

LOCAL SKILLS IMPROVEMENT PLAN (LSIP) CONFERENCE

IMPLEMENTING THE SOUTH LONDON LOCAL
SKILLS IMPROVEMENT PLAN.

20 JUNE 2024
12.30-16.30PM
MERTON COLLEGE, LONDON ROAD, SM4 5QX



AGENDA

12.30-1.30 Lunch and networking

1.30-1.35 Opening, Peter Mayhew Smith, Group Principal and CEO South Thames
Colleges Group

1.35-2.10 Key note speeches

Welcome address and employers perspective on skills needs,
Charlotta Harbour, CEO, Merton Chamber of Commerce

Skills needs across London,
Mark Hilton, Policy Delivery Director, Business LDN

Skills needs and economic insights across South London,
Matthew Hamilton, Director of South London partnership

2.10 -3.00 Local Skills Improvement Fund: Achievements, next steps and
anticipated impact,
Suna Marfe, Director of Marketing, Admissions and Partnerships

3.00-3.30 Marketplace, networking and refreshments

3.30-4.20 Breakout discussion, feedback and reflection

4.20-4.30 Closing remarks, Peter Mayhew Smith,
Group Principal and CEO South Thames Colleges Group