

Westminster eForum policy conference
Next steps for UK cyber security - new government strategy, sector development, risk management priorities, and international collaboration

Timing: Morning, Monday, 13th September 2021

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- 8.30 Registration
- 9.00 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 9.05 **Developing the UK's Cyber Security Strategy - progress and next steps**
Erika Lewis, Director, Cyber Security and Digital Identity, Department for Culture, Media and Sport
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.35 Break
- 9.40 **Priorities for the Government's new cyber security strategy**

Taking forward the Telecoms Security Bill and the new cyber security strategy - and what they mean for the telecoms sector and network security going forward
Senior representative, telecoms

Sector development - key legal, regulatory and policy considerations, and building robust frameworks for growth
Philip James, Partner, Global Privacy and Cyber Security Group, Eversheds Sutherland

Supporting small businesses as part of the UK's cyber resilience
Olu Odeniyi, Board Director, Federation of Small Businesses

Sustaining a cyber-secure critical infrastructure
Professor Deepth Chana, Co-Director, Institute for Security Science and Technology

Main considerations for harmonising cyber regulatory policy with the financial services sector
Professor Laura Feldman, Barrister, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer, University of Oxford (Law Faculty and Cybersecurity Centre)

Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.50 **Chair's closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 10.55 Break
- 11.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 11.10 **Strategies for cooperation on a world stage - strengthening international partnerships, and promoting a free, open, peaceful, and secure cyberspace**
Dr Claudia Natanson, Chair, UK Cyber Security Council
- 11.20 **'Managing cyber risk and underpinning digital prosperity - key considerations for the public and private sector'**
Senior representative confirmed from **BT Group**
- 11.30 Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.40 **Facilitating a healthy cyber secure ecosystem in the UK - developing a coordinated approach to skills, supporting the development and adoption of emerging technology, and ensuring connected devices are secure by design**
Aleksander Gorkowienko, Senior Managing Consultant, Spirent Communications
Carla Baker, Senior Director, Government Affairs UK & Ireland, Palo Alto Networks
Professor Sadie Creese, Professor of Cyber Security, Department of Computer Science, University of Oxford
Ilyas Khan, Co-Founder and CEO, Cambridge Quantum Computing
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.25 Break
- 12.30 **'Improving the UK's cyber resilience in the face of emerging threats'**
Irfan Hemani, Deputy Director - Cyber Security, Department for Culture, Media and Sport
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 **Chair's and Westminster eForum closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
Michael Ryan, Deputy Editor, Westminster eForum