



**AuSec2020**

# *VIRTUAL* **6<sup>TH</sup> AUSTRALIAN SECURITY SUMMIT 2020**

Ensuring our Nation's security through multi-lateral collaborations in policy, strategy and execution

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**ONLINE**

Tuesday, 1 December | 9:00am - 1:45pm AEDT

Wednesday, 2 December | 9:00am - 1:45pm AEDT

Thursday, 3 December | 9:00am - 10:15am AEDT

# Overview

**Dear Colleague,**

Whilst the pandemic continues to affect Australians' way of life, threats to our national security also continue to rise: nefarious actions of rogue nation states, mounting evidence of foreign interference on our home soil, international political instability, emergence of new technologies and financial mechanisms that could support terrorism, and escalating pressures at our borders.

Robust security measures that neutralise eminent threat vectors can only be achieved through the coalescence of our capabilities and alignment of our efforts to improve border security, cyber security, safety in crowded places as well as policing and counter-terrorism initiatives.

Together, we must continue to identify the new and evolving areas of concern, assess the risk, and recalibrate our approach to effectively address those strong security concerns in our Country and our region.

**Join us at the Public Sector Network's 6th annual Australian Security Summit (AuSec2020): as leaders from all the relevant National, State and Local authorities, as well as stakeholders and specialists from industry and academia from across the globe as we address the challenges at the forefront of intelligence and security policy, strategy, operations and execution.**

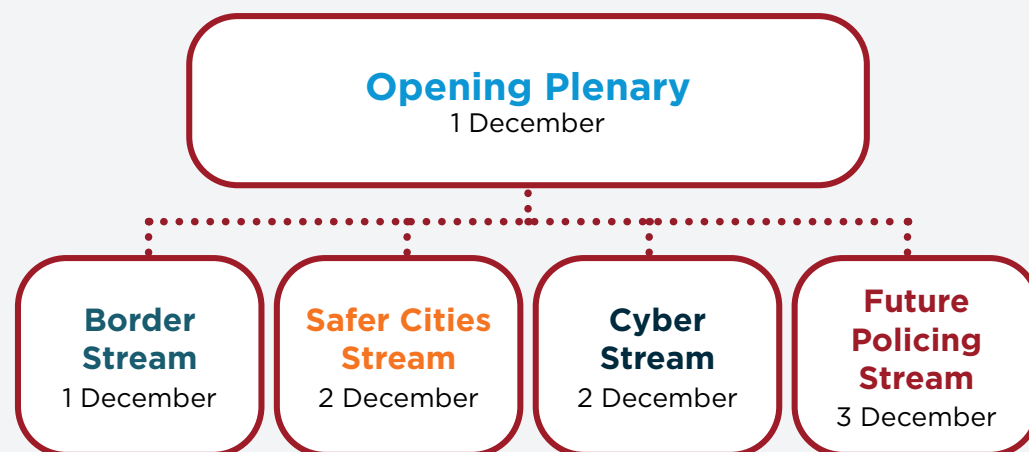
We look forward to welcoming you to our virtual gathering on **1st - 3rd of December 2020.**

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# Who Will Attend

**AuSec2020** will be attended by Government and individuals from industry tasked with ensuring the continued safety of Australia and its people; including officials and executives from national and state departments/agencies/commissions, councils, emergency services, policy makers, research agencies and institutes, as well as key infrastructure owners.

**Join us for a virtual experience over three big days.** Delegates will have the opportunity to attend the **Plenary session** on 1 December 2020 and **one of the four streams** throughout 1 - 3 December 2020.



# Opening Plenary

Tuesday, 1 December 2020

## Opening Plenary: Overview

Strategic planning can make a substantial improvement to security capabilities across sectors. By using interoperable systems guided by whole-of-government priorities, government agencies can establish micro and macro targets with a clear focus on providing outcomes to solve enduring problems.

Building a security strategy has become increasingly important for government agencies throughout the COVID-19 crisis. The pandemic has had unfathomable health and socio-economic implications globally, and has presented an array of new security risks for the public sector to tackle. The necessary digitisation of operations has increased cyber security risks, while conspiracists pedalling misinformation have theorised that the virus was a lab-made biological weapon. The spread of hate speech via online platforms has surged, with right-wing violent extremists falsely blaming minority groups for the spread of the virus.

