

# Conference Programme

## Wednesday 14 February

0830-0900 REGISTRATION & COFFEE

0900-0905 ADMINISTRATIVE REMARKS

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### 0905-1100 SESSION ONE: LEGISLATING TO FIGHT TERRORISM

CHAIR: **Sir Paul Lever KCMG**  
Chairman, RUSI

KEYNOTE: *'Anti-terrorism legislation in practice'*  
**Rt. Hon. Lord Falconer of Thoroton QC**  
Secretary of State for Constitutional Affairs & Lord Chancellor

CHAIR: **Mr. Sebastian Payne**  
Lecturer, Kent Law School, University of Kent

SPEAKERS: *'Intercept evidence: a tool in the fight against terrorism?'*  
**Dr. Eric Metcalfe**  
Human Rights Director, JUSTICE

*'How law can assist anti-terrorism: new approaches to a deep-seated problem'*  
**Dr. Rhiannon Talbot**  
Newcastle Law School, Newcastle University

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1100-1130 MORNING TEA & COFFEE

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### 1130-1330 SESSION TWO: APPROACHES TO COUNTER-TERRORISM

CHAIR: **Sir David Omand GCB**  
Vice-President, RUSI

KEYNOTE: *'HMG responses to the threat from terrorism'*  
**Rt. Hon. Tony McNulty MP**  
Minister of State for Policing, Security & Community Safety

SPEAKERS: *'Overblown: The costs of threat exaggeration'*  
**Professor John Mueller**  
Woody Hayes Chair of National Security Studies, Mershon Center  
Professor of Political Science, Ohio State University

*'Intelligence led counter-terrorism in the UK: Issues and problems'*  
**Professor Frank Gregory**  
Professor of European Security, Jean Monnet Chair in European Political  
Integration, University of Southampton

1330-1430 LUNCH

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1430-1500 AFTERNOON ADDRESS

CHAIR: **Dr. Sandra Bell**  
Director, Homeland Security & Resilience Department, RUSI

KEYNOTE: *'Acquisition, technology and security'*  
**The Honourable Kenneth J. Krieg**  
Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics,  
DoD

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1500-1630 SESSION THREE: RESPONDING TO THE DOMESTIC THREAT

CHAIR: **Dr. Sandra Bell**  
Director, Homeland Security & Resilience Department, RUSI

SPEAKERS: *'The long term response to the domestic threat'*  
**Mr. Sidney Shipton OBE**  
Three Faiths Forum

*'Countering terrorism with the communities'*  
**Detective Chief Superintendent Dave Tucker**  
Head, National Community Tension Team, ACPO

*'An intuitive risk management model to support multi-agency security problems'*  
**Dr. Rick Nunes-Vaz**  
Defence Science & Technology Organisation, Australia

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1630-1700 AFTERNOON TEA & COFFEE

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1700-1800 SESSION FOUR: INTERNATIONAL DIMENSIONS OF TERRORISM

CHAIR: **Rear Admiral Richard Cobbold CB FRAeS**  
Director, RUSI

SPEAKERS: *'The UK's international terrorism policy'*  
**Mrs Mariot Leslie**  
Director Defence and Strategic Threats, Foreign & Commonwealth Office

*'How Europeans confront radical Islam: Comparing France and the UK'*  
**Mr. Jonathan Paris**  
Adjunct fellow, Hudson Institute. London-based Middle East and Islamic  
Movement analyst

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**THURSDAY 15 FEBRUARY**

0900-0925 REGISTRATION & COFFEE

0925-0930 ADMINISTRATIVE REMARKS

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0930-1115 **SESSION FIVE: POLICING TERRORISM**

CHAIR: **Dr. Jonathan Eyal**  
Director, International Security Studies, RUSI

KEYNOTE: *'The impetus for change: Police responses to terrorism'*  
**Assistant Commissioner Andy Hayman CBE**  
Chair of ACPO Terrorist and Allied Matters and Chair of the National Counter Terrorism (CT) Tasking and Coordinating Group

SPEAKERS: *'Intercepting Terrorism: Combining effectively, responding collectively'*  
**Mr. Denis O'Connor QPM CBE**  
Her Majesty's Inspector of Constabulary, HMIC

*'Community engagement and public accountability'*  
**Lord Harris of Haringey**  
Metropolitan Police Authority

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1115-1145 MORNING TEA & COFFEE

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1145-1300 **SESSION SIX: THE EFFECTS OF TERRORISM**

CHAIR: **Dr. Tobias Feakin**  
Head, Homeland Security Capabilities, Homeland Security & Resilience Department, RUSI

SPEAKERS: *'Modelling psycho-social resilience to terrorism in civil society and the military'*  
**Professor Anne Speckhard**  
Adjunct Associate Professor, Georgetown University Medical Center

*'Mediating the social and psychological impacts of terrorist attacks: The role of risk perception and risk communication'*  
**Dr. Brooke Rogers**  
Research Fellow, Centre for Risk Management, King's College, London

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1300-1400 LUNCH

1400-1600     **SESSION SEVEN: 'TERROR', GOVERNMENT & THE MEDIA**

CHAIR:         **Mr. Garry Hindle**

Head, Terrorism & International HSR, Homeland Security & Resilience  
Department, RUSI

SPEAKERS:    *'Politics and Counter-Terrorism Discourse: Challenges and Dangers'*

**Dr. Richard Jackson**

Senior Lecturer, University of Manchester

*'The measurement and analysis of resilience in civil and professional  
populations'*

**Professor Gino Verleye**

Department of Communication Studies, University of Gent

*'The impact of media representations'*

**Dr. Daud Abdullah**

Deputy Secretary General, Muslim Council of Britain

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1600            CONFERENCE CLOSE