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facilitates their integration in the society so that they can age more actively. Active Ageing and Labour Market Engagement offers an

analytical perspective to professionals, researchers, and policy makers interested in gerontology.