



**London Library Change Programme
Phase 3: Making Transformational Change Happen
Bulletin no.18: October 2011**

The London Library Change Programme Phase Three projects commissioned by Capital Ambition and the MLA (the projects involve 26 London Boroughs working in collaboration on seven projects - see [the LCIP website](#) for details) are now mostly completed. The reusable products produced by these projects have all been thoroughly peer reviewed and evaluated by the peer and project teams.

The products generated by each project will be available on the Community of Practice after the 14th October dissemination event. This will mark the end of the London Library Change Programme and wider London Cultural Improvement Programme.

Dissemination Events

LLCP in conjunction with ALCL, the Arts Council and London Councils are planning 2 dissemination events for the programme. Please could you encourage Directors, Directors of Finance and Heads of Service and Members to attend the appropriate event. **Booking for both events is through London Councils: Serena Perry Serena.Perry@londoncouncils.gov.uk**

Future London Libraries event:

The first part of the programme, is for Chief Executives, Chief Officers with responsibility for library services, Directors of Resources, Heads of Library Services, regional and national sector bodies and partners. All are welcome to stay for the second half of the programme, which is particularly aimed at Heads of Library Services and regional and national sector bodies.

- To disseminate learning from the London Library Change Programme
- To Introduce Arts Council England to partners and stakeholders
- To provide relevant policy updates

Date: Friday 14 October

Time: Registration at 9.00am for a 9:30am start with the event to finish at 1pm with networking lunch

Location: Bridewell Hall, St Brides Foundation <http://stbridefoundation.org/visit.html>

Elected Members breakfast seminar:

This seminar will present members with options to consider when planning the future public library services. It will give you the chance to assess what might work for your borough and the opportunity to hear about the support ACE London will give to libraries as they take on their new responsibilities following the closure of MLA.

Date: Wednesday 26 October

Time: Registration at 8:30am for a 9:00am start with the event to finish at 10:30am

Location: London Councils, 59½ Southwark Street, SE1 0AL

The LLCP Community of Practice

<http://www.communities.idea.gov.uk/c/8423813/home.do>

If you haven't already joined the Community of Practice, you just need to follow these four simple steps:

- Step 1: go to the Community of Practice by clicking the link above.
- Step 2: log in (or register if you do not already have an LGA account).
- Step 3: apply to join the LLCP's CoP. Your application will usually be approved within 24 hours.
- Step 4: when you receive your confirmation of membership, log in to the site, explore and contribute

Background to the programme and previous bulletins can be found at:

<http://www.londoncouncils.gov.uk/policylobbying/culturetourismand2012/lcip/londonlibrarychangeprogramme.htm>