INTERSECTION BETWEEN AGEING AND DISABILITY

DATE: DECEMBER, 4, 2014
TIME: 1-3 PM
PLACE: UNITED NATIONS CHURCH CENTER, BOSS ROOM, 11th FLR

ABOUT THE PROGRAM:
As the UN commemorates the International Day of Persons with Disabilities, this week, the speakers at the meeting consider the intersection between ageing and disability. In addition, the process which resulted in the adoption of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities on 13 December, 2006 at the United Nations will be discussed.

MODERATOR: Janet Sigal, Ph.D. American Psychological Association’s Main Representative to the United Nations.

SPEAKERS:
Ms. Akiko Ito: Chief, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities of DSPD-DESA, United Nations
Ms. Connie Laurin-Bowie, Executive Director of the International Disability Alliance (IDA) member Inclusion International
Ms. Venus Ilagan, Secretary General, Rehabilitation International

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