



NGO Committee on Ageing

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GENERAL MEETING

Older Persons and Lifelong Learning

DATE: April 2, 2015

TIME: 1-3:00 PM

PLACE: UNITED NATIONS CHURCH CENTER, BOSS ROOM 8TH FLOOR

ABOUT THE PROGRAM:

Lifelong learning is an "ongoing, voluntary, and self-motivated" "pursuit of knowledge." As the baby boomer generation ages, continuing education and learning for older adults will become very important. Although commercial enterprises advertise the development of "brain games" for older adults, scientists question the validity of these commercial products. Established institutes and university-based programs offer a more traditional and respected form of continuing education for older persons. Our expert speakers will describe approaches to teaching older persons.

MODERATOR: Janet Sigal, Vice-Chair, NGO Committee on Ageing;
American Psychological Association Main Representative to the UN

SPEAKERS:

Rosa Perla Resnick, Ph.D., M.S.S.W., Representative to the UN of the International Association of Schools of Social Work (IASSW) and the International Network for the Prevention of Elder Abuse (INPEA)

Maria Neuda, Instructor, Riverside Language Program

Speaker from the **Institute for Retired Professionals (IRP)**: Invited

The program will be preceded by a brief business meeting and followed by the **3-4PM meeting of the IDOP 2015 Planning Committee**.

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