

BREXIT: AN ACADEMIC CONFERENCE

Attlee Suite, Portcullis House, Houses of Parliament, London SW1A 0AA

Thursday 10 November, 9am – 12.30pm

Introduction

Now that the UK has voted to leave the EU what will happen next? When the UK Government starts to negotiate the withdrawal process, the current situation in a range of policy areas – from fisheries to foreign and security policy – is likely to change. What light can academics throw on the uncertainties? This conference brings together parliamentary researchers and academics to consider some of the key policy areas affected by the UK's decision to leave the EU.

The purpose of the day will be to discuss the effect of Brexit on different policy areas and help researchers and academics connect, network and share expertise and ideas.



Agenda

9.15 - 9.40: Registration, tea and coffee

9.40 – 9.45: Welcome on behalf of the UK Parliament from Patrick Vollmer, Director of Library Services, House of Lords

9.45 – 9.50: Welcome on behalf of Research Councils UK from Phil Sooben, Director for Policy and Research and Deputy Chief Executive, ESRC

9.50 – 10.00: Keynote from Professor Anand Menon, Professor of European Politics and Foreign Affairs, Kings College London and Director of the ESRC UK in a Changing Europe Initiative

10.00 – 12.00:

Main Attlee Suite: Research Council UK stalls

Attendees will be able to view stalls showcasing key Research Councils UK (RCUK) investments and opportunities for networking and discussion with academics and RCUK staff involved in these projects. See guide later in the programme for details.

Rooms S, T, Q and U: Discussion groups

Six parallel facilitated discussion groups on different policy areas will allow academics and parliamentary researchers to discuss issues in more depth. Please note that these are only open to attendees that have pre-registered for the discussion groups. See guide later in the programme for breakdown of groups and pre-registered participants.

12:10-12.20: Closing remarks from Penny Young, Librarian and Head of Participation, Research and Information at the House of Commons

12.30: Close





SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES

Patrick Vollmer

Patrick is Director of Library Services in the House of Lords. The Library provides impartial, authoritative, timely research and information services to Members of the House of Lords, their staff and the staff of the House. Patrick was previously Head of Research Services in the House of Lords from 2013 to 2015, where he was responsible for the delivery of research and information services.



Phil Sooben

Phil is Director for Policy and Resources, and Deputy Chief Executive. After an education at the Universities of Oxford and Warwick, Phil has been with ESRC since 1988. His current role entails oversight of all areas of Council business including corporate strategy and governance; financial and workforce planning; and cross-Council collaboration. He leads for ESRC on the What Works initiative and chairs the What Works in Crime Reduction funders group. He is also a member of the What Works advisory council, the governing board of the Public Policy Institute for Wales, the board for What Works Wellbeing and the Alliance for Useful Evidence funders group.





Professor Anand Menon

Anand is Professor of European Politics and Foreign Affairs, King's College London and Director of the ESRC UK in a Changing Europe initiative. Before coming to King's, Anand was Professor of West European Politics, and founding Director of the European Research Institute, at the University of Birmingham. Prior to that he was University Lecturer in European Politics and Fellow of St Antony's College, Oxford. He has held visiting positions at New York University, Columbia University and the Université libre de Bruxelles, among others. He is an associate fellow of Chatham House and Senior Associate Member of Nuffield College, Oxford. He is co-editor of the journal *West European Politics*.



Penny Young

Penny is the Librarian and Head of Participation, Research and Information at the House of Commons. Penny joined the House of Commons in 2015. She leads teams that include Education, Outreach and Engagement, Visitor Services and research services for MPs, the House of Commons Library and the Parliamentary Office of Science and Technology, information management, and information rights. Previous jobs have included running the social research agency NatCen Social Research, Head of Audiences at the BBC Trust, and Director of Research at the consumer campaigner Which? Penny believes that healthy democracies depend on timely, relevant, high-quality analysis and information presented accessibly; together with citizens who understand and care about the role of Parliament, trust their representatives, and who believe that getting involved would be worthwhile.





ATTLEE SUITE: RESEARCH COUNCIL UK STALLS

Stall and topic	Academics and Research Council staff
UK in a Changing Europe	<p>The UK in a Changing Europe initiative promotes rigorous, high-quality and independent research into the complex and ever-changing relationship between the UK and the EU. It is funded by the ESRC and based at King's College London.</p> <p>Professor Anand Menon, Professor of European Politics and Foreign Affairs Director at King's College London and Director of UK in a Changing Europe initiative.</p> <p>Phoebe Couzens, Centre Manager, UK in a Changing Europe initiative.</p> <p>Dr John-Paul Salter, Researcher, UK in a Changing Europe initiative.</p>
Trade relations and economic impacts	<p>Dr Angus Armstrong, Director of Macroeconomics, the National Institute of Economic and Social Research and Senior Fellow of the UK in a Changing Europe initiative.</p>
Employment	<p>Professor Catherine Barnard, Professor in European Union Law and Employment Law at the University of Cambridge, and senior tutor and Fellow of Trinity College. She is also a Senior Fellow of the UK in a Changing Europe initiative.</p>
Environment, Agriculture and Fisheries	<p>Dr Charlotte Burns, Senior Lecturer, Environment Department, University of York.</p>





