

Next Practice Programme: Participants

Name	Who are they?	What are they working on with Innovation Exchange?
East London Food Access (IL)	East London Food Access Ltd delivers fresh fruit and vegetables to residents on local housing estates, establishing sustainable food co-operatives. The organisation plans to expand its services through contracts with local public sectors services and businesses.	ELFA will work to establish FAUK and to spread their practice through social franchising. In this way this will seek to expand their work beyond Hackney. They will also use their high quality relationships with customers to do more to promote independent living.
Slivers of Time (IL)	Uses web technology to enable on-demand working, helping people to access employment when it suits them, e.g. working in the evening in order to care for a disabled spouse during the day.	Slivers of Time will work to engage commissioners to reach critical mass in new local authorities and to realize the potential of their model to support the transformation of social care, helping local councils to act as market makers
Enabled by Design (IL)	This is a social enterprise inspired by co-founder Denise Stephens who lives with multiple sclerosis. The enterprise's aims are twofold: to open an online discussion regarding the function and design of assistive technologies and to connect designers with clients to create better products.	EbD will work to strengthen this social enterprise start-up. They will develop a more sophisticated website, grow their community and develop a detailed business plan. They will seek to achieve clear social impact, sustainability and second-stage funding by the conclusion of the work.
Brandon Trust (IL)	Brandon Trust is an independent charity working with and for people with learning disabilities using person centred approaches in designing and delivering individual support. Human rights and community sustainability dovetail into the core activity of Supported Living, Work Learning and Leisure, Education, Training	Hi-Tech Family uses Assistive Technology within a new specialist assessment and support centre for parents who have learning disabilities; resourcing a range of equipment, 'picking and mixing' specific technology to meet the needs of individuals. A similar pilot project in the community will operate complimentary parenting

	and Residential Services.	skills programmes in home environments.
Speaking Up (IL)	Speaking Up gives disabled people across the UK a voice and control over their lives so that they can move away from a position of disadvantage to Independent Living. Their distinctive approach is Voice Action Change. They achieve their mission through providing independent advocacy services, delivering innovative projects with participation, peer mentoring, skills development and empowerment at their core, and through a thriving consultancy, training and publications business	Speaking Up's Life Unlimited project aims to enable disabled people to have a voice, more choice & control, by delivering advocacy and information in relation to personal budgets, using a range of successful peer support and empowerment models. Speaking Up will work to develop and evaluate this project in partnership with commissioners in the public sector with a view to scaling it up across their service hubs
Clean Slate Training and Employment Limited (IL)	Clean Slate Training and Employment Limited sets up enterprises that generate the chance of paid work and provide next step opportunities to people who are excluded from the job market.	Work to develop, evaluate and grow the scale and diversity of the enterprises supported by Clean Slate Training and to secure and measure positive social outcomes for the individuals involved.
TimeBank (IL)	TimeBank is a national charity that finds new ways for people to give their time.	TimeBank's Back to Life project is a mentoring scheme which matches young men recovering from mental illnesses with peer male mentors who can help them in their transition back to an independent life. Timebank will work to take this proven project to scale, expanding it beyond its London location.
Horsemouth (EYP)	Horsemouth is an online social networking site that connects people seeking support and guidance with	Tbc

	others who are willing to give freely from the benefit of their own experience.	
Dance United (EYP)	Dance United is a company that brings individuals and communities together through the form of dance, triggering a process that develops social interaction and personal growth in participants. The Academy is a dance-based alternative education programme working with young people who have failed to achieve in educational settings and who are offenders or at serious risk of offending.	Dance United will work to establish a franchise model for the Academy and to generate a rigorous evaluation of its work. They will then seek to establish one or two new academies at other sites in England.
Creative North (EYP)	Creative North design and develops mobile games in different global contexts. The company combines commercial game development with the Creative North Academy, a learning and skills-based environment offering work placements to students.	In Living is a mobile phone game designed to help young people think about the challenges of living independently as responsible tenants. In Living are working to develop take-up of the game and to reach new markets beyond the north-east.
BeatBullying (EYP)	BeatBullying assists and supports young people that are being bullied, re-educates and changes the behaviour of young people that bully and prevents bullying in schools and communities across the UK through effective campaigning and capacity building.	Details currently embargoed – will be published soon
The Prince's Trust (EYP)	The Prince's Trust is a charity that gives disadvantaged young people practical and financial support in order to help move into education, training or work.	Making the Case is project aims to support 16-25 year olds leaving custody through mentoring especially those who have broken the offending cycle. The Prince's Trust will work to

		bring together a network of committed third sector organizations to take this work to scale across England. Their aim is to be able to provide mentoring to every 16-25 year-old leaving custody.
Aquila Way (EYP)	Aquila Way is a charity that serves homeless young people in the North east.	The 58:12 Properties project will help homeless people to access secure accommodation in the Private Rented Sector, and be supported to live independently and become active citizens making a positive contribution to their local community. Aquila will work to develop a rigorous model for this work that balances risk and reward and to test the model locally.
Phoenix/ESSA (EYP)	ESSA supports young people's voices on issues which affect their lives at school and college. Phoenix Education Trust is a small charity that promotes education in which all members of the school community have a voice and real power in decision-making.	Get the Shout Out is a project that aims to help young people who are either excluded from education or at risk of exclusion to develop student voice initiatives and support mechanisms that enable them to get their voices heard and create positive change. Phoenix and ESSA will work with the Innovation Exchange to develop this work, reaching a wider range of young people, and to develop a business model that can help it to become sustainable.