



Welcome to the first edition of LV News!

We'll be keeping you updated with everything that's happening on the programme.



Thursday night's launch event was a great success...

...with a brilliant turnout from across the public, private, and third sectors. We were very excited to have such a diverse range of people and organisations in one room exploring how we can work effectively across boundaries and make a difference to our communities together.

Our inspiring speakers were united in the view that innovation has never been more important.

Over the course of the evening guests had the opportunity to talk to our Venture Partners and learn more about the solutions they are already delivering to improve outcomes for Londoners. For those of you who were unable to come on Thursday or would like a quick recap of what London Ventures is all about, watch our [new animation](#).

If you would like to connect with one of our Venture Partners, contact the [London Ventures inbox](#).

London Ventures targets Homelessness

Our targeted venture process aims to tackle some of the biggest strategic issues facing London local authorities. The first issue we are going to be looking at is homelessness, housing and temporary accommodation.

Get involved in the rest of our journey!

We are seeking input from partners, local authorities and investors to help us identify and develop a portfolio of innovative solutions to join our programme. If you...

- ... would like to participate in our first **Solution Hackathon on Monday 13th March** [register your interest here](#). The hackathon aims to generate new solutions for the growing issues of temporary accommodation, housing and homelessness in London.
- ... have an **idea or solution to contribute** to our strategic issue [submit it here](#)



New Venture Partners

We are pleased to announce that we have accepted six new venture partners on to the programme!

- Alcove
- Commonplace
- CommunityConnect
- Cornerstone
- MyCognition
- Whereitsat

Further information about these exciting additions to our portfolio will be released on our [website](#) over the next few weeks, so keep checking back to find out more.



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