

OPENING DAY: SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2020

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| 1:00p - 1:30p | CIPHER BRIEF THREAT CONFERENCE WELCOME
<i>Suzanne Kelly, CEO & Publisher, The Cipher Brief</i>
<i>Brad Christian, COO, The Cipher Brief</i> |
| 1:30p - 2:15p | THE EMERGING PUBLIC-PRIVATE SECTOR DYNAMIC
Susan M. Gordon, former Principal Deputy Director of National Intelligence
Introduction by Cipher Brief Expert Kristin Wood, former Deputy Director, Innovation & Technology Group, Open Source Center, CIA |
| 2:15p - 2:45p | TODAY'S TURBULENT TIMES: A GLOBAL VIEW
Sir John Scarlett, former Director, MI6
<i>moderated by Gordon Corera, Security Correspondent, BBC News</i> |
| 2:45p - 3:15p | THE CONGRESSIONAL VIEW ON NATIONAL SECURITY
with former Senator Saxby Chambliss
<i>moderated by Tish Long, Chairman, INSA</i> |
| 3:15p - 3:45p | DYNAMICS DRIVING THE MIDDLE EAST
Norm Roule, former National Intelligence Manager for Iran, ODNI
<i>moderated by Greg Myre, National Security Correspondent, NPR</i> |
| 3:45p - 4:15p | A EUROPEAN VIEW ON RUSSIA, CHINA AND THE COMPLICATED TURKISH DYNAMIC
Nick Fishwick, former Senior Member of the British Foreign Office
<i>moderated by David Sanger, National Security Correspondent, The New York Times</i> |
| 4:15p - 5:00p | A US PERSPECTIVE ON THE NEW WORLD POST-COVID
with Cipher Brief Expert General David Petraeus
<i>moderated by David Ignatius, Columnist and Associate Editor, The Washington Post</i> |
| 5:00 - 5:30p | CHINA AND THE NEW WORLD ORDER (OFF-THE-RECORD)
Major General Duncan Lewis (Ret), Former Director General of Security and Head of Australian Security Intelligence Organisation
<i>moderated by Suzanne Kelly, CEO & Publisher, The Cipher Brief</i> |
| 7:00p - 8:30p | THE CIPHER BRIEF TRIBUTE HONORING CHARLIE ALLEN |

DAY TWO: MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2020

- 9:00a – 9:45a** **ELECTION SECURITY & THE NEW CYBER HORIZON**
Christopher Krebs, Director, Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA), Department of Homeland Security
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- 9:45a – 10:30a** **HOW CYBER PLAYS IN THE BOARDROOM OF THE FUTURE**
Dmitri Alperovitch, Executive Chairman, Silverado Policy Accelerator & Co-Founder, CrowdStrike
Kelly Bissell, Global Managing Director, Accenture Security
Leslie Ireland, Board of Directors, Citigroup
moderated by Sue Gordon, former Principal Deputy Director of National Intelligence
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- 10:30a – 11:30a** **PRIVATE INVESTMENT IN THE FUTURE OF CYBER AND NATIONAL SECURITY**
Matt Olsen, Chief Security & Trust Officer, Uber
Matt Spence, Managing Director, Guggenheim Partners
Thomas Donahue, former Sr. Director for Cyber Operations, National Security Council
moderated by Dmitri Alperovitch, Executive Chairman, Silverado Policy Accelerator & Co-Founder, CrowdStrike
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- 11:30a – 12:00p** **THE EVOLUTION OF THE PUBLIC-PRIVATE CYBER RELATIONSHIP**
General Keith Alexander, former Director, NSA & Founder & Co-CEO, IronNet Cybersecurity
moderated by Jeanette Manfra, Global Director Security & Compliance, Google
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- 2:00p – 2:30p** **THE IMPLICATIONS OF AI ON FUTURE NATIONAL SECURITY**
Dr. Jason Matheny, Founding Director, Center for Security and Emerging Technology, Georgetown University & Former Director, IARPA
moderated by General David Petraeus
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- 2:30p – 3:15p** **INVESTING IN FUTURE NATIONAL SECURITY TECHNOLOGY**
Katie Gray, Partner, Investment Team, In-Q-Tel
Neill Sciarrone, former Special Assistant to the President and Senior Director of Cybersecurity Policy & Co-Founder, Trinity Cyber
Mike McGinley, Director, Defense Innovation Unit, Boston and Defense Engagement
moderated by Amit Yoran, Chairman and CEO Tenable
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- 3:15p – 3:30p** **DEMYSTIFYING HUNT AND UNDERSTANDING THE EASE OF EXPLOITATION: A LIVE-ACTION OP/ED**
John Harbaugh, COO, R9B
moderated by Suzanne Kelly, CEO & Publisher, The Cipher Brief

