



THE 10 KEY DRIVERS OF RURAL CHANGE

Decentralised Energy Systems

rely on small-scale generation from renewable energy sources and can provide electricity to remote regions at a lower fix cost.

The Future of Food

Synthetic meat production or land-based fish farming can play a major role in food security and climate change mitigation.

Cloud Computing & Internet of things

are complementary technologies that can help improving productivity and service delivering in rural areas.

The Future of Education

Technology can support the education system to better deliver educational services in remote areas.

Driverless Cars

can overcome the 60 minutes commuting threshold, increasing links between rural and urban areas.

The Future of Health

Virtual medical services can help improve wellbeing for rural dwellers.

Drones

can change a whole range of social and economic activities (delivering methods, risk mitigation).

Digital Connectivity

Reliable connectivity is vital to support business growth and to make it easier for rural communities to get online.

Distributive Manufacturing

has the potential to transform traditional manufacturing processes of large centralized factories into a decentralized one.

Shifting Values

Changing social attitudes and aspirations are significant drivers of change in rural areas.

