

The Future Functionality and Potential of London's Centres

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Today's Agenda

1. CRP:
Introduction and
Context

2. City of London
Corporation
Vision

3. Arup: CAZ
Economic Future
Research

4. CRP: Roles for
London's
Centres

Have your say:
Q/A session after each
presentation



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Introduction and Context

Susannah Wilks, CRP



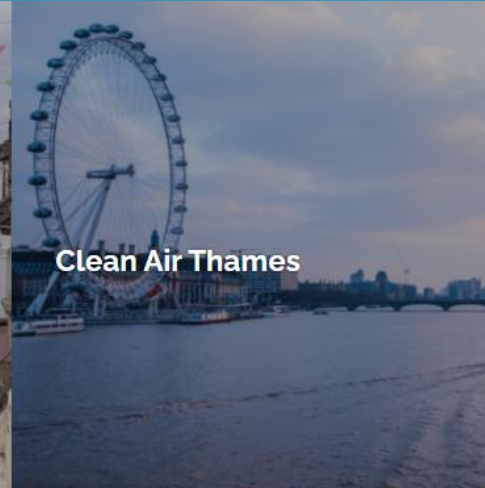
CRP Projects



Clean Air Villages 3



Healthy Streets Everyday



Clean Air Thames



Central London Sub-Regional Transport Partnership



EV Fleet-Centred Local Energy System (EFLES)



Creative and Digital Industries



Chelsea 2030 – Cadogan 10-Year Stewardship Strategy



Lighting London Sustainably

Our Vision

People

Work with engaged people, connecting stakeholders to successfully collaborate and deliver

Places

Deliver great places, sharing best practice whilst ensuring all businesses are supported to grow sustainably

