

## CONFLICT - What has happened, what is happening and what is likely to happen in Ukraine?

**Tuesday, 27<sup>th</sup> June 2023 at 10.30 am on Zoom**

**Rear Admiral Dr Chris Parry CBE PhD** will review the Ukrainian and Russian military campaigns in Ukraine, highlight some of the salient lessons and forecast what the conflict might mean for the future of geopolitics and warfare. We are fortunate indeed, to have the opportunity of listening to a talk from such a knowledgeable military historian, as he sheds light on the current situation in Ukraine.



Chris read Modern History at Oxford, before embarking on a 36 year career in the Royal Navy. Among other things, he commanded the destroyer HMS GLOUCESTER, the Amphibious Assault ship HMS FEARLESS, the UK's Amphibious Task Group and the Maritime Warfare Centre. Whilst in the Falklands, he won a special award for the rescue of stranded SAS troops in a blizzard, from a glacier in South Georgia. He is an internationally recognised authority on strategic trends, the future of warfare and emerging technologies. He is also an active author and broadcaster, his latest book is entitled "Super Highway: Sea Power in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century".



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**Closing date for applications is Friday, 23<sup>rd</sup> June**

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