Westminster eForum policy conference:

Next steps for enhancing cyber resilience in the UK

Timing: Morning, Tuesday, 18th June 2024

Taking Place Online

Agenda subject to change

8.30 Registration



9.00 Chair's opening remarks

Dr Geraint Price, Senior Lecturer, Department of Information Security, Royal Holloway, University of London

9.05 The state of cybersecurity in the UK - key issues and developments

Dr Melanie Garson, Cyber & Tech Geopolitics Lead, Tony Blair Institute for Global Change Questions and comments from the floor

9.35 Tackling cybersecurity threats to the UK's critical national infrastructure

maximising resilience against threats | threat detection and identifying supply chain risk issues | response to cyber attacks | governance and best practice | tackling the skills gap | pathways into the cyber threat workforce | cyber literacy

Gareth Stinton, Cybersecurity Specialist, Toro Solutions

Dr Madeline Cheah, Senior Cybersecurity Consultant, Cambridge Consultants

Tristan Morgan, Managing Director, Cybersecurity, BT

Dr Srinivas Bhattiprolu, Global Head, Advanced Consulting Services & Pre-sales, Nokia Cloud and Network Services

10.00 The way forward for innovative uses of AI and emerging technologies to deal with threats

Professor John Goodacre, Challenge Director, Digital Security by Design, UK Research and Innovation

- 10.15 Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.45 Break

10.55 Priorities for strengthening cyber capabilities in the UK

Dr Claudia Natanson, Chair, Board of Trustees; and Interim CEO, UK Cyber Security Council Questions and comments from the floor

11.25 Support for investment and implementation of cybersecurity measures by organisations and individuals

building trust in technology and digitisation | supporting businesses and business leaders | opportunities for cybersecurity as an enabler of economic growth

Carla Baker, Senior Director, Public Policy UK & Ireland, Palo Alto Networks

Jessica Figueras, Co-Founder, CxB; and CEO, Pionen Chris Dimitriadis, Chief Global Strategy Officer, ISACA George Bathurst, Cyber Security Consultant, Bee.Net

11.55 Questions and comments from the floor

12.25 Options for the design, implementation and uptake of a Cyber Governance Code of Practice

Dr Simon Learmount, Professor, Corporate Governance, Judge Business School, University of Cambridge Questions and comments from the floor

12.55 Chair's and Westminster eForum closing remarks

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