In light of these emerging local and global security threats, how can government leverage strategic planning to inform decision making during and beyond the current crisis? The **Strategy Stream** aims to inspire more informed and efficient methods of planning, assisting public sector personnel to develop resilient security strategies in the aftermath of crisis.

The **Strategy Stream** is a must-attend for professionals responsible for departmental defence planning and program strategy, such as:

- CEOs
- CIOs
- COOs
- Heads of Divisions
- Strategic Planning
- Policy Design and Implementation
- Impact Measurement
- Benefits Realisation
- Outcomes and Strategy

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9.00am	<b>Opening from Chair</b> Yvonne Butler, General Manager Strategy and Governance, Noetic Group
9.15am	<b>Opening Keynote: Exploring the EU approach to countering terrorism and violent extremism in Europe and globally</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Addressing the nexus between terrorist speech, hate speech and disinformation in the midst of COVID-19</li><li>• Reviewing the EU's approach to extremism surrounding the pandemic, including cyber security risks, conspiracy, and biological warfare</li><li>• Establishing robust security strategies to ensure the current health and economic crisis does not become a security matter</li></ul> <b>Gilles De Kerchove</b> , Counter-Terrorism Coordinator, European Council
9.30am	<b>Partner Session: BMW Authority and Protection Vehicles – Adapting To Changing Needs</b> <b>Graham Cree</b> , Corporate Sales Manager – Government, BMW Group Australia
9.45am	<b>Panel Discussion: Mitigating threats to Australia: From prevention to prosecution</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Exploring how national security threats have evolved and even increased throughout the pandemic</li><li>• Reviewing the lifecycle of terrorism and how prosecution and policy can be leveraged in prevention and intervention, especially through 'general deterrence'</li><li>• Ensuring the security of Australian borders by advocating for an inter-departmental, integrated approach to countering foreign interference</li></ul> <b>Panel Facilitator: Peter Murphy</b> , Co-Founder, Noetic Group  <b>Kylie Rendina</b> , AC Operational Strategy and Coordination & A/g Deputy Commissioner Operational Strategy and Planning, Australian Border Force <b>Scott Bruckard</b> , Deputy Director, Organised Crime and Counter Terrorism, Commonwealth Director of Public Prosecutions
10.15am	<b>Closing remarks from Chair</b>



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# Border Stream

Tuesday, 1 December 2020

## Border Stream: Overview

While the pandemic continues to challenge governments' everyday operations, threats to Australia's national security are also on the rise. Vigilance is a necessity, now more than ever, as border security personnel are presented with a new array of national and international border security issues due to the current crisis. Stronger border security, locally and globally, is key to ensuring the safety of Australians, advancing national interest and combatting newly formed trade tensions.

The **Border Stream** focuses on ensuring the continued safety of our country through the efforts of our national, state and local law enforcement agencies who monitor the movement of people, cargo and modes of transport across land, water and air. Designed for senior border security experts, policy makers and industry representatives, the **Border Stream** will discuss how to combat the illegal movement of weapons, drugs, goods and people in consideration of the new and ever changing conditions presented by COVID-19.

Sharing global perspectives on the developing threats and exploring the latest technology being used to enhance border security internationally, this is a must attend event for professionals involved in:

- Border Security
- Airport Security
- Aviation Security
- Sea Port Security
- Maritime Security
- Anti-trafficking
- Civil Society
- Customs
- Cyber Security
- Immigration

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12.30pm	<b>Opening from Chair</b> Liana Dobson, Principal Consultant, Noetic Group
12.45pm	<b>Opening Keynote: Profiling, targeting and real time operational communication at airports to fight transitional crime and terrorism</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Acknowledging the complexity of airport operations in the new 'COVID normal'</li><li>• Mitigating new and emerging threats to border security, including opportunistic crime and biosecurity</li><li>• Leveraging real-time operational communication to provide timely and efficient means of intervention</li></ul> <b>Ian Munro, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) and Aircop</b>
1.00pm	<b>Panel Discussion: Key actions to modernise our approach to border security</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reviewing emerging tools and strategies that can be utilised in border security and governance</li><li>• Leveraging research in strategy, practice and planning</li><li>• Reviewing the biggest challenges in border security and enforcement, and brainstorming ways to overcome them</li></ul> <b>Panel Facilitator: Matt Graham, General Manager National Security, Noetic Group</b> <b>Phil Brezzo, Assistant Commissioner, Australian Border Force</b> <b>Dr John Coyne, Head of Border Security Program, Australian Strategic Policy Institute</b> <b>Joanne Wallis, Professor of International Security, University of Adelaide</b>
1.45pm	<b>Closing remarks from Chair</b>

# Safer Cities Stream

Wednesday, 2 December 2020

## Safer Cities Stream: Overview

In order to sustain our livelihoods in a new 'COVID-normal' world, we must protect the places where we congregate. As both country-wide and localised restrictions begin to ease, law enforcement must re-think policing approaches that are no longer suitable to the current health crisis. Innovative ways of identifying threats to public spaces are critical in ensuring that the Australian community has a peaceful transition into new ways of operating in the aftermath of crisis.

