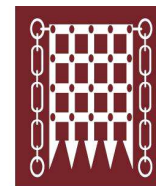


**Westminster Business Forum Keynote Seminar:
Developing the UK's night-time economy - expansion, responsibility and priorities**

Timing: Morning, Wednesday, 12th September 2018

Venue: Central London



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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 9.05 - 9.20 **The night-time economy - now and opportunities for the future**
Mike Kill, Chief Executive Officer, Night Time Industries Association
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.20 - 9.30 **London's night-time strategy - progress, priorities and what we have learnt**
Kate Nicholls, Chief Executive Officer, UK Hospitality and Chair, London Night Time Commission
- 9.30 - 10.20 **Strategies for growing the night-time economy - widening participation, coordinating the involvement of related sectors and opportunities across the UK**
What are the opportunities for regeneration presented to town centres by the night-time economy? What lessons about developing the night-time economy can be learnt from the experience of London in developing and implementing its strategy, and as other regions and cities develop and implement their own approaches? How can town centres best expand their night-time offering and how can stakeholders best work together to diversify both public participation and the organisations and attractions involved in the night-time economy?
Nick Stockman, Campaigns Manager, Culture24
Suzy Brain England, Chair, Sheffield BID
Jo Cox-Brown, Director, Night Time Economy
Jason Thorndycraft, Operations Director, The Deltic Group
Questions and comments from the floor with **Kate Nicholls**, Chief Executive Officer, UK Hospitality and Chair, London Night Time Commission
- 10.20 - 10.25 **Chair's closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 10.25 - 10.50 Coffee
- 10.50 - 10.55 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 10.55 - 11.20 **Learning from leading night-time economies internationally**
Senior speaker to be announced
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.20 - 11.30 **Vibrant and safe: responsibility and the night-time economy**
John Timothy, Chief Executive, Portman Group
- 11.30 - 12.25 **Managing the impact of the night-time economy - safety, crime, licensing and infrastructure**
David Donoghue, Chair, Spitalfields Neighbourhood Planning Forum
Lisa Lavia, Managing Director, Noise Abatement Society
Senior representative, local authority
Senior representative, emergency services
Senior representative, transport
Questions and comments from the floor with **John Timothy**, Chief Executive, Portman Group and senior speaker to be announced
- 12.25 - 12.55 **Next steps for supporting the night-time economy**
Rachel Fisher, Deputy Director, Regeneration and Infrastructure, Cities and Local Growth Unit, Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government
Senior speaker to be confirmed
Questions and the comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Business Forum closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
Peter van Gelder, Director, Westminster Business Forum