



**2008 AARP-UN Briefing Series on Global Aging:  
Opportunities and Challenges for an Aging World**

Sponsored by AARP and the United Nations Programme on Ageing

**5 - 7 February 2008  
1:00 – 3:00 PM  
Delegates Dining Room  
United Nations Headquarters  
New York, NY  
Lunch will be served  
The event is by invitation only**

**Agenda**

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\* Tuesday, February 5  
The Determinants of Health at Older Ages

\* Wednesday, February 6  
Employment and Opportunities for Aging

\* Thursday February 7  
Human Rights and the Participation of Older Persons in Society

**Register by Friday, February 1.**

**Registration**

To register please visit the event website at [www.aarpinternational.org/2008UNBriefingSeries](http://www.aarpinternational.org/2008UNBriefingSeries). Click on the "login to register" button to create an account. Once created, you will be prompted to confirm your registration information.

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**Program Description**

AARP and the United Nations Programme on Ageing, in cooperation with the UN

Department for Social Affairs (UNDESA), will organize a series of briefings from 5 to 7 February 2008. These events will mark the conclusion of the five year review of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing, adopted by the UN Second World Assembly on Ageing in 2002. On this occasion, the UN Commission on Social Development will devote several days to the final review process of the main trends and policy directions that have occurred in this area since the Madrid World Assembly.

To inform the discussion and to provide the background to some of the major trends, AARP is working with UNDESA to convene three luncheon briefings, which will bring together government delegates, NGOs, foundations, and academics to discuss the themes of the Madrid Plan of Action on Ageing, as well as the theme of the 2008 UN Commission for Social Development. The venue for these meetings will be the United Nations Delegates Dining Room at the UN Headquarters in New York City.

As the theme of the 2008 UN Commission for Social Development is "Promoting full employment and decent work for all," the 2008 briefing series will also focus on the implications and importance of decent work for aging populations.

For further information, proceedings from the 2007 series can be found at <http://www.aarp.org/research/international/event/briefings/>

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