

2018 World Elder Abuse Awareness Day
Moving from Awareness to Action
through a Human Rights based approach



Conference Room 9, UNHQ, New York
14 June 2018 (1:15 PM – 2:30 PM)

Welcome

H.E. Ambassador Jorge Skinner-Klée, Permanent Representative of Guatemala to the United Nations, World Elder Abuse Awareness Day Statement on behalf of the Group of Friends of Older Persons, New York

Ms. Janet Sigal, Chair of the NGO Committee on Ageing, New York

Global Showcase

Moderator - Susan Somers, President of the International Network for the Prevention of Elder Abuse (INPEA)

Mobilizing Stakeholders - Challenging Social Norms - Addressing violence, abuse and exploitation of older persons through promoting autonomy, a human rights-based approach.

INPEA NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVES, NGO'S AND NATIONAL GOVERNMENTAL ACTIONS

EUROPE- (via video)

SERBIA: Promoting Older Persons' Self-help and Human Rights, Through Local and International Advocacy. Red Cross of Serbia: **Natasa Todorovic**, MPH and **Milutin Vracevic**, MD, MPH. Co-national representatives, INPEA. Recipients of the International Rosalie S. Wolf Memorial Award¹ Preventing Elder Abuse, 2018

AUSTRIA: Committee on Ageing, Vienna, **Jacqueline Stark**, Chair (International Federation on Ageing), **Ulrike Waginger**, MD, McS, INPEA

NORTH AMERICA

Intergenerational Conflict Resolution Model, **Linda Fieldstone**, **Sue Bronson**, **Judge Michelle Morley**, Co-Chairs, Eldercaring Coordination Initiative

Nursing Homes: Who's Watching the Watchdogs? **Jack Kupferman**, President, Gray Panthers

ASIA - (via video)

REPUBLIC OF KOREA: National End of Life Legislation: Education and Advocacy, "Well Dying Act", **SooYoun Han**, PhD, MSW Co-Founder, CARE Rights, Seoul

LATIN AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN - (via video)

Building a Culture of Respect, International Longevity Argentina (ILC-**ARGENTINA**), and International Longevity Dominican Republic (ILC-**DOMINICAN REPUBLIC**)

Interactive Discussion

Closing Remarks

Mr. Ariel Gonzalez Serafini, First Secretary, Permanent Mission of Argentina

Moving Forward: 9th working session of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing, and the 70th Anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights

¹ The International Rosalie Wolf Memorial Award is presented at the Global level, annually by INPEA to "an individual who has demonstrated dedication and commitment to the ideals of Rosalie Wolf to prevent and reduce elder abuse and promote awareness through one or more of the following: research, education, policy, practice.