

## **Department of Land Economy Mentoring Scheme**



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Alexandra Thur is the founder of Tollington Group, a specialist real estate finance and business consultancy that works with real estate lenders, property developers and investment funds. By guiding the concept, strategy and positioning of a firm's unique capital and investment requirements, Tollington expands access to more creatively structured debt and equity.

Prior to Tollington Group, Alexandra was the youngest founding team member and equity partner of two Blackstone Group portfolio companies, Invitation Homes, America's largest single-family owner-manager, and B2R Finance (now Finance of America), the first private "buy-to-let" lender in the US. She subsequently co-founded a UK residential ground rent investment firm, which specialised in building portfolios of secure, long-income assets that were sold to pension funds.

Alexandra holds a Master's from of the University of Cambridge in Urban Planning, Growth and Regeneration, and a Bachelor of Science from University College London in Urban Planning, Design and Business Management.