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**United Nations ECOSOC Chamber**

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- **Karoline Schmid**, Chief, Fertility and Population Ageing Section, Population Division, DESA

## **Concluding Remarks:**

**Amal Abou Rafeh**, Chief, Programme Unit on Ageing, DESA

**Afterwards, join us for a fundraising luncheon:**

2-4 PM at **Allora Restaurant**. 145 E 47th St, New York, NY 10017

**Online Registration for both/either event required.**

Registration opens August 2019. Closes Sept. 30th 2019.

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