The **Safer Cities Stream** will explore emerging strategies to combat threats to public safety in consideration of the current conditions. In light of recent political protests and growing uncertainty among the community, law enforcement play a critical role in reintroducing the use of public spaces, which in turn helps advance greater community outcomes, including social cohesion, economic growth, and improved mobility and accessibility.

Designed for heads of Security, Safety and Risk, and Operations, the Safer Cities Stream has been carefully curated to assist:

- Major events
- Public safety and security
- Heads of emergency planning
- Surveillance
- Government agencies tasked with the security of Australia's infrastructure
- Local and City Councils
- Police
- Government infrastructure owners and operators including electricity, gas, water, transport and ports sectors
- Private infrastructure owners and operators including electricity, gas, water, transport and ports sectors

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**MATTHEW HOLLAMBY**  
Commander, Darwin & Road Policing, NT Police, Fire and Emergency Services

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9.00am	<b>Opening from Chair</b> Leanne Close, Head Counter Terrorism Program, Australian Strategic Policy Institute
9.15am	<b>Opening Keynote: Reviewing whole of government disaster management for COVID-19 response</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Addressing lessons learnt from previous public sector crisis response, and reviewing the maturity of collaboration</li><li>• Facilitating both 'horizontal' and 'vertical' interorganisational mechanisms to support collaboration, and prevent the duplication of effort and limit wasted resources</li><li>• Increasing the resilience of local communities and agencies by growing emergency management capabilities through the Spectrum of Collaboration</li></ul> Joanne Greenfield, Assistant Commissioner, Emergency Management and Community Capability, Queensland Fire and Emergency Services
9.30am	<b>Partner Session: Secure, resilient Broadband Networks are even more important today to build safer communities for our citizens.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• How has digital transformation changed during COVID-19? Are these changes here to stay?</li><li>• What are the technology options today and in the future?</li><li>• What are the key applications and use cases?</li></ul> Dr. Kenneth C. Budka, Senior Partner, Verticals at Bell Labs Consulting, Nokia
9.45am	<b>Panel Discussion: Key considerations for the creation of safer places</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Evaluating emerging risks to public safety due to the pandemic and associated socio-political movements</li><li>• Exploring how policing and governance bodies have developed innovative methods of policing under extreme circumstances</li><li>• Reviewing key factors in the successful governance of safer spaces</li></ul> <b>Panel Facilitator: Leanne Close</b> , Head Counter Terrorism Program, Australian Strategic Policy Institute  Darren Bark, Director, Strategic Priorities & Identity, NSW Police Force Carlene York, Commissioner, NSW State Emergency Services Matthew Hollamby, Commander, Darwin & Road Policing, NT Police, Fire and Emergency Services Dr. Kenneth C. Budka, Senior Partner, Verticals at Bell Labs Consulting, Nokia
10.15am	<b>Closing remarks from Chair</b>

# Cyber Stream

Wednesday, 2 December 2020

## Cyber Stream: Overview

Connectivity is essential, now more than ever. With work, education and civil services transitioning to a virtual form, the use of digital technologies is imperative for governments, businesses and citizens alike. Despite the convenience of these new ways of working, malicious attempts to access sensitive data has increased. With our economy becoming ever reliant on e-commerce and digital services, sustainable cyber security is essential in an age of enhanced connectivity.

Stronger cyber security also drives opportunities for innovation and growth within businesses and government. To be competitive, enterprises need to be online. To meet the expectations of citizens and stakeholders, governments must undergo digital transformation to achieve greater outcomes, more efficiently and economically. But the interconnectedness of our systems means that a cyber attack on an individual, business and government organisation has far reaching impacts. Any violations of our cybersecurity's integrity - no matter how small the infiltration, and regardless of intent - can lead to catastrophic damage to our systems, institutions and endanger lives.

