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### **Privacy, Prism and the Future of Personal Security**

Roderick Jones is a former member of Scotland Yard's Special Branch. During this time with Special Branch, Mr. Jones focused in international terrorism and the protection detail of a prominent British cabinet member. Roderick has designed, implemented and managed operational security strategies for some of the world's largest corporations and highest net worth individuals. Roderick has a master's degree in History from the University of Cambridge.

After re-locating to San Francisco he began a PhD program at UC Berkeley picking up on previous research conducted at London University on intelligence policy and systems. At the same time, he conducted consulting work for a start-up company based in Boston. In 2005 Roderick left UC Berkeley to help found Concentric Solutions, which is the primary provider of security and intelligence to a variety of innovative companies and individuals. In this role he has been able to design intelligence systems to fit into non-traditional needs and predict new threats, which is what drew him to examine a variety of new technologies and methodologies. This innovative work has led to a variety of consulting projects with the Department of Defense and Office of Director of National Intelligence within the United States.

Ongoing fallout from the exposure of the NSA's Prism program has highlighted an essential tension between the meteoric rise and constant adaptation of communications technology and expectations of personal privacy. By examining historical trends in technological advancements and its intersection with privacy and personal security, it becomes clear that a fundamental shift has been taking place in individual safety. As technology is ever more integral to daily functions and interactions, information becomes increasingly accessible – the implications of which cannot be ignored in the discussion of privacy and how it relates to personal security in the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

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500 California (at Montgomery) in San Francisco.

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