19th January 2016

BEIJING INTERNATIONAL BOOK FAIR: 24 - 28 AUGUST 2016

The 23rd Beijing International Book Fair is being held at the (new) China International Exhibition Centre, from Wednesday 24th until Sunday 28th August 2016.

The PA’s Publishing Marketing Report on China was updated in 2015 by Paul Richardson and Chu Xiaoying, and in it they state that “catering for a population of over 1.3 billion with over 95% literacy, the Chinese book market is the largest in the world by volume, and the second largest in terms of purchasing power parity (PPP), after that of the USA. Official estimates for publishing, printing and distribution services for 2013 overall were 1.82 trillion yuan (($300 billion) an increase of 9.7% on 2012.”

UK Pavilion

The PA, in partnership with UK Trade & Investment, is organising the UK pavilion at this event and is offering an exhibition package at a cost of £2,980.00 per stand. The package includes:

- A 9 sqm (3m x 3m) custom-built stand, with shelving, lighting and carpet
- Furniture: 1 information counter, 1 table, 4 chairs, wastepaper basket and lockable storage cabinets
- Fascia with company name and stand number
- Access to a central backroom/storage area
- Graphic panels (at an additional cost)
- Catalogue entry
- Exhibitor passes
- A networking reception
- Dual language publicity brochure
- Bilingual stand assistants
- Specially negotiated group hotel rates
- Co-ordinated airport meet and greet service
- Transportation to and from the fairground each day from the group hotel
- Specially negotiated shipping rates
- A complimentary copy of the PA's Market Report on China for first time exhibitors

We also have one small unit of 6 sqm (3m x 2m) available at £2,030.00

**Administration Fee**

To offset some of our costs in organising this event, we will charge an administration fee at the following rates: £300.00 + VAT for PA members and £375.00 + VAT for non-PA members.

**UK Trade & Investment Grant**

We are waiting to hear from UKTI about the Tradeshows Access Programme (TAP) grants for the financial year 2016/17.

**Action**

If you would like to exhibit at this Fair as part of the official UK group and benefit from this comprehensive package of services, please return your completed booking form by **Friday 18th March 2016**.

We look forward to hearing from you, but please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

Gloria L. Bailey

*TurnKey Exhibition Services*
1. Applications must be submitted to The Publishers Association (PA) by the closing date. Before completing the application form please read the terms & conditions below. If you have any questions contact the PA.

By returning the form, it is understood that your company accepts TurnKey Exhibition Services™ Terms & Conditions as well as the Fair organiser’s Terms & Conditions. A copy of the latter is available upon request.

The PA's service charge does not include the stand rental, and is used to cover the cost of the services we provide. If you wish to cancel your booking, you must inform us as soon as possible in writing. Depending on when you cancel, we will charge a cancellation fee calculated as a percentage of the service charge as follows:

- 4 months – 25%
- 3 months – 50%
- 2 months – 75%
- 1 month – 100%

This is in addition to the Fair organiser’s cancellation charge mentioned in their Terms & Conditions, unless a replacement company can be found to take over the stand booking.

2. Eligibility Criteria & Entitlement
All legitimate companies are eligible to exhibit as part of the group, including members and non-members of the PA. You should note that there can be no guarantee that you will receive a specific site within the group.

The application form enclosed, must be signed by an authorised representative of your organisation and be returned to the PA by the closing date. Export agents are eligible for inclusion in the group, provided the PA is satisfied that they have the appropriate sales franchise for the product concerned. An export agent must apply well before the closing date and provide a signed declaration from its principal(s) confirming that the agent is their accredited representative.

3. Copyrights and Patents
Exhibitors shall not display exhibits or other materials which infringe the patents, copyright or other intellectual property rights of another exhibitor or third party. The PA reserves the right to assist the relevant authorities to take appropriate action against infringers.

4. Unavoidable Adjustments to Space Requirements and Stand Costs
If it becomes clear that the organiser’s stand layout and the stand construction requirements necessitate you receiving a larger or smaller area than applied for, an appropriate adjustment to the space and construction costs will be made to reflect the change.

Exhibitors may be liable if for any reason, including unfavourable movements in exchange rates, costs are higher than expected.

5. Pre-Event Preparation, Stand Staffing and Displays
(a) The chances of achieving success at this exhibition can be greatly increased by thorough preparation. The PA will provide you with advice on this, including:
- considering whether you have researched the market sufficiently.
- ensuring that your products are appropriate for the market.
- considering whether the event will attract the right kind of customers in the right numbers.
- considering the need for appropriate advance publicity including mail shots to existing and potential customers.

