

“Opening the eyes to possibilities”

An overview of the LG Group’s
international learning project

European & International Unit

- What we do and why
 - Getting the best deal for local government
 - European & International organisations
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International Learning Project

Purpose:

- Identify appetite for learning
 - Inform lobbying across the Group
 - Build local government's reputation
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International Learning Focus

Aligned to LG Group business plan:

- Tackling the recession
 - Housing
 - Adult social care / demographic change
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International Learning Methods

- Programme of visits across the country
 - Target Chief Executive Office
 - International contacts; EIU knowledge
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International Learning Outcomes

- International learning online resource
<http://www.idea.gov.uk/idk/core/page.do?pageId=14636528>
 - International learning mainstreamed across the LG Group – feeding into campaign work
 - International learning impact on domestic policy
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International Learning and Councils

How did councils use the information?

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Local challenges, international solutions

International Learning & LG Group

Domestic lobbying using international examples

International learning as knowledge channels

International Learning Next Steps

Mainstreamed & profiled

Ongoing knowledge resource

EIU point of contact

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