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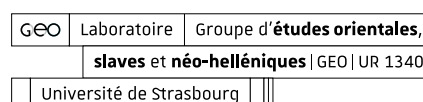
THE SOCIAL ROLE OF HIGHER EDUCATION:

Developing the civil society's awareness
and impacting policies on the role of
multilingualism in education

22-24 March 2023

Programme

Abstracts of presentations
& Contributors' bionotes



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INTRODUCTORY NOTE

The 2023 symposium is a follow up of ECSPM work for research-based policy recommendations and scholarly inquiry with the intent to strengthen the role of European HE in transforming attitudes to languages, multilingualism and plurilingualism for linguistic justice and more inclusive learning environments. Our concerns are upraised during these trying times for Europe and the rest of the world, facing challenges of interconnectedness and a drift towards the privatisation, the internationalisation and the consequent Englishisation of HE – all of which may have a backsliding effect on democracy. Our vision is related to the potential of universities to contribute to human and social development in democratic societies, through the facilitation of greater inclusiveness and respect for linguistic-cultural diversity, multilingualism and plurilingualism which are at the heart of the matter.

NOTE D'INTRODUCTION

Le symposium 2023 s'inscrit dans le prolongement des travaux de la GPEC visant à formuler des recommandations politiques fondées sur la recherche et à mener des enquêtes universitaires dans le but de renforcer le rôle de l'enseignement supérieur européen dans la transformation des attitudes à l'égard des langues, du multilinguisme et du plurilinguisme, en vue d'une justice linguistique et d'environnements d'apprentissage plus inclusifs. Nos préoccupations sont soulevées en ces temps difficiles pour l'Europe et le reste du monde, confrontés aux défis de l'interconnexion et à une dérive vers la privatisation, l'internationalisation et l'anglo-saxonisation conséquente de l'enseignement supérieur - qui peuvent tous (faire reculer en danger) la démocratie. Notre vision est liée au potentiel des universités à contribuer au développement humain et social dans les sociétés démocratiques, en facilitant une plus grande inclusion et un plus grand respect de la diversité linguistique et culturelle, du multilinguisme et du plurilinguisme qui sont au cœur de la question.

EINLEITENDE BEMERKUNG

Das Symposium 2023 ist eine Folgemaßnahme der Arbeit des ECSPM für forschungsbasierte politische Empfehlungen und wissenschaftliche Untersuchungen mit dem Ziel, die Rolle der europäischen Hochschulen bei der Veränderung der Einstellung zu Sprachen, Mehrsprachigkeit und Plurilingualismus im Hinblick auf sprachliche Gerechtigkeit und integrativere Lernumgebungen zu stärken. Unsere Bedenken werden in diesen schwierigen Zeiten für Europa und den Rest der Welt geäußert, in denen wir uns den Herausforderungen der Vernetzung und der Privatisierung, der Internationalisierung und der konsequenten Anglisierung des Hochschulwesens gegenübersehen - all dies kann sich nachteilig auf die Demokratie auswirken. Unsere Vision bezieht sich auf das Potenzial der Universitäten, zur menschlichen und sozialen Entwicklung in demokratischen Gesellschaften beizutragen, indem sie eine stärkere Integration und die Achtung der im Mittelpunkt des Interesses stehenden sprachlich-kulturellen Vielfalt, Mehrsprachigkeit und den Plurilingualismus fördern.

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PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

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Wednesday, 22 March 2023

16:30 – 16:45	Welcome to the University of Strasbourg	Irini Tsamadou-Jacobberger , Vice-President of European & International Relations, University of Strasbourg
16:45 – 17:00	Higher Education and Democracy	Katrín Jakobsdóttir , Prime Minister of Iceland, Icelandic Presidency of the Council of Europe
17:00 – 17:30	Education and Democratic Citizenship	Villano Qiriazzi , Head of the Education Department, Directorate of Democratic Participation, Directorate General of Democracy, Council of Europe - Conseil de l'Europe
17:30 – 17:45	The academic profile of the ECSPM	Bessie Dendrinis , ECSPM president
17:45 – 19:00	PANEL: HE for social inclusion and linguistic justice	Chair: Bessie Dendrinis , Contributors: Ianthi Tsimpli , University of Cambridge, Anne Lequy , Magdeburg-Stendal University of Applied Sciences & member of the Board of the EUA, Francois Grin , University of Geneva

