## NGO COMMITTEE ON AGEING GENERAL MEETING

## HIV-AIDS AND OLDER PERSONS: A NEW CONCERN

DATE: THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2012

TIME: 1:00 -3:00 PM

PLACE: UNITED NATIONS CHURCH CENTER
777 UN PLAZA (44<sup>TH</sup> STREET & 1<sup>ST</sup> AVE.)

## **ABOUT THE PROGRAM:**

Antiretroviral medications have enabled persons with HIV to live longer while others have become infected with the virus in their later years. As a result, the past decade has been marked by a significant increase in HIV prevalence among older persons. This program will examine the implications for this growing but largely invisible group within the older population

**MODERATOR: Rosemary Lane**, Senior Social Affairs Officer and Focal Point on Ageing, UN DESA

## **SPEAKERS:**

**Dr. Stephen Karpiak,** ACRIA Center on HIV and Aging, New York University College of Nursing

**Dr. Tonia Taylor**, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Medicine/ Special Treatment and Research Program, SUNY Downstate Medical Center

**Dr. Robert Brent,** Professor, Department of Economics, Fordham University

Mr. Eduard Beck, UNAIDS (invited)

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