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Global Underwater Hub is holding a defence-focused industry engagement event at its new south of England hub in Bristol. Offering and promoting opportunities for cross-sectoral collaboration across the underwater industry is a key part of the organisation's remit.

This member-only event provides a platform for industry and representatives of the US and UK naval services to meet and explore opportunities for working together. If your company has a technology or product which could be utilised by the navies to address a specific challenge or is currently in the early stages of developing new equipment and is seeking feedback on possible applications, then this event aims to offer insight and the opportunity for discussion with the relevant parties.

About London Tech Bridge

London Tech Bridge is a collaboration between the US Navy and Royal Navy to foster connectivity, agility and innovation under the broader ambition of Delivering Combined Sea power. It supports dialogue, joint investment and cooperative development between both navies as they endeavor to advance from interoperability to interchangeability. Both navies are interested in technology to make sailors and marines more efficient, more effective, happier and less burdened.

London Tech Bridge has five core focus areas for technology:

- Autonomous systems
- Maintenance and sustainment
- Workforce of the future
- Immersive technologies
- Novel power and energy

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09:30 **Registration**

10:00 **Welcome from Global Underwater Hub**

10:15 **London Tech Bridge Overview**

10:50 **Defence Innovation Overview**

11:20 **DIT UK Defence and Security Exports**

11:50 **Closing comments**

12:00 **Lunch and Networking**

13:00 **One to One Member Meetings With London Tech Bridge
Defence Primes Networking Session**

15:00 ***Event Close***

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Welcome from GUH



10:00

Andy Williamson

*Business Development Director
Global Underwater Hub*

London Tech Bridge Overview



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Jeffrey Brewer

*US Co-Director
London Tech Bridge*



Commander Daniel Weil, Royal Navy

*UK Co-Director
London Tech Bridge*

Defence Innovation Overview



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Mike Madden

*Regional Innovation Partner, Southwest England
Defence and Security Accelerator (DASA)*

DIT UK Defence and Security Exports

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Commander Peter Stanton-Brown

*Naval Advisor, Submarine and Underwater Battlespace
UK Defence & Security Exports*

Georgia Polley

*SME Engagement Project Manager
UK Defence & Security Exports*



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