Thursday, 23 March 2023

09:00 – 09:15	Welcome address	Michel Deneken , President of the University of Strasbourg
09:15 – 09:30	Practical information	Guðrún Gísladóttir , ECSPM General Secretary
09:30 – 10:00	Introduction to the theme of the symposium	Bessie Dendrinis , ECSPM President
10:00 – 11:00	Is enhanced creativity a valid argument for advocating multilingualism in HE?	François Grin , University of Geneva <i>Discussant: Piet Van Avermaet</i> , University of Gent
	11:00 – 11:15	Coffee break
11:15 – 12:45	EUA and multilingualism: "Universities without walls" (a vision for 2030)	Anne Lequy , Member of the Board of the European University Association <i>Discussant: Theodoros Marinis</i> , University of Konstanz
	12:45 – 14:00	Lunch break
14:00 – 15:00	Of ethics and multilingualism in internationalising university life: A dialogue	Luke Holmes & Caroline Kerfoot , Centre for Research on Bilingualism, Stockholm University <i>Discussant: Maria Zerva</i> , University of Strasbourg
15:00 – 17:00	PANEL: The role of universities in bridging research on multilingualism and society	Chair: Antonella Sorace , University of Edinburgh Contributors: Monica Barni , UniSTRASI, Frances Blanchette , Penn State, Nicole Busby , Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Carmit Altman , Bar Ilan University Coordinator: Tanja Rinker , Katholische Universität Eichstätt – Ingolstadt
17:00 – 18:30	ECSPM GENERAL ASSEMBLY (Amphithéâtre Alain BERETZ)	



Friday, 24 March 2023

09:00 – 10:15 Academic literacies and (inter)disciplinary assemblages: Thinking through languaging in HE
Laura Gurney, University of Waikato (New Zealand)
Discussant: Linda Fisher, University of Cambridge

10:15 – 11:30 Learn in language, through language, and about language
Mark E. King, RMIT Singapore & **Paul J. Thibault**, University of Agder
Discussant: Nicolina Montesano Montessori, Utrecht University of Applied Sciences



11:30 – 12:00 Coffee break

12:00 – 13:30 Plurilingual citizens in multilingual societies: Research domains and challenges
Isabelle Léglise, French National Centre for Scientific Research (CNRS)
Discussant: Nikolay Slavkov, University of Ottawa



13:30 – 15:00 Lunch

15:00 – 16:00 Linguistic diversity and inequality at Dutch universities and the consequences for society
Jos Swanenberg, Tilburg University
Discussant: Massimiliano Spotti, Tilburg University

16:00 – 17:00 Towards a global and plurilingual strategy of curriculum internationalization at the University of Strasbourg. Teachers' representations after training sessions: Hesitating between 'English first' and plurilingualism
Peggy Candas & Chloé Faucompré, University of Strasbourg
Discussant: Andrea Young, University of Strasbourg

17:00 – 18:30 ROUNDTABLE: 2023 symposium conclusions and future steps
Chair: **Irini Tsamadou-Jacobberger**, University of Strasbourg. Contributors: **Waldemar Martyniuk**, ALTE/Jagiellonian University, **Andrea Young**, University of Strasbourg, **Thomas Tinnefeld**, Saarland University of Applied Sciences, **Terry Lamb**, University of Westminster. Coordinator: **Guðrún Gísladóttir**, ECSPM General Secretary

18:30 – 19:00 Symposium closing

ABSTRACTS



PANEL: HE FOR SOCIAL INCLUSION AND LINGUISTIC JUSTICE

Chair: *Bessie Dendrinou*

Contributors: *Ianthi Tsimpli, Anne Lequy & François Grin*

Two of the contributors in this session will be asked predetermined questions relating to the outcomes and the impact of two seminal research multilingualism projects, which were very different from one another and conducted in very dissimilar geopolitical settings. The third contributor will share the position of the European University Association (EUA), which represents more than 850 universities in 49 European countries, influencing EU policies on higher education, research, and innovation. Each contributor will have 10-15 minutes to respond to the question posed by the Chair. Then the audience, made up of scholars who are physically present at the symposium, will be invited to contribute to the session by addressing the speakers to ask additional questions and comment on what has transpired.

