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Panel 1: Evaluation of current policies concerning older people

- activities of the *European
Commission*

- activities of *AGE
Platform Europe*



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Activities of AGE Platform Europe

----> AGE barometer

----> Projects

----> Advocacy work

----> Networking



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Activities of European Commission

- > Specific tools
- > Project Financing
- > Innovation and innovative approaches



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Aim of the present panel: past policies
concerning older people – *first part*

- The achievements of EU policies concerning
older people and demographic change since
2002



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Aim of the present panel: past policies
concerning older people – *second part*

- which are the remaining obstacles to the
full inclusion of older people?

I want to change this question in a positive
one:

- *what can we do to remove the remaining
obstacles to the full inclusion of older
people inside the society?*

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----> A society without ageism

→ **#noageism**

----> An EU strategy for older people

→ **#eustrategyforolderpeople**

----> An EU equality law framework

→ **#euequalitydirective**

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