



Meeting summary: 13 and 14 March 2019

Attended: Patrick Vallance, Nancy Rothwell, Philip Bond, Keith Burnett (Day 2), Suranga Chandratillake (Day 1), Ann Dowling, Anne Glover, Julia Goodfellow, Paul Golby, Robert Lechler, Ottoline Leyser, Max Lu, Dervilla Mitchell, Fiona Murray, Venki Ramakrishnan, Charles Roxburgh (Day 1), Jon Sell, Colin Smith, Nick Stern, Joyce Tait, Mark Walport.

Apologies: David Cannadine, Gareth Davies

Guests: Professor Phil Blythe and Toby Fountain (DfT)

Day 1

1. CST members discussed progress with current projects including developing advice on increasing R&D investment, diffusion of technology for productivity, systems engineering for financial stability, and science and technology for learning.
2. The Chair gave an update on the work of the Industrial Strategy Council.
3. CST members received an update from HM Treasury on the Spring Statement from the Chancellor and plans for a future Spending Review.
4. CST members received an update on UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) activities.

Day 2

5. CST members discussed options and priorities for future projects.
6. Professor Phil Blythe, Chief Scientific Adviser for the Department for Transport (DfT), gave an update on DfT's priorities and its science and technology activities.

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