

DEVELOPING THE PUBLIC SAFETY ECOSYSTEM

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We asked public safety leaders about the future of policing.

KATY BOURNE

SUSSEX POLICE AND CRIME COMMISIONER

There are many things that are impacting policing at the moment.

JAMES SLESSOR ACCENTURE

Part of that is policing in this digital age becoming increasingly preventative.

A number of key themes emerged...

1 The changing future police workforce

THEO VAN DER PLAS NETHERLANDS POLICE

The strategic thing is what kind of police officer do you want for the future.

JENNIFER EVANS PEEL REGIONAL POLICE, CANADA

How do we make sure our employees are geared and are resilient enough to work through all the challenges for policing.

THEO VAN DER PLAS NETHERLANDS POLICE

Will it be data scientists or will it be new police officers?

STEPHEN KAVANAGH ESSEX POLICE

The Bobby on the Beat has a place in policing, the social digital specialist has a place in policing.

GER DALY ACCENTURE

We need to appeal to a different set of people with different skills.

2 Data sharing and data platforms

TIM MORRIS

The real power I suspect is going to be with those that can use the data to best effect.

STEPHEN KAVANAGH ESSEX POLICE

The risk at the moment is too much data is disabling decision making.

DR VICTORIA HARRINGTON ESSEX CENTER FOR DATA ANALYTICS, UK

That is where big data analysis comes in – you can use multiple data sets, you can join the data sets.

JENNIFER EVANS PEEL REGIONAL POLICE, CANADA

Keep it safe, keep it secure and then to be able to share it when the need arises for policing efforts.

MATT HORNE NATIONAL CRIME AGENCY, UK

Dare to share, we can do a lot more sharing



than we do.

3 Multi-agency collaboration

DR VICTORIA HARRINGTON ESSEX CENTER FOR DATA ANALYTICS. UK

Ultimately it is about the relationships that you forge and the trust that you generate so people feel comfortable sharing data.

KATIE BOURNE SUSSEX POLICE AND CRIME COMMISIONER

And it is important that not just police forces share data more effectively with each other but that they share with partners locally as well.

MATT HORNE NATIONAL CRIME AGENCY, UK

We can do that within a legislative framework and we have to respect people's right to privacy.

JAMES SLESSOR ACCENTURE

There is always an issue around trust and security but I think public safety agencies are opening themselves up.

KATIE BOURNE SUSSEX POLICE AND CRIME COMMISIONER

So where you have a victim of domestic abuse we need all the partners around the table to share their data on that particular victim.

JAMES SLESSOR ACCENTURE

Sharing information more with a wide range of partners.

4 Radical ecosystems

JAMES SLESSOR ACCENTURE

The whole idea of partnerships evolving into ecosystems.

CARL SHARPE ACCENTURE

Rapidly engaging other industries whether it be academic institutions, organizations like ours or technology companies.

JENNIFER EVANS PEEL REGIONAL POLICE, CANADA

Collaboration is critically important for the success of any police service.

JAMES SLESSOR ACCENTURE

All with a common purpose of protecting the public.

CARL SHARPE ACCENTURE

And general to say – can you help us solve this problem?

TIM MORRIS INTERPOL

And I think that is only going to become more widespread especially as we get a grasp of more cyber enabled crimes.

CARL SHARPE ACCENTURE

Getting those partnerships in place allows you to quickly get the expertise you need and then be able to scale out as you need them.

Let's come together right now.

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