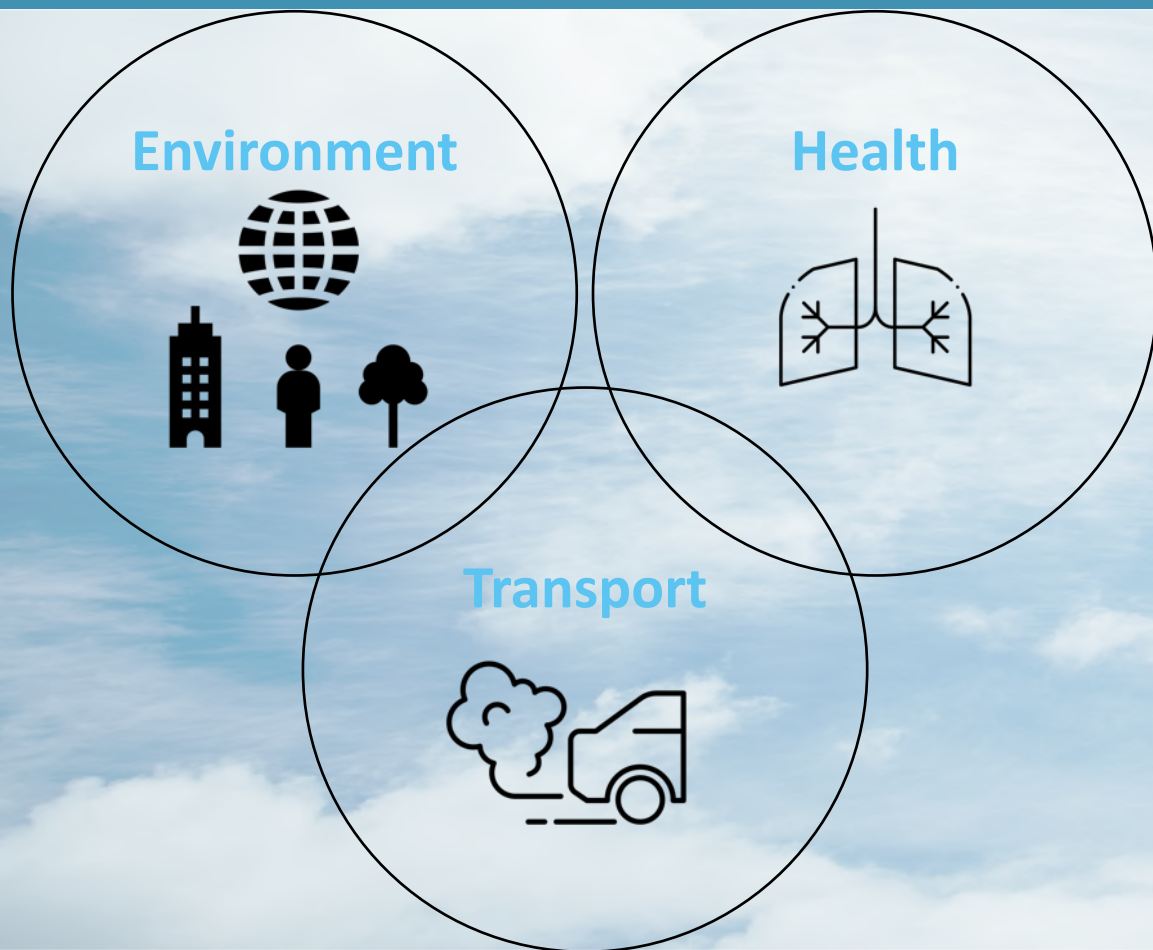
Projects

Deliver innovative projects for partners encouraging businesses to shift from incremental to permanent change, whilst inspiring others to do more at pace



Working towards sustainable businesses and improving air quality.

The Imperative for Improving Air Quality



“You could pick any city in the world and expect to see an effect of air pollution on people’s risk of getting sicker from coronavirus”.

Aaron Bernstein, Director of the Center for Climate, Health, and Global Environment at Harvard University.

“Dirty air is preventing people of colour, in low-income communities in particular, from being able to have a fighting chance against this pandemic”.

Gina McCarthy, president of the Natural Resources Defence Council, US.

