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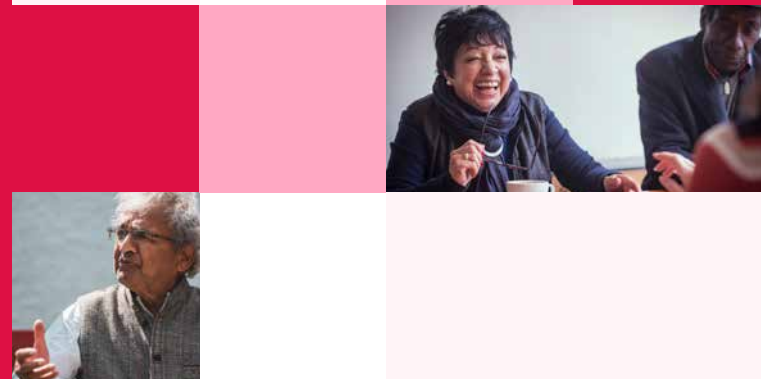


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SCOTTISH OLDER PEOPLE'S ASSEMBLY

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OUR MISSION

The Scottish Older People's Assembly exists to give a **strong voice to Older People** about their experience of life in Scotland, the challenges they face and concerns they have, and to celebrate the positive contribution that Older People make to society.

FOUR WAYS SOPA WORKS TO ACHIEVE ITS AIMS

BRINGING OLDER PEOPLE TOGETHER

SOPA delivers an annual Assembly, parliamentary receptions, events, outreach and consultations.

CAMPAIGNING

SOPA campaigns against stereotyping of older people, takes up issues of concern to members and supports the campaigns of partner organisations.

SUPPORTING RESEARCH

SOPA partners with universities, academics and research bodies.

BEING AT THE TABLE

SOPA is a member of the Older People's Strategic Action Forum (OPSAF), Cross Party groups, the Age-friendly Communities UK Network and Unforgotten Forces Consortium.

OLDER PEOPLE ARE AS DIVERSE AS ANY OTHER SECTOR OF THE POPULATION.



MEMBERSHIP

SOPA is a membership organisation.

There are two categories of membership:

FULL MEMBERSHIP

Open to organisations involved in any aspect of promoting the voice and experience of older people.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

Open to other bodies (whether public sector or private sector) and to individuals.

Members are invited to meetings of the Planning Group which take place around four times a year, and our Parliamentary Reception and Assembly. SOPA holds local outreach events and we are involved in many consultations and other engagement activities.

GET INVOLVED

BECOME A MEMBER

To become a member, you need to complete and submit a membership form. Forms are available to download from our website under SOPA Members>Become a Member or you can contact SOPA to request one.

JOIN OUR MAILING LIST

To receive emails with updates on our activities and invitations to events, contact SOPA and ask to join our mailing list.

