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# **Summary**

This report incorporates a schedule of the key meetings and events attended by Members and officers since your last meeting.

## Recommendation

Members are asked to:

• Receive this report and note its contents

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## **CITY BRIDGE TRUST**

# Professional Development Events, Conferences and Seminars Attended 2<sup>nd</sup> March to 4<sup>th</sup> May 2016

Date	Organisation	Type of Event	City of London's Representative	Location/ Borough	Summary
03/03/16	Community Barnet	Seminar	Tim Wilson, Principal Grants and Social Investment Officer	Barnet	Your officer was invited to speak at an event organised by the local infrastructure body for charities seeking advice on submitting good quality funding applications.
03/03/16	The 2015/16 Sustainable City Awards	Awards Ceremony	Jack Joslin & Shegufta Rahman, Grants Officers	City of London	Annual awards ceremony.
10/03/16 – 11/03/16	Buzzacott	Training	Shegufta Rahman, Grants Officer	City of London	GIFTS Alta Two Day Training.
21/03/16	NCVO	Board Meeting	Deputy Chief Grants Officer	Society House, N1	The Deputy Chief Grants Officer is a trustee of NCVO.
22/03/16	Cripplegate Foundation	Islington Giving Grants Sub- Group	Deputy Chief Grants Officer	Islington	The Deputy Chief Grants Officer is a board member of Islington Giving.
23/03/16	Refugee Council	Seminar	Jack Joslin & Shegufta Rahman, Grants Officers	Lambeth	Funding Seminar – presentation delivered jointly by your two Grants Officers to an audience of c.30 groups.
31/03/16	London Funders	Civil Society Reference Group	Deputy Chief Grants Officer	Camden	The last meeting of the Civil Society Reference Group ahead of the launch of the findings of the future of Civil Society Support (see separate report 'Future of London's Voluntary Sector Infrastructure Support' in today's papers.
04/04/16	Centre for London	Giving in London Reference Group	Deputy Chief Grants Officer	1 Plough Place, EC4	The first meeting of the reference group to oversee a scoping study ahead of a wider piece of research looking at giving in the capital for which you have awarded £19,000.

13/04/16	Association of Charitable Foundations	Seminar	Tim Wilson, Principal Grants and Social Investment Officer	Camden	A meeting for funders interested in providing capacity building support to their applicants and grantees.
04/05/16	Association of Charitable Foundations	Seminar	Tim Wilson, Principal Grants and Social Investment Officer	Camden	Your officer (alongside Big Society Capital and the Joseph Rowntree Foundation) was asked to speak to a group of foundations interested in social investment.
11/04/16	Trust for London	Moving on Up Management Group	Ciaran Rafferty, Principal Grants Officer	Little Britain	A regular officers' meeting to oversee the Moving on Up project which is co-funded between CBT and Trust for London.
12/04/16	London Youth	Meeting	Chief Grants Officer; Ciaran Rafferty, Principal Grants Officer	Guildhall	A chance to meet the new CEO of London Youth, Rosemary Watt-Wyness.
13/04/16	City Bridge Trust/ London Funders	Launch of "The Future of Civil Society Support in London" Review	Chairman; Deputy Chairman; Chief Grants Officer; Deputy Chief Grants Officer; Members and CBT Team	Guildhall	Please see separate report for details.
15/04/16	NSPCC	Visit	Chief Grants Officer	Croydon	A visit to the NSPCC Croydon Service Centre, to learn about the project CBT is funding.
20/04/16	The Livery Lounge Lunch	Speaking engagement	Chief Grants Officer	Guildhall	The Chief Grants Officer, at the invitation of Alderman Vincent Keaveny, addressed a lunch party of liverymen from many liveries, on the work of the Trust.
21/04/16	Institute for Voluntary Action Research	Place based giving research reference group.	Deputy Chief Grants Officer	Camden	IVAR have been researching different models of place-based given which will result in a practical online guide for funders. You are contributing towards the cost of this alongside a number of other funders.

