



## **International Day of United Nations Peacekeepers** *“Threats, Challenges and Change”*

**A conference organised by the United Nations Association - Westminster  
and the Royal United Services Institute for Defence and Security Studies  
to be held at RUSI, Whitehall, London on Wednesday 1 June, 2005  
with assistance from the Global Conflict Prevention Pool**

### **Programme**

- 0930 Registration**
- 1000 Welcome: Michael Codner, Director of Military Sciences, RUSI  
Chairman: Rear Admiral Richard Cobbold CB FRAEs, Director RUSI**
- 1015 The Wilkinson Sword of Peace, 2003 Award Reports  
Introduction: David Wardrop, Chairman, United Nations Association, Westminster  
The Royal Navy: Captain Roger Robinson Brown ret, RFA Sir Galahad  
The Army: Major Michael Waymouth, 3<sup>rd</sup> Regiment, Royal Horse Artillery  
The Royal Air Force: Sqdn-Ldr Ian Cumming, RAF Lossiemouth  
Joint Services: Major Iain Stewart, Joint Services Explosive Ordnance Disposal Group**
- 1115 Coffee**
- 1140 Chairman: Rear Admiral Richard Cobbold CB FRAEs, Director RUSI  
The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Folke Bernadotte Lecture  
*The UN High Level Panel Report: implications for the military*  
General Satish Nambiar ret, Director, United Services Institute, India**
- 1220 Q & A**
- 1240 Session ends**
- 1250 Leave for Cenotaph, Whitehall**
- 1300 Wreath-laying Ceremony, Cenotaph**
- 1330 Lunch**
- 1415 Chairman: Professor James Gow, Dept of War Studies, Kings College London  
“Turning lessons learned into lessons shared”  
*The UN Peacekeeping Best Practice Unit; surely more than institutional memory*  
David Wardrop, Chairman, United Nations Association, Westminster**
- 1445 *The Challenges Project; the importance of co-operation and co-ordination  
on peace operations*  
Jonas Alberoth, Director General (acting), Folke Bernadotte Academy, Sweden**
- 1515 Commentary: Gp Capt Andrew Steele, Assistant Director Peace Support Operations,  
Joint Doctrine & Concepts Centre, Ministry of Defence**
- 1530 Tea**
- 1550 Chairman: Keith Hindell, Research Associate, Centre for International Studies, SOAS  
“Are we speaking the same language?”  
Panel: Jonas Alberoth, Professor James Gow, Gp Capt Andrew Steele**
- 1650 Summary David Wardrop**
- 1700 Conference ends**