

## **Meeting summary: 24 and 25 September 2014**

CST met at the Royal Academy of Engineering on 24 and 25 September 2014.

### **Attending**

Mark Walport  
Nancy Rothwell  
Philip Bond  
Keith Burnett  
Steve Cowley  
Anne Glover  
Julia Goodfellow  
Sarah Harper  
Dervilla Mitchell  
Fiona Murray  
Paul Nurse  
Colin Smith  
Chris Snowden  
Graham Spittle  
John Tooke

### **Guests**

Rt Hon Greg Clark MP  
Tom Bain, DECC  
Tom Counsell, DECC

### **Topics discussed**

CST discussed a range of issues relating to its ways of working and impact, including progress on its recent reports, its future work programme, and its communication strategy.

The Council was also given an update on progress with projects being taken forward by the Government Office for Science, as well as work since the last meeting by CST subgroups.

Sarah Harper gave a presentation on developments with the Foresight Future of Ageing Programme.

Tom Bain and Tom Counsell of DECC provided a demonstration of the Department's 2050 Global Calculator, an open source model of the world's energy, land and food systems to 2050, demonstrating the likely greenhouse gas emissions and associated impacts on climate change for various future energy use scenarios.

Dinner discussion with Greg Clark, the Minister for Science, focused on strategic issues in science and innovation.