

Executive Development Programme



*Developing Leadership and Strategy through
Globally Acknowledged Best Practice*

Can your senior team foresee future internal and external strategic challenges, both short and long term?

Are you confident that you have a team that ensures your business thrives while they continually manage multiple, conflicting and changing priorities?

Does your team have the range of skills and tools to be able to respond with the agility and responsiveness needed, whilst bringing your people with you?

We at UDSS provide world class strategy and leadership development expertise using proven military leaders and providers of unique, stimulating and long-lasting executive development programmes



So why the military?

- The UK Military has a wealth of experience in successful talent and leadership development and delivering leadership in the most complex, challenging and rapidly changing circumstances from the tactical to strategic level.
- The UK Military is acknowledged as world leaders in horizon scanning and exploring the future strategic context – a role it performs for all of HM Government.
- The UK Military already provides highly sought after strategy and strategic leadership courses for military, government and industrial leaders from over 55 nations.
- We will provide support tailored to your individual needs.
- We draw on both well proven theory and immense practical experience of what works.
- UDSS is not selling a product, but a relationship that delivers your winning edge.

The UDSS Team

- With the largest database of Service leavers, we draw from the very best of the UK's internationally recognised military leadership and strategy practitioners to specifically develop your leadership team.
- Our Executive Development Programme team is led by:
 - o **Director of Education** - UDSS, Vice Admiral Duncan Potts CB. Duncan is a former Director General of the Defence Academy of the UK.
 - o **Programme Lead** - Rear Admiral John Kingwell CBE. John is a former Head of the MOD's independent strategic think tank - leading the Global Strategic Trends Programme and Commandant of the prestigious Royal College of Defence Studies which focuses on strategy and strategic leadership.
 - o **Leadership Lead** - Major General Paul Nanson CB CBE. Paul is a former Commandant of the internationally renowned Royal Military Academy Sandhurst and the Director of Army Leadership.





What we can deliver for you

- An Executive Development Programme – a scalable programme able to support a corporate away day or to provide a full programme to prepare executives for future strategic roles.
- Team Strategy and Leadership Events – including UK based and overseas ‘Away Day(s)’ for senior executives to glean strategic lessons from historical case studies whilst team building away from the office.
- Assistance in Strategy development and production.
- Leadership in crisis.
- Through-career talent development and management.
- Operational logistics and operational planning



About UDSS

Universal Defence and Security Solutions Ltd ('UDSS') is a global consultancy with a unique business model. Our database of members includes 4* Officers to Warrant Officers across all domains including Land Sea, Air, Space and Mod Civil Service, not only from the UK but also from other NATO countries.

This gives us a unique and varied skill set to draw upon to meet your particular needs.

We provide not only executive development but also a wide range of defence and wider security advice, professional education, assistance, solutions and support around the world. Our support ranges across client needs from crisis management of short-term issues to long term strategic plans. UDSS 'future proofs' governments and business to reflect powerful, complex geo-political and market change.

Our Members have the skills of proven practitioners with a rich track record of delivering successful outcomes for the UK and other armed forces in peace and conflict. Many of our members have established successful careers in the private sector following their public service in defence and security. UDSS can supply from carefully selected individuals to large, fully formed teams in support of single events to long term commitments. UDSS enables clients to meet the leadership challenges they face today and tomorrow.

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