

NGO Committee on Ageing

Building A Society For All Ages

GENERAL MEETING

"URBANIZATION AND AGE-FRIENDLY CITIES"

Thursday, 6 November 2014 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

PLACE: UNITED NATIONS CHURCH CENTER, HARDIN ROOM, 11th FLOOR

ABOUT THE PROGRAM:

As urbanization increases, attention must be paid to the particular needs of a rapidly ageing population. The World Health Organization (WHO) defines an Age-Friendly City as "an inclusive and accessible urban environment that promotes active ageing." Special concerns must address issues relevant to older persons in designing and assessing Age Friendly Cities.

MODERATOR: Helen R. Hamlin, MSSW, International Federation on Ageing; Member of the New York City Age- Friendly Commission

SPEAKERS:

Ms. Yamina Djacta: Director, UN-HABITAT New York Office

Ms. Suvi Huikuri: Technical Officer, WHO Office at the United Nations

Dr. Nelida Quintero: Architect and Environmental Psychologist

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