



## ENVISIONING AGEING IN PLACE

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TORONTO, ON

## ENVISIONING AGEING IN PLACE PRELIMINARY AGENDA

The rapidly growing and diverse ageing population presents Canada with the challenge of an increasing proportion of older adults with unique needs, priorities, resources and factors that influence their ability to stay as healthy and independent as possible.

How will our society prepare to support older Canadians to live independently in their homes and communities?

The **National Institute on Ageing's** "Envisioning Ageing in Place" conference will bring together experts, thought leaders, practitioners and delegates to "widen the lens" to look at the models, practices and stakeholders that will be needed to support older adults to age in place. A variety of age-friendly perspectives will be explored, such as housing and inclusive home design, urban and municipal planning and policies, innovative community and residential care models, and social resilience and capacity-building.

## REGISTRATION AND CONTACT INFORMATION

### CONFERENCE TIME:

November 23, 2017: 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

### CONFERENCE LOCATION:

Sears Atrium, 3rd Floor, George Vari Engineering and Computing Centre, 245 Church Street, Ryerson University, Toronto, ON

### TO REGISTER:

Registration Fees:  
\$79 (Early Bird Rate until October 20, 2017)  
\$99 (Regular Rate after October 20, 2017)

### CONTACT INFORMATION:

If you have questions about the conference, please contact:

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# AGENDA - THURSDAY NOVEMBER 23<sup>RD</sup>

8:00 A.M - 8:30 A.M.

## REGISTRATION

8:30 A.M. – 8:45 A.M.

## WELCOME & KICK OFF REMARKS

**Dr. Samir Sinha**, Director of Geriatrics, Sinai Health System and University Health Network, Associate Professor, Department of Medicine, Institute of Health Policy, Management and Evaluation

8:45 A.M. – 9:45 A.M.

## MORNING KEYNOTE

### THE CHANGING DEMOGRAPHIC LANDSCAPE, AND THE IMPLICATIONS FOR AGEING IN PLACE

**Doug Norris**, VP, Environics

9:45 A.M. – 10:15 A.M.

## WHY WE NEED AN “ALL OF THE ABOVE” APPROACH TO AGEING BOOMERS, AND DEFINING THE OPTIONS FOR AGEING IN PLACE

**Sue Lantz**, Managing Director, Collaborative Aging; NIA Advisory Board

10:15 A.M. - 10:40 A.M.

## MORNING BREAK

10:40 A.M. - 11:40 A.M.

## PANEL ONE

### SHIFTING TOWARDS INCLUSIVE MUNICIPAL PLANNING PROCESSES AND LAND USE POLICIES TO MORE EFFECTIVELY SUPPORT AGEING IN PLACE

#### DISCUSSION LEADER:

- **Glenn Miller**, Senior Associate, Canadian Urban Institute

#### PANELISTS:

- **Arlene Etchen**, Knowledge Transfer Consultant, Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC)
- **John Lewis**, Associate Professor, School of Planning, University of Waterloo
- **Mark Taylor**, Deputy Mayor, Ottawa City Councillor for Bay Ward

11:40 A.M. - 12:50 P.M.

## PANEL TWO

### BUILDING DESIGN AND RENOVATIONS: INNOVATIVE IDEAS FOR ACCESSIBILITY AND “FUTURE-PROOFING” HOUSING

#### DISCUSSION LEADER:

- **Gary Sharp**, Director of Renovator Services, Canadian Home Builders' Association

#### PANELISTS:

- **Don Fenn**, CEO, Caregiver Omnimedia
- **Don Loucks**, Principal Architect, Metropolitan Design Ltd.
- **Lesya Dyk**, Occupational Therapist, LDOT Services

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12:50 P.M. - 1:30 P.M.

## LUNCH

1:30 P.M. - 2:30 P.M.

## PANEL THREE

### COLLABORATIVE AND COST-EFFECTIVE STRATEGIES TO INCREASE THE IMPACT AND REACH OF AGE-FRIENDLY COMMUNITIES

#### DISCUSSION LEADER:

- **Sarah Webster**, Knowledge Broker, Ontario Age-Friendly Communities Outreach Program

#### PANELISTS:

- **Christine McMillan**, Board Member, OASIS Senior Supportive Living Inc.
- **Doreen Boville**, Chair, Kawartha Lakes Age-Friendly Committee: Business Engagement Strategy; and Health Promoter, HKPR District Health Unit
- **Taralyn Prindiville**, Project Manager, Hamilton Seniors Isolation Impact Plan - Backbone Project

2:30 P.M. - 2:45 P.M.

## AFTERNOON BREAK

2:45 P.M. - 3:45 P.M.

## PANEL FOUR

### EMERGING RESIDENTIAL MODELS FOR COMPLEX AND/OR SPECIALIZED POPULATIONS TO AGE IN PLACE

#### DISCUSSION LEADER:

- **Lisa Salapatek**, Chief Program and Public Policy Officer, Alzheimer Society of Ontario

#### PANELISTS:

- **Laurie Johnston**, CEO, Ontario Residential Communities Association (ORCA)
- **Greg Christenson**, President and Co-Owner, Christenson Developments (CDL Homes)
- **Doug Snyder**, Founding Principal, Snyder Architects

3:45 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.

## CLOSING REMARKS

**Dr. Samir Sinha**, Director of Geriatrics, Sinai Health System and University Health Network, Associate Professor, Department of Medicine, Institute of Health Policy, Management and Evaluation

The National Institute on Ageing is dedicated to enhancing successful ageing across the life course. It is unique in its mandate to consider ageing issues from a broad range of important perspectives, including those of financial, physical, psychological and social wellness. The NIA is a university-based institute focused on leading cross-disciplinary research to better understand issues that can lead to the development of evidence-informed actionable insights that can meaningfully contribute towards shaping the innovative policies, practices and products that will be needed to address the multiple challenges and opportunities presented by Canada’s coming of age.

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