



Update on the London Cleantech Cluster

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Objectives

- Support cleantech businesses
- International outreach – attract overseas cleantech businesses and finance; support overseas trade by London business; benchmarking with other clusters
- Facilitate adoption and deployment of sustainable solutions across the region



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1. Cleantech businesses

- Incubation
- Mentoring
- Special Interest Groups
- Rushlight Show – 30 Jan 2014
- Just Ask



Mentoring

- Valuable resource to support early stage businesses pro bono
- Over 50 volunteer mentors already
- 30 introductions made and at least 3 appointments made
- Companies throughout UK: including Liverpool, Oxford, Brighton, Cambridge, South Yorks, Nottingham, Surrey
- Seeking mentors to complete senior management team for investors/ provide specific sector experience/ provide specific functional expertise



Special Interest Groups

IP with JA Kemp – 4 meetings so far

Raising Finance with BDO – 1 meeting so far

OEDM with Tharsus Group – first meeting