

Policy Forum for London keynote seminar
Policy priorities for securing London's economic recovery following COVID-19

Timing: Morning, Tuesday, 13th July 2021

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- 8.30 Registration
- 9.00 **Chair's opening remarks**
Chair to be announced
- 9.05 **The work of the London Recovery Board and priorities for supporting businesses, local authorities and Londoners as the Capital recovers from the pandemic**
Professor Tony Travers, Professor in Practice, Department of Government, London School of Economics and Political Science; and Member, London Recovery Board
Richard Burge, Chief Executive, London Chamber of Commerce and Industry; and Member, London Recovery Board
Allen Simpson, Acting Chief Executive Officer, London & Partners
Councillor Stephen Alambritis, London Borough of Merton
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.10 Break
- 10.15 **Supporting London's services sector as it adapts to the impact of Brexit, COVID-19, increased remote working, and changes in behaviour**
Sam Gurney, Regional Secretary, TUC London, East and South East
Senior representative, retail
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.45 **Chair's closing remarks**
Chair to be announced
- 10.50 Break
- 11.00 **Chair's opening remarks**
Chair to be announced
- 11.05 **The approach to transport provision - priorities for innovation and adapting to long-term customer trends**
Senior representative, transport
- 11.20 **Ensuring London has the infrastructure to support unlocking economic growth - the outlook for development post-pandemic, ensuring housing needs are met, competing on an international stage, and moving towards net-zero**
Alice Lester, Operational Director for Regeneration, Growth and Employment, Brent Council
Geeta Nanda, Chief Executive, MTVH and Chair, G15
Senior representative, legal
Senior representative, ports
Senior representative, environment
Questions and comments from the floor with senior representative, transport
- 12.20 Break
- 12.05 **Next steps for implementing the new London Plan, and its role in driving London's recovery**
Senior representative, policy
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 **Chair's and Policy Forum for London closing remarks**
Chair to be announced
Michael Ryan, Deputy Editor, Policy Forum for London