# Local Latin Boom is on its way





# The Organisaton

• We were an inward looking organisation

We are now an outward facing organisation

Members of Locality, First Steps

### History in Figures

- 1998 4,000 stage at Bermondsey Carnival
- 2004-7 £1.5m 15 Partner ESF EQUAL Celebrating Enterprise research project on economic impact of festivals, City University
- Southwark Council/Uni Event Training
- More London, Visit London, GLA tourist destination
- 2007 130,000 Burgess Park
- 2004 £2.3m/2007 £4.1m Economic Impact
- 2007 created 90 part time jobs
- Busiest day for Tescos (barring Christmas)

# Building blocks for 2016 Rio Olympics-Paralympics

19 countries

Regeneration - opportunity •Lend Lease, Delancey, Southwark High Street Challenge, GLA, Arts Council, Locality, Peabody • Plaza Latina • East Street Shops •Carnaval del Pueblo 2016

# Creative Industries

• Target audience segmented:

Tourists

• New residents

• Affluent neighbours

## This area will rock!

- Tourist destination
- Community
- Niche market
  - Creative industries high end
  - Environment
  - Local strategic Partnership
  - Expo Presence in festival
- East Street Market Latino

#### What you may wish to do now

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