

**EXPERT GROUP MEETING ON  
THE POST-2015 ERA: IMPLICATIONS FOR THE GLOBAL RESEARCH AGENDA  
ON POPULATION AND DEVELOPMENT**

Population Division  
Department of Economic and Social Affairs  
United Nations Secretariat  
New York  
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**ORGANIZATION OF WORK**

08:45 – 09:00 Registration Conference Room 5

09:00 – 10:00 **1. Opening of the meeting** Conference Room 5

- Introductions and objective of meeting: *John Wilmoth, Population Division, United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UN DESA)*
- Keynote address: “A new population and development research agenda for the post-2015 era” *Jeffrey Sachs, The Earth Institute, Columbia University*
- Discussion

10:15 – 11:30 Concurrent interactive discussions

**2. Changing age structures and their impact: youth** Conference Room 5

- Key trends: *Population Division, UN DESA*
- Moderator: *Noella Richard, United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)*  
Expert: *Jean-François Kobiané, Université de Ouagadougou*  
Expert: *Steven Kapsos, International Labour Organization (ILO)*  
Expert: *Kemi Williams, UK Department for International Development (DFID)*

**3. Population and global health** Conference Room E

- Key trends: *Population Division, UN DESA*
- Moderator: *Somnath Chatterji, World Health Organization (WHO)*  
Expert: *Prabhat Jha, University of Toronto*  
Expert: *Daniel Kress, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation*  
Expert: *Robert Black, Johns Hopkins University*

11:30 – 11:45 Break

- 11:45 – 13:00 Concurrent interactive discussions
- 4. Changing age structures and their impact: ageing** Conference Room E
- Key trends: *Population Division, UN DESA*
  - Moderator: *Jorge Bravo, Population Division, UN DESA*  
Expert: *Ronald Lee, University of California, Berkeley*  
Expert: *John Haaga, National Institute on Ageing*  
Expert: *Reiko Hayashi, National Institute of Population and Social Security Research, Japan*
- 5. Population and reproductive health** Conference Room 5
- Key trends: *Population Division, UN DESA*
  - Moderator: *Bruce Campbell, United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA)*  
Expert: *Amy Tsui, Johns Hopkins University*  
Expert: *John Bongaarts, Population Council*  
Expert: *Shawn Malarcher, United States Agency for International Development (USAID)*
- 13:00 – 14:30 Lunch
- 14:30 – 16:00 Concurrent interactive discussions
- 6. Sustainable urbanization** Conference Room E
- Key trends: *Population Division, UN DESA*
  - Moderator: *Deborah Balk, City University of New York*  
Expert: *Shlomo Angel, New York University*  
Expert: *Jose Miguel Guzman, ICF International*  
Expert: *Lauren Sorkin, Rockefeller Foundation*
- 7. International migration and development** Conference Room 5
- Key trends: *Population Division, UN DESA*
  - Moderator: *Clare Menozzi, Population Division, UN DESA*  
Expert: *Pietro Mona, Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation*  
Expert: *Takiywaa Manuh, United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA)*  
Expert: *Cris Beauchemin, Institut National d'Etudes Démographiques*
- 16:00 – 16:15 Break
- 16:15 – 18:00 **8. Summary and conclusions** Conference Room 5
- Summary of key points from each session (*Rapporteurs*)
  - Discussion
  - Concluding remarks: *John Wilmoth, Population Division, United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UN DESA)*