

Annual Conference
University of Strathclyde
23-25 June 2026

**Sponsorship and
exhibitor opportunities**



Bringing together over **300 members of the UKCISA community from 200 institutions**, UKCISA Annual Conference offers a unique opportunity to connect with peers, share insights and spark new ideas.





Since 1968, the UK Council for International Student Affairs (UKCISA) has been dedicated to supporting international students and the professionals at the institutions, students' unions, and organisations that work closely with them.

Using our expertise in immigration advice, compliance and fee assessments, we give our members the tools to provide a world-class experience for international students.

[Read more about UKCISA here.](#)



396

member institutions
across universities,
schools, colleges, students'
unions and wider
organisations

2.7 million

views on our website
in 2024-25

Over

12.5k

followers on LinkedIn

UKCISA's Annual Conference

UKCISA's Annual Conference is a key date in the diary for anyone working with international students – a chance to network with colleagues, develop professional skills and hear the latest policy developments.

Our flagship conference hosts plenary sessions, professional development workshops, networking sessions, and much more. Hear from international students, UKCISA members and expert speakers from across the international education sector.



Delegate profile

The event attracts over 300 delegates from more than 200 institutions and organisations across the UK.

Attendees include:

- international student advisers,
- immigration compliance officers,
- career advisers,
- directors of international offices,
- students' union staff and officers,
- student ambassadors,
- government representatives and other sector agencies.





Why sponsor UKCISA's Annual Conference?

- ✓ Showcase your organisation and its products and services to all participants.
- ✓ Build relationships with staff who can raise your profile in their institutions.
- ✓ Highlight how your work or services can support staff working with international students.

What delegates tell us about conference

“Wonderful, amazing opportunities to learn, reflect, and discuss topics we care about.

Always a highlight of the year!”

“The UKCISA Conference is more than just a conference; it’s a celebration and affirmation of all the work we do.

We come away revived and enthused, armed with new information and ideas.”



“I really enjoyed conference! It was an opportunity for me to get to speak to people at institutions all over the UK, but also for me to step out of my comfort zone. The sessions were informative and fun, and the gala dinner was a particular highlight!”

Exhibitor opportunities (5 available)

We have a prominent exhibition space available which will be open from Tuesday 23 June to Thursday 25 June 2026. Your exhibition stand (approx. 2m²) will be located in the catering area, offering an excellent opportunity to showcase your organisation's products and services.

Each stand will be supplied with a table, two chairs, and free WiFi. Power may also be provided upon request. No shell scheme is provided – that is, no back or side walls will be available to pin posters or display materials.

In addition to the exhibition space, you will gain access to:

Full conference experience

Your exhibition package comes with one complimentary conference ticket, which means you can access the full conference programme, including the Tuesday drinks reception and Wednesday conference dinner.

Please note, any additional staff on your exhibition stand will need to purchase separate conference tickets as delegates.

Virtual exhibition space

Attendees can meet with you directly by visiting your stand or checking your virtual exhibition booth on our conference app and website.

You can help delegates learn more about your product or services by uploading documents such as videos, brochures, and links within your virtual exhibition space.

Cost

Exhibition space + 1 complimentary conference ticket	£1,650 + VAT
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Conference ticket price for any additional staff on exhibition stands	£615 (member) £1020 (non-member)
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Annual Conference gala dinner sponsor

£6,500 + VAT

UKCISA's gala dinner is a mainstay of the conference, giving delegates a chance to connect and celebrate all we achieve together. This year it will be held on Wednesday X June at the X venue.

- Listed as the sponsor for the Thursday annual conference dinner on relevant conference materials.
- Introduced by UKCISA Chief Executive to address all guests for up to three minutes before the dinner starts.
- One complimentary ticket (worth £1,020) to attend the full conference including the Wednesday annual conference dinner. Discounted additional tickets on request.
- Branded glass discs with your company logo which slides over the stem of wine glasses.
- Your company logo will be added on photos printed by the photo booth.





Silver sponsor – Conference Sponsor

£5,000 + VAT (2 available)

- Free exhibition space.
- Branding on the conference website and marketing materials.
- 30-minute sponsored session scheduled at prime timeslot on Thursday afternoon.
- One complimentary ticket (worth £1,020) to attend the full conference including the Wednesday drink reception and Thursday annual conference dinner. Discounted additional tickets on request.

We can tailor the sponsorship package for your needs. To explore specific combinations or alternative options, please contact partnerships@ukcisa.org.uk



Gold sponsor – Conference Supporter

£8,000 + VAT (2 available)

- Free exhibition space.
- Branding on the conference website and marketing materials.
- 30-minute sponsored session scheduled in a prime timeslot on Thursday afternoon.

PLUS for our Conference Supporters:

- Two complimentary tickets (worth £2,040) to attend the full conference, including the Wednesday drinks reception and Thursday Annual Conference dinner. Discounted additional tickets on request.
- Listed as ‘supported by’ on all conference materials.
- 30-second advert video to be displayed before one selected keynote plenary (subject to availability).
- Sponsor the grand prize for the Annual Conference competition and hand out the prize to the winning delegate during the conference.

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Platinum sponsor – Conference Partner

£10,500 + VAT (1 available)

- Free exhibition space.
- 30-minute sponsored session scheduled in a prime time slot on Thursday afternoon
- 30-second advert video to be displayed before one selected keynote plenary (subject to availability).
- Sponsor the grand prize for the Annual Conference competition and hand out the prize to the winning delegate during the conference.

PLUS exclusively for our Platinum sponsor:

- Prominent branding on the conference website and marketing materials.
- Three complimentary tickets (worth £3,060) to attend the full conference, including the Wednesday drink reception and Thursday annual conference dinner. Discounted additional tickets on request.
- Listed as ‘in partnership with’ on all conference materials.
- Address all attendees before one selected keynote plenary (subject to availability) for up to three minutes.
- Provide a blog for the UKCISA website (content to be approved by UKCISA).
- Your logo, contact details, and a 150-word message from your organisation to be included in the post-event email.

What delegates tell us about conference

“Good range of exhibitors and good opportunity to speak with companies we work with about how we can better make use of their services, as well as opportunities to discuss how we could work with others.”



“Huge selection of content and high energy throughout, including ample time to engage with exhibitors.”

Interested? Get in touch!

To arrange sponsorship or book an exhibition space, download the booking form, or get in touch via partnerships@ukcisa.org.uk.



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