

Day 1

June 25, 2019

- 09:45 **Chair Address**
09:45 - 09:50
Henry Rex - *Head of Public Sector*, techUK
- 09:50 **Panel: Bridging the public sector digital skills gap to support long term digital transformation**
09:50 - 10:30
Simon Leeming - *Head of the Digital Skills Partnership*, Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport
Paul Schagen - *Head of Operations*, GDS Academy
Debbie Brown - *Director of Service Reform*, Salford City Council
- 09:55 **Chair Address**
09:55 - 10:10
Benjamin Taylor - *Chief Executive*, Public Sector Transformation Academy
- 10:05 **Chair Address**
10:05 - 10:10
Lynda Rawsthorne - *Director Project Delivery*, Ministry of Justice
- Chair Address**
10:05 - 10:10
Graeme McDonald - *Managing Director*, Solace
- Chair Address**
10:05 - 10:10
Paul O'Brien - *Chief Executive*, Association for Public Service Excellence
- 10:10 **Panel: Building organisational resilience in your workforce & local community**
10:10 - 10:50
Graeme McDonald - *Managing Director*, Solace
Gavin Jones - *Chief Executive*, Essex County Council
Susan Parsonage - *Chief Executive*, Wokingham Council
- Keynote: Update from the Government Chief Property Officer**
10:10 - 10:30
Janet Young - *Government Chief Property Officer*, Cabinet Office
- Keynote: Creating the commercial Council - how Rushcliffe is managing risk and investing for the future**
10:10 - 10:45
Allen Graham - *Chief Executive*, Rushcliffe Borough Council
- Keynote: Growing the Governments commercial capability**
10:10 - 10:30
Gareth Rhys Williams - *Government Chief Commercial Officer & Non-Executive Director*, Cabinet Office
- 10:30 **Keynote: One Public Estate - Creating the conditions for collaboration**
10:30 - 10:50
Craig Eggestone - *National Programme Manager - One Public Estate*, Local Government Association
- 10:50 **Case Study: Optimising systems to support smarter procurement - a new framework from Crown Commercial Services**
10:50 - 11:10
- 10:55 **Case Study: A citizen-centric vision of future government**
10:55 - 11:25
Patrick Stephenson - *Client Managing Director - UK Central Government*, Fujitsu
- 11:15 **Case Study: The impact of IR35 reforms on Public Sector organisations**
11:15 - 11:35
Louise Rayner - *Founder*, NumberMill
- 11:35 **Panel: Understanding how to create and maintain a successful collaborative procurement partnership**
11:35 - 12:15
Nichola Cooke - *Assistant Director*, STAR Procurement
Michael Pace - *Managing Director*, NHS London Procurement Partnership
Will Laing - *Account Director*, Crown Commercial Service
- 11:50 **Panel: Maximising the value of data science to enhance public service delivery**
11:50
Neill Crump - *Chief Data Officer*, Worcestershire Office of Data Analytics - Worcestershire County Council
Sid Kalita - *Head of Data Innovation*, Food Standards Agency
Emma Presley - *Lead Data Scientist*, Department for Work & Pensions
Shaun Collings - *Regional Director*, Pure Storage

