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## **General Assembly**

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# **Open-ended Working Group on Ageing Fourteenth session**

20 to 22 and 24 May 2024

### **Proposed Organization of Work**

Date/time	Agenda item	Programme	
Monday, 20 May		Opening session	
10 a.m. – 1 p.m.			
	Item 1. Election of officers		
	<b>Item 2.</b> Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters		
	Item 3. Participation of national human rights institutions in the work of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing		
	Item 4. Participation of non- governmental organizations in the work of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing		
	<b>Item 5.</b> Measures to enhance the promotion and protection of the human rights and dignity of older persons	General discussion	
3 p.m. – 6 p.m.	Item 5. (continued)	General discussion	

Date/time	Agenda item	Programme
<b>Tuesday, 21 May</b> 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	<b>Item 6.</b> Follow-up to resolution 78/177: measures to enhance the promotion and	Follow-up to resolution <u>78/177</u> : Follow-up of the focus areas of the thirteenth session – Discussion on normative inputs
	protection of the human rights and dignity of older persons: best practices, lessons learned, possible content for a multilateral legal instrument and identification of areas and issues where further protection and action are needed	Introduction by OHCHR of working document A/AC.278/2024/CRP.2
		Interactive expert panel discussion
		Moderator:
		Emem Omokaro, Director General, National Senior Citizens Centre, Nigeria (TBC)
		Panelists:
		Moushira Khattab, President of the National Council for Human Rights, Egypt
		Zhang Xiaobin, Division Director, Department of Ageing Work, Ministry of Civil Affairs of China
		Christoph Angster, Senior Policy Officer, Austrian Federal Ministry of Social Affairs, Health, Care and Consumer Protection
		Nena Georgantzi, Human Rights Manager at AGE Platform Europe and Adjunct Lecturer at National University of Ireland Galway
		José Alejandro Córdova Herrera, Doctor, Human Rights Ombudsman, Human Rights Ombudsman's Office of Guatemala
		Odelia Fitoussi, Vice-Chair of the Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, Israel
		Interactive discussion
3 p.m. – 6 p.m.	Item 7. Other matters	Other matters
		Consideration of the proposed intergovernmental negotiated recommendations submitted pursuant to decision 13/1, regarding the existing international framework of the human rights of older persons and possible gaps, and options on how best to address them

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Wednesday, 22 May	Item 6. (continued)	Focus Area: Accessibility, infrastructure and habitat (transport, housing and access)
10 a.m. – 1 p.m.		Introduction by DESA of working document A/AC.278/2024/CRP.3
		Interactive expert panel discussion
		Moderator:
		Thiago Hérick de Sá, Technical Officer, Age-Friendly Environments, World Health Organization, Geneva
		Panelists:
		Teresa Sancho Castiello, General Director of IMSERSO (Ministry for Social Rights, Consumers and 2030 Agenda)
		Claudia Mahler, Independent Expert on the Enjoyment of All Human Rights by Older Persons
		Tamar Gvaramadze, First Deputy Public Defender, Public Defender's Office of Georgia
		Alexandre Kalache, President of the International Longevity Centre, Brazil
		Himanshu Rath, Founder Chairman, Agewell Foundation, India
		Interactive discussion
3 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Item 6. (continued)	Focus Area: Participation in public life and decision-making processes
		Introduction by OHCHR of working document A/AC.278/2024/CRP.4
		Interactive expert panel discussion
		Moderator:
		Bill Mitchel, Principal Solicitor, Townsville Community Law, Australia

#### **Panelists:**

Lissel Mogaka, Director, Directorate of Social Development, State Department for Social Protection and Senior Citizen Affairs, Kenya

Dong Pengtao, Deputy Chief, Section of Policy Research, Policy Research Department, China National Committee on Ageing

Marco La Marca, Member of the Cabinet of the Vice-President of the European Commission

Carlos Camargo Assis, Ombudsperson of Colombia, National Institute of Human Rights (INDH), The Colombian Ombudsperson office

Heidrun Mollenkopf, Board Member, BAGSO (German National Association of Senior Citizens' Organisations), President of AGE Platform Europe, NGO Representative to the Bureau of UNECE Standing Working Group on Ageing

4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. **Item 7.** Other matters *(continued)* 

Interactive discussion

#### Other matters (continued)

Consideration of the proposed intergovernmental negotiated recommendations submitted pursuant to decision 13/1, regarding the existing international framework of the human rights of older persons and possible gaps, and options on how best to address them

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Friday, 24 May	Item 7. (continued)	Other matters (continued)
10 a.m. – 1 p.m.		Consideration of the proposed intergovernmental negotiated recommendations submitted pursuant to decision 13/1, regarding the existing international framework of the human rights of older persons and possible gaps, and options on how best to address them
3 p.m. – 6 p.m.	Item 7. (continued)	Other matters (continued)
		Discussion on the way forward
	Item 8. Adoption of the report	Adoption of the report
		Closing of the session
		Closing remarks