

**Anglo Dutch Exchange Programme**

**Opportunity to host Dutch lawyers**

1. **6 October 2018**

Founded in 1966, the Anglo Dutch Exchange (ADE) is a biennial event for young lawyers from England and Wales and the Netherlands, which is hosted by each jurisdiction on an alternate basis. It is a joint venture of:

* The Young Barristers’ Committee of the General Council of the Bar of England and Wales (YBC)
* The London Young Lawyers’ Group (LYLG)
* The Junior Lawyers Division of the Law Society of England and Wales (JLD)
* The Young Bar Associations of Amsterdam, The Hague and Rotterdam.

The purpose of the ADE is to foster a better understanding of our counterparts’ legal and judicial system and of their commercial and cultural environments, and to establish closer links between the two jurisdictions.

In summary:

* This year, up to 40 lawyers from the Netherlands will be given the opportunity to visit England for a five-day programme.
* The dates are Monday 1 to Friday 5 October 2018.
* The visiting lawyers will stay with host lawyers in London, attending lectures with leading local law firms and visiting cultural and legal landmarks.
* The ADE will conclude with a gala dinner.

**We are looking for barristers and solicitors willing to host a Dutch lawyer between 1 - 6 October 2018 in London**.

We will be providing a full programme of events for the visiting Dutch lawyers, so – after the initial meet and greet and dinner - hosts will only be expected to provide their guests with accommodation and breakfast.

Please find the application form below.

If you are interested in hosting a lawyer, please complete the below form and send it to **Kathy Wong** **KWong@BarCouncil.org.uk**

**ADE hosting application form**

**Barrister and solicitor profile and requirements for hosting a visiting lawyer**

**General**

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| Name  |  |
| Home Address |  |
| Chambers or law firm |  |
| Contact email address |  |

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| **Criterion** | **Please confirm that you meet this criterion/ where relevant please set out how you meet this criterion**  |
| 1. Will be resident and present in London between 30 September and 6 October 2018
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| 1. Have sufficient space in your home to accommodate a guest (e.g. do you have a spare room? Does your spare room contain a bed?)
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| 1. Can meet your guest on 1 or 2 October and to provide them with dinner.
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| 1. Can provide your guest with breakfast between 1 and 6 October 2018.
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| 1. If you have any ideas for a seminar or workshop at your chambers or law firm, please list them.
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**Please return your completed form to Kathy Wong -** **KWong@BarCouncil.org.uk**

**Thank you for volunteering to host a visiting lawyer.**