City of London Corporation Vision

Alastair Michael Moss, City of London Corporation



Matthew Dillon, Arup

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We shape a better world

CAZ Economic Futures Research

CROSS RIVER PARTNERSHIP LIVE SHARE EVENT

17th December 2020

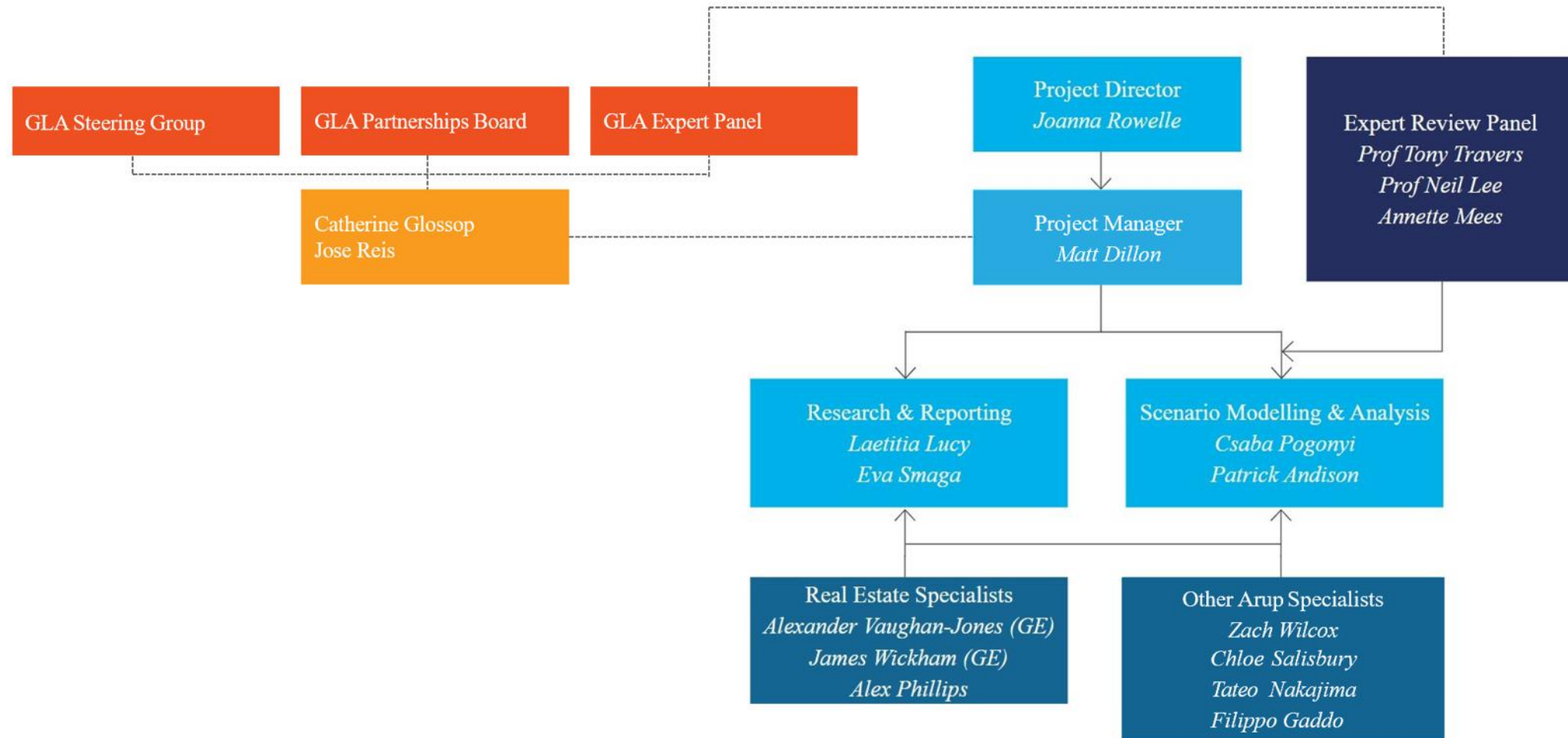


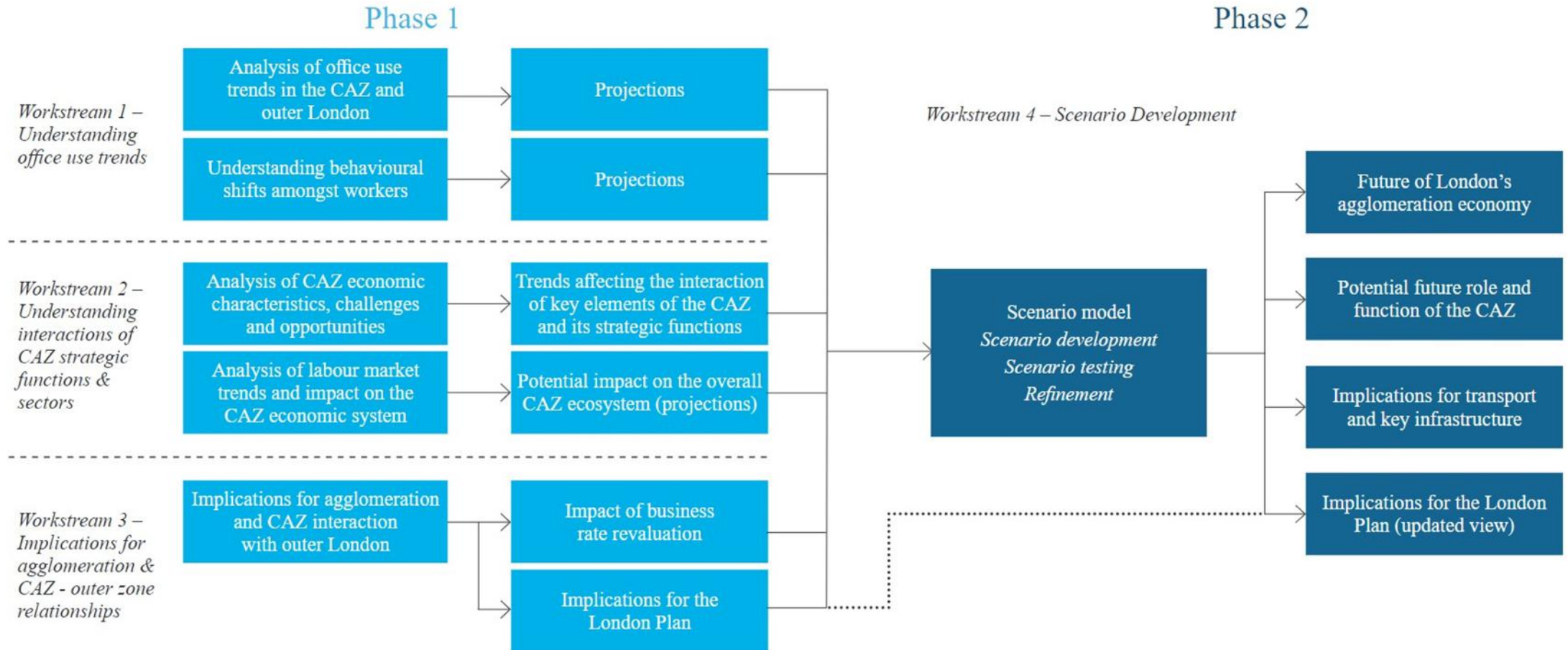
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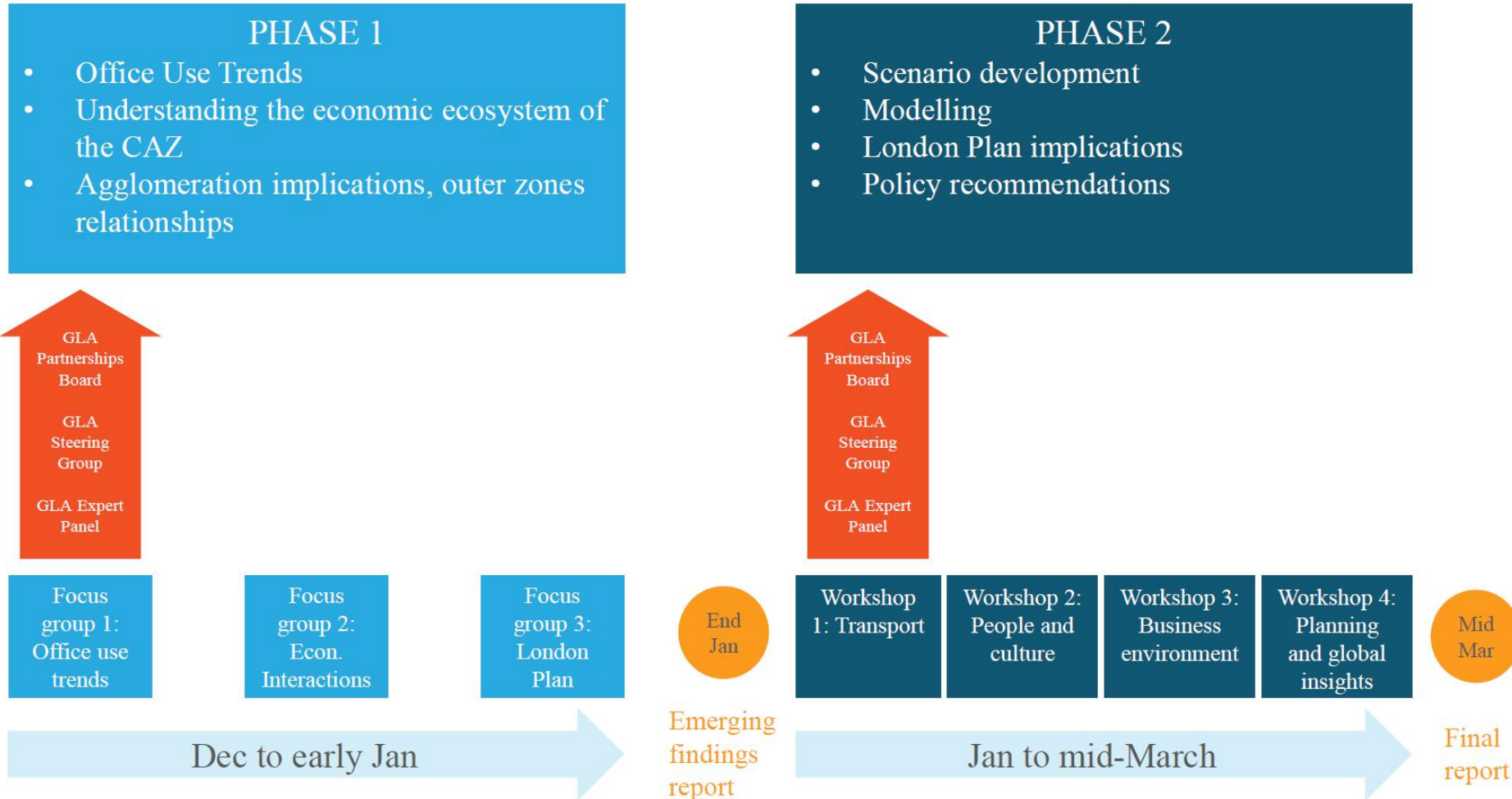
Delivering London's Future Together

