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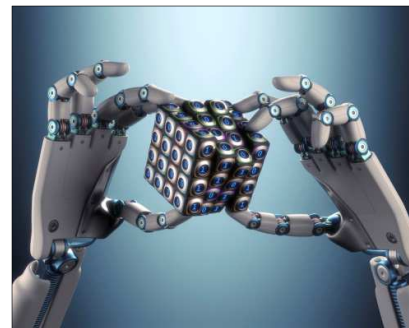
For more information or to get involved with any of our activities contact us at london.ventures@londoncouncils.gov.uk

Meet our Venture Partners

Over the next few months we are hosting a series of exclusive events with our Venture Partners to drive innovation across local government in London.

On **24 October** we are hosting **The Cornerstone Partnership's** virtual reality launch event so local authorities can experience, first-hand, a day in the life of a foster child and understand how embracing new technology can drive increased foster care capacity. We also have an exciting session for senior local government officers with our robotic process automation partner, **Blue Prism**, to share how automation can be deployed strategically across local government to drive significant efficiencies. Blue Prism have already seen productivity gains of up to seven times in local authorities. Come along to the roundtable on **31 October** to find out more.

To register for any of our events, or for more information on our venture partners, please contact:
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Collaborate to end homelessness



On Wednesday 20 September at 7pm, London Ventures are teaming up with the House of St Barnabas to tackle one of London's biggest challenges: temporary accommodation, housing, and homelessness.

Over the course of the evening, we'll be exploring ideas to tackle homelessness and asking for support from HoSB members and other attendees to make these a reality.

If you'd like to join us in our journey of transforming public services in London, please register by emailing:

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Our ambition to address homelessness, housing and temporary accommodation in London

Seven concepts to tackle homelessness, housing and temporary accommodation were selected for progression at our [Dragons Den](#) with our governance board in June. Over the summer, the London Ventures team have been busy developing our outline business cases for each concept to present to the Capital Ambition Board on 18 October.

We are already working with a number of London boroughs, including on our modular housing concept, one of our most transformative solutions in our targeted portfolio.

You can find out more about the journey here. If you would like to get involved with any of our concepts, we would love to hear from you.



Oxygen Finance Venture Spotlight

Our latest [Venture Spotlight](#) is now live!

[Oxygen Finance](#) is a world-leading early payment solution provider and the leading provider to the UK public sector.

Oxygen Finance are generating a significant new income stream for local authorities and the wider public sector, for example in one London borough Oxygen Finance's early payment solution is estimated to generate a £1.5m revenue stream from existing budgets over the next 5 years.

Oxygen Finance is a win-win for buyers and suppliers. The solution is fully contingent and uses a tried and tested approach and technology to support local authorities.

If you'd like to know more about how Oxygen Finance can support your local authority, please contact us at

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