

### **#UNIDOP | 6 October 2016 | New York**

# Take A Stand Against Ageism







## ECOSOC Chamber, UNHQ, New York 6 October 2016 (10 AM – 1 PM)

## **Opening Session**

Video "No Donuts for You: Fake Age Limits Targets Ageism" Disrupt Ageing, AARP

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

Ms. Nélida Quintero and Ms. Susanne Bleiberg Seperson, Co-Chairs, UNIDOP

Programme Sub-committee, NGO Committee on Ageing in New York

Remarks by H.E. Ambassador Martín García Moritán, Permanent Representative of the Mission

of Argentina to the United Nations

Ms. Daniela Bas, Director, Division for Social Policy and Development, UNDESA

Keynote "Confronting Ageism – Or The Rest Is Noise"

Address Ms. Ashton Applewhite, Author of "This Chair Rocks: A Manifesto against Ageism"

Panel Discussion

"Combating Ageism in Different Contexts"

Video Message Dr. David Nabarro, Special Adviser on 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

Moderator Ms. Edith M. Lederer, Chief Correspondent at the UN for the Associated Press

Panelists H.E. Ambassador Burhan Gafoor, Permanent Representative of the Mission of

Singapore to the United Nations

Ms. Alana Officer, Senior Health Adviser, Ageing and Life Course, WHO, Geneva

Mr. Necodimus Chipfupa, Regional Director, Southern Africa, HelpAge International

Interactive dialogue

### **Closing Session**

Remarks by H.E. Mr. Peter Thomson, President of the seventy-first session of the

General Assembly

Mr. Mateo Estrémé, Deputy Permanent Representative of the Mission of Argentina to the United Nations and Chair of the General Assembly's Open-ended Working

Group on Ageing