IS ENHANCED CREATIVITY A VALID ARGUMENT FOR ADVOCATING MULTILINGUALISM IN HIGHER EDUCATION?

François Grin

The existence of a positive link between “diversity” and “creativity” is often regarded as a forgone conclusion. Should the existence of such a link be demonstrated, it would provide a powerful argument for supporting multilingualism (as one of the chief manifestations of diversity) in various domains, not least in education. However, much of the evidence produced to date is of a general, often inconclusive nature. In this paper, I propose an overview of the conceptual questions that arise before presenting a selection of recent quantitative results about the effects of multilingualism on creative interests and achievements at both individual and group levels.

THE EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATION (EUA) AND MULTILINGUALISM: “UNIVERSITIES WITHOUT WALLS” (A VISION FOR 2030)

Anne Lequy

This talk will focus on the role of the European University Association (EUA) – one of the largest university representative bodies in the world – in reshaping European HE questions related to the challenges of multilingualism. Multilingualism is at the core of EUA mission, because its primary aim is to promote the mobility of students and staff across Europe, a multicultural-multilingual continent. “Universities without walls” is EUA’s vision for 2030 – a vision for open, sustainable and strong universities, serving Europe’s diverse societies towards a better future. It supports the development of the European Education Area and the European Research Area, as it centres on the four university missions, i.e., Learning & Teaching, Research, Innovation, Culture, all of which are linked to multilingualism.

OF ETHICS AND MULTILINGUALISM IN INTERNATIONALISING UNIVERSITY LIFE

Luke Holmes & Caroline Kerfoot

This dialogue will engage with ways of thinking language differently and the potential for responding to social, linguistic, and epistemic difference in a way that might be more justifiably described as ethical and multilingual. It will be grounded by Levinas’ notion of ‘ethical events’, defined here as interactions involving that which is not-known, normative, or ordinarily visible, but for which all involved are called upon to take responsibility. Luke and Caroline will discuss how daily encounters across difference in university classrooms, administration offices, and social spaces point towards the challenges and potential for ethical becoming and improved sociality in an internationalising university.

PANEL: THE ROLE OF UNIVERSITIES IN BRIDGING RESEARCH ON MULTILINGUALISM AND SOCIETY

Chair: *Antonella Sorace*

Contributors: *Carmit Altman, Monica Barni, Frances Blanchette, Nicole Busby*

Coordinator: *Tanja Rinker*

There are many universities where research on different aspects of multilingualism is conducted. One could argue that these universities have a special responsibility for linking research to societal issues, as part of the general impact that universities are expected to have. What is often not recognized is that this responsibility involves two aspects: how to create an environment where this kind of impact is visible and effective, and how to enable the links with society to feed back into research in a significant way. During this session, we will discuss this interaction by focusing on the activities of Bilingualism Matters, a centre for public engagement with an international network and wide-ranging experience of communicating research on multilingualism and language learning in different countries, linguistic environments and political contexts.

ACADEMIC LITERACIES AND (INTER) DISCIPLINARY ASSEMBLAGES: THINKING THROUGH LANGUAGE IN HIGHER EDUCATION

Laura Gurney

Internationally, there is a pressing need for students to become literate across academic disciplines, particularly to address challenges such as environmental sustainability and health crises. Academic language educators understand well that developing students’ academic literacy skills is a process best embedded within disciplines of practice – that is, students learn to communicate about disciplinary matters of concern while immersed in the study of these, shaped by epistemic and ontological parameters which are particular to disciplines. In this presentation, I engage the Deleuzian assemblage to think through language and academic literacies in higher education.



I discuss key challenges which academic language educators face when preparing students for interdisciplinary study and practice, and I suggest a reframing of academic disciplines as assemblages as a productive way of understanding and grappling with these challenges.