(b) Your display must be ready by the opening of the event and stands staffed at all times for the duration of the exhibition by personnel conversant with the exhibitors products.

(c) The PA reserves the right to prevent the distribution or display of literature containing serious linguistic errors and items judged to be embarrassing or unacceptable.

6. Organiser’s Terms and Local Requirements
You must acquaint yourself and comply with the conditions laid down by the exhibition organisers for the event, with all local technical requirement and safety and other regulations; you should consult the PA who will advise. The PA will not be responsible for any claim arising out of failure to comply.

7. Liability & Insurance
No liability shall attach to the PA or members of its staff for expenditure incurred by you in connection with the event or in respect of any accident, injury, loss or damage of any nature whatsoever arising out of or in any way connected with the display of goods at this event or in any other way whatsoever.

Exhibitors must insure against costs and expenses which they may incur in the event of the exhibition being abandoned, cancelled, postponed or curtailed in whole or in part for causes outside the PA’s control, since we accept no responsibility in such an eventuality.

If for any reason the event is cancelled, refunds will only be made if the fair’s organisers and stand contractor makes a refund to the PA.
No insurance of any kind in relation to the event will be effected by the PA. Insurance is solely a matter for the individual exhibitor to arrange and should be sufficiently comprehensive to indemnify the PA. The insurance should also cover costs that may be incurred should you withdraw from the group.

8. Bankruptcy or Liquidation
Should an exhibitor being an individual or firm become bankrupt have a Receiving Order made against him or them, or make any arrangements with his or their creditors, or being a limited liability company, go into liquidation (other than a voluntary liquidation for the purpose of amalgamation or reconstruction) or have an administrative receiver appointed, or an administrative order is made against the exhibitor or its assets or the exhibitor enters into any arrangement with its creditors or is unable to pay its debts as they become due the contract with such exhibitor shall terminate forthwith save that all payments to the PA shall be forfeited and the balance shall become due and payable forthwith and such termination shall be without prejudice to any claim of the PA against the exhibitor in respect of any antecedent breach.

9. Penalties
(a) The PA reserve the right to exclude any exhibitor who is in debt to them.

(b) If you withdraw from the group a refund of the amount paid will only be made if we can find a replacement company. If we cannot find a replacement company, the exhibitor must pay the full cost of the stand.

(c) If any payments for the event are fourteen days in arrears (whether demanded or not) the PA shall have the right to charge interest on the overdue amounts from fourteen days after the due date, at a rate of 2% above the base lending rate of the National Westminster Bank plc from time to time.

Such interest shall accrue after as well as before any judgement and shall accrue on a daily basis compounded for the overdue period with three monthly rests.

In addition, if the above payments are fourteen days in arrears, the contract may at any time thereafter be terminated forthwith by notice in writing by the PA to the exhibitor. In such event all fees paid shall be forfeited and the balance of the stand rental shall become due and payable forthwith together with any accrued interest.

Such termination shall not prejudice any rights or claims by the PA against the exhibitor in respect of any antecedent breach.

10. Interpretation of Regulations in Translation
In the event of any dispute as to the interpretation of these terms & conditions as a result of their translation into a foreign language, the English version shall be taken as authentic.

11. Disputes
The proper law of the contract shall be English Law and all disputes as to the construction of application of these terms & conditions or the rights and liabilities of any person hereunder shall be determined by English Law.

12. Privacy Policy
By signing the contract to exhibit, the exhibitor is consenting, under all relevant data protection legislation, to the PA communicating with exhibitors by telephone, fax, e-mail and by post and using its personal information for the following purposes, namely: for the PA’s internal purposes which will include accounts processing, internal analysis of exhibitors, inviting exhibitors to other events organised by the PA, disclosure of information to contractors who provide services in respect of the exhibition (including but not limited to stand contractors, registration, cleaning and freight forwarders, caterers and electricians).

20th April 2011
The Publishers Association
Stand Booking Form
Beijing International Book Fair 24 - 28 August 2016

Exhibitor:...........................................................................................................................................

Full Address:..................................................................................................................................
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Contact:.............................................. Email:..................................................................................
Tel No.: ........................................ Fax No.:......................................................................................

We would like to book a stand at the 2016 Beijing International Book Fair and we agree to abide by terms and conditions set out in these documents.

[ ] We require __________ x 9 sqm stand(s) @ £2,980.00 each.

[ ] We require 1 x 6 sqm stand @ £2,030.00 (We only have one of these stands)

Signed:.......................................................... Date:..............................................................

Please send this form to:

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Deadline: 18th March 2016