

# The Changing Face of Defence

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# Since we last met...

- Multi-national challenges to rapidly changing international landscape
  - Da'ish (ISIL)
  - International instability
  - Ebola crisis
  - Cyber threat
- On-going austerity
  - International trend of Defence Transformation
  - Increasing collaboration and mutual reliance



# UK/Canada

- Strong bilateral relationship
  - UK Canada Interoperability
  - Ebola (Op GRITLOCK)
- Scope for building on strong relationship



# UK/US

- Defence Trade Cooperation Treaty
- Close relationship across Defence
- Intelligence Sharing
- 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Tizard Mission



# UK/Australia

- Defence Transformation
  - Team Defence Australia
  - International Programmes
- AUMICE MOU



# Where do we go from here?

- 2% NATO commitment
- UK Strategic Defence and Security Review (SDSR) due end 2015
- Evolving international landscape
- Scope for greater international collaboration and building on strong relationships