

UN LIBRARY TALK Programme

ROUNDTABLE ON "HOW TO ENSURE AGEING WITH DIGNITY?"

Contributing to Implementation of SDG3 of the "2030 Sustainable Development"

Venue: UN Library Events Room (B-135), Palais des Nations, Building B, 1st Floor

Date/Time: 23rd May (Tuesday) at 16.00-18.00

Duration: 2 hours

Followed immediately by a reception hosted by the School of Public Health, Kyoto University



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Lata 65 is a creative workshop teaching street art to senior citizens. Lisbon, Portugal, May 2015 Junta de Freguesia de Carnide (parish). Lisbon FULL BODY: <http://www.rexfeatures.com/nanolink/qftr> Lata 65 is probably the world's most interesting graffiti gang. The new urban workshops strive to break down stereotypes and ageism by teaching street art to senior citizens.
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Programme

Welcome Remarks: Francesco Pisano, Chief, UNOG Library (to be confirmed)

Introductory Remarks: Raymond Saner, Director of Diplomacy Dialogue, CSEND.

A light reception will be offered by the Kyoto University at the end of the Roundtable Talk.

Round One (16.10-16.50)

How could an elder prepare and achieve an active ageing life

5 minutes introduction by each the panelists and followed by interactive conversations.

Hans Peter Graf, Dr. sc. pol. member of the Board of the Fondation pour la formation des aînées et des aînés de Genève. Topic: "Senior citizens as untapped resources for sustained societal wellbeing: Policy Implications and Challenges"

Angus Yifan Yang, Professor & Deputy Director, National Interdisciplinary Institute of Aging (NIIA) & International Health Care Institute, Southwest Jiaotong University, Chengdu. Topic: "2016 Retirement Quality Index of China's Large and Medium-sized Cities: Personal Implications and Challenges for Urban Elderly"

Kozo Matsubayashi, Professor Emeritus, Centre for Southern Asian Studies, Kyoto University assisted by **Ayako Kohno**. Topic: "Holistic Approach towards Ageing Study: Asian Perspective"

Silvia Perel-Levin, Chair, Geneva NGO Committee on Ageing and UN Representative of International Longevity Centre Global Alliance (ILC GA). Topic: "Violence, Discrimination and Ageing: Security for the older persons".

16.30-16.55 Audience participation, including via Skype.

Round 2 (17.00-17.40)

What are the enabling environment and conditions to allow elders to live a life with dignity

5 minutes introduction by each the panelists and followed by interactive conversations.

John R. Beard, Director of Ageing and Life Course Department, World Health Organisation. Geneva. Topic: "The WHO Framework on Age-Friendly Environment and Combatting Ageism".

Jiang Wu, Professor, Beijing Centre for Organisational Learning & Urban Governance Innovation, Tsinghua University, Beijing. Topic: "Policy and Practices of Caring for the Ageing Population in China: Governance Innovations and Challenges"

Regula Ruez (by Skype), Director of MetroBasel, "Ageing in the Context of Sustainable Urban Development: Basle Perspective and Experiences"

Jerry Zhiyong Lan, Professor, School of Public Policy and Management, Tsinghua University, Beijing. Topic: "Ageing in the Context of Sustainable Urban Development: A Comparative Analysis".

17.20 -17.40 Audience participation, including via Skype.

Closure (17.40-17.45)

Reception

Moderator

Lichia Yiu, President, Centre for Socio-Eco-Nomic Development (CSEND)