

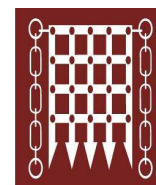
**Westminster eForum Keynote Seminar:
Protecting children and young people online: in the home, at school and across devices**

Timing: Morning, Tuesday, 8th December 2015

Venue: Sixty One Whitehall, London SW1A 2ET

Agenda subject to change

- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Sarah Champion MP, Shadow Minister for Preventing Abuse
- 9.05 - 9.15 **A safe online environment for young people - priorities and challenges**
Susie Hargreaves, Chief Executive, Internet Watch Foundation
- 9.15 - 9.25 **The view from industry - latest initiatives for protecting children online**
Charlotte Holloway, Head of Policy and Associate Director, techUK
- 9.25 - 9.45 **Online safety in schools: exploring the latest developments and best practice**
Kat Howard, Online Safety Education Consultant, RM Education
Will Gardner, Chief Executive Officer, Childnet International and Director, UK Safer Internet Centre
- 9.45 - 10.10 Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.10 - 10.50 **Emerging risks and the role of parents, teachers and community groups**
Following recent high profile radicalisation incidents, what will be the likely effects of Government's recently announced Counter-Extremism Strategy - and how should methods for tackling extremism differ in comparison with tackling traditional threats relating to unsuitable content and cyber-bullying? As young people spend ever-increasing amounts of time accessing internet based content - and with concerns that they are migrating to less-easily monitored sites such as Snapchat - what are the new challenges for parents, education professionals, community groups and others in protecting young people and equipping them to make the best choices in how they safely use social media and access content? How can parents in particular be encouraged to take a more active role in the home, and what should be the role of schools? As mobile use among young people continues to rise, how can risks be mitigated surrounding independent use outside the home and away from supervision, particularly the threat of aggressive bullying and grooming over social media platforms and messaging applications? How can young people be more effectively informed and engaged about the dangers associated with uploading personal information, illegal file-sharing and antisocial or dangerous activity via these mediums?
John Carr, Secretary, UK Council for Child Internet Safety (UKCCIS)
Vicki Shotbolt, Chief Executive Officer, The Parent Zone
Alan Wardle, Head of Policy and Public Affairs, NSPCC
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.50 - 10.55 **Chair's closing remarks**
Sarah Champion MP, Shadow Minister for Preventing Abuse
- 10.55 - 11.20 Coffee
- 11.20 - 11.25 **Chair's opening remarks**
John Carr, Secretary, UK Council for Child Internet Safety (UKCCIS)
- 11.25 - 11.35 **Trends in child internet use: everyday management, literacy and attitudes**
Alison Preston, Head of Media Literacy Research, Content, Consumer and External Affairs, Ofcom
- 11.35 - 11.45 **Online tools: How to better encourage engagement**
Adam Kinsley, Director of Policy, Sky
- 11.45 - 12.15 **Promoting online safety: technology, awareness and partnerships**
Bill Eyres, Head of Sustainability, Telefónica UK and Europe
Questions and comments from the floor with **Alison Preston**, Head of Media Literacy Research, Content, Consumer and External Affairs, Ofcom and **Adam Kinsley**, Director of Policy, Sky
- 12.15 - 12.55 **Filtering, age verification and innovation**
What innovations in technology and best practice will be significant going forward - and how fit for purpose is the way that the roles and responsibilities of online, social media, telecoms and other similar businesses are apportioned, incentivised and scrutinised in this area? Following the implementation of unavoidable choice filtering systems amongst all major ISPs, how can more progress be made to protect children from inappropriate content and what is the way forward for tailoring approaches for the range of available devices across differing networks? How effective are current age verification measures being implemented to control access to age-restricted content and what can be learned from initiatives regarded as successful, for instance in the gambling sector? With the European Commission's ongoing public consultation into renewing the Audio-Visual Media Services Directive, how might possible changes including applying broadcasting rules to OTT providers, help to improve the protection of children and young people?
David Miles, Director, Europe, Family Online Safety Institute
Carolyn Bunting, General Manager, Internet Matters
Jeremy Yates, Managing Director, Puppy Media
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster eForum closing remarks**
John Carr, Secretary, UK Council for Child Internet Safety (UKCCIS)
Daniel Patefield, Forum Lead, Westminster eForum



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