At its genesis in 1919, no functioning global system existed to advance development of trade routes. At its centenary, no single comprehensive formula is available to rid global trade of all obstinate inefficiencies. Endeavoring to chart an innovative and effective path toward furthering trade, the International Chamber of Commerce held its 2019 Banking Commission Annual Meeting in Beijing. Plenary sessions confronted challenging issues and circumstances facing the future of global trade finance and explored promising initiatives and opportunities. Highlighting its vital work to press forward with the digitalisation of trade finance, the Banking Commission announced voting results that pave the way for eUCP Version 2.0 and eURC text to enter into force July 2019.