- 12:00** ■ **Panel: How to drive cost savings and transformation through shared services**
12:00 - 12:40
Tim Whelan - *Director of Service Delivery*, Lewes & Eastbourne District Council
Adrian Stockbridge - *Head of Strategy, Performance and Change*, Orbis Partnership
Cllr Peter Flemming - *Chair - Improvement & Innovation Board*, Local Government Association
- **Panel: Aligning organisational and human systems to maximise wellbeing and strengthen retention**
12:00 - 12:40
Marina Bolton - *Director of Organisation Development, Design and Learning*, Civil Service
Caroline Anderson - *Director of HR&OD*, Great Ormond Street Hospital
Suzanne Hudson - *Senior Workforce Adviser*, Local Government Association
- 12:10** ■ **Panel: Optimising work spaces to support smarter working**
12:10 - 12:50
Mark Williams - *Head of Commercial & Estates*, Crown Prosecution Service
Andy Read - *Head of Corporate HR*, Crown Prosecution Service
Paul Bulmer - *Head of Product*, KCOM
Imogen Farhan - *Researcher*, Reform
- 12:40** ■ **Case Study: How STAR's innovative flexible purchasing system transformed learning development and autism support services**
12:40 - 13:10
Nichola Cooke - *Assistant Director*, STAR Procurement
- 12:55** ■ **Case Study: Energising the future of London's energy landscape: London Energy Project's 10 year programme**
12:55 - 13:10
Barry Phelps - *Head of Procurement*, Haringey Council
Joe Baker - *Head of Carbon Management*, Haringey Council
- **Panel: A step by step approach to building the smart city - from aspiration to action**
12:55 - 13:35
Tony Sceales - *Sector Coordination Lead - 5G Programme*, Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport
Claire Caminade - *Commercial Product Lead 5G*, Digital Catapult
Andy Nash - *Head of Public Sector*, City Fibre
Breandan Knowlton - *Lead Technical Architect for Innovation*, Government Digital Service
- 13:05** ■ **Case Study: Local Industrial Strategies 'the Oxford-Cambridge Arc'**
13:05 - 13:50
Nigel Tipple - *Chief Executive*, Oxfordshire Local Enterprise Partnership
Richard Harrington - *Chief Executive*, Buckinghamshire Thames Valley Local Enterprise Partnership
- **Panel: What role HR plays when things go wrong**
13:05 - 13:50
Karen Grave - *President*, Public Services Peoples Managers' Association
- 13:10** ■ **Case Study: Delivering HR automation and AI to the Home Office**
13:10 - 13:30
Tom Holmes - *Founding Director*, Veran Performance
- 13:20** ■ **Panel: How to save money and maximise efficiencies through the right estate's procurement framework**
13:20 - 13:55
Samantha Ulyatt - *Commercial Director of Buildings*, Crown Commercial Service
- 13:35** ■ **Panel: Improving the delivery of high spend, complex and major projects**
13:35 - 14:15
David Levy - *Head of Supply Chain*, Waltham Forest
Barry Phelps - *Head of Procurement*, Haringey Council
Richard Skelton - *Procurement Service Manager*, ESPO
Martyn Taylor - *Deputy Director, Complex Transactions*, Cabinet Office
- 14:00** ■ **Case Study: The Future of PSN Connectivity and Cloud Hosting**
14:00 - 14:20
Stephen Jewell - *Director of Public Sector*, UKFast
Stuart McKean - *Chief Executive & Founder*, Nine23
- 14:15** ■ **Panel: How to embed commercial skills and thinking into public sector organisations**
14:15 - 15:00
Caroline Adlem - *Head of Traded and Commercial Development*, Essex County Council
David Crowe - *Strategic Director - Commercial Councils*, Local Partnerships
Mike Burton - *Editorial Director*, Municipal Journal
John Hubbard - *Director of Commercial & Innovation*, London Borough of Waltham Forest
- 14:25** ■ **Case Study: Making assets work: developing an asset and place strategy**
14:25 - 14:45
Catherine Illingworth - *Programme Director*, Surrey Council
Julian Wain - *Strategic Property Adviser*, Surrey Council
- 14:40** ■ **Panel: Developing contract management skills to support the delivery of social value**
14:40 - 15:30
Guy Battle - *Chief Executive*, Social Value Portal
Terry Brewer - *Executive Consultant*, Social Value Portal

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14:45 **Case Study: Enterprise Low-Code and the Future of Government Systems**

14:45 - 15:05

Jason Adolf - *Industry Vice President, Appian*

15:20 **Panel: Understanding your user when delivering accessible and inclusive digital services**

15:20 - 15:55

Ben Cheetham - *Head of Design & Technology, Ministry of Housing, Communities & Local Government*

Jason Kitcat - *Executive Director of Corporate Development (Digital Lead), Essex County Council*

James Marshall - *Service Lead - Customer Experience and Insight, Southampton City Council*

