

Programme

0900 – 1000 Doors Open & Networking

Session 1: Thames Valley: The Gateway to the West

1000 - 1100

Senior policy influencers and regional stakeholders participate in a high level Q&A focusing on the unique development opportunities and potential in the region while also covering important topics such as inward investment, inclusive economy and retaining skills.

Session Sponsor: [\(Available – click for details\)](#)

University of Reading; Samantha Foley, Chief Financial Officer
Thames Valley Berkshire LEP; Alison Webster, Chief Executive
Swindon & Wiltshire LEP; Paddy Bradley, Chief Executive Officer
Reading Borough Council; Councillor Tony Page, Deputy Leader

1100 - 1130 Networking & Exhibition

Session 2: Thames Valley Major Development Plans

1130 - 1230

A host of the region's forthcoming major development projects are showcased by the masterminds behind them in a series of presentations followed by Q&A.

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Lincoln Property Company; Alex Aitchison, Director of Development
Swindon Borough Council; Emma Gee, Head of Town Centre Development
Muse; Chris Scott, Development Director

1230 - 1300 Networking & Exhibition

Session 3: Placemaking and Meeting Housing Challenges in the Thames Valley

1300 - 1400

A series of development focused presentations looking at the way various organisations are contributing to meeting housing needs across the Valley and look ahead to what needs to be done in the future to create vibrant and inclusive communities.

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Jansons Property; Andy Jansons, Managing Director
Slough Borough Council; Shabnam Ali, Service Lead for Economic Development
Moorgarth Group; Tim Vaughan, Chief Executive Officer

1400 – 1430 Networking & Exhibition & Close
