Luca Degiovannini	Switzerland Global Enterprise
Lukas Zuest	VISCHER
Michael Knecht	
Pascal Gunasekera	ABB
Philipp Boksberger	University of Zurich Executive Education
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Vince Bang	Mattenbach AG
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Zurich, May 2026

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The year 2025 was an exciting and special one since it also marked the 75th year anniversary of bilateral relations between Switzerland and China:

Throughout the year, our members also enjoyed access to all SCCC events, as well as our popular social gatherings such as the Christmas Apéro and Afterwork Drinks, which continue to be valued occasions for informal networking and community connection.

On May 28, 2025, the year started off with the AGM and Sino Swiss Economic Forum in Zurich at the UBS headquarters. The event was fully booked with more than 150 guests and the breakout sessions on trade finance with China, RMB transactions, information about the US-China tariff war as well as about the future of mobility with partners such as ICBC, UBS, Vischer and Leapmotor provided many interesting discussions and perspectives.

After having been newly elected into the Board of Directors of the Swiss Hong Kong Business Association at the AGM, Daniel Meyer then represented the chamber at the Hong Kong Business Associations Europe Forum in Milano in September 2025. Participants from various HK Business Associations in Europe discussed with senior representatives from Hong Kong Trade Development Council the future strategy for the Hong Kong Business Associations in Europe and how to bring even more benefits in the future to their members.

Marcel Schmid in October 2025 in Zurich met with the newly appointed director of the European Economic and Trade Office of Hong Kong in Berlin, Mr. Indiana Wong and was firming up their collaboration with SHKBA going forward. Their continued support for events such as the Zurich Film Festival (ZFF) as well as our annual flagship Chinese New Year event is greatly appreciated.

Undoubtedly, the highlight of the year was then our Chinese New Year Reception, held on March 4, 2026. This flagship annual gathering has become a cornerstone of our calendar—offering a festive and welcoming environment for members and guests to connect. With over 200 attendees, it was once again one of our largest and most celebrated events. We were honoured by the attendance of Mme Yun CHEN, Consul General of the People's Republic of China in Zurich as well as Mr. Indiana Wong from the European Economic and Trade Office of Hong Kong as well as senior representatives from government and industry.

Events of this scale and quality require extensive planning, coordination, and teamwork. A heartfelt thanks to our dedicated organizing teams in Zurich and Berlin, whose tireless efforts made this event a great success. Special gratitude also goes to our generous sponsors—HKETO, HKTDC, and—for their continued support and partnership.

In 2026, in his role as President of the Swiss-Hong Kong Business Association, Marcel Schmid was invited by InvestHK to visit Hong Kong, where he attended a comprehensive program including meetings with government and regulatory officials, the Hong Kong Stock Exchange, as well as visits to various innovation and science parks. He also met with the Consulate General of Switzerland, SwissChamHK, banks, and several family offices. In addition, Marcel attended the "Wealth for Good" Family Office conference alongside more than 400 international professionals. Altogether, and he spoke with more than 50 individuals during a very productive schedule.

As always, we remain committed to providing our members with meaningful insights, valuable connections, and engaging programming. We greatly value your continued support and look forward to your feedback and participation in the year ahead.

2. Publications

SHKBA members benefit from a range of informative publications and communication services:

The monthly newsletter from the Swiss General Consulate in Hong Kong continues to be shared with members, offering curated media reports and updates on economic and business developments in the region. Members also receive publications and business intelligence from the Hong Kong Trade Development Council (HKTDC).

Members enjoy special access to business information and services provided by the HKTDC and the Federation of Hong Kong Business Associations Worldwide. More details can be obtained from the SHKBA secretariat or on the Federation's website: http://www.hkfederation.org.hk.

3. Membership Development

Members SHKBA

Year	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Small Membership/Individuals	24	23	25	26	26	32
Medium Membership	2	1	3	4	4	5
Large Membership	2	3	1	1	1	1
Total SHKBA	**30**	**27**	**29**	**31**	**31**	**38**

Members from Double Membership (SCCC/SHKBA)

Year	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Small Membership/Individuals	11	12	16	14	14	11
Medium Membership	8	10	9	5	4	4
Large Membership	4	2	4	3	3	3
Total Double Memberships	21	24	29	22	21	18
Total SHKBA & SHKBA/SCCC	**51**	**51**	**58**	**53**	**52**	**56**

4. Remarks on Administration and Accounting

The Swiss-Hong Kong Business Association (SHKBA) was established on 20th April 2004 in Zurich. Ever since, it has closely cooperated with the Swiss-Chinese Chamber of Commerce. The cooperation includes shared infrastructure, including the office and administration. Since 2008 the accounts of SHKBA have been integrated into the accounts of the SCCC in a transparent manner, which allows the members to review the income and expenditure of the SHKBA based on the SCCC accounts. As a consequence of this integration, there is no separate auditor for the SHKBA and the audit carried out by the auditors of the SCCC includes the SHKBA accounts.

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