

# Pathways for Development

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Partnership on Sustainable  
Low Carbon Transport

# SLoCaT Has A Bright Future Ahead



The SLoCaT Partnership enjoys a robust brand.

*“SLoCaT is recognised externally by most of the international transport community as a leading convener and voice of partners, and a reputable, trustworthy, competent partner.”* - Report by Independent Consultant Clayton Lane.



Our mission and core functions and roles are relevant.

- To refresh explanation of who we are and what we do.
- To refresh our branding, including new website.



We must give ourselves strategic objectives 2019-2022.

- To invest efforts in defining them with members for increased impact towards our mission.

# Our Operating Context

Positive narratives: Available technology - Alliances of countries, cities/regions and companies.



Urbanisation.

Informality of livelihoods and settlements.



Implementation for positive impact for people, prosperity and planet.



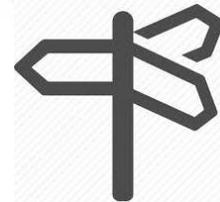
Avoid – Shift – Improve in the era of electrification.



Cross-sectoral integration and multi-stakeholder partnerships.



One Belt One Road transformative potential.



# Brainstorm: Strategic Objectives for Increased Impact



Multi-annual approach 2019-2022.

Harness the momentum:  
Climate action, in/out UNFCCC.  
Localisation of the SDGs.  
Subnational action.



Support regional dimension of  
global agendas implementation.

Engage directly with change actors.  
Interconnect sectoral approaches.  
Facilitate action agendas.



Target policy-makers at different  
government levels - using relevant  
knowledge and tools.



Champion the science/knowledge –  
policy – practice interface.



Translate transport messages to  
others - Connect the sector to other  
constituencies - Broker alliances.



Leverage cross-cutting themes:  
Gender - Innovation – Spatial planning  
- Behavioural change.

# SLoCaT Enjoys a Committed Membership and Board



Members find SLoCaT's contribution to the actors ecosystem important. Members are calling for a deeper partnership.



Committed Board, invested in curating SLoCaT in the transition phase.

- Warmly encouraged to engage in 2019 Board elections.



Goals for the Secretariat: Leverage the Partnership and multiply members' individual impact.

- Focal points system: To follow-up members' work, align SLoCaT activity in synergy, and connect members between them.
- Specific collaborations between Secretariat and members.

# Brainstorm: Activities and Approaches



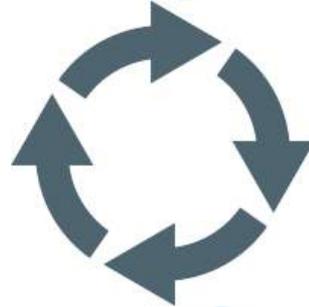
## Knowledge Products and Tools

Outlook Reports - Issues Briefs -  
Infographics



## Collaborative Alliances

Transport Decarbonisation Alliance – Paris  
Process on Mobility & Climate Change  
(Movin On' - SLoCaT) – Outside sector



## Policy Tools Advocacy Initiatives

Guidelines – Toolkits – Trainings - Webinars



## Multi-stakeholder Dialogues

With other constituencies – Blogs and story  
telling – On catalytic cross-sectoral themes

# The Secretariat



*“The team is very competent. SLOCAT has built a competent team of researchers, in addition to a robust external network of experts, combined form a very strong technical team. Likewise SLOCAT’s staff receive consistent praise for the operation team’s versatility and dedication.” - Report by Independent Consultant Clayton Lane.*



- Sound financial management, with short-term stabilisation and long-term sustainability – Fundraise for suites/series of products and events.
- Optimised operations for tele-working and enhanced project management.
- Sustainable workloads with “mind space” to drive core agenda for the Partnership and the sector.

# Strategic Development Plan 2019-2022

- Proposed timeline:
  - 1st draft before March.
  - Consultation in March.
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> draft and final consultation in April.
  - Finalisation and approval in April/May.
- Please engage in the consultation!
- Example areas:
  - Operating Context.
  - Mission, Vision and Strategic Objectives.
  - Focus and Strengths.
  - Streams of Work.
  - Thematic Areas.
  - Organisational Enablers.



**Thanks for your attention!**

**Looking forward to driving the transformation  
to sustainable low carbon transport with you!**

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<http://www.ppmc-transport.org/>

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