# ELDER ABUSE: A WORLDWIDE ISSUE

Sixth International Conference of the International Network for the Prevention of Elder Abuse (INPEA)





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When World Elder Abuse Awareness Day (WEAAD) was launched by INPEA six years ago, it definitely was an idea whose time had come. Activities that raise awareness about the evils of elder abuse and/or that celebrate the resilience and contributions of seniors now routinely occur around the world on June 15. WEAAD has caught the imagination of and has been embraced by NGOs, government agencies and individuals in many countries.

In 2008, INPEA in partnership with the Canadian Network for Prevention of Elder Abuse, hosted a very successful 2-day conference in Ottawa. In 2009 the official INPEA WEAAD event was held in Paris, in partnership with ALMA, the French national elder abuse prevention organisation, just prior to the World Congress of the International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics.

This year INPEA and Action on Elder Abuse are organising the conference for the first time in London, in collaboration with a range of key partner organisations who work with older people. This will be a major international and national event and one that is funded to attract a maximum number of attendees.

And, if you join INPEA or AEA today, you can take advantage of the reduced conference fee.



## The Programme.

900 to 915	Welcome and Opening remarks
	by Gloria Gutman, President INPEA, Elizabeth Podnieks Founder
	INPEA, and Ariela Lowenstein INPEA European representative
Emerging stra	tegies for preventing and addressing elder abuse:
915 to 945	Elder Abuse: Intelligent intervention and protection. Gary FitzGerald, Chief Executive Action on Elder Abuse
945 to 1000	A legal perspective on elder abuse. Robert Hunt, Herbert Smith LLP
1000 to 1015	Detecting and preventing financial abuse of older adults: Findings from the new dynamics of ageing project. Mary Gilhooly, Brunel Institute for Ageing Studies.
1015 to 1030	Changing technology in banking services. Challenges and opportunities for preventing financial abuse. Lucy Malenczuk. Financial Services Policy Advisor, Age UK
1030 to 1045	Coffee
1045 to 1100	Results from the 7 country ABUEL study. Jutta Lindert, Dept. of Public Health Sciences Protestant University of Ludwigsburg, Germany
1100 to 1115	Intimate partner violence in older women: UK perspectives. Bridget Penhale, University of East Anglia.
1115 to 1200	Keynote Address: Jorge Pinto Antunes, Strategy and Analysis, DG Health and Consumers, European Commission, Brussels
1200 to 1300	Lunch
Big Issues:	
1300 to 1400	Numbers matter if we are to move from awareness to action: prevalence estimates from recent studies
	Findings from the Irish National Study. Corina Naughton, National Centre for Protection of older people. UCD School of Nursing Midwifery and Health Systems, Dublin, Ireland.
	Findings from the 5 country AVOW study of older women. Liesbeth De Donder, Vrije University, Belgium.
	The New York State elder abuse study. Patricia Brownell, Fordham University, USA

1400 to 1430	Towards a UN convention on the rights of older people.		
	Lia Daichman – Immediate Past President INPEA; Susan Somers –		
	Secretary-General INPEA & UN Team Leader		
1430 to 1500	Progress towards reaching a concensus on definitions.		
	Lynn McDonald Canada		
1500 to 1515	Coffee		
Emerging strategies for preventing and addressing elder abuse:			
1515 to 1545	Evidence based tools to facilitate detection, intervention and		
	prevention of elder abuse and neglect.		
	Lynn McDonald Canada and Ariela Lowenstein Israel - NICE		
	Knowledge to Action Project; and Amanda Phelan Ireland		
1545 to 1615	New developments in education and training of practitioners and researchers.		
	Ester Grau - Coordinator, Master's Course on Elder Abuse, Valencia International University, and Marie Beaulieu Canada – University of		
	Sherbrook's Chair in Elder Abuse		
1615 to 1630	New information on risk factors.		
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Regional Highlights			
1630 to 1635	Mala Shankardass. INPEA Regional Representative for Asia		
1635 to 1640	Abla Mehio Sibai. INPEA Region Representative Middle East and North Africa		
1640 to 1645	Wayne Fielding. INPEA Regional Representative for Oceania (by video)		
1645 to 1650	Luz Barreto. INPEA Regional Representative for Latin America and the Caribbean		
1650 to 1655	Marie Beaulieu. INPEA Regional Representative for North America		
1655 to 1700	Ariela Lowenstein. INPEA Regional Representative for Europe		
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1715 to 1730	Closing remarks		
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