

Connections UK purpose: to bring professional wargame practitioners together to share what we are doing and spread best practice

## Connections (UK) 3 - 4 September 2013 Programme

### Day 1: Tuesday 3 September 2013

Time	Event	Chair/Speakers	Remarks
0930 - 1000	Arrivals and coffee - Great Hall Foyer		
1000 - 1030	Introductions and Connections (UK) purpose	Professor Sir Rick Trainor Professor Phil Sabin/Graham Longley-Brown	KCL Principal
1030 - 1215	Topic 1: ' <i>Don't lecture; game!</i> ' <b>Using games for educational purposes</b>	Chair: Graham Longley-Brown Professor Phil Sabin (1) Col Uwe Heilmann (2)	Approx 30 minutes per speaker; 5 minute break; 45 minute Q&A
1215 - 1315	Lunch - Terrace		Buffet
1315 - 1530	Topic 2: <b>Using wargames for military purposes</b>	Chair: Dr Peter Perla Brian Train (1) Graham Longley-Brown/Jeremy Smith (2) Jim Wallman (3) Mike Lerner (4)	Approx 20 minutes per speaker; 5 minute break; 45 minute Q&A
1530 - 1730	<b>Games fair/networking</b>  See separate programme for full details (Arrigo Velicogna)  Drinks 1530 - Terrace	Col Uwe Heilmann (various) Professor Phil Sabin (various) Brian Train ( <i>Algeria, A Distant Plain</i> ) James King / Colin Marston (Dstl Wargaming/PSOM) Jeremy Smith/Graham Longley-Brown (Rapid Campaign Analysis Toolset) Maj Johan Elg (Boardgame Mech Battalion) Dr Uwe Dompke (ZETA: Effects Based Assessment Tool) Jim Wallman (chaotic decision making)	Demos and discussions of various games and simulations. Details to be promulgated separately
1730 - 1830	Key note address: ' <i>Once and Future Kriegsspiel.</i> '	Dr Peter Perla	
1830 - 1930	Supper - Chapters		Buffet
- 2359	Ongoing games fair		

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**Day 2: Wednesday 4 September 2013**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Chair/Speakers</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
0900 - 0930	Arrivals and coffee - Great Hall Foyer		
0930 - 1145	Topic 3: 'The fuzzy edges of wargaming'. <b>Exploring non-kinetic conflict dynamics</b>  Drinks 1145 - Great Hall Foyer	Chair: Howard Body Professor Rex Brynen (1) Dstl: Colin Marston (Peace Support Operations Model (PSOM) support to NATO ISAF Joint Command) (2) Maj Tom Mouat (3) David Hockaday (4)	Approx 20 minutes per speaker; 5 minute break; 45 minute Q&A
1200 - 1300	Topic 4: <b>Addressing the common faults of wargaming in the military</b>	Chair: General Andrew Sharpe Graham Longley-Brown (1) General Andrew Sharpe (2)	Approx 20 minutes per speaker; 5 minute break; 15 minute chaired discussion
1300 - 1400	Lunch - Terrace		Buffet
1400 - 1500	Topic 5: <b>Addressing the stigma and scepticism wargaming attracts</b>	Chair: Professor Phil Sabin Professor Phil Sabin	Introduction then chaired discussion
1515 - 1615	Topic 6: <b>The future of Connections (UK) and how to maintain the wargaming community</b>	Chair: Col Matthew B. Caffrey Jr USAF (ret) with: Professor Phil Sabin Graham Longley-Brown Maj Tom Mouat Jeremy Smith Mike Lerner	Introduction then chaired discussion
1615 - 1630	Closing remarks	Professor Phil Sabin and Graham Longley-Brown	