

SECTOR INTERNATIONAL EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES SEPTEMBER 2011 – MARCH 2012

Advanced Manufacturing

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Dates of Event	Name of Event & Location	Event Overview
11 -14 October 2011	Trako International Rail Fair Gdansk Poland	Opportunity to exhibit or just visit with a Midlands group
6 th -11 th November 2011	Trade Mission to India visiting Pune, Mumbai and Bangalore	Particularly targeted at the aerospace and automotive sectors
w/c 5 th March 2012	Meet the Buyer - Vienna	Opportunity to meet buyers from Austria, Czech republic and Austria

Business and Professional Services

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November 2011	Market visit to India (Mumbai)	Market briefing, networking reception and 1:1 business meetings
February 2012	Market Visit to Turkey (Istanbul)	Market briefing, networking reception and 1:1 business meetings

Defence and Security

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20 th September 2011	Cyber Security Minister visit to Malvern H Hills Science park	Opportunity for SMEs to question James Brokenshire MP
16 th November 2011	Police and Defence seminar and table top exhibition Budapest, Hungary	Opportunity to make business contacts in Hungary and go on to the Czech Republic
24 th November 2011	SME supply chain seminar - UK	Joint event with DSO and Qinetiq

Health and Wellbeing

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24 th October 2011	Meet the Commercial Officer –South Korea - UK	Learn more about the market and Lifestyle Showcase taking place in March 2012
10 th -14 th February	Ambiente Frankfurt Germany	Support for West Midlands companies attending this lifestyle exhibition
14 th -16 th February 2012	Health Sector Trade Mission to Jamaica	Opportunity to investigate business opportunities
March 2012	British Lifestyle Showcase –South Korea	Mini exhibition and business meetings
25 th -27 th March	Foodex Japan	Support available for West Midlands companies

ICT and Digital

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23 rd -26 th October 2011	Market Visit to X-SUMMIT Toronto Canada	Conference, meet the buyer and other business meetings for content creators and interactive media & Games professionals
16 – 17 November 2011	TechWorld 2011	Conference, Exhibition, meet the buyer and other business meetings for ICT, Electronics, telecommunications, content creators and interactive media & Games professionals
21 st -25 th November 2011	Trade Mission to Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania	Support for up to 5 West Midland ICT and Digital SMEs to visit these interesting markets
9 th -13 th January 2012	Market visit to India –Ahmedabad, Mumbai & Pune	Opportunity to do business in the leading industrialising states of Gujarat and Maharashtra for , Electronics, telecommunications, Animation, Content Creators, interactive media & Games professionals
23 rd February 2012	Internationalisation and Transition into Cloud Computing – Warwick Science Park	Conference with leading speakers on taking advantage of the opportunities created by this new technology

Infrastructure

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19 th -20 th October 2011	Seminar and Inward Mission UK	1:1 meetings with international delegates/buyers
19 th -26 th November 2011	Big 5 Exhibition Dubai UAE	Opportunity to exhibit on group stand or visit this major show, networking and 1:1 meetings
21 st -25 th February 2012	Market visit to Turkey	Seminar, networking and 1:1 meetings

Low carbon – to include low carbon technologies across all of the sectors above

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6 th -14 th February 2012	Trade Mission to Australia and New Zealand	Opportunity to explore business opportunities – market briefing, networking and 1:1 business meetings