

# CYBERNI CONFERENCE

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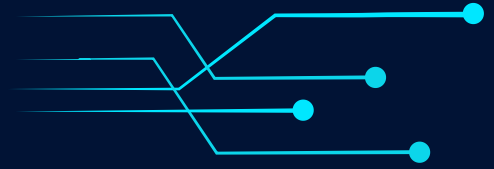


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# AGENDA



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**08:00**

**Exhibitor registration for stand setup**

**09:00**

**Delegate Registration / Networking / Visit Exhibition Stands**

**09:30**

**Welcome**

**09:40**

**Opening Address - NI Civil Service Senior**

**09:50**

**Combatting emerging threats on a global scale, strengthening public-private partnerships to build economy-wide resilience keynote**



**Senior NCSC Representative**

**10:20**

**Main Sponsor - BT: New Technology, New Threat; Strategies for Digital Resilience**

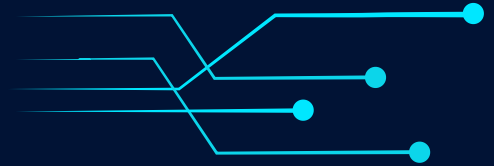
**Tristan Morgan, Managing Director Cyber Security, BT**



Tristan has a global responsibility to protect BT customers, bringing his knowledge and insight to support BT's customers, ensuring BT's services continually evolve with the threat landscape and new developments in cyber security technology.

Maintaining the digital resilience of your business has never been more critical in the complex and digitised environment we are in. In this session, Tristan will dive into some of the ideas around how businesses can best leverage new and emerging capabilities, while staying secure, and operational despite the best efforts of an increasingly dynamic risk landscape.

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**11:00**

**Refreshments / Networking / Visit Exhibition Stands**

**11:30**

**A Better Way: Putting outcomes ahead of technology**

**Greg Van Der Gaast, Cyber Expert**



Greg Van Der Gaast, infamous hacker turned undercover FBI operative turned security thought-leader focusing on business & people-centric approaches. Greg was once cited as one of the world's five most notorious hackers and worked undercover for the US FBI and DoD for three years after setting off an international incident by breaking into a nuclear weapons facility.

Greg will provide a broad look around why cyber security is falling behind and how proven concepts from other industries can help us reverse the tide.

**12:30**

**British Library Response to Cyber Attack: What Happened and What We Learned**

**Liz Jolly, Chief Librarian of The British Library**



As Chief Librarian Liz is responsible for teams delivering core activities such as collection management and development; services for researchers, learners, businesses and entrepreneurs; science and innovation; research strategy and digital scholarship; reading room services, document delivery, and the Library's online presence. Liz has over thirty years' experience in a variety of institutions in the UK university sector, most recently as Director of Student and Library Services at Teesside University.

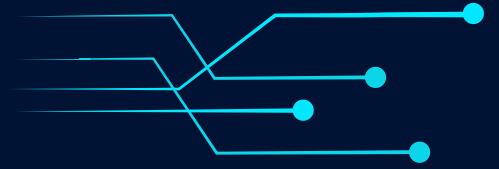
The British Library were subjected to a ransomware cyber attack in October 2023, the impact of which was deep and extensive. In this session Liz will provide an informative Insight on the library's incident response, challenges and lessons learned.

**13:00**

**Lunch / Networking / Visit Exhibition Stands**



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**14:00**

## **Hackers, Fraudsters and Money Launderers: The Underworld Nexus Keeping Cyber Criminals in Business**

**Geoff White, Investigative Journalist**



Geoff White is an author, speaker, investigative journalist and podcast creator. He has worked for the BBC, Audible, Penguin, Sky News, The Sunday Times and many more. In a career spanning 20 years he has covered everything from billion-dollar cyber heists to global money laundering rings and crypto-gangsters. His latest book, *Rinsed*, published in June 2024 revealed technology's impact on the world of money laundering.

Investigative journalist Geoff White (author of *The Lazarus Heist* and *Rinsed*) will delve into the incredible story of how North Korea's hackers allegedly raided a video game for more than half a billion dollars, laundering the money via cutting edge tech, and triggering a battle royale over privacy and freedom of speech.

**15:00**

## **UK Cyber Security Council - Overview of Council's role and progress - Cyber Security Skills**

**Dr Claudia Natanson MBE, Interim Chief Executive, UK Cyber Security Council (UKCSC)**

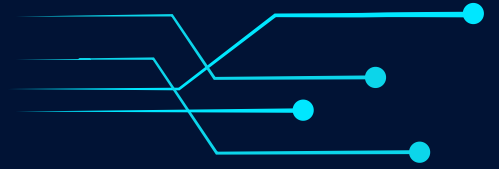


Dr Natanson works internationally across diverse industry sectors as a cyber and security consultant alongside areas such as digital transformation and enterprise risk management.

In 2021, the UKCSC placed the UK on the world map as the only country to oversee its cyber security profession. The Council is proud of the milestones it continues to meet through collaboration and thought leadership and creating more simple and diverse pathways for growing the cybersecurity profession.

In this session Dr Natanson will provide an insight into some of the work of the UKCSC, supporting it's mission of enhancing and expanding cyber skills, knowledge and profession at every level.

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**15:30**

**Cyber First Bursary Scheme – fill the skills gap in cyber security**



**NCSC representatives from CyberFirst & CyberFirst Bursary Graduate**

The CyberFirst Bursary Scheme is a student scheme inspired by the NCSC which aims to support and prepare undergraduates for a career in cyber security.

This session will outline the CyberFirst Bursary Scheme, benefits for students and Employers and highlight successes of the scheme.

**16:00**

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