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Seminar

The Enjoyment of Human Rights for Older Persons: Examining Challenges and Opportunities

The global population of older adults has significantly risen due to improved living conditions and healthcare. Similar to children, older adults are considered a vulnerable group and deserve attention, care and respect. In light of this, legal scholars have recently started to address the rights of older individuals and how these rights can be safeguarded. Notably, some international law experts are advocating for the establishment of a UN Convention dedicated to the rights of older adults. In this webinar, we aim to delve into this critical discussion and gain insights from experts in the field.

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