Competing Visions for the Future of Combat Air

0830-0900: Registration, Coffee, Pastries

0900-0910: Welcome, Admin, Aims and Objectives:
Justin Bronk, Airpower Research Fellow, RUSI

0910-0940: Keynote Address:
Chair: Peter Roberts, Director, Military Sciences, RUSI
Speaker: Richard Berthon, Director Strategic Programmes, MoD
Future Combat Air within the Broader Equipment Programme

0940-1045: Spoilt for Choice? Options for the United States
Chair: Valerie Insinna, Air Warfare Reporter, Defense News
Speakers:
Mark Gunzinger, Director for Government Programs, Mitchell Institute
PCA/PEA: The Need for an F-22 Replacement?
Capt (ret) Brad Martin, RAND Corporation
Balancing the Fleet Air Wings to Fight Today, and Tomorrow

1045-1115: Coffee Break

1115-1230: Team Tempest and Beyond
Chair: Francis Tusa, Editor, Defence Analysis
Speakers:
Air Cdre Dan Storr, Head Combat Air Acquisition Programme, UK MoD
Mapping the Team Tempest requirement for the RAF
Gen. B.A. Andrea Di Pietro, Chief Planning Department, Italian Air Staff
An Italian view on Tempest conceptual framework and common capability requirements
Dr Julia Sutcliffe, Director, Air Labs and Chief Technologist, BAE Systems
Breaking the combat air development paradigm
Swedish Air Force Representative (TBC)
The Swedish Partnership with UK and Italian Combat Air

1230-1315: Lunch

1315-1430: FCAS/SCAF: From Political Roots to Operational Reality?
Chair: Douglas Barrie, Senior Fellow for Military Aerospace, IISS
Speakers:
Gen. Jean-Pascal Breton, Chargé de Projet SCAF, Armée de l’Air
Towards a Specification for SCAF
Ulrike E Franke, European Council on Foreign Relations
Discussing Modern Air Power in Germany
Col. Rupert Ficker-Reissing, ACOS Plans, Programs and Development, Luftwaffe
An Operational View of Luftwaffe Requirements
Bruno Fichefeux, Head of FCAS at Airbus Defence & Space
The Industrial Picture of SCAF/FCAS in Europe

1430-1450: Coffee Break

1450-1600: Next Generation Outside NATO
Chair: Peter Roberts, Director, Military Sciences, RUSI
Speakers:
Andreas Rupprecht, Author of Modern Chinese Warplanes
People’s Liberation Army Air Force Capability Growth
Ashizuka Osamu, Counsellor, Defence, Embassy of Japan
Japan Air Self Defence Forces future combat air requirements and developments
Justin Bronk, Airpower Research Fellow, RUSI
Russian Novel Air Systems