LEARN IN LANGUAGE, THROUGH LANGUAGE, AND ABOUT LANGUAGE

Mark E. King & Paul J. Thibault

Starting with the claim that everyone is a linguist, we argue that building awareness of languaging in education can start from here given that people reflect to varying degrees on how language is inseparably tied up with and arises from their embodied experience, their social positioning, their identity, and the skilled activities that our embodiment makes possible. With this idea in mind, we present our work on the development of analysis and theorization of learning that focuses on the multi-scalar ecological inter-connectedness of learners with teachers, with artefacts, with cultural patterns and resources, with places, with social activities and practices, with social institutions, with time and temporality, and with technologies. Learning reflects inter-individual dynamics that are shaped by biology and culture and what we term ecologies of learning and teaching.

“PLURILINGUAL CITIZENS IN MULTILINGUAL SOCIETIES: RESEARCH DOMAINS AND CHALLENGES”

Isabelle Léglise

This talk will depart from some basic concepts and research results in two domains – health and education – involving plurilingual citizens in multilingual societies and will show how (little) they are taken into account by public policies and the collective imagination in France. I will particularly build on my own experience in the French overseas territories, both as a researcher and as an interlocutor with the public authorities and with partners at all levels of the society in French Guiana for the last 20 years.

LINGUISTIC DIVERSITY AND INEQUALITY AT DUTCH UNIVERSITIES AND THE CONSEQUENCES FOR SOCIETY

Jos Swanenberg

In the Netherlands, universities adapted their language policies to a large increase of internationalization of their student population. Over the last years, universities became officially bilingual (e.g., Tilburg University) or switched to English only-policies (Eindhoven University of Technology). In practice, most of those universities have English as lingua franca on campus, also so-called bilingual universities. Simultaneously, we ignore

the many languages students bring to campus and to society, some languages more than others. This contribution offers a plea against linguisticism and a plea for linguistic fairness at universities to also improve the treatment of diversity in future society.

TOWARDS A GLOBAL AND PLURILINGUAL STRATEGY OF CURRICULUM INTERNATIONALIZATION AT THE UNIVERSITY OF STRASBOURG - TEACHERS’ REPRESENTATIONS AFTER TRAINING SESSIONS: HESITATING BETWEEN ‘ENGLISH FIRST’ AND PLURILINGUALISM

Chloé Faucompré & Peggy Candas

Some studies propose an alternative to the EMI approach (English as a Medium of Instruction) of the internationalization of higher education, resting on a vision respectful of the variety of languages and cultures, essential to the development of global citizens. At the University of Strasbourg, where we were asked to design an experimental training programme to prepare teachers and researchers for internationalization, the project, initially focused solely on English language training, evolved into an action research strategy encompassing didactics, interculturality and plurilingualism. Our results document the impact of the programme on participants’ representations and stances, showing most of the teachers shifting back and forth between pragmatic justifications in favor of English and preference for plurilingualism, on both scientific and social grounds.

ROUNDTABLE: 2023 SYMPOSIUM CONCLUSIONS AND FUTURE STEPS

Chair: *Irini Tsamadou-Jacobberger*

Contributors: *Terry Lamb, Andrea Young, Waldemar Martyniuk, Thomas Tinnefeld, Ianthi Tsimpli*

Coordinator: *Guðrún Gísladóttir*

This session aims to provide a synthesis of questions, claims, and suggestions made by the speakers in preceding sessions, linking their proposals to the symposium theme, and discussing the implications of their proposals for higher education, given its responsibility to make space for multilingualism in connection with epistemological knowledge, and legitimate the university as an institution that serves all students, democracy, social justice, the common good, and public welfare. After a résumé of the contributions, each participant will take a position regarding the symposium outcomes. Collectively, these will form the basis for the validation of the “ECSPM Declaration for Multilingualism in HE”, and possibly for additional recommendations.



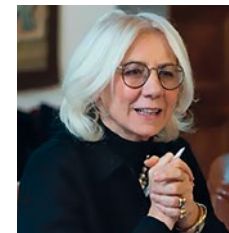
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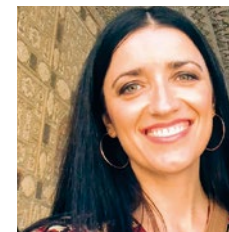


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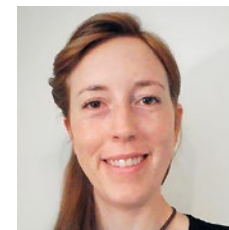
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