The 61st session of the UN Commission on the Status of Women

ACCESSIBLE CITIES & THE NEEDS OF WOMEN WITH DISABILITIES AND OLDER WOMEN

Panel discussion

Date: March 15, 2017
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.
Venue: UN Headquarter New York City, Conference Room B

Programme

• Welcome
  Permanent Mission of the Federal Republic of Germany to the United Nations
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• Introduction
  Ms. Elke Ferner, Parliamentary State Secretary in the Federal Ministry of
  Family, Seniors, Women and Youth

• Berlin – Winner of the European Access City Award 2013
  Ms. Simone Bröschke, Deputy Head of Division for EU and International
  Affairs, Senate Department for Urban Development and Housing of Berlin

• Implementation of the UN-Convention on the Rights of People with Disabilities
  Ms. Ana Pelaez, European Disability Forum
  Ms. Stephanie Ortoleva, Women Enabled International

• Accessible Cities and the New Urban Agenda
  Ms. Laura Pérez Castaño, City of Barcelona and Metropolis Women International
  Network

Moderator: Ms. Lois A. Herman, WUNRN - Women’s UN Report Network

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