

**Public Sector Foresight Network Meeting  
July 24, 2015**

**Hilton San Francisco Union Square Hotel**

8:30 **Welcome** – Amy Zalman, World Future Society, Clem Bezold and Nancy Donovan (PSFN)

**Introduction & Update on PSFN & Foresight**

- Today's Agenda & Objectives
- Participant introductions

9:00 **The State of Foresight in U.S. Federal Agencies** (90 minutes)

- Moderator: Nancy Donovan, U.S. Government Accountability Office
- Stephen Sanford, U.S. Government Accountability Office
- Joseph Moore, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs
- Eric Popiel, U.S. Coast Guard
- David Bengston, U.S. Forest Service
- Jason Stiles, U.S. Bureau of Prisons

10:30 Break

10:45 Small group discussion/networking on foresight needs and concerns

11:30 **Foresight in a Regulatory Agency** (30 minutes)  
Richard Dixon, Alberta Energy Regulator

12:00 Lunch – on your own

1:00 **Foresight, Complexity & Technological Change** (90 minutes)

**Improving Policy, Strategy & Decision-Making in a Complex World**  
Sheila Ronis, Walsh College

**Security Policy Challenges of Accelerating Technological Change**  
James Kadtko, Center for Technology and National Security Policy, NDU;  
School of Global Policy and Strategy, UC San Diego

**3D Printing: Opportunities, Challenges, and Policy Implications of Additive Manufacturing**  
Timothy Persons, U.S. Government Accountability Office

2:30 Reflections on Foresight and PSFN going forward

3:00 Session ends