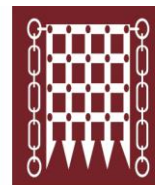


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- 8.30 Registration
- 9.00 **Chair's opening remarks**
Lord Inglewood, Chair, Cumbria Local Enterprise Partnership, Ex Chair of the House of Lords Communications Committee and Minister for Broadcasting 1995 - 1997
- 9.05 **Heritage, competition, relevance and sustainability - key issues for the future of UK media**
Professor Jean Seaton, Media History, University of Westminster; and Official Historian, BBC
Henry Williams, Strategy Consultant, Oliver & Ohlbaum Associates
Laurie Patten, Director of Strategy and Regulation, Arqiva
Victoria Gaskell, Partner, UK Media Team Leader, CMS
Colin Browne, Chairman, Voice of the Listener & Viewer
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.10 Break
- 10.15 **The BBC's role and direction, and the future regulatory framework**
Clare Sumner, Director, Policy, BBC
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.40 **Chair's closing remarks**
Lord Inglewood, Chair, Cumbria Local Enterprise Partnership, Ex Chair of the House of Lords Communications Committee and Minister for Broadcasting 1995 - 1997
- 10.45 Break
- 10.55 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 11.00 **The future of Channel 4**
Emily Davidson, Head of Policy and Public Affairs, Channel 4
- 11.10 **'The view from the indie sector - the impact of policy changes, and key priorities'**
Patrick Holland, CEO, Banijay UK
- 11.20 **Public service broadcasting in the wider media landscape - remits, content, relevance, and sustainability**
Magnus Brooke, Director, Policy and Regulatory Affairs, ITV
Vijay Umrao, Station Manager & Presenter, EAVA FM, Leicester
Mitchell Simmons, Vice President for Government Relations, Paramount
Benjamin King, Director of Public Policy, UK and Ireland, Netflix
Senior representative, national broadcaster
- 12.00 Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.30 Break
- 12.35 **Latest developments and next steps for UK media policy**
Senior representative, policy
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 **Chair's and Westminster Media Forum closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
Peter van Gelder, Director, Westminster Media Forum