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Immersion education: exploring what works in linguistically diverse contexts across Europe

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CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

- By invitation only -

08.15-08.45	Registration
08.45-09.15	Opening words
	<p>Jaume Carot University of the Balearic Islands <i>Rector</i></p> <p>Inaki Irazabalbeitia Coppieters Foundation <i>Member of the Bureau</i></p> <p>Agustina Vilaret Network to Promote Linguistic Diversity <i>Chair</i></p> <p>Miquel Company Government of the Balearic Islands <i>Regional-Minister for European funds, University & Culture</i></p>
09.15-10.00	Keynote speech: Comparing the aims and outcomes of European minority language education
	<p>Durk Gorter Ikerbasque Research Professor & UPV/EHU</p>
10.00-10.45	The international debates on the language immersion system
	<p>Agustina Vilaret Government of the Balearic Islands & NPLD Chair</p> <p>Miren Dobarán Government of the Basque Country</p> <p>Vicent Climent Government of Catalonia</p>
10.45-11.15	<i>Coffee break</i>
11.15-11.45	Panel I: 50 years of bilingual teaching in France: educational achievement and institutional uncertainty
	<p>Fulup Jakez Office Public de la Langue Bretonne</p>
11.45-12.15	Panel II: Integrating migrants through language immersion models
11.45- 12.00	The case of Catalonia
	<p>Clara Prades Government of Catalonia</p>
12.00 -12.15	The case of Finland
	<p>Christina Gestrin Folktinget</p>
12.15-12.30	Presentation of the video “Immersion Education”
12.15-12.30	Estibaliz Alkorta Government of the Basque Country
12.30-13.30	<i>Lunch break</i>

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13.30-14.45	Panel III: Other language education models: empirical results	
13.30-13.45	Late immersion in Wales	
	Dafydd Trystan	Coleg Cymraeg Cenedlaethol
13.45-14.00	Slovenian language education in Italy	
	Maja Mezgec	Slovenski Raziskovalni Inštitut
14.00-14.15	Ireland and the Gaeltach	
	Sean Ó Coimín	Foras Na Gaeilge
14.15-14.30	Education and languages in Galicia	
	Valentín García	Government of Galicia
14.30-14.45	The Valencian case	
	Marc Jiménez	Government of Valencia
14.45-15.00	Coffee break	
15.00-15.45	Open discussion: Languages in the education system. Future directions and perspectives	
	Kristina Cunningham	European Commission
	Jarmo Lainio	Committee of Experts of the ECRMLs
	Johan Häggman	FUEN
	William Cisilino	Network to Promote Linguistic Diversity
	Inaki Irazabalbeitia	Coppieters Foundation (MODERATOR)
15.45-16.00	Closing words	
	Inaki Irazabalbeitia	Coppieters Foundation Member of the Bureau
	Agustina Vilaret	Network to Promote Linguistic Diversity Chair

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