Data Flows in China: How UK Companies Accommodate the Change



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BritCham China released a report in November 2021 sharing their research and recommendations on crossborder data. A key message that underpins the report is that there are still many unanswered questions and restrictions that are preventing foreign businesses from innovating in and for the China market.

The current cyber security regulations can be seen as insurmountable - one of the overarching challenges that British businesses have had to navigate since 2018. Access to data is critical for innovation. It allows companies to not only connect and share information, but also streamline operations leading to a more effective and efficient business environment.

However, companies do not have the information needed to ensure compliance or plan ahead. The following key questions are still unanswered:

1. Which types of data will be subject to external security assessments?

- 2. What will external security assessment processes involve?
- 3. Which industry players might be classified as CIIOs?

Join this webinar where we will hear from the authors of the BritCham China and Lexis Nexis 'Cross-Border Data and Innovation' report. They will share their key findings and recommendations they put forward.

About the speakers



Anna is a data and technology partner based in Hong Kong, and heads the Data Protection, Privacy and Cybersecurity practice for Asia Pacific. Anna's practice focuses primarily on privacy, technology and communications related issues. She advises clients on privacy and data protection; cybersecurity and breach response; telecommunications and Internet regulatory issues; technology agreements; and outsourcing transactions. She has assisted clients with Hong Kong and China based projects, and has a wealth of experience in multi-jurisdictional projects, particularly on implementing

e-commerce and data management projects in Asia and across the globe.

She has been based in in Hong Kong for nearly 20 years and has assisted clients with Hong Kong and China based projects, and has a wealth of experience in advising clients on high value technology transactions and outsourcing deals, and multi-jurisdictional projects, particularly focused on data management.

Anna is recognized as one of the leading data protection lawyers in Asia and has worked on some of the largest and most high profile cybersecurity breaches in Asia involving a variety of threats and threat actors. She has experience in dealing with regulators across multiple jurisdictions in terms of both notifications and investigations.

Anna is co-author to Internet Law in Hong Kong published by Sweet & Maxwell and is recognized in The Legal 500 and Chambers Asia as a leading individual for her experience in technology and data protection. In particular, she is described as someone who "is really able to bring her experience to bear and find pragmatic solutions" and is recognised for her experience across a number of industries, notably with travel, retail and luxury brands.

Anna is a Fellow of Information Privacy (FIP) with the International Association of Privacy Professionals (IAPP)

and holds the CIPT and CIPP/Asia certifications. She is admitted as a solicitor in Hong Kong and Queensland, Australia.



Julian MacCormac is Country Director for Rolls-Royce, China. Julian first came to China in 1993 and has spent much of the past twenty-five years living in or working on China. Julian joined Rolls-Royce in 2016, serving as Director for Business Development for Rolls-Royce's civil nuclear business in China. Prior to joining Rolls-Royce Julian spent ten years in the UK Civil-Service. He worked on research, science and innovation policy, with a particular focus the commercialisation of publicly-funded research. Julian spent four years as Commercial Counsellor at the British Embassy in Beijing and led UK-China trade and investment work on infrastructure and energy. Julian currently serves as Chair of the British Chamber of Commerce in China. He has a degree in Chinese and Management. He is a recipient of the prestigious Frank Knox Fellowship and received his Master's degree in East Asian Studies from Harvard University. In 1997 he received the Lotus Prize, awarded to exemplary Foreign Experts working in China.



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