# General Events and Receptions Attended 2<sup>nd</sup> March to 4<sup>th</sup> May 2016

Date	Organisation	Type of Event	City of London's Representative	Location/ Borough	Summary
04/03/16	The Prince's Trust	Get Started with Cooking Celebration Event	Shegufta Rahman, Grants Officer	Lambeth	Celebration event for disadvantaged, young Londoners at the end of their 'Get Started with Cooking' programme.
07/03/16	The Prince's Trust	Awards Ceremony	Deputy Chairman; Town Clerk; Shegufta Rahman, Grants Officer	Westminster	Annual awards ceremony celebrating young people's achievements through Prince's Trust programmes.
08/03/16	City Bridge Trust	20 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Event	CBT Members; CBT Team	Tower Bridge	A very successful event to mark the Trust's anniversary.
09/03/16	London Councils	Grants Committee	Deputy Chairman	Southwark Street	A regular meeting of the London Councils Grants Committee.
18/03/16	Prince's Trust	Meeting	Chairman; Deputy Chairman; Chief Grants Officer; Shegufta Rahman, Grants Officer	Guildhall	A meeting of the Strategic Steering Group for the Prince's Trust grant.
23/03/2016	City of London	Investment Committee dinner	Chief Grants Officer and Tim Wilson, Principal Grants and Social Investment Officer	City of London	Annual dinner where the Chairman spoke on a number of points including the City's philanthropic and social investment work.
31/03/16	The Poetry Society	Awards Ceremony	Shegufta Rahman, Grants Officer	Westminster	Ted Hughes Award and National Poetry Competition awards reception.
04/04/16	National Army Museum	Reception	Chairman	London SW3	A reception hosted by the Duke of Kent.
12/04/16	Brendoncare Ronald Gibson House	Sensory Garden Opening	Rebecca Green, Grants Administrator; Shegufta Rahman, Grants Officer	Wandsworth	Opening of sensory garden part-funded by City Bridge Trust.
12/04/16	John Lyon's Charity	Launch Event	Chief Grants Officer; Ciaran Rafferty, Principal Grants Officer	London SW9	See item in CGO report.
18/04/16	NCVO	Annual Evolve Conference Dinner	Deputy Chief Grants Officer	The Brewery, EC1	The Deputy Chief Grants Officer is a trustee of NCVO.

21/04/16	Wilton's Music Hall	Opening Night	Chairman; Deputy Chairman	London E1	The Opening Night performance of "I Am Thomas".
22/04/16	UBS	Reception	Chairman; Deputy Chairman; Alderman Keaveny, the Chamberlain, Chief Grants Officer and other CBT staff	City of London	An event to mark the second round of Stepping Stones awards and to launch round three. The Chairman spoke alongside representatives from UBS and one of the funded organisations.
26/04/16	Moving on Up	Reception/Seminar	Ciaran Rafferty, Principal Grants Officer	Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors	A networking event for member organisations of the Moving on Up project and employers to engage and share information.
27/04/16	London Youth	Workshop	Ciaran Rafferty, Principal Grants Officer; Jack Joslin, Grants Officer	Pitfield St N1	A meeting of funders and practitioners to consider the future shape of London's youth services in the context of the Vision for Young London common statement.
27/04/16	Association of Charitable Foundations	Board meeting	Tim Wilson, Principal Grants and Social Investment Officer	Camden	One of the quarterly board meetings of this umbrella organisation for funders. Your officer is a trustee.
29/04/16	The Prince's Trust	Celebration Event	Chairman Deputy Chairman; Shegufta Rahman, Grants Officer	Guildhall	Celebration event for disadvantaged, young Londoners at the end of their 'Team' programme.
03/05/16	Early Action Funders Alliance	Steering Group meeting	Chief Grants Officer	London WC2	A quarterly steering group of the Alliance, of which CBT is a member, which works to support early action funding.

# City Philanthropy Events Attended 2<sup>nd</sup> March to 4<sup>th</sup> May 2016

Date	Organisation	Type of Event	City of London's Representative	Location/ Borough	Summary
02/03/16	Buzzacott	Conference	Cheryl Chapman, Director of City Philanthropy	Wood Street	The Director of City Philanthropy spoke at Buzzacott's one-day conference on "Millenials and new approaches to philanthropy" at their Wood Street offices.
04/03/16	City Philanthropy	Breakfast	Director of City Philanthropy	Guildhall	A meeting of the Women for Change Breakfast Club, Chaired by Monique Villa, Chair of Thomson Reuters Foundation.
10/03/16	Better Society	Summit	Director of City Philanthropy; Helen Atwood, City Philanthropy	City of London	A summit on the role of millenials in creating a better society.
16/03/16	Prospectus	Breakfast	Director of City Philanthropy; Helen Atwood, City Philanthropy	Camden	A millennial talent attraction and retention networking breakfast.
16/03/16	Beacon Awards	Fellowship Event	Director of City Philanthropy; Helen Atwood, City Philanthropy; Rosie Mitchell-Hudson, City Philanthropy	City of London	An evening with a world-leading social investor, together with a panel discussion on social investment and its journey with small social enterprises.
23/03/16	Museum of London	Breakfast	Director of City Philanthropy; Helen Atwood, City Philanthropy	Museum of London	A breakfast to celebrate the launch of a new exhibition in the museum, over high level networking.
25/03/16	City Funding Network	Crowdfunding event	Director of City Philanthropy; Helen Atwood, City Philanthropy	City of London	A crowdfunding evening in which three selected small charities supporting women and diversity pitched their charity and its objectives to an audience of potential funders.