Day 2

June 26, 2019

- 09:45 **Chair Address**
09:45 - 09:50
Robin Knowles - *Founder & Chief Executive, Digital Leaders*
- 09:50 **Panel: The ethics of technology, managing risks against opportunity**
09:50 - 10:35
Nicola Graham - *President, Socitm*
Simon Daykin - *UK Chief Technology Officer, Leidos*
Paul Lodge - *Chief Data Officer, Department for Work & Pensions*
- 10:00 **Chair Address**
10:00 - 10:05
Karen Grave - *President, Public Services Peoples Managers' Association*
- Chair Address**
10:00 - 10:05
Mark Roberts - *Commercial Continuous Improvement Director, Government Commercial Function*
- 10:05 **Keynote: The link between leadership and sustainable productivity**
10:05 - 10:40
Kristina Murrin CBE - *Chief Executive, National Centre for Public Sector Leadership*
- Keynote: An update from the Crown Commercial Service's new chief executive**
10:05 - 10:20
Simon Tse - *Chief Executive, Crown Commercial Service*
- Chair Address**
10:05 - 10:10
- 10:10 **Keynote: Balancing the books - Northamptonshire's £165m challenge**
10:10 - 10:45
Theresa Grant - *Chief Executive, Northamptonshire County Council*
- 10:15 **Chair Address:**
10:15 - 10:20
Chris Moriarty - *Director of Insight, Institute of Workplace and Facilities Management*
- 10:20 **Keynote: Update from the new Chief Executive of the Government Property Agency**
10:20 - 10:35
Steven Boyd - *Chief Executive, Government Property Agency*
- 11:05 **Panel: Delivering smarter ways of working through smarter workplaces**
11:05 - 11:50
Martin Sellar - *Programmes Director, Government Property Agency*
Debbie Haines - *Head of Human Resources and Organisational Development, North Lincolnshire Council*
Nolan Bennet - *Programme Director, North Lincolnshire Council*
- 11:10 **Case Study: Knowsley Council - the benefits of adopting low code in local government**
11:10 - 11:30
Mark Perry - *IT Exploitation Manager, Knowsley Council*
Nick Hill - *Founder, Public Sector Digital Transformation Forum*
- Panel: Best practice approaches to delivering sustainable procurement**
11:10 - 11:55
Aaron Reid - *Head of Sustainable Procurement, Balfour Beatty*
Melissa Bell - *Sustainable Procurement Manager, YPO*
Rakhee Dave-Shah - *Head of Commissioning and Procurement, London Borough of Croydon*
Ben Carpenter - *Chief Executive, Social Value UK*
- 11:15 **Panel: Working cross sector to stimulate local economic growth**
11:15 - 12:00
Simon Jeffrey - *Policy Officer, Centre for Cities*
- 11:25 **Case Study: Insight from SPACES on the benefits of strategic cross sector co-location**
11:25 - 11:45
Chris Hodgson - *Director of Estates and Facilities & Chair of SPACES, East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust*
- 11:45 **Case Study: Lessons from embracing co-location cross government**
11:45 - 12:15
Mark Williams - *Head of Commercial & Estates, Crown Prosecution Service*

