

Experts discuss the UK's RAS modernisation at Military Robotics and Autonomous Systems 2020

SMi Reports: Senior Representatives from the DE&S and DSTL, UK MoD are set to present at the rescheduled conference in London, this September.

LONDON, UNITED KINGDOM, May 26, 2020 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Recently, the Defence Science and Technology Laboratory (DSTL) announced the investment of £5milion for five brandnew autonomous land vehicle systems, as part of advancing the Ministry of Defence (MOD) Transformation Fund commitments for the British Army. This forms part of early de-risking work to increase the MOD's understanding of the capabilities and limitations of these systems in areas such as mobility, vulnerabilities and safety.



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In the article, the DSTL's Autonomy

Lead, Peter Stockel stated "These contracts are a demonstration of the continued commitment to progressing autonomous systems as innovative approaches for developing future Land force logistic capability..." *

With this in mind, <u>this year's conference</u> on the 2nd-3rd September 2020 in London, UK, will revolve around the British Army's five RAS priorities of situational awareness, lethality, manoeuvrability, survivability and sustainability, along with a dedicated panel discussion on UK RAS modernisation.

For those interested in attending, the last early bird discount of £300 is ending on 30th June. Register at http://www.robotics-autonomous.com/pr10

The 2020 programme features opening keynote briefings from the DSTL and DE&S MoD, such as:

Mr Peter Stockel, Fellow — Autonomous Systems & Innovation Autonomy Challenge Lead, DSTL will be presenting on 'Realising UK RAS Objectives through R&D' and will be discussing:

- -RAS and prototype warfare R&D innovation
- -DK progress and experiences in realising RAS-enabled tactical logistics
- -Making it real RAS challenges

Major Luke Wilson, Land Requirements Manager, Future Capabilities Group, DE&S MoD will be presenting on 'British Army Unmanned Ground Vehicle Development' and will be discussing:

- -Dnmanned Ground Vehicle mobility
- -Unmanned Ground Vehicle trade offs
- -Dptionally manned or optionally unmanned by design

The brochure including the full speaker line-up and programme details is available to download online at http://www.robotics-autonomous.com/pr10

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