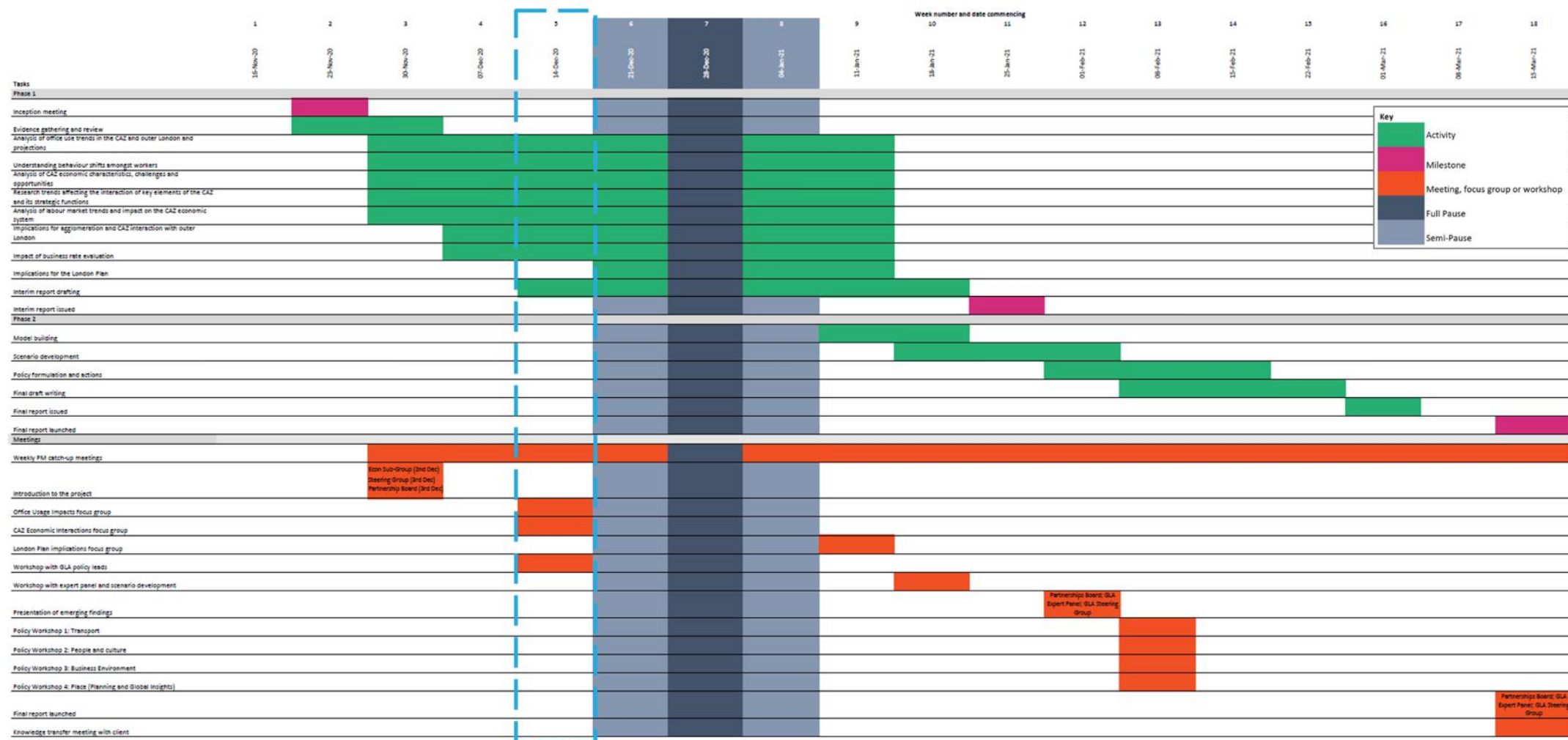


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Questions?

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Roles for London's Centres

Rachael Aldridge, Cross River Partnership



London and the Pandemic: A Great New Opportunity



Major Changes that
London has experienced
over past 9 months

A Great New Opportunity
for London Post-
Pandemic

Just Some of the Studies Currently Underway

London Recharged: Our Vision for London in 2025