DAY TWO: MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2020 (Cont'd)

3:30p – 3:45p

FUTURE CHALLENGES FOR PRIVATE SECTOR CYBERSECURITY:

A LIVE-ACTION OP/ED

Tom Bossert, former Special Assistant to the President for Homeland Security and Counterterrorism & Chief Strategy Officer, Trinity Cyber

3:45p – 4:00p

OBSERVING THE OBSERVER IN THE OBSERVED SPACE:

A LIVE-ACTION OP/ED

Christopher Ahlberg, CEO, Recorded Future

4:15p – 4:30p

RUSSIAN DISINFORMATION CAMPAIGNS AND THE WEAPONIZATION OF SOCIAL MEDIA: A LIVE-ACTION OP/ED

Chris Costa, Executive Director, International Spy Museum & Advisory Board Member, Mission Solutions Group

4:30p – 5:00p

THE RISING COST OF DISINFORMATION

Glenn Gerstell, Former General Counsel, NSA

5:00p – 6:00p

AROUND THE WORLD: HOW THE FIVE EYES SEE FUTURE THREATS (OFF-THE-RECORD)

Sir John Scarlett, former Chief, MI-6

David Irvine, Chairman, Australia's Foreign Investment Review Board

John McLaughlin, former Acting Director, CIA

moderated by Suzanne Kelly, CEO & Publisher, The Cipher Brief

DAY THREE: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2020

- 9:00a – 9:05a** **WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION ON CHINA**
Rodney Faraon, Partner, Martin+Crumpton Group
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- 9:05a – 9:45a** **TOP U.S. NATIONAL SECURITY CHALLENGES POSED BY CHINA**
Bill Evanina, Director, National Counterintelligence and Security Center
John Demers, Assistant Attorney General, National Security Division, Department of Justice
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- 9:45a – 10:30a** **GETTING AWAY WITH MURDER: A LOOK AT RUSSIAN TACTICS AND STRATEGIES IN THE NEW WORLD**
Mike Sulick, Former Director, CIA National Clandestine Service
Mark Kelton, Former Deputy Director for Counterintelligence, CIA
Paul Kolbe, Director, The Intelligence Project, Harvard University's Belfer Center
moderated by Greg Myre, National Security Correspondent, NPR
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- 10:30a – 10:45a** **DELIVERING UNCOMPROMISED IN AN ERA OF NEAR-PEER CYBER CONFLICT: **A LIVE-ACTION OP/ED****
Dr. Tim Junio, CEO, Expanse
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- 10:45a – 11:15a** **CYBER INTELLIGENCE AND WHAT GOVERNMENTS DO WITH IT**
Tonya Ugoretz, Deputy Assistant Director, FBI's Cyber, Intelligence and Outreach Branch
moderated by Catherine Lotrionte, Founding Director, Institute for International Cyber Stability
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- 11:15a – 11:45a** **A BRIEFING ON DIA'S MISSION TO MARS: **A LIVE-ACTION BRIEF****
Greg Ryckman, Director for Analysis, Defense Intelligence Agency
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- 11:45a – 12:00p** **DEFEND FORWARD: MOVING TOWARD COORDINATED ACTIVE CYBER RESPONSE: **A LIVE-ACTION OP/ED****
Randy Sabett, Special Counsel, Cooley LLP
moderated by Patrick Gaul, Executive Director, National Technology Security Coalition
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- 12:00p – 12:10p** **CONFERENCE WRAP UP & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Sessions and speakers are subject to change. A final copy of the agenda will be distributed at check-in. Conference passes are not refundable but may be transferrable under certain conditions.*



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*Wednesday, September 30th.***

Wednesday, September 30 – 1:30p ET in conversation with Ambassador Joseph DeTrani

Wednesday, October 14 – 1:30p ET in conversation with Cipher Brief Expert Emile Nakhleh

Wednesday, October 28 – 1:30p ET in conversation with Cipher Brief Expert Sean Roche

Wednesday, November 11 – 1:30p ET in conversation with NYC CISO and head of NYC Cyber Command, Geoff Brown

Dates to be announced:

In conversation with Assistant Secretary of State for Intelligence and Research, Ellen McCarthy

In conversation with former NSA Deputy Director and Cipher Brief Expert Rick Ledgett

In conversation with Conrad Prince, former Director General for Operations and Deputy Director, GCHQ.

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