

# Delivering the 'Future City': Does Bristol have the capacities it needs?

Introducing some ideas from a series of  
conversations in 2015

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Introducing the Four Themes  
– and their Wordles:









# Issues, messages or solutions 1

1. Who are 'we' - working together at all levels
2. Building trust across communities and organisations
3. Valuing diversity
4. The moral imperative of equity and inclusion
5. Other ways of measuring prosperity – beyond material growth and consumption



# Issues, messages or solutions 2

6. Using Utopias to stop just tweaking what we know (or we might get dystopia)
7. Governance and the role of different organisations (big anchor organisations, SMEs etc)
8. Where is the power and what are the blockages?
9. Recognising and scaling up local innovation
10. Developing new types of business and service providers





# So, are these the 10 key messages?

- Working together
- Building trust
- Valuing diversity
- The moral imperative of equity and inclusion
- Other ways of measuring prosperity
- Utopias (not tweaking)
- Governance and the role of different organisations
- Identifying power and blockages
- Recognising and scaling up local innovation
- Developing new types of business and service providers

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# Some Questions to think about:

1. Where is Bristol's capacity to make its own changes?
2. What are the blockages?
3. Great ideas that need sharing
4. Who has or could (should?) have the power?
5. What new forms of enterprise are emerging?
6. Enabling and leading- the role of local government/ Bristol City Council?
7. How do the various levels of government (local, national and EU) impact on the city?
8. Different forms of engagement to recognise
9. How else can we measure success?
10. Using Utopias to think about the future

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