



**ICPEM Annual Conference
May 16th 2013, Kettering Conference Centre, UK**

We live in a complex and fast-changing world. Increasingly, constraints, particular those of a financial nature, are placed upon us.

Disruptive challenges, often of a more serious kind, have a greater impact on everyday life, and are becoming more difficult to plan for, manage and recover from. The Conference will attempt to look ahead at what is likely to cause disruption and chaos in the years ahead.

But, at the same time, we need to look at the past. Have we identified and learned from what has occurred in order to better prepare for and manage the future?

The speakers will identify difficulties that are likely to arise and suggest ways that some of these difficulties might be overcome.

The Conference is a must for all those whose organisations require them to anticipate when the wheel is likely to fall off, what will cause it to fall off and how, using lessons from the past, how they get it back on again in the shortest possible time with the least damage.



Programme

0845-0915 **Registration**

0915-0930 **Introduction by the Conference Chair, Jeff Little, OBE, FICPEM**

Chief Executive of the National Security Inspectorate and Chair of the Institute of Civil Protection and Emergency Management

Session 1 A National Perspective

0930-1000 **Helen Braithwaite, OBE**

Head of Resilience & Emergencies Division,
Department for Communities and Local Government.

1000-1030 **Air Vice Marshal Clive Bairsto, CBE, RAF Rtd**

Global Head of Resilience for the National Grid.

Title: A learning culture - leading the Phoenix.

1030-1045 Questions and discussion

1045-1115 Coffee and Exhibition

Session 2 An Emergency Services Perspective

1115-1145 **Roy Wilsher, OBE, BEng, MIFireE**

Director Community Protection, Hertfordshire
County Council & Chief Fire Officer,
Hertfordshire Fire & Rescue Service

1145-1215 **Commander Bob Broadhurst, QPM, FICPEM**

Former Head of Public Order & Operational Support, Metropolitan Police.

Title: Reflections from the past, preparing for black swans of the future.

1215-1230 Questions and discussion.

1230-1345 Lunch and Exhibition

Session 3 A BCM Perspective

1345-1425 **Charley Newnham, MSc, MBCI, MICPEM, ABCP**
Scott Hughes, MBCI, MBCS

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Title: The Relationship between BCM and Organisational Resilience



Session 4 An Academic Perspective

1425-1500 **Phil Wood**, MBE, MSc, CPP, PSP, CBCI,

Head of the Department of Security and Resilience,
Buckinghamshire New University.

Title: Resilient Thinking: Protecting Organisations in the 21st Century.

1500–1520 Tea and Exhibition

Session 5 A Media Perspective

1520-1600 **Nik Gowing**,

News Anchor, British Broadcasting Corporation

Title: Skyful of lies and black swans

Session 6 Resilience: A Closing Perspective

1600-1635 **Kevin Brear**, MSc, FICPEM, MBCI, MEPS

Vice President, JP Morgan
Chair, BSI Resilience Standards Committee

Title: The resilient organisation; are we searching for something that doesn't exist?

1635-1645 **Final remarks by the Conference Chair.**



DELEGATE RATES

Delegate fees are as follows:

All Fellows, Members and Associate Members of ICPEM	£60 + VAT = £ 72.00
All Student members of ICPEM	£30 + VAT = £ 36.00
Non-members *	
o Public sector	
o Military	
o Recognised academics	
o Recognised voluntary organisations & registered charities)	£110 + VAT = £132.00
Other non-members **	£130 + VAT = £156.00

Please note

* Non-members in this category will be required to produce some evidence of their status.

** SEISO and CSARN members can register with a 10% discount on this rate on production of evidence of membership of the relevant organisation.

The cost includes a delegate bag, buffet lunch, tea/coffee and an opportunity to visit over 60 trade stands.

To register, please go to www.lifeconnections.uk.com and click on registration.

CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

The aim of the conference is outlined at the top of the programme, By the end of the conference delegates will have:

- Identified some of the threats that could disrupt the UK and their organisations in future years;
- Been made aware of lessons from the past that will assist them in managing effectively those threats should they materialise; and
- Had an opportunity to learn from experienced practitioners.

Attendance at the Conference is worth 5 CPD hours. Certificates will be available/issued.

CONFERENCE DINNER

The Conference Dinner will take place in the Rutland Suite of the Kettering Park Hotel, Kettering Parkway, Kettering, NN15 6XT, on Wednesday, 15 May 2013, at 7.30 p.m. for 8 p.m. The cost of the three-course dinner is £30. All bookings, together with a cheque made out to ICPEM, should be sent to Bill Blake, 13 Amberley Close, Send, Surrey, GU23 7BX. Enquiries can be made at <mailto:bill.blake@icpem.net> or by telephone on 07831 530666.

ACCOMMODATION

Medipub, which is organising the Conference on our behalf, have negotiated preferential rates for those wishing to stay overnight at the Kettering Park Hotel. £80 for a single room; £55 per person for a double room, inclusive of VAT. Bookings should be made direct with the hotel, reservations@ketteringparkhotel.com, quoting the Medipub Code L11605 to obtain the preferential rate.

Alternative available accommodation can be obtained by going to www.lifeconnections.uk.com and clicking on Accommodation.