

**Westminster Business Forum Keynote Seminar:
The future of UK aerospace following the Sector Deal - evolving markets, investment
and the future shape of the industry**

Timing: Morning, Wednesday, 3rd July 2019

Venue: Central London



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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 9.05 - 9.30 **The UK Aerospace Sector Deal - the next steps for government and industry collaboration**
Colin Smith, Chair, Aerospace Growth Partnership
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.30 - 10.05 **The landscape for aerospace - new technologies, changing demands and the UK in a global market**
Chris White, Director, Institute for Industrial Strategy, King's College London
Dr John Morlidge, Head of Aerospace, Innovate UK
Senior representative, industry body
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.05 - 11.00 **Developments in UK aerospace innovation - R&D, SME involvement and managing environmental impact**
Jeremy Ridyard, Managing Director, Produmax
Academic
Senior representative, trade body
Senior representative, environmental body
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.00 - 11.05 **Chair's closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 11.05 - 11.30 Coffee
- 11.30 - 11.35 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 11.35 - 12.30 **What will be needed to make the Sector Deal a success - skills development, diversity, and collaboration between industry, education and local government**
Senior representative, aerospace manufacturer
Senior representative, FE
Senior representative, LEP
Senior representative, diversity in the workplace
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.30 - 12.55 **The vision for UK aerospace**
Senior speaker to be confirmed
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Business Forum closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
Peter van Gelder, Director, Westminster Business Forum