- 11:55 **The art of the possible - creating the digital mailroom**
11:55 - 12:15
Barry Meaden - *Head of Scanning Solutions*, Pitney Bowes
- Panel: Making sense of social value and how best to include it in commissioning & procurement**
11:55 - 12:35
Samantha Butler - *Senior Policy Advisor (commissioning, social value & social enterprises)*, Department for Digital, Culture, Media & Sport
Snowia Hussain - *Responsible Procurement Lead*, Westminster City Council
Michael Mousdale - *Partner*, BrownJacobson
Catherine Taylor - *Head of Member Value*, The Whitehall & Industry Group
- 12:15 **Case Study: Transforming leadership and culture within Westminster City Council**
12:15 - 12:35
Aruj Haider - *Head of Organisational Development*, Westminster City Council
Ross Toomer - *Managing Director*, TDP Development
- 12:35 **Panel: Maximising your procurement profile & engaging early with the supplier market**
12:35 - 13:20
Trevor Ingham - *Head of Procurement*, Liverpool City Council
Sonali Parekh - *Head of Policy*, Federation of Small Businesses
Peter Schofield - *Head of Integrated Commissioning and Procurement*, Manchester City Council
Martin Traynor OBE - *Small Business Crown Representative*, Cabinet Office
- 12:40 **Panel: Local authority property investment & regeneration - risk versus reward**
12:40 - 13:25
David Bentley - *Head of Asset Management*, Chartered Institute of Public Finance & Accountancy
Gerry Brough - *Director of Place*, Bolton Council
- Panel: Digital innovation in government**
12:40 - 13:20
Clive Richardson - *Head of Emerging Technology Strategy*, Government Digital Service
Sebastien Krier - *Policy Adviser*, Office for Artificial Intelligence
- 12:50 **Panel: Greening the public sector estate: sustainable energy**
12:50 - 13:35
Russell Bowden - *Leader & Executive Member, Corporate Finance & Property*, Warrington Borough Council
Richard McWilliams - *Innovation Director*, RE:FIT London
Cllr Jon Burke - *Executive Member for Energy, Sustainability and Community Services*, Hackney Council
Matthew Thomas - *Principal Programme and Policy Officer (Environment)*, Department for Business, Energy & Industrial Strategy
- 13:00 **Panel: Improving the health and well-being of the public sector workforce**
13:00 - 13:45
Deborah McKenzie - *Chief People Officer*, Public Health England
Magdalene Mbanefo-Obi - *National Lead/Head Health and Work*, Public Health England
Leatham Green - *Executive Director*, Public Services People Managers Association
Becky Thoseby - *Group Head of Wellbeing*, Department for Transport
- 13:45 **Case Study: The intelligent workplace journey at Oxford University**
13:45 - 14:05
Tim Rose - *Digital Learning Technologist*, University of Oxford - Said Business School
- 13:50 **How local government finances can be reengineered to deliver value for money**
13:50 - 14:20
- 14:05 **Tussell: Navigating the overcrowded framework market in the public sector**
14:05 - 14:25
Gus Tugendhat - *Founder*, Tussell
- 14:10 **Panel: The future of housing, the high street, and the role of placemaking**
14:10 - 14:55
Daisy Daventry - *Head of Local Levers Policy (Housing Diversification)*, Ministry of Housing, Communities & Local Government
Steve Faber - *Managing Director*, Herts Living
- Attract and retain the very best talent, even in uncertain times**
14:10 - 14:30
Paul Lomas - *Head of Sales*, ALD Automotive
- 14:30 **Case Study: Leveraging technology to transform the Isle of Man Central Registry**
14:30 - 14:50
Edward Clague - *Deputy Director*, Isle of Man Central Registry
- 14:45 **Keynote: Driving improvements across finance to support front line services**
14:45 - 15:05
Mike Driver - *Chief Financial Officer*, Ministry of Justice, Head of the Government Finance Function, HM Treasury
- 14:50 **Panel: Building Capability for a modern commercial function**
14:50 - 15:30
Nikki Bell - *Deputy Director for Scottish Procurement and Head of Procurement Policy Division*, Scottish Government
Marco Salzedo - *Director of Commercial Capability*, Government Commercial Function
Steven Sinclair - *Procurement & Commercial Director*, NEPO
- 14:55 **Developing confident communication skills for leaders**
14:55 - 15:20
Anne Walsh - *Communications Coach*, Understanding ModernGov

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15:15

Panel: Meeting demand for improved digital infrastructure - delivering the smart city

15:15 - 15:55

Dimitra Simeondou - *Director of the Smart Internet Lab & Head of the High-Performance Networks group, University of Bristol*

Robin Knowles - *Founder & Chief Executive, Digital Leaders*

Raj Mack - *Head of Digital Birmingham, Birmingham City Council*

Manish Jethwa - *Chief Product & Technology Officer, Yotta*