The **Cyber Stream** is an essential session for those responsible for tackling cyber security challenges, such as:

- CEOs
- CIOs
- CISO
- CTO
- ICT Managers
- ITSAs
- ITSPs
- IRAP Assessors
- Researches
- Cyber Policy Advisers
- Risk Managers

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12.30pm	<b>Opening from Chair</b> Robert Di Pietro, Partner, PwC
12.45pm	<b>Opening Keynote: Responding to insider threat incidents</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Acknowledging an increased risk to cyber security due to forced digital transformation during the pandemic</li><li>• Creating secure IT ecosystems through comprehensive review and implementation strategies</li><li>• Ensuring the on-going security of government, business and citizen data</li></ul> <b>Inspector Clifford Clark</b> , IT Security Manager, Information Security, <b>New Zealand Police</b>
1.00pm	<b>Partner Session: Adapt to long-term remote work using adaptive access policies</b> <b>Teju Shyamsundar</b> , Group Product Marketing Manager, <b>Okta</b>
1.15pm	<b>Panel Discussion: Next-gen cyber security: The Challenges ahead and how Australia will address these</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reviewing new and emerging challenges in the cyber security space</li><li>• Leveraging 'soft' and 'hard' tools to mitigate risks to cyber security</li><li>• Building trust between citizens and government by implementing secure and transparent methods of data storage and usage</li></ul> <b>Panel Facilitator: Robert Di Pietro</b> , Partner, <b>PwC</b>  <b>Linda Cavanagh</b> , National Network Lead, <b>AustCyber</b> <b>Steve McCauley</b> , Assistant Director-General Technical Uplift -Australian Cyber Security Centre (ACSC), <b>Australian Signals Directorate</b> <b>Lachlan Colquhoun</b> , First Assistant Secretary, National Security Division, <b>Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet</b> <b>Trevor Van Essen</b> , Regional Sales Manager Enterprise, <b>Okta</b>
1.45pm	<b>Closing remarks from Chair</b>

# Future Policing Stream

Thursday, 3 December 2020

## Future Policing Stream: Overview

Throughout the COVID-19 crisis, the nature of law enforcement has undergone dramatic change. Policing bodies have been presented with an opportunity for technological transformation, but risk compromising their physical community presence in the process. In consideration of emerging limitations and risks, law enforcement bodies must work to turn information into actionable intelligence and facilitate greater citizen cooperation, engagement and trust.

Policing bodies often rely on innovation to balance the use of emerging digital technologies with their connection to (and presence within) the community. Digitisation can help to support new operational processes that assist processes of intervention and engagement and, in turn, keep society safe. The **Future Policing Stream** will help law enforcement professionals pioneer creative ideas, adapt to everchanging landscapes, and incorporate insights from across agencies to enrich the future of policing.

This is a must attend for police, counter-terrorism heads, health professionals, community leaders and partners who seek to:

- Proactively engage citizens in a two-way dialogue, through a range of contact channels, in a personalized and sustainable manner
- Empower through the right technology and training
- Optimise process, structures and partnerships with other public and private organisations to achieve better resource and asset management
- Employ sophisticated analytics methods to inform and access real-time intelligence
- Collaborate with national and cross-border network of police services, justice organisations, public, private, voluntary organisations, and citizens

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9.00am	<b>Opening from Chair</b> Michelle Todd, Principal Consultant, Noetic Group
9.15am	<b>Opening Keynote: Fostering innovation in law enforcement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Discovering emerging digital technologies that can assist in more efficient and future-focussed policing</li><li>• Reviewing research discoveries and product development undergone by the Interpol Innovation Centre</li><li>• Building a culture of innovation from 'grassroots' through to leadership within law enforcement</li></ul> <b>Anita Hazenberg</b> , Director, Interpol Innovation Centre
9.30am	<b>Panel Discussion: Mitigating the proliferation of exclusionary identities: Making society feel more included, heard and engaged</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reviewing innovative methods of citizen engagement to facilitate greater cooperation with law enforcement</li><li>• Establishing a positive police presence in marginalised communities</li><li>• Creating feedback loops between citizens and law enforcement to encourage continual improvement of governance</li></ul> <b>Panel Facilitator: Michael Ducie</b> , General Manager National, Noetic Group  <b>Jacinta Carroll</b> , Director National Security Policy, National Security College <b>Commander Liz McDonald</b> , Deputy Chief Police Officer, Capability and Community Safety, ACT Policing
10.15am	<b>Closing remarks from Chair</b>



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