

You are invited to hear...

LORD ADAIR TURNER

(Chairman of the Financial Services Authority – FSA)

Speaking on

PENSIONS AND AGEING

to an invited audience

at the

CIVIC CENTRE COUNCIL CHAMBER, NEWCASTLE

Friday 5th February 2010

3.00pm-5.00pm

(followed by a drinks reception in the Pandon Room until 6.00pm)

Part of NEWCASTLE UNIVERSITY'S CHANGING AGE PROGRAMME 2010

**This is a ticket-only event (which is free of charge). Apply to
Sarah Armstrong on 0191 248 1353 or sarah.armstrong2@ncl.ac.uk**

Even if you think it is too late for you - your children and grandchildren will be affected. They may not have a chance to hear this lecture, but you have. Why not take advantage of the possibility?

Extract from the blurb accompanying the invitation.:

“As you know, the Government is undertaking a landmark reform of the UK pensions system designed to deliver increased financial security for an ageing population.

“In 2005 the independent Pensions Commission published the report “A New Pension Settlement for the 21st century” containing a series of recommendations for long term reform. This report was the outcome of a major review led by Lord Turner, into the reforms needed for the future of pension’s provision in the UK. His basic premise was that in the decades to come, people should be working longer, retiring later, saving more and receiving higher pensions once they have retired.

“Lord Turner proposed a sharp change in what was the current philosophy behind the state pension scheme and that in the future, the state would concentrate its economic firepower on ensuring that no pensioners live in poverty.”