



12-13 July 2021

Online Event



Plenary Moderator: **Tamsin Rose**

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DAY 1 Monday, 12 July

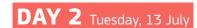
2021 Long-term care and pension adequacy

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09h15	WELCOME
09h20 to 09h30	Introductory words - Rita Skrebiškienė, Vice-Chair, Social Protection Committee
09h30 to 10h00	Old-age income adequacy in the EU: key findings of the 2021 Pension Adequacy Report (Joint Report of the Social Protection Committee and the European Commission) Presentation by: Gijsbrecht Dekkers, Chair of the Working Group on Pension Adequacy, Social Protection Committee
10h00 to 10h30	Long-term care in the EU: Key findings of the 2021 Long-Term Care Report (Joint Report of the Social Protection Committee and the European Commission) Presentation by: James Carabott, Chair of the Working Group on Long-term Care, Social Protection Committee
10h30 to 11h30	Growing old in Europe: quo vadis? High Level Panel Debate Panel discussion: - Nicolas Schmit, European Commissioner for Jobs and Social Rights - Karine Lalieux, Minister of Pensions and Social Integration, Belgium - José Luis Escrivá Belmonte, Minister for Inclusion, Social Security and Migration, Spain - Janez Cigler Kralj, Minister for Labour, Family, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities, Slovenia
11h30 to 11h45	Break (please stay online)
11h45 to 12h45	 How to ensure adequate pensions and long-term care in an ageing society? Panel discussion: Rute Guerra, Ministry of Labour, Solidarity and Social Security of Portugal, vice-chair of the Working Group on Pension Adequacy, Social Protection Committee Liina Carr, Confederal Secretary, European Trade Union Confederation Maxime Cerutti, Social Affairs Director, Business Europe Heather Roy, Secretary General, Eurodiaconia and Social Platform Mifsud Godwin, Chair of the Ageing Working Group, Economic Policy Committee
12h45 to 13h20	Interactive session with the audience
13h20 to 13h30	Closing of the day by Dubravka Šuica, European Commission Vice-President for Democracy and Demography

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9h15 **Welcome and registration**

Parallel breakout sessions on Pension Adequacy

9h15 to 10h15

Income inequality in old age and gender gap: addressing the challenges ahead

Panel discussion:

- Philippe Seidel, Policy Officer, AGE Platform Europe
- Jozef Pacolet, Emeritus Professor, KU Leuven
- Nataša Kump, Researcher, Institute of Economic Research of Slovenia
- Liliane Volozinskis, Director, SMEunited

10h15 to 11h15

Pension financing in the long-term perspective: supporting fairness

Panel discussion:

- Andreas Thiemann, Economist, Joint Research Centre
- Guillame Afellat, Policy Advisor, SGI Europe
- Agnieszka Chłoń-Domińczak, Associate Professor, Warsaw School of Economics
- David Natali, Professor, Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies

Parallel break-out sessions on Long-term care

9h15 to 10h15

How to ensure accessible and affordable long-term care?

Panel discussion:

- Ricardo Rodrigues, Deputy Director, European Centre for Social Welfare Policy and Research
- Satish Mishra, Technical Officer, WHO Regional Office
- **Ana Llena-Nozal**, Senior Economist, OECD Health Division

10h15 to 11h15

Workforce as a driver for quality in long-term care

Panel discussion:

- Tadas Leončikas, Senior Research Manager, Eurofound
- Valentina Zigante, Research Officer, Care Policy and Evaluation Centre (CPEC), London School of Economics
- Penny Clark, Deputy General Secretary, European Federation of Public Service Unions (EPSU)
- Susan Cliffe, Deputy Chief Inspector of Social Services for Older Persons, Health Information and Quality Authority (HIQA), Ireland and Member of European Social Network

11h15 to 11h30	Break (please stay online)
Plenary/Wrap-	up Session
11h30 to 12h45	What's next? The future of pension adequacy and long-term care
	Panel discussion:
	- Monika Queisser, Head of Social Policy Division, OECD
	 Marjorie Lestienne, Regional Coordinator for Europe, International Social Security Association
	 Katarina Ivanković-Knežević, Director, DG Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion, European Commission
	 Tomáš Zdechovský, MEP, Vice-Chair of the Committee on Employment and Social Affairs
	- Kristoffer Lundberg, Chair of the Indicators Sub-group, Social Protection Committee
	Closing remarks
12h45 to 13h00	Joost Korte, Director-General for Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion, European

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