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International Hub
for Human Rights of Older Persons

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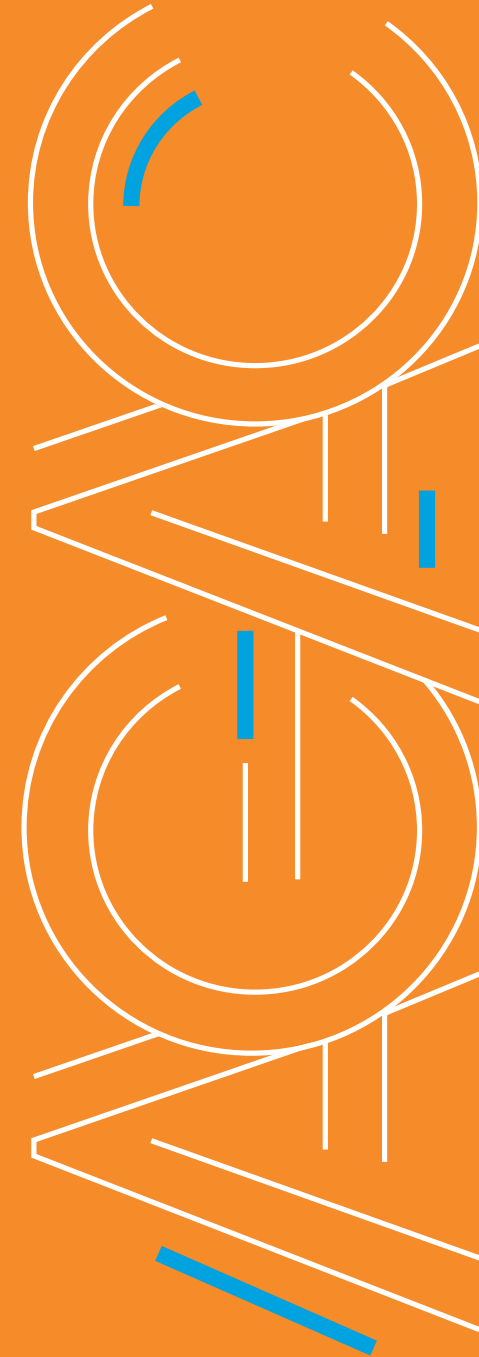
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About ASEM Global Ageing Center (AGAC)



ASEM Global Ageing Center is a specialized international institution headquartered in Seoul, which operates as an international hub for coordinating a wide variety of agendas regarding human rights of older persons of ASEM partners.

The center aims to address various issues regarding human rights of older persons, which ASEM partners are confronting, and ultimately contribute to the promotion and protection of human rights of older persons through policy research, exchange cooperation, awareness raising and education, and information sharing.



History



Objectives & Major Projects



01 Policy Research Projects



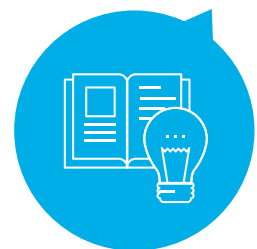
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Research Projects including analysis on the current status of human rights of older persons and policy research for the promotion and protection of human rights of older persons

Exchange and Cooperation Projects with ASEM partners and various relevant local and international institutions

Awareness Raising and Education Projects to raise awareness about senior citizens and ageism, and educate about the protection of human rights of older persons

Information Sharing Service by providing national and international policies, reports and major trends in regard to human rights of older persons



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01 Policy Research Projects

Analysis on the Current Status of Human Rights of Older Persons

The center analyzes the current status of human rights of older persons to share the importance of human rights of older persons with the international community.

Policy Research and Recommendation

The center performs various researches on ageing and human rights of older persons, and publishes research reports and various publications to disseminate to ASEM partners.

Index Development

The center carries out preceding research on index development in order to qualify and quantify the situation of human rights of older persons in ASEM partners, with the aim of understanding the issues of human rights of older persons in the ASEM region.

02 Exchange and Cooperation Projects

International Conference on Ageing and Human Rights of Older Persons

The center organizes conferences and seminars with the participation of ASEM partners, national and international experts from academia and international organizations on various agendas of human rights of older persons.

Cooperative Network on the Issues of Human Rights of Older Persons

As an international hub for the issues of human rights of older persons, the center will create national, international networks between private, public sectors and academia in order to perform various cooperation projects.

03 Awareness Raising and Education Projects

Awareness Raising Campaigns

The center implements collaborative campaigns with local and foreign institutions for the improvement of the awareness of senior citizens.

Development of Human Rights Education Programmes and Materials

The center develops, implements and disseminates education programmes and education materials relevant to ageing and human rights of older persons.



04 Information Sharing Service

Establishment of Database and Information Sharing about Human Rights of Older Persons

The center operates a website which collects and shares information about national and international policies, legislations and major trends relevant to human rights of older persons.



<p>Policy Research</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analysis on current status • Policy research and recommendation • Index development 	<p>Exchange Cooperation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International conference on ageing and human rights of older persons • Establishment of cooperative networks
<p>Information Sharing Service</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creation and operation of a website • Establishment of database and information sharing 	<p>Awareness Raising and Education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Awareness raising campaigns • Development of education materials • Operation of education programmes

Expected Impacts

Major Issues	Work and Activities of AGAC	Enhancement of Human Rights of Older Persons
Violence and Abuse	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Development of the guidelines for human rights of older persons Research on the international convention on the rights of older persons 	Enhancement of the rights to freedom from violence, abuse and neglect
Poverty	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> International conferences and seminars Index development 	Enhancement of the right to maintain decent standards of living, right to work
Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regular monitoring on the situation of human rights of older persons Network building with experts Share best practices 	Enhancement of the right to health
Ageism and Discrimination	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Awareness raising on the elderly Campaign for the improvement of elderly discrimination 	Enhancement of the right not to be discriminated



Reduction of social costs for resolving the issues regarding human rights of older persons

Organization

