

# Open-ended Working Group on Ageing (General Assembly resolution 65/182)

New York, 18-21 April 2011, First working session

Time	Monday 18 April	Tuesday 19 April	Wednesday 20 April	Thursday 21 April
<p><b>Morning meeting:</b></p> <p><b>10 am to 1 pm</b></p>	<p>Opening of the session</p> <p>Opening Statements- Current situation of the human rights of older persons around the world</p>	<p><i>Discussion on specific topic:</i> <u>Topic: Setting the scene:</u> Existing international framework on the human rights of older persons</p> <p><b>Panel 1</b> <b>Moderator: Mr. Jean Pierre Gonnot, United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr. Craig Mokhiber, Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights</li> <li>• Ms. Rocio Barahona Riera, Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights</li> <li>• Ms. Mariangels Fortuny and Mr. Krzysztof Hagemeyer, International Labour Organization</li> </ul> <p><i>Interactive dialogue</i></p>	<p><i>Discussion on specific topic:</i> <u>Topic: Setting the scene:</u> Existing regional framework or mechanisms on the human rights of older persons</p> <p><b>Panel 3</b> <b>Moderator: Mr. Léo Faber, Mission of Luxembourg</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms. Reine Alapini Gansou, African Commission on Human and People's Rights</li> <li>• Mr. Mario Lopez, Inter-American Commission on Human Rights</li> <li>• Ms. Virginia Bras Gomes, European human rights system</li> </ul> <p><i>Interactive dialogue</i></p>	<p><i>Discussion on specific topic:</i> <u>Topic:</u> Identification of existing gaps at the international level and measures to address them</p> <p><b>Facilitators:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms. Virginia Bras Gomes</li> <li>• Ms. Reine Alapini Gansou (TBC)</li> </ul> <p><i>Plenary discussion</i></p> <p>Presentation of chair's summary of discussion</p>
<p><b>Afternoon meeting</b></p> <p><b>3pm to 6pm</b></p>	<p>Opening Statements (continuation)</p> <p>Current situation of the human rights of older persons around the world</p>	<p><b>Panel 2</b> <b>Moderator: Mr. Craig Mokhiber, Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms. Amna Ali Al-Suwaidi, Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities</li> <li>• Ms. Ferdous Ara Begum, Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women (former member)</li> <li>• Ms. Bridget Sleaf, Helpage International</li> </ul> <p><i>Interactive dialogue</i></p>	<p><b>Panel 4</b> <b>Moderator: Mr. Dirk Jaspers, United Nations Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr. Makmur Sunusi, Association of South East Asian Nations</li> <li>• Ms. Kavitta Chetty, Scottish Human Rights Commission</li> <li>• Mr. Javier Vasquez, Pan-American Health Organization/ World Health Organization</li> </ul> <p><i>Interactive dialogue</i></p>	<p>Closure of Session</p>