

Mon 5th Sept 2022, 1900-2300

The Gascoigne Suite, [Union Jack Club](#) – pre-event drinks, finger buffet and networking. Plus, a talk by [Andy Taylor-White from The Inspiration Bureau](#)

Tues 6th Sept Conference Programme

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| 0830-0900 | Registration/tea & coffee |
| 0900-1030 | <p>Session 1 (Library)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cdr Graham Hockley LVO RN, MCG Chair welcome and opening • Keynote speech – Robert Courts, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State at the Department for Transport <p>Collaboration in a Time of Crisis: what worked well, what didn't, and what can we improve together?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Case studies/Panel discussion/Q&A <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Simon Grainge, Chief Executive, International Seafarers' Welfare & Assistance Network 2. Deborah Layde, Chief Executive, The Seafarers' Charity 3. Natalie Shaw, Director Employment Affairs, International Chamber of Shipping 4. Katie Higginbottom, Head of the International Transport Workers Federation Seafarers' Trust 5. Adrian Bell, Chief Executive, Royal Navy & Royal Marines Charity <p>Chaired by Helen Kelly (Director of Communications, Campaigns and Digital, Nautilus International)</p> |
| 1030-1045 | Comfort break + refreshments (Court Room) |
| 1045-1145 | <p>Session 2 – breakout sessions/workshops (rooms TBC)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communication in a Time of Crisis – advanced media training with Chris Jameson, Inside Edge Media Training |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ILO convention 190 - eliminating violence and harassment in the workplace – Becky Newdick, Founder and CEO, Safer Waves; Paula Edwards Women’s Veterans Lead & Tony Wright CEO, Forward Assist • Thriving with Digital – increase your charity’s resilience, income & influence – Zoe Amar, Zoe Amar Digital |
| 1145-1200 | Reconvene from breakout rooms into Library for session 3 |
| 1200-1300 | <p>Session 3 – Fast forward to 2032: what will high quality caseworking look like? (Library)</p> <p>Case studies/Panel discussion/Q&A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rob Bosshardt, Chief Executive, The Royal Naval Benevolent Trust • Julie McCarthy, Director of Volunteer Operations, SSAFA, the Armed Forces charity • Andrew Jones, Director of Welfare and Care, Nautilus Welfare Fund • Paul Gaffney, CEO, Defence Medical Welfare Services <p>Chaired by Stuart Rivers, Chief Executive Officer, Merchant Navy Welfare Board</p> |
| 1300-1345 | Lunch (Court Room) |

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| 1345-1415 | <p>Session 4 - (Library)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keynote speech – Stephanie Draper, Chief Executive, Bond |
| 1415-1515 | <p>Session 5 – But how do we know that? Maximise impact and build effective strategy using data and evidence (Library)</p> <p>Case studies/Panel discussion/Q&A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mike Burningham, Director of Research and Development, Royal Navy & Royal Marines Charity • Professor Matt Kiernan, The Northern Hub for Veterans and Military Families' Research, Northumbria University • Thomas McBarnet, Chief Executive (Acting), Forces in Mind Trust • Dr Sarah Cumbers, Director of Evidence and Insight, Lloyds Register Foundation <p>Chaired by Chris Jameson, Inside Edge Media Training</p> |
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| 1515-1530 | Comfort break + refreshments (Court Room) |
| 1530-1630 | <p>Session 6 – breakout sessions/workshops (rooms TBC)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communication in a Time of Crisis – advanced media training workshop with Chris Jameson, Inside Edge Media Training • Money Management & Financial Capability for Seafarers – Tina Barnes, Head of Impact, The Seafarers’ Charity and Sharon Coveney, Deputy Chief Executive, Merchant Navy Welfare Board • Current research into seafarers’ health and wellbeing and what next? Presentation, then Q&A - Chris Jameson, Inside Edge Media Training (Chair/Moderator); Dr Tim Carter, Trustee, Seafarers’ Hospital Society; Captain Kuba Szymanski, Chair, Seafarers’ Hospital Society; Neil Ellis, Research Associate, Seafarers’ International Research Centre, Cardiff University; Hazel Lewis, Seafarer Safety and Human Element Policy Manager, Maritime and Coastguard Agency. |
| 1630-1635 | Reconvene from breakout rooms into Library for session 7 |
| 1635-1730 | <p>Session 7 - Equality, Diversity & Inclusion – plans for action! (Library)</p> <p>Panel discussion and Q&A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sharon Coveney, Deputy Chief Executive, Merchant Navy Welfare Board • David Mosimabale, Operations Manager, Queen Victoria Seamen’s Rest • Jo Doheny, Impact Executive, The Seafarers’ Charity • Vikki Muir, Head of Charitable Giving, Trinity House <p>Chaired by Chris Jameson, Inside Edge Media Training</p> |
| 1730-1735 | <p>Summing up and conference closes (Library)</p> <p>Cdr Graham Hockley LVO RN, MCG Chair</p> |
| 1735-1830 | Drinks reception and networking (Court Room) |