



ANSI Manufacturer Member Roundtable in China

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The **ANSI Manufacturer Member Roundtable in China** provides a forum for manufacturing companies to discuss challenges and strategies, exchange information across industry sectors, and provide perspectives on issues that affect their ability to do business in China.

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| ■ Alcatel Lucent | ■ John Deere |
| ■ Carrier UTC | ■ Lexmark |
| ■ Caterpillar | ■ Microsoft |
| ■ Cisco | ■ Monsanto |
| ■ Cummins | ■ Motorola |
| ■ Dell | ■ Philips |
| ■ Eaton | ■ QUALCOMM |
| ■ GE | ■ Rockwell Automation |
| ■ Hewlett Packard | ■ SAP |
| ■ IBM | ■ Siemens |

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Summary of Roundtable Activities

August 2010	<i>Beijing</i> - Roundtable members held a special session to meet with officials from the Ministry of Industry and Information Technology (MIIT) and the China Electronics Standardization Institute (CESI) regarding updates to the draft China RoHS administrative procedures.
August 2010	<i>Beijing</i> - Roundtable members prepared for the second meeting of the U.S.-China Conformity Assessment Project, to be held later this month. In addition, Kevin Wu of the American Society for Quality (ASQ) shared information on the upcoming first Sino-American Quality Summit.
July 2010	No meeting due to activities for the U.S.-China Conformity Assessment Project in which roundtable members were active.
June 2010	<i>Beijing</i> - Roundtable members discussed recent developments related to China's Restrictions on Hazardous Substances (RoHS) certification program. A speaker from the China Electronics Standardization Institute (CESI) provided a presentation including an overview of China RoHS and CESI's role in its implementation.
May 2010	<i>Shanghai</i> - A speaker from Phoenix Contact (China) provided members with an overview of developments related to Smart Grid in China. Members also shared information about China's Restrictions on Hazardous Substances (RoHS), in follow up to several recent events held by trade associations, government agencies, and other organizations.
April 2010	<i>Beijing</i> - Speakers from the Certification and Accreditation Administration of China (CNCA), the China Quality Certification Centre (CQC), and the U.S. Embassy in Beijing answered members' questions about topics to be addressed in the U.S. Department of Commerce project on conformity assessment. CQC also introduced a new SAC technical committee on environmental standardization for electrical products.
March 2010	<i>Shanghai</i> - Roundtable members discussed the U.S. Department of Commerce project on conformity assessment, which is supported by ANSI and the U.S.-China Business Council.
February 2010	<i>Beijing</i> - In a continuation of the topics discussed at the January session, experts from CNIS briefed Roundtable members on energy efficiency standards, new labeling requirements, and patents and intellectual property standards.
January 2010	<i>Beijing</i> - Experts from the China National Institute of Standardization (CNIS) shared presentations on energy efficiency standards and the new Contractor's Energy Efficiency Labeling System, which will be enforced beginning March 1, 2010.
December 2009	<i>Beijing</i> - A reception was held for Roundtable members to celebrate a successful year of meetings.
November 2009	<i>Shanghai</i> - Representatives of the Ministry of Industry and Information Technology (MIIT) and the China Quality Certification Center (CQC) provided a briefing on the recently published "Key Management Catalogues for China Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)" and other updates related to the China RoHS regulations.
October 2009	No meeting due to Chinese holidays.
September 2009	<i>Beijing</i> - Roundtable members discussed ideas for 2010 activities that would help to address market barriers resulting from the China Compulsory Certification (CCC) program and from other conformity assessment requirements.

August 2009	<i>Shanghai</i> - Guest speakers from the American Forest & Paper Association's (AFPA's) Shanghai office and the American Society of Mechanical Engineers' (ASME's) Beijing office shared presentations on how multinational companies can become better engaged in Chinese standardization work.
July 2009	<i>Beijing</i> - SAC publicly announced the launch of their project, "Construction of National Standardization System". The project was launched in June 2009.
June 2009	<i>Shanghai</i> - Representatives of the Shanghai branch of the China Quality Certification Center (CQC) answered questions about the CCC program, and interpreted the CCC detailed procedures.
May 2009	<i>Beijing</i> - CNCA and the Information Security Certification Center (ISCC) provided a briefing on developments related to China's proposed Information Security certification requirements, which are one of the top U.S.-China trade issues this year. UL provided information on implementation of China's CCC program.
April 2009	<i>Shanghai</i> - China-based representatives of IPC, an ANSI-accredited SDO, shared insights on how to participate on Chinese technical committees. Roundtable also discussed strategies for dealing with China RoHS and new Chinese special equipment regulations.
March 2009	<i>Beijing</i> - CNCA provided a briefing on the revisions to China's CCC regulations, a key area of interest for ANSI members.
February 2009	<i>Roundtable Launch</i> – ANSI President and CEO Joe Bhatia opened the ceremony, which was attended by over 50 participants, including high-level officials from all relevant Chinese government agencies, the US-China Business Council, AmCham China, and ANSI members. A press release was issued.