



National Conference on Societal Resilience

What worked? What didn't? Why? WwWdW?

10-11 March 2025, The University of Manchester, UK

Day 1 Programme, Whitworth Hall – 10 March 2025

10.30am	Registration opens and time for mingling
11.30 - 12.30	Networking early lunch
12.30 - 1.00	Conference opens and welcome
Session 1: What worked? What didn't? Why? <small>WwWdW?</small>	
1.00 - 2.00	The ingredients of a successful community resilience group Craig Scott , Brockham Emergency Response Team, Surrey
	The reason to be optimistic on societal resilience Rose Charlton-Peel , Hunts Forum of Voluntary Organisations, Cambridgeshire
	Partnering through the local resilience forum Ruth Stevens, Jenny Maskell, and Saoirse O'Neill , Cheshire Resilience Forum
2.00 - 2.30	Q&A and audience participation
2.30 - 3.00	Networking refreshment break
Session 2: Societal resilience under attack	
3.00 - 4.00	Activity: Major cyber attack in the future (Part 1)
	What can you do now to ensure appropriate societal responses to a major cyber attack in 2040?
4.00 - 4.10	Time to breathe
Session 3: Looking back and forward	
4.10 - 4.25	Lightning talks: What worked? What didn't? Why?
	- Leanne McMahon , Kent and Medway Resilience Forum
	- Steve Miller , Faith-based Regeneration Network UK
	- Michael Croymans , Netherlands
4.25 - 5.25	Rapporteur panel and Q&A
Conference Day 1 close	
5.25 - 5.30	Thanks and looking to tomorrow
5.30 - 7.00	Free time
7.00 - 10.30	Networking dinner (if pre-booked)

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