



NLA Research - call for entries

Knowledge Capital - making places for education, innovation and health

New London Architecture (NLA) is inviting submissions of **projects, initiatives** and **ideas** that are supporting the transformation of London's education and health sector, focusing on universities, colleges, campuses, research centres, incubators, innovation centres, hospitals, clinics, libraries and museums in London, the South East and East regions.

This call out forms part of Knowledge Capital: making places for education, innovation and health, a major NLA Research examining development in the education, research and health sectors, identifying the key districts of growth and the factors influencing and supporting their location.

The Knowledge Capital Showcase will highlight exemplar schemes and ideas, with all selected submissions featuring in a major Research Paper, distributed to key policy makers, the NLA network, visiting delegations and Londoners.

The results launch in May, supported by an accompanying exhibition in the NLA Galleries at The Building Centre, WC1, from May - July 2018, alongside a series of supporting events.

Deadline for entries: Wednesday 14 February 2018, 5pm

SUBMISSION OPTIONS

You can choose to submit either a **Project** or a **Case Study**. There is no charge for submissions, a cost will apply as below on selection.

Project Submissions

Gives a brief overview of the submission, with a quarter page section in the publication. A small number of schemes will also appear in the curated narrative of the exhibition, allowing for curatorial discretion.

Free to NLA Partners, charities and not-for-profit organisations
£149 + VAT NLA Members
£249 + VAT Non-Members

Case Study Submissions

A double-page spread in the publication including additional imagery, description and comment pieces. A small number of schemes will also appear in the curated narrative of the exhibition, allowing for curatorial discretion.

£1,460 + VAT NLA Partner
£1,755 + VAT NLA Member
£1,950 + VAT Non-Member

Additional Case Study projects thereafter:

£500 + VAT NLA Partner
£750 + VAT NLA Member
£900 + VAT Non-Member

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SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

For each Project or Case Study submitted, please supply the following information:

A. Text

Please provide the following information in the form of a Microsoft Word document:

1) Submitter details

- Name of company/ies submitting project
- Submitter contact details: name, job title, email, telephone number
- Whether this is a Project or Case Study submission

2) Project details

- Project name
- Address: Region, street address and postcode
- Status – choose one from the following: design stage / under construction / completed
- Date of completion or projected date of completion (month, year)
- Cost (total build cost or otherwise specified in sterling)
- Size (in sqm)
- Type (i.e. masterplan, university campus, teaching facility, hospital, clinic, laboratory, workspace, infrastructure, strategy etc)

3) Project description

Project entries – maximum 100 words

Case Study entries – maximum 500 words

Please use this section to describe the project/concept and its significance to London in a way that is informative, educational and easy to understand by both a professional audience and members of the general public. The description should be written in passive voice.

4) Viewpoint

Case Study entries only – maximum 100 words

For Case Studies only, please invite a key project team member, client, or other stakeholder to write a Viewpoint in the first person, giving a more personal account of the key challenges of the project; new methods applied; lessons learned; or its impact on the wider area. Please include their name, job title and company name.

5) Project team

A list of all relevant company names and roles (company name, role)

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Client: Derwent London

Architect: Allies and Morrison

Structural Engineer: AECOM

6) Image captions (see section B for details)

B. Images

For each submission, please provide a selection of digital images: photographs, CGIs, sketches, technical drawings, and/or plans.

Project entries – maximum 5 images (at least 1 will be selected by NLA for display)

Case Study entries – maximum 10 images (at least 3 will be selected by NLA for display)

Please ensure that:

- All images are of high resolution of exhibition quality and suitable for printing up to A3 at 300dpi
- All images are supplied as individual .jpg, .tiff or .gif files and are not embedded within another document
- Permission is in place for NLA to use the supplied images and plans in the exhibition and all related publicity
- If photographs or visuals require a credit for publication, please include copyright details in the file name, along with a brief caption
- (e.g. View_of_Olympic_Park © HayesDavidson) - For longer captions, please provide a full list in Section A, labelled by file name

C. Display elements (optional)

We are also looking for any physical aspects / manifestations of the project to display in the exhibition. If you have any models, films or interactive elements, please supply a photograph / link / download, along with any relevant dimensions, and any special requirements.

Please note that the curatorial team will make a selection for display, and selected elements will need to be available for display from May – July 2018.

Please send one **PRINT** and one **DIGITAL** version to Mark Cox, NLA Programme Curator by **Wednesday 14 February**, 5pm



GUIDELINES

We are looking for exemplar schemes, initiatives and ideas having a transformational impact on London's knowledge sector - including those in the East and South East regions. This can include projects across all stages of delivery from masterplans, mixed-use buildings, workspaces, public realm improvements, leisure and community interventions, to new transport initiatives and planning concepts that support the education, innovation and health sectors in London, the East and South East regions.

