

## SMMT Open Forum Agenda

Tuesday 4 November 2014  
 Cranmore Park, Shirley, Solihull, West Midlands B90 4LF

Version 3

Time	Subject	Speaker
09:00 – 10:00	<b>Registration - networking and refreshments</b>	
10:00 – 10:10	<b>Welcome and Automotive Council Overview</b>	Mike Hawes, Chief Executive, SMMT
<b>Session 1</b>	<b>Automotive Council activities:</b>	
10:10 – 10:25	Automotive Investment Organisation opportunities update	Lawrence Davies, <i>Deputy CEO</i> , Automotive Investment Organisation.
10:25 – 10:40	Technology Group update	Jerry Hardcastle, <i>General Manager – Innovation and Performance Projects</i> , Nissan and AC Technology Group Chairman
10:40 – 10:55	Supply Chain Group update	Prof Jon King, <i>Manager, Research and Development</i> , Tata Steel
10:55 – 11:10	Business Environment and Skills Group update	Tony Walker, <i>Deputy Managing Director - Corporate, Production Control</i> , Toyota UK
11:10 – 11:20	Panel discussion	All (Mike Hawes facilitator)
11:20 – 11:50	<b>Coffee break and networking</b>	
<b>Session 2</b>	<b>Industry Outlook:</b>	
	OEM experience and supplier expectations:	
11:50 – 12:05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jaguar Land Rover</li> </ul>	Michael Mychajluk, <i>Purchasing Risk Manager</i> , Jaguar Land Rover
12:05-12:20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ford Motor Company</li> </ul>	James Thompson, <i>Purchasing Manager - Powertrain</i> , Ford Motor Company
12:20 – 12:35	UK Investment: A Cosworth case study	Kirsty Andrew, <i>Sales Director</i> , Cosworth
12:35 – 13:05	Autonomous driving and the connected car	Hugh Dickerson, <i>Head of Automotive</i> , Google
13:00 – 13:15	Panel discussion and closing remarks	All (Mike Hawes facilitator)
13:15 – 14:00	<b>Lunch and networking</b>	

<b>Breakout sessions (optional)</b>		
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<p><b>Session 3 – Breakout 1</b></p> <p>Funding support session  <b>14:00 – 15:00</b>  <i>Room to be confirmed</i></p> <p>Please <b>register</b> your interest in attending this session using the following link:</p> <p><a href="https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/funding-and-business-support-sessions-at-2pm-tickets-13198471985">https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/funding-and-business-support-sessions-at-2pm-tickets-13198471985</a></p> <p>or</p> <p>email <a href="mailto:supplychain@smt.co.uk">supplychain@smt.co.uk</a> detailing the session you want to attend.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tooling Loan Fund</li> <li>• An update on the national Advanced Manufacturing Supply Chain Initiative (AMSCI)</li> <li>• New Midlands based 'AMSCI type' fund</li>   <li>• Update on the Supply Chain Skills Fund</li> </ul>	<p>Stephen Hetherington,  <i>Investment Director</i>, Finance                      Birmingham</p> <p>Aiden Farrell, <i>Team Leader - Vocational Education Directorate</i>,                      Department for Business,                      Innovation and Skills</p>
<p><b>Session 3 – Breakout 2</b></p> <p>Session title to be confirmed  <b>14:00 – 15:00</b>  <i>Room to be confirmed</i></p>	<p>TBC</p>	<p>TBC</p>

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