

## JANUARY 2021

The New Year offered exciting opportunities for UK politics. The end of the BREXIT transition coincided with assumption of the G7 Presidency and the beginning of an ambitious and world leading COVID vaccination programme.

Against this background we were delighted to launch The Decision Problem on 1st January, an energetic new community of liberal conservatives for a new generation of thought. Our goal is to make sure the people and ideas are in place to make the most of a window of opportunity for the UK.

### WE HAVE THREE MAIN AREAS OF FOCUS



To provide support and resources directly to the current generation of young Conservative MP.



Encouragement and support to the next generation of young Conservatives.



An integrated package of fresh policy proposals in a window of tremendous opportunity for the UK.

Our two Researchers, Alexandra and Clemmie, have already established a strong social media presence and have begun our outreach programme. This is central to our programme. We do not intend to produce lengthy academic treatises on areas of government policy.

Instead, we will be seeking contributions from our community of interest, stimulating thought and discussion rather than just publishing our own opinions. We think this is another part of our approach that makes us different.

Think of our approach as offering 'policy in a box', outlining new themes and initiatives to show that conservatism does not mean entrenched protection of established tropes. Already we have sketched out some fresh ideas about defence policy, taxation, and the re-location of Parliament. Periodically we will be diving more deeply into particular policy areas; big ideas in accessible form that can go on to become transformative policies.

Finally, let us assure you that we are not an alternative political movement. We value independent thought, however, and we will offer opinion and perspective within the fold of liberal conservative ideals.

If this appeals to you, please have a look at:

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