

London Nightlife Taskforce - Meeting Minutes (May 2025)

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Date

28 May 2025

Time

12pm

Location

Soho House and Microsoft Teams

Attendees

Members of the Taskforce

Cameron Leslie (Chair) - Co-founder and Director, fabric

Alice Hoffmann-Fuller - Consultant

Georgina Wald - Corp Comms Manager at Fuller, Smith & Turner PLC

Kate Nichols - CEO, UK Hospitality

Lily London - DJ, Radio Host, Organiser and Promoter

Nadine Noor - Founder, Pxssy Palace

Nathanael Williams - Founder, Colour Factory
Provhat Rahman - Founder, Daytimers Collective
Sam Spencer - Head of Operations, Broadwick Live
Sophie Brownlee - External Affairs Manager, Music Venue Trust (MVT)

Apologies

Mike Kill - CEO, Night Time Industries Association (NTIA)

Secretariat

Paul Broadhurst - Manager, 24 Hour London
Sam Mathys - Senior Policy Officer, 24 Hour London
Julieta Cuneo - Policy Officer, 24 Hour London
Francesca Gluš?evi? - Policy Officer, 24 Hour London

Guests

Lutz Leichsenring - Vibe-lab
Mirik Milan - Vibe-lab
Amir Salem - Vibe-lab
Martina Brenner - Klub Kommission Vienna
Esteban Demetrio Parra Martínez - Director of Competitiveness, Bogotá Region
María Piedad Bayter Horta - Contractor, Bogotá Strategy 24/7
Camilo Ospina - Asobares

Minutes

Welcome from Cameron Leslie, Chair

Item 1: Previous Meeting's Actions

A recap of the previous meeting's actions was provided.

Item 2: Nightlife Governance Introduction

The 24-Hour London Team introduced the theme of nightlife governance models and provided a recap of London's model.

Item 3: Vienna Model

Martina Brenner presented the structure, funding, and influence of Vienna's Club Commission. Discussion focused on stakeholder relationships, community accountability, and transferable lessons for London.

The Taskforce engaged in a Q&A session with Martina Brenner.

The Chair thanked Martina Brenner for their time and expertise.

Item 4: Bogotá Model

Representatives from Bogotá's government and Asobares highlighted their integrated cultural funding model, public-private partnerships, and citywide safety network.

The Taskforce engaged in a Q&A session with the Bogotá team.

The Chair thanked the Bogotá for their time and expertise.

Item 5: Berlin Model

Lutz Leichsenring presented insights into the Berlin model's impact, credibility, and potential pitfalls.

The Taskforce engaged in a Q&A session with Lutz Leichsenring.

The Chair thanked Lutz Leichsenring for their time and expertise.

Item 6: Research Engagement Mapping Activity

Mirik Milan presented insights into the Amsterdam model's impact, credibility, and potential pitfalls.

The Taskforce engaged in a Q&A session with Mirik Milan.

The Chair thanked Mirki Milan for their time and expertise.

Item 7: Any Other Business (AOB)

The 24 Hour London team asked if any Taskforce members wished to attend the Mayor's LGBTQ+ Pride Reception.

The Chair asked for the Taskforce to provide dates for an informal mixer.

Conclusion

The Chair thanked the Taskforce members and guests for contributing to the meeting and reminded everyone of the next meeting on Wednesday, 2 July.

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