City of London Corporation, in partnership with Oliver Wyman and Arup, October 2020

Crisis in the capital

Learning and Work Institute, October 2020

Jobs, Jobs, Jobs

Resolution Foundation, October 2020

A Recovery Plan for the West End

Centre for London, September 2020

London at a crossroads

Centre for London, September 2020

West End Good Growth

Arup, Mayor of London and Westminster City Council, November 2018

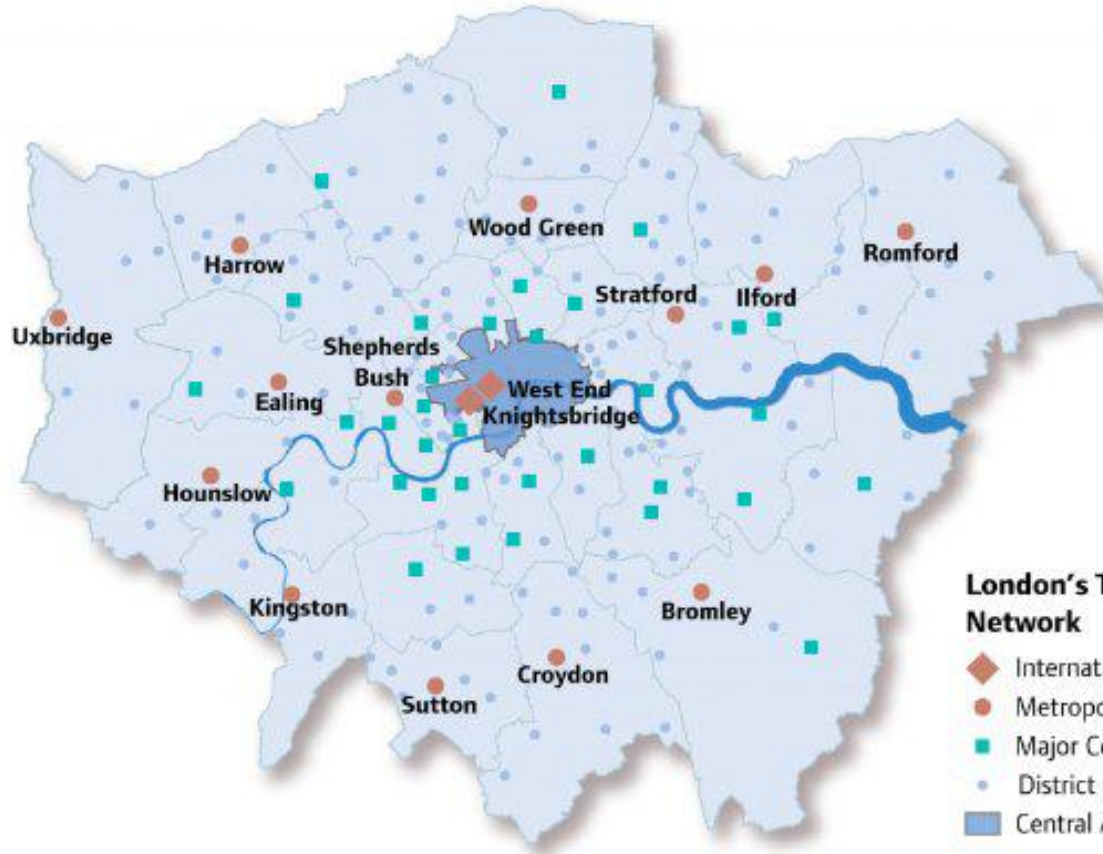
Central Activities Zone (CAZ) Economic Futures Research