Submissions may include universities, colleges, campuses, research centres, incubators, innovation centres, hospitals, clinics, libraries, museums and other schemes related to the education, innovation and health sectors.

Please note:

- All submissions should be located in Greater London, the East region (Bedfordshire, Cambridgeshire, Essex, Hertfordshire, Norfolk and Suffolk) or South East region (Berkshire, Buckinghamshire, East Sussex, Hampshire, Kent, Oxfordshire, Surrey, West Sussex)
- Any real projects should have reached practical completion within the last 5 years (since February 2013) or be currently in design, planning or construction. Ideas and initiatives must have a demonstrable application to London
- Submitters must secure appropriate permissions from the client prior to submission
- There is no limit to the number of submissions from any one organisation, however the submitter is encouraged to consult with other team members to avoid duplicate submissions
- Entrants agree that NLA are granted non-exclusive reproduction rights to all successful submissions for NLA's advertising, promotion, exhibition, print publication and internet purposes directly related to the Knowledge Capital programme. Entrants must have permission from the photographer for the reproduction of all imagery for use relating to these purposes
- Payment will only be required for submissions successfully selected for inclusion. Within six weeks of the closing date, NLA will confirm whether your submission has been selected for inclusion in the exhibition. On confirmation that your submission has been selected, NLA will invite you to make the payments by invoice, issued to Pipers Projects Ltd. Payment terms are strictly 14 days from invoice date
- NLA Partners, charities and not-for-profit organisations are entitled to submit projects for free
- All selected projects will feature in the Knowledge Capital publication, and a small number of these will appear in the in the curated narrative of the exhibition, allowing for curatorial discretion

HOW TO ENTER

Please send one **PRINT** and one **DIGITAL** version to Mark Cox, NLA Programme Curator by **Wednesday 14 February**, 5pm

DIGITAL VERSION

Please send the digital copy of your full submission to:

submissions@newlondonarchitecture.org

Please clearly mark the subject line with:

Knowledge Capital Submission – [name of project]

Supporting files should be sent via file transfer, Dropbox or WeTransfer. Alternatively, please send the digital version via CD or USB with your printed version.

PRINT VERSION

Please send a printed version of your submission to, in **unbound A4 format** to:

Mark Cox
New London Architecture
The Building Centre
26 Store Street
London WC1E 7BT

If you have any queries, please contact Mark Cox, 020 7636 4044 or via submissions@newlondonarchitecture.org

Please note, submissions must be sent in both send **PRINT** and **DIGITAL** versions as outlined above by **Wednesday 14 February**, 5pm



BACKGROUND

Knowledge Capital: making places for education, innovation and health

Knowledge Capital examines the transformation of London's education and medical sector estate. As the population grows, the capital continues to pioneer new technology and ground-breaking design to deliver enhanced teaching, research and health service facilities for all Londoners.

The research investigates the current scale and nature of development in the education and health sector, focusing on universities, colleges, campuses, research centres, incubators, innovation centres, hospitals, and clinics, identifying the key districts of growth in London, the East and the South East regions and the factors influencing and supporting their location.

As major landowners and placemakers in London, we look at the role these estates play in shaping the wider city and the potential they hold to help solve the housing crisis, create better places for Londoners and provide opportunities for the emergence and growth of smaller start-up industries and bodies.

With several key projects recently completed, under construction and in planning across the capital, including London BioScience Innovation Centre, The Francis Crick and The London Cancer Hub, we explore the significance of these schemes and the lessons learnt for future projects in London. In third level education, major expansion and relocation plans in London's University sector include UCL East and Imperial College signal a change in thinking around the role of education campuses and their place in wider London.

How are universities, hospitals and research institutions adjusting and adapting to new technologies, changing trends in working and the increasing need for co-location of functions? What role is London's leading built environment sector playing in the creation and regeneration of successful, sustainable and cutting-edge research, teaching and medical estates?

What lessons can London learn from international cities to maintain its position as a leading global centre of research and innovation? How can the London, Cambridge, Oxford triangle better work together to achieve the wider regional planning ambitions? What effect will Brexit have and what steps must be taken now to future-proof the sector and estate?

There are opportunities to champion and support the programme - contact Aurelia Amanitis: aurelia@newlondonarchitecture.org for details.

New London Architecture

New London Architecture (NLA) is London's centre for discussion, debate and information about architecture, planning, development and construction in the capital. Our mission is to bring people together to shape a better city.

A year-round programme of events, research, exhibitions and awards examines all issues affecting London's built environment and invites all those with a stake in the future of the city to have their say - built environment professionals, politicians and the public.

NLA has established itself over the last decade as a broker between all those involved in planning and designing the future of London and as an independent champion for the capital's built environment.

Our work is supported by a growing membership of some 500 organisations from across the public and private sectors. The NLA galleries at The Building Centre in WC1, centred around our giant interactive model of central London, are free to visit six days a week.