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Profile: Speed Flat Dating

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With a spare room to rent and no intention of letting a parade of single white females into our house via Gumtree, we legged it over to **PROFILE** last Wednesday to schmooze with the guys from Outlet and have a crack at Speed Flat Dating. It's like speed dating, but for flats, all in the stylish surroundings of Profile.

Here's the science bit: whether you're after a room or you have one to rent, all you do is slap on a sticker that tells everyone where you want to live, how much you're willing to pay and what your name is (or vice versa if you're a landlord). Then, with a drink in hand, you're free to mingle, chat about storage space, how tidy you are, and have a moan about how you'd like to kill whoever invented council tax.

There were plenty of different genres of guys there – everyone from suited and booted City types and floppy fringed indie lads, to muscle boys and your common or garden average bloke – so finding someone who suits you isn't a problem.

After having a couple of G&Ts we bagged a potential flatmate and also plucked up the courage to ask for the phone number of a rather eligible young chap too. Double yes!

To sign up to the next event go to www.outletflatdating.com

The next Speed Flat Dating event is on from 6.30pm until 8.30pm Wednesday 7 July at Profile 84-86 Wardour Street, Soho, W1.



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