



PANEL DISCUSSION

London: Boom and Crisis

The Swiss Church in London,
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London has been undergoing rapid changes in recent years. While business has boomed and massive amounts of capital have flooded into the city, people at the lower end of the income scale have been struggling with rising rents, gentrification and the erosion of welfare

provisions. The capital has become ever more defined by its contradictions – poverty and wealth stand side by side, and while the luxury property market is thriving, homelessness is rising relentlessly.

How do these developments come

about, and how can the city's inequality be tackled? Join us in a discussion on London, urban development, gentrification, homelessness and capitalism.