GLA and Arup, currently underway



London's 221 Centres

Map 2.6 London's town centre network



London's Town Centre Network

- International Centre
- Metropolitan Centre
- Major Centre
- District Centre
- Central Activities Zone



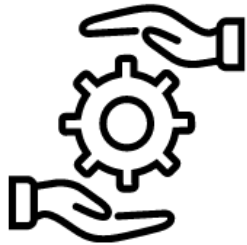
CRP's Study



CRP will be building on and complementing other pieces of work with new research



How London's Centres can work together to create a successful future for themselves in practical ways, including through transport, economic, environmental and health aspects of London's future. Environmentally sustainable, as well as commercially sustainable



Short, medium and long term, practical recommendations for CRP and Partners, including the GLA, Local Authorities, BIDs, landowners and strategic agencies

Roles for London's Centres Timeline

November 2020 - March 2021



1

CRP to liaise with CRP Board and CLSRTP group to finalise tender specification to issue to prospective study delivery organisations



2

CRP to invite pre-identified organisations to tender to undertake the project study



3

Assessment of consultant submissions/selection of successful consultant



4

Inception meeting with appointed organisation (all communication to be undertaken virtually)



5

Study complete. Findings to be presented at the CRP Board Meeting



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Imperative of Good Air Quality

Study to investigate link between Covid-19 and air pollution

More pollution expected from stay-home workers

By Roger Harrabin
BBC environment analyst

Environment > Climate Change

Air pollution from cars, power plants and forest fires is risk factor for Alzheimer's, study finds

The study, involving 18,000 seniors, found that those who lived in neighborhoods with higher levels of pollution, had an increased likelihood of amyloid plaques in the brain - a hallmark of Alzheimer's disease

Louise Boyle Senior Climate Correspondent, New York | @LouiseB_NY | 15 hours ago



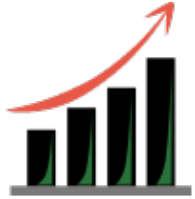
CLEAN AIR FOR ALL

Air pollution takes decade off memory, study suggests



A study of 34,000 people found a significant difference in memory quality between those who breathed the dirtiest and cleanest air

Conclusion: The Future Roles of London's Centres



Knowledge-based, leading business centres with diverse and thriving high streets



Green-led recovery as a priority - centres that walk and cycle, with emphasis on better air quality and sustainable transport modes



Post-pandemic centres that prioritise health and wellbeing



Enhancing the roles of all unique centres across London moving forwards

Questions?



Final Observations



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Thank You!



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