

CROSS-PARTY GROUP ANNUAL RETURN

NAME OF CROSS-PARTY GROUP

Cross-Party Group on Taiwan

DATE GROUP ESTABLISHED (the date of establishment is the date in this parliamentary session that the Group held its initial meeting, where the office bearers were elected and not the date that the Group was accorded recognition. All Groups should hold their AGMs on, or before, the anniversary of this date.)

26/06/2011

DATE OF MOST RECENT AGM

3rd March 2015

DATE OF PRECEDING AGM [this date is required to aid clerks in verifying that the most recent AGM has taken place within 12 months of the previous AGM]

4th March 2014

DATE ANNUAL RETURN SUBMITTED

9th April 2015

GROUP MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

Please provide details of each meeting of the Group including the date of the meeting, a brief description of the main subjects discussed and the MSP and non-MSP attendance figures.

Details of any other activities, such as visits undertaken by the Group or papers/report published by the Group should also be provided.

4th March 2014 AGM and Meeting

The meeting covered the AGM business.

There was presentation by Ed Payne from Scottish Enterprise on the activities of the organisation in Taiwan. The meeting was also addressed by Jen-Chung Su of the Taipei Representative Office in the UK, Edinburgh Office on the same subject.

There was also an update on cross-strait relations and the tourism industry in Taiwan. Attendance 18; MSPs 6.

3rd June 2014 Informal meeting

Presentation by Ting-Tong Chang winner of the Creative Initiative Award of the Edinburgh Sculpture Workshop and artist in residence. Jen-Chung Su also updated the meeting on developments on tourism in Taiwan and the Youth Mobility Scheme. Attendance 15, MSP 1

29th October Meeting

Presentation by Dr Kevin McLoughlin, Principal Curator, East and Central Asia Department of World Cultures, National Museums Scotland, on the subject of the loan of an oracle bone to the National Palace Museum, Taipei. Meeting agreed to invite a representative from Visit Scotland to the next meeting. Attendance 17, MSPs 2

Taiwan Visit by MSPs to discuss cultural and trade links between Scotland and Taiwan – 5 MSPs attended.

MSP MEMBERS OF THE GROUP

Please provide names and party designation of all MSP members of the Group.

Colin Keir SNP
Margaret Mitchell CON
Richard Simpson LAB
Christine Grahame SNP
Clare Adamson SNP
Jim Hume LIBDEM
David Stewart LAB
Jamie McGrigor CON
John Lamont CON
Jim Eadie SNP
Mary Fee LAB
Neil Bibby LAB

NON-MSP MEMBERS OF THE GROUP

For organisational members please provide only the name of the organisation, it is not necessary to provide the name(s) of individuals who may represent the organisation at meetings of the Group.

Individuals

Hsin-Yen Lai – Secretary
Selena Chih-Han Chang

	Alex MacKinnon
	Angel Lin
	Brian McLeish
	Candy Lotus
	Chen Burger
	Chen Yen Fa
	Chia Ling Yang
	Chimin Wu
	Chiu Wen Hsiung
	Craig Ballard
	Deirdre Kinloch Anderson
	Donald Anderson
	Douglas Kinloch Anderson
	Klaus Staubermann
	Gari Donn
	Hung-Chieh Chang
	Ellie Casson
	Emma Wheater
	Eric Milligan
	Hsien-Lin Ro
	Ian Irvin
	Ian McKee
	Isabella Morton
	Jack Lin
	Jenny and Stanley Yau
	Jhenyi Wu
	Jim Ramage
	John Kinloch Anderson
	John Leighton
	Kevin McLoughlin
	Li Feng Su
	Lindsey Low
	Lisa Hsu
	Lord Andrew Hardie
	Martin Bell

	<p>Martin Hunt</p> <p>Maya Lu Luna Schumacher-Lu</p> <p>Martino Chan</p> <p>Mei Jung Fu</p> <p>Michael Bates</p> <p>Michael Clarke</p> <p>Owen Kelly</p> <p>Peter Chen</p> <p>Raffkas Liu</p> <p>Robert Mitchell</p> <p>Roger Huang</p> <p>Simon Chiu</p> <p>Siobhan Paterson</p> <p>Stephen Blackmore</p> <p>Steve Cardownie</p> <p>Thomas Lee</p> <p>Tony A.T. Shek</p> <p>Tuang Jung Lee</p> <p>Wei Lee Ger</p> <p>Wei Sheng Hong</p> <p>Wingsie Ng</p> <p>Winston WuYen Yi Lee</p> <p>Yi Chiao Chung</p> <p>Mark Hughes</p> <p>Andrew Ewan</p> <p>Rob Munn</p>
Organisations	<p>Taipei Representative Office in the U.K., Edinburgh Office</p> <p>National Museums Scotland</p>

GROUP OFFICE BEARERS

Please provide names for all office bearers. The minimum requirement is that two of the office bearers are MSPs and one of these is Convener – beyond this it is a matter for the Group to decide upon the office bearers it wishes to have. It is permissible to have more than one individual elected to each office, for example, co-conveners or multiple deputy conveners.

Convener	Co-Convener Colin Keir MSP, Co-Convener Margaret Mitchell MSP, Co-Convener Richard Simpson MSP
Deputy Convener	
Secretary	Mr Hsin-Yen Lai
Treasurer	

FINANCIAL BENEFITS OR OTHER BENEFITS RECEIVED BY THE GROUP

Please provide details of any financial or material benefit(s) received from a single source in a calendar year which has a value, either singly or cumulatively, of more than £500. This includes donations, gifts, hospitality or visits and material assistance such as secretariat support.

Details of material support should include the name of the individual providing support, the value of this support over the year, an estimate of the time spent providing this support and the name of the organisation that this individual is employed by / affiliated to in providing this support.

Groups should provide details of the date on which the benefit was received, the value of the benefit and a brief description of the benefit.

If the Group is not disclosing any financial information please tick the box to confirm that the Group has considered the support received, but concluded it totalled under the threshold for disclosure (£500).

SUBSCRIPTION CHARGED BY THE GROUP

Please provide details of the amount charged and the purpose for which the subscription is intended to be used.

n/a

CONVENER CONTACT DETAILS

Name	Colin Keir MSP, Margaret Mitchell MSP, Richard Simpson MSP
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