

Leadership Summit 2025:

Designing for Change

3 – 4 December 2025

Programme (subject to change)

Wednesday 3 December 2025

09:00 – 10:00 Registration and refreshments

10:00 – 10:25 **Welcome and housekeeping**
Chair: Rick Henderson, CEO, Homeless Link

10:25 – 11:10 **Opening keynote:** Sarah Elliot, CEO, Shelter

11:10 – 11:40 Refreshments

11:40 – 12:55 **Breakout session 1 – your choice of the following sessions**

The role of AI in the homelessness sector

- Matt Harrison, deputy CEO, Homeless Link
- Chloe Moore, CEO, BEAM

Preparing for regulation in the housing sector

- Sophie Boobis, Head of Policy and Research, Homeless Link
- Fiona Colley, Director of Social Change, Homeless Link
- Catherine Hill, Director of Partnerships and Development, Emmaus UK
- Charlotte Talbott, CEO, Emmaus UK

Creating a robust organisation that thrives in difficult times

- Roger Clark, ex-CEO of West London Mission and Homeless Link Associate
- Pam Orchard, CEO, The Connection at St Martin's

Enabling social and supported housing to thrive

- Toyin Miller, Real Estate Relationship Director, Lloyds Banking Group
- Rob Saggs, CEO, CHES Homeless

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch and networking

14:00 - 15:00 **Plenary: Crazy busy: Achieving priorities when everything feels urgent**
Zena Everett, leadership coach and author of The Crazy Busy Cure and Badly Behaved People

15:00 – 15:30 Refreshments

15:30 – 16:45 **Breakout session 2 – your choice of the following sessions**

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Financial future proofing

- Jaishree Mistry, Senior Relationship Manager Business Banking, Triodos Bank UK
- David Judge, Chief Operating Officer, Community Ventures

16:45 Close of day 1 and room keys

19:30 – 20:30 Dinner and networking

Thursday 4 December 2025

09:25 – 09:30 **Welcome to day two**

- Chair: Rick Henderson, CEO, Homeless Link

09:30 – 10:00 **Challenges of leading in an uncertain world**

- Dr Danny Sriskandarajah, CEO, New Economics Foundation and author of Power to the People

- 10:00 – 11:00 **Plenary panel discussion: Leading in an uncertain world**
- Chair: Fiona Colley, Director of Social Change, Homeless Link
 - Steve Hoey, CEO, Turning Lives Around
 - Bridget Young, CEO, NACCOM
- 11:00 – 11:25 Refreshments
- 11:25 - 12:40 **Breakout session 3 – your choice of the following sessions**
- Why leadership wellbeing matters to the whole organisation**
- Alex Nunn, coaching psychologist, Clear Sea Coaching
- Inclusive leadership**
- Tessy Ojo CBE, Chief Executive, The Diana Award and Founder of Tessy's Brunches
- Prevention, not cure**
- Elly de Decker, CEO, Bromley by Bow
- 12:40 – 13:40 Lunch and networking
- 13:40 – 14:55 **Breakout session 4 – your choice of the following sessions**
- Why leadership wellbeing matters to the whole organisation**
- Alex Nunn, coaching psychologist, Clear Sea Coaching
- Inclusive leadership**
- Tessy Ojo CBE, Chief Executive, The Diana Award and Founder of Tessy's Brunches
- Prevention, not cure**
- Elly de Decker, CEO, Bromley by Bow
- 15:00 Close of conference