

# International Trade Calendar

**Exhibitions and Trade Missions** 





## Want to get out there and explore new markets?

Invest Northern Ireland's unique combination of professional trade advice, industry knowledge and in-market expertise can support your business every step of the way in identifying and developing opportunities in export markets.

The wraparound support of our experienced trade team and sector-specific trade advisors, complimented by our extensive network of commercial experts around the globe, can help you assess your export-readiness, devise your export strategy, and prepare you to explore and maximise opportunities in new markets. This expertise combined with a range of export-related financial incentives provides the confidence and capability to help you get out there and explore new opportunities.

Our programme includes sector-focussed visits, exhibitions, and trade missions across a range of industries and markets for Northern Ireland businesses. Whether you are new to exporting or want to expand your international customer base, Invest NI's comprehensive calendar of activities could help you and your business to go further and grow stronger.

Exhibitions and Trade Missions are subject to change.

If you are interested in finding out more about participating in Invest NI overseas events or relevant support packages, please contact us at 0800 181 4422 or email <a href="mailto:exportevents@investni.com">exportevents@investni.com</a>. To explore our full range of export support services visit investni.com/export.

## Aerospace and defence

A global leader in aerospace technology, defence, and security rich in knowledge, skills and experience, the sector in Northern Ireland has expertise in key technologies and a resilient, competitive, award-winning supply chain.

Key areas of strength include aircraft interior composites design and manufacturing, aerostructure, as well as cyber security, covert technologies and security training and clothing.

Event Title	Location	Event Type	Start Date	End Date
Aeromart	Toulouse, France	Exhibition Stand	03 December 2024	05 December 2024
Space-Comm Expo	London, UK	Exhibition Stand	11 March 2025	12 March 2025
Paris Air Show	Paris, France	Exhibition Stand	16 June 2025	22 June 2025

## Agri-tech

With an industrial heritage rooted firmly in farming, engineering expertise and world-leading academic research, Northern Ireland provides a range of innovative solutions to the agricultural sector, both locally and internationally.

Whether designing and producing farm machinery or housing, manufacturing agricultural components, developing new software solutions for farm management, or investing in R&D for the future of farming, Northern Ireland is making a tangible impact in the global agricultural industry.

Event Title	Location	Event Type	Start Date	End Date
EuroTier	Hannover, Germany	Exhibition Stand	12 November 2024	15 November 2024
Agromek	Herning, Denmark	Exhibition Stand	26 November 2024	29 November 2024
National Farm Machinery Show	Louisville, USA	Exhibition Stand	12 February 2025	15 February 2025
Figan	Zaragoza, Spain	Exhibition Stand	25 March 2025	28 March 2025

#### Cleantech

Northern Ireland has a vibrant cleantech sector with a collaborative and innovative supply chain dedicated to providing world-leading solutions to multiple sectors globally.

Key areas of strength include low carbon heating solutions with strong expertise in the design and manufacture of heat pumps, smart energy systems, maritime and offshore, alternative fuels and renewable energy supply chain.

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No events are currently planned for this area of work.					

#### Food and drink

With high-quality raw ingredients, state-of-the-art processing facilities and a world-class food security record, Northern Ireland's award-winning food and drink is enjoyed worldwide.

Fuelled by the passion of family farms and fishing businesses, as well as award winning enterprising food & drink producers, Northern Irish food and drink can be found tantalising taste buds on menus, supermarket shelves and renowed luxury specialists around the world.

Event Title	Location	Event Type	Start Date	End Date
Gulfood	Dubai, UAE	Exhibition Stand	17 February 2025	21 February 2025
ProWein	Dusseldorf, Germany	Exhibition Stand	16 March 2025	18 March 2025
Farm Shop & Deli	Birmingham, UK	Exhibition Stand	07 April 2025	09 April 2025
Private Label Manufacturers Association (PLMA)	Amsterdam	Exhibition Stand	20 May 2025	21 May 2025

### Green economy

Northern Ireland is leveraging its recognised expertise in engineering, technology, and construction to deliver into the low carbon and net zero sector. It has established an ecosystem that supports the research, manufacture, and export of cutting-edge green technologies due to its wealth of natural resources, government regulations, and dedication to creative, sustainable solutions.

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#### Life and health sciences

Northern Ireland boasts a thriving life and health sciences sector where the unique combination of talented people, world-class research and strong links between industry, academia and clinicians, fosters the commercialisation of innovative research.

The sector offers expertise across precision medicine, clinical trials and digital health as well as specialisms in oncology, cardiology, ophthalmology, respiratory and diabetes.

Event Title	Location	Event Type	Start Date	End Date
Arab Health	Dubai, UAE	Exhibition Stand	27 January 2025	30 January 2025

# Materials handling

Northern Ireland companies deliver solutions worldwide, meeting the needs and challenges of the material, geography and climate. Providing solutions for the processing of sand, aggregate, waste and other bulk materials, solutions cover the quarrying, mining, construction and recycling sectors. Key areas of expertise include crushing, screening, sortation, washing, conveying and size reduction.

Event Title	Location	Event Type	Start Date	End Date
Future Minerals Forum	Riyadh, Saudi Arabia	Exhibition Stand	15 January 2025	16 January 2025
AED Summit	Orlando, USA	Exhibition Stand	15 January 2025	17 January 2025
AGG1	St. Louis, USA	Trade Mission	25 March 2025	27 March 2025
Bauma Germany	Munich, Germany	Exhibition Stand	07 April 2025	13 April 2025
CONEXPO   AGG	Las Vegas	Exhibition Stand	03 March 2026	07 March 2026

# Technology

Northern Ireland enjoys an international reputation as a region of expertise and knowledge in tech development, with many global technology leaders establishing operations here to take advantage of the wealth of knowledge, skills and entreprenuership on offer.

The region has a vibrant cluster of companies operating in areas such as cyber security, Al & data analytics, blockchain and Internet of Things (IoT).

Event Title	Location	Event Type	Start Date	End Date
Smart City Expo World Congress	Barcelona, Spain	Exhibition Stand	05 November 2024	07 November 2024

#### Trade Mission

In addition to the comprehensive programme of trade exhibitions, we have planned a wide array of complimentary trade missions. Trade missions are a useful tool to help reduce the time, cost and risk when exploring business opportunities overseas, providing an opportunity to meet key decision-makers and stakeholders in key market locations or to explore and scope future trade exhibitions for attendance.

Event Title	Location	Event Type	Start Date	End Date
Technology Trade Mission to Singapore	with Invest Northern Ireland and Enterprise Ireland	Trade Mission	04 November 2024	08 November 2024
BIO-Europe	Stockhom, Sweden	Trade Mission	04 November 2024	06 November 2024
Medica	Düsseldorf, Germany	Trade Mission	11 November 2024	14 November 2024
PNAA Advance Conference	Seattle, USA	Trade Mission	03 February 2025	07 February 2025
North America Sports Tech	Boston & Toronto	Trade Mission	24 February 2025	27 February 2025
AGG1	St. Louis, USA	Trade Mission	25 March 2025	27 March 2025





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