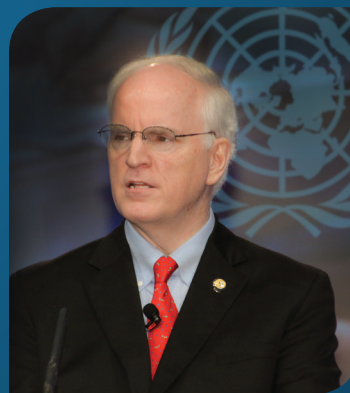


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Huon H. Gray, MD, FACC
ACC Assembly of International Governors Past Chair

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John Gordon Harold, MD, MACC
ACC Immediate Past President
Remarks at the United Nations' General Assembly Informal Interactive Hearing on Prevention and Control of Non-Communicable Diseases

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