

RUSI Modern Deterrence Spring Conference 2019:

Modern Deterrence: Defining Civilian, Political and Military Responsibilities

29 May 2019, Royal United Services Institute, 61 Whitehall, London SW1A 2ET

0930 - 1000 Registration and Refreshments

1000 - 1005 **Opening Remarks**

Speaker: **Professor Malcolm Chalmers**, Deputy Director General, Royal United Services Institute

1005 - 1030 **Opening Keynote**

Speaker: **Ruth Smeeth MP**, Member of the Defence Committee, House of Commons

1030 - 1200 **Session One: Policy**

Chair: **Elisabeth Braw**, Associate Fellow Modern Deterrence, RUSI

Speakers: **Angus Lapsley**, Director-General, Strategy and International, UK Ministry of Defence
Janis Karlsbergs, Deputy State Secretary and Policy Director, Latvian Ministry of Defence
Robertas Sapronas, Defence Policy Director, Ministry of National Defence Lithuania
Paul Williams, Senior Technical Advisor, Operational Risk and Resilience, Bank of England

1200 - 1300 Lunch

1300 - 1430 **Session Two: Planning and Exercises**

Chair: **Major General (ret) Mungo Melvin CB OBE**, Senior Associate Fellow, RUSI

Speakers: **Kevin Brown**, Managing Director, BT Security
Hans Jürg Käser, Director of the 2019 Security Network Exercise, Government of Switzerland
Kristina Syk, CEO, Straterno
Major General Mats Engman (ret), Director Exercise Evaluation, Swedish Total Defence Exercise 2020, Swedish Armed Forces

1430 - 1500 Refreshments

1500 - 1630 **Session Three: Crisis Response**

Chair: **Dr Emma Bradford**, Insider Threat Lead and Socio-Cyber Specialist, Frazer-Nash Consultancy

Speakers: **Colonel Joseph Tan**, Director Nexus, Singapore Ministry of Defence
Dave Atkinson, Founder and CEO, Senseon
Erik Brandsma, CEO, Jämtkraft; former Director-General, Swedish Energy Agency
Colonel Paddy Ginn, Deputy Assistant Chief of Staff – Standing Joint Commander (UK)
Andrew Hall MBE, Client Relationship Director, Willis Towers Watson

1630 - 1700 **Closing Keynote**

Axel Petri, Senior Vice President Group Security Governance, Deutsche Telekom
in conversation with **Ewan Lawson**, Senior Research Fellow, RUSI
Followed by closing remarks by **Dr Karin von Hippel**, Director-General, RUSI

1700 – 1800 **Drinks Reception**