	<p>Dr Mike Clare, NERC Knowledge Exchange Fellow, National Oceanography Centre.</p> <p>Dr Diana Feliciano, NERC Knowledge Exchange Fellow, Institute of Biological and Environmental Sciences, School of Biological Sciences, University of Aberdeen.</p> <p>Professor Wyn Grant, Professor of Politics, University of Warwick.</p> <p>Professor Andy Jordan, Theme Coordinator, Tyndall Centre, University of East Anglia.</p> <p>Dr Laura Vickers, NERC Knowledge Exchange Fellow in Horticulture, Crop Production and Agronomy, Harper Adams University.</p>
Energy and Climate Change	<p>Dr Alona Armstrong, Lancaster Environment Centre, Lancaster University.</p> <p>Dr Jess Davies, Lecturer, Pentland Centre for Sustainability in Business, Lancaster University and EPSRC Living with Environmental Change Early Change Fellowship holder.</p> <p>Professor Marian Scott, Professor of Environmental Statistics, University of Glasgow.</p> <p>Dr Raenne Miller, NERC Knowledge Exchange Fellow from the Scottish Association of Marine Science.</p> <p>Professor Jim Watson, Professor of Energy Policy at SPRU, University of Sussex and Research Director of the UK Energy Research Centre.</p> <p>Dr Mike Weston, Operations Manager, UK Energy Research Centre.</p> <p>Dr Jeanette Whitaker, NERC Knowledge Exchange Fellow from the Centre for Ecology & Hydrology.</p>
Migration	<p>Julie Cantalou, Public Policy Manager, University of Southampton.</p> <p>Professor Allan Findlay, ESRC Centre for Population Change, University of St Andrews.</p>





	<p>Professor Corrado Guiletti, Associate Professor, Department of Economics, University of Southampton.</p> <p>Professor Derek McGhee, Head of Social Sciences, University of Southampton.</p>
Immigration	<p>Jonathan Portes, Research Fellow at the National Institute of Economic and Social Research and Senior Fellow of the UK in a Changing Europe initiative.</p> <p>Dr Heather Rolfe, Associate Research Director at the National Institute of Economic and Social Research.</p>
Science and Research Funding	<p>Dr Helen Beadman, Head of Climate and Weather, NERC.</p> <p>Inga Benner, Deputy Director of the UK Research Office, the European office of the UK Research Councils.</p> <p>Dr Hannah Collins, Head of External Affairs, NERC.</p> <p>Vicki Crossley, Head of Society and Global Security, ESRC</p> <p>Dr Claire Devereux, Programme Manager International – Europe, STFC Rutherford Appleton Laboratory.</p> <p>Christina Miller, Director of the UK Research Office, the UK Research Councils’ European Office.</p> <p>Maraki Mikroudaki, Internal Communications and External Affairs Manager, NERC.</p> <p>Chloë Somers, Head of EU Strategic Planning and Co-ordination, Research Councils UK.</p> <p>Phil Sooben, Director for Policy and Research, ESRC.</p> <p>Susie Watts, Deputy Head of Communications, ESRC.</p>





<p>Foreign and Security policy</p>	<p>Dr Tristram Riley-Smith, Centre for Science and Policy, University of Cambridge, and External Champion to the RCUK Partnership for Conflict, Crime and Security programme.</p> <p>Professor Richard G. Whitman, Director of the Global Europe Centre, Professor of Politics and International Relations at the University of Kent and a Senior Fellow of the UK in a Changing Europe initiative.</p>
<p>Health (Health Data & Regulation and Health & Social Care)</p>	<p>Sophie Broster-James, Head of Public Affairs, MRC</p> <p>Katy Ingleby, Public Affairs and Policy Manager, MRC</p> <p>Rosa Parker, Corporate Information and Policy Manager, MRC</p> <p>Dr Rhos Walker, Head of Informatics Research, MRC</p>
<p>Outreach and Engagement (Universities Programme)</p>	<p>Naomi Saint, Head of Universities Programme</p> <p>Kate Anderson, Senior Universities Programme Officer</p> <p>Julia Cushion, Universities Programme Support Officer</p> <p>Find out how the Outreach and Engagement Universities Programme supports engagement between Parliament and the academic community and supports teaching and learning about Parliament through HE.</p>





ROOMS S, T, Q AND U: DISCUSSION GROUPS

Energy and Climate Change, Room U, 10-10.50am

Dr Aaron Goater, Parliamentary Office of Science and Technology (facilitator)

Will Miller, University of Cambridge, NERC-POST Fellow (note-taker)

Dr Joanna House, Cabot Institute, University of Bristol (academic discussant)

Dr Matthew Lockwood, School of Geography, University of Exeter (academic discussant)

Dr Despoina Mantzari, School of Law, University of Reading (academic discussant)

Dr Tim Rayner, School of Environmental Sciences, University of East Anglia (academic discussant)

Chloe Alexander, Parliamentary Researcher

Elena Ares, Climate Change and Energy Specialist, House of Commons Library

Andrew John Bocking, Senior Parliamentary Assistant

Sarah Boyd-Moss, House of Commons Library

Jim Camp, Health Select Committee

Chloe Corbyn, Environment and Transport Research Service

Richard Davis, Audit Manager NAO

Jeanne Delebarre, Science and Environment Section, House of Commons Library

Alistair Dillon, European Scrutiny Committee

David Hough, Science and Environment Section, House of Commons Library

Anne Mirkovic, Senior Caseworker

Charlotte Rogers-Washington, House of Commons Library





Environment, Agriculture and Fisheries, Room T, 10-10.50am

Dr Jonathan Wentworth, Parliamentary Office of Science and Technology (facilitator)

Jerome Mayaud, University of Oxford, NERC-POST Fellow (note-taker)

Professor Janet Dwyer, Countryside and Community Research Institute, University of Gloucestershire (academic discussant)

Professor Iain Fraser, School of Economics, University of Kent (academic discussant)

Professor Andrew Jordan, School of Environmental Sciences, University of East Anglia (academic discussant)

Professor Emeritus Brian Revell, Harper Adams University (academic discussant)

Dr Philip Rodgers, Lincoln International Business School, University of Lincoln (academic discussant)

Dr Apolline Roger, School of Law, University of Sheffield (academic discussant)

Jacqueline Baker, Science and Environment Section, House of Commons Library

Sarah Coe, Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Committee

Graeme Cook, SPICe, on secondment to Centre for Knowledge Exchange and Impact.

Emma Downing, Parliament and Constitution Centre

Julie Evans, European Scrutiny Committee

Gabrielle Garton Grimwood, Science and Environment Section, House of Commons Library

Thomas Glithero, Environmental Audit Committee

Elfyn Henderson, Research Service, National Assembly for Wales





Martin Leay, Parliamentary Research Service

Jennifer Mills, House of Lords EU Energy and Environment Sub-Committee

Danielle Nash, Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Committee

Edward Potton, Science and Environment Section, House of Commons Library

Sara Priestley, Science and Environment Section, House of Commons Library

Anwen Rees, Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Committee

Geraint Daniel Rennie, Parliamentary Research Service

Hannah Stewart, Legal Specialist, House of Commons

Foreign and Security Policy, Room Q, 10-10.50am

Dr Lydia Harriss, Parliamentary Office of Science and Technology (facilitator)

Cressida Auckland, University of Oxford, Nuffield Council on Bioethics-POST Fellow (note-taker)

Dr Edward Burke, Centre for European and International Studies Research/ Portsmouth Business School, University of Portsmouth (academic discussant)

Dr Michael Reynolds, Centre for Socio-Legal Studies, University of Oxford (academic discussant)

Dr Linda Risso, Institute of Historical Research, University of London (academic discussant)

Dr Anna Sergi, Department of Sociology, University of Essex (academic discussant)

Professor Richard Whitman, School of Politics and International Relations, University of Kent (academic discussant)

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Trade Relations and Economic Impact, Room S, 10-10.50am

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Dr Maria Garcia, Department of Politics, Languages & International Studies, University of Bath (academic discussant)

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Dr Susie Balderston, Sociology, Lancaster University (academic discussant)

Dr Stephanie Reynolds, Liverpool Law School, University of Liverpool (academic discussant)

Dr Michael Skey, Department of Social Sciences, Loughborough University (academic discussant)

Professor Madeleine Sumption, Migration Observatory, University of Oxford (academic discussant)

Anne Wesemann, Faculty of Business and Law, The Open University (academic discussant)

Professor Tim Wilson, Northumbria Law School, Northumbria University (academic discussant)

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Science and Research Funding, Room U, 11-11.50am

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Professor Jonathan Bamber, School of Geographical Sciences, University of Bristol (academic discussant)

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Professor Carole Mundell, Department of Physics, University of Bath (academic discussant)

Professor Paul Nightingale, Science Policy Research Unit, University of Sussex (academic discussant)

Professor Rick Rylance, Institute of English, School of Advanced Study, University of London (academic discussant)

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