

CITY OF CULTURE: RE-STARTING THE NIGHTTIME ECONOMY



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[Cross River Partnership](#) (CRP) was joined by industry experts Amy Lamé, London's first ever [Night Czar](#), and Nic Durston, Chief Executive at [South Bank BID](#) for an informative discussion on London's cultural and creative industry recovery from the Covid-19 pandemic. They highlighted the history of London's iconic nightlife venues, the night-time sector's vital importance to local community cohesion, and the economic and environmental impacts that further restrictions will have on a local and

national scale. In addition, CRP Director - Susannah Wilks, gave an overview of the new [Centre for London](#) led research project, [Lighting London](#), which will explore opportunities around sustainability, equity, and well-being, and what role lighting can play in supporting cultural and economic vitality in urban centres.

For the full recording of the LiveShare, please see [here](#). For slides from the LiveShare, please see [here](#).

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“One word which stands out is partnership - this is crucial to our recovery. We see the strength of partnerships again and again, especially in a crisis.”

Amy Lamé – Greater London Authority

USEFUL RESOURCES FOR RE-STARTING THE NIGHT-TIME ECONOMY AND SUPPORTING A CITY OF CULTURE

LONDON LIGHTING AND NIGHTLIFE: REPORTS AND RESOURCES

London Night-time Commission 'Think Night:
London's Neighbourhoods from 6PM to 6AM':
https://www.london.gov.uk/sites/default/files/ntc_report_online.pdf

London Lighting Engineers Group (LoLEG):
<https://www.lotag.co.uk/loleg>

GLA Culture at Risk resources
<https://bit.ly/2YMBaED>

The Night-Time Industries Association website:
<https://www.ntia.co.uk/>

City of London Corporation – Smart City
Lighting Strategy: <https://news.cityoflondon.gov.uk/smart-city-lighting-strategy-launched-for-the-square-mile/>

For more information on London at night check
out the Greater London Authority (GLA) 2018
report: <https://www.london.gov.uk/sites/default/files/london-at-night-full-final.pdf>

Mayor of London's High Streets for All
report: https://www.london.gov.uk/sites/default/files/high_streets_for_all_report_web_final.pdf

£10.9bn lost in tourism expenditure in London
during pandemic - <https://bit.ly/35MFTNB>

COVID-19 ARTICLES OF INTEREST AND RECOVERY GUIDANCE

South Bank and Waterloo's Covid-19 Recover
Plan : https://230cb429-2676-406e-b39e-b4872b764b84.filesusr.com/ugd/613f49_c13410861a6f435b889ad776d5a6b8e9.pdf

Cities of light in times of Covid-19:
<https://www.luciassociation.org/cities-of-light-in-times-of-covid-19/>

Centre for Cities data on high street recovery:
<https://www.centreforcities.org/data/high-streets-recovery-tracker/>

The National Restaurant Association's Covid
response: <https://restaurant.org/covid19>

UK music support can be found here:
<https://www.ukmusic.org/covid-19/>

Air quality improvements on London's roads due
to COVID-19: <https://bit.ly/2ZB6XOd>

Pay it Forward programme:
<https://payitforward.london.gov.uk/>

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CRP RESOURCES

Art in the Public Realm:

https://crossriverpartnership.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/04/Art-in-Public-Realm_031018_proof_v2_lowres.pdf

CRP's COVID-19 support page:

<https://crossriverpartnership.org/covid19/>

Latest CRP publications:

<https://crossriverpartnership.org/publications/>

CRP's newsletter:

<https://crossriverpartnership.org/newsletter/>

PAST & PRESENT LIGHTING PROJECTS

Centre for London's Lighting London project ongoing until January 31st, 2021:

<https://www.centreforlondon.org/project/lighting-london/>

London's Illuminated River:

<https://illuminatedriver.london/>

CRP's Light at the End of the Tunnel (LET):

<https://crossriverpartnership.org/projects/light-at-the-end-of-the-tunnel/>

CRP's Lighting Consultation Event 2019 -

<https://crossriverpartnership.org/news/lighting-consultation-event/>

CURRENT CRP PROJECTS

Healthy Streets Everyday:

<https://crossriverpartnership.org/projects/healthy-streets-everyday/>

New HSE platform for initiatives:

<https://crossriverpartnership.org/healthy-streets-everyday/>

Clean Air Villages 3:

<https://crossriverpartnership.org/projects/clean-air-villages-3/>

EV Fleet-centred Local Energy System:

<https://crossriverpartnership.org/projects/ev-fleet-centred-local-energy-system/>

Central London Sub-Regional Transport Partnership:

<https://crossriverpartnership.org/projects/central-london-sub-regional-transport-partnership/>

Clean Air Thames:

<https://crossriverpartnership.org/projects/clean-air-thames/>

LIVESHARE SPEAKER RESOURCES

South Bank BID website:

<https://southbankbid.co.uk>

Culture at Risk resources:

<https://www.london.gov.uk/what-we-do/arts-and-culture/cultural-infrastructure-toolbox/culture-risk-resources>

HOLBA Cultural Strategy Report: <https://heartoflondonbid.london/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/HOLBA-Cultural-Strategy.pdf>

South Bank and Waterloo Neighbourhood

Development Plan: https://www.lambeth.gov.uk/sites/default/files/pl_South_Bank_and_Waterloo_Neighbourhood_Development_Plan.pdf

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HOSPITALITY INDUSTRY RESOURCES, FUNDING AND SUPPORT DOCUMENTS

Recent funding from the Arts Council:
<https://www.artscouncil.org.uk/funding>

Information on the Government's Culture Recovery Fund:
<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/257-million-to-save-1385-theatres-arts-venues-museums-and-cultural-organisations-across-england>

Association for Independent Professionals (IPSE):
<https://www.ipse.co.uk/>

UK Government Minister for Digital and Culture updates can be found here:
<https://www.gov.uk/government/ministers/minister-of-state-for-digital-and-culture>

Government outlines support for pubs, cafes and restaurants: <https://bit.ly/31wkh7E>

UK Hospitality support services:
<https://www.ukhospitality.org.uk/page/ukhsupportservices>

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Additional support for the theatre industry:
<https://theatresupport.info/>

British Institute of Innkeeping:
<https://www.bii.org/coronavirus-advice/>

Advice from the British Beer and Pub Association:
<https://beerandpub.com/policy/>

The latest museum, gallery and exhibition updates as they begin to reopen
<https://www.artfund.org/>

USEFUL NEWS ARTICLES AND OTHER RESOURCES

London restaurant spend topped 2019 before new restrictions:
<https://www.cityam.com/exclusive-london-restaurant-spend-topped-2019-before-new-restrictions/>

Air pollution linked with higher COVID-19 death rates – Harvard School of Public Health:
<https://www.hsph.harvard.edu/news/hsph-in-the-news/air-pollution-linked-with-higher-covid-19-death-rates/>

Advice for supporting the music industry from New Musical Express journal website:
<https://www.nme.com/blogs/how-to-save-live-music-write-mp-petition-music-venue-coronavirus-2768053>

FURTHER INFORMATION

This toolkit was created by Cross River Partnership - a non-profit and impartial partnership organisation that has been delivering positive change for London's residents, businesses and visitors for over 25 years.



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[Cross River Partnership YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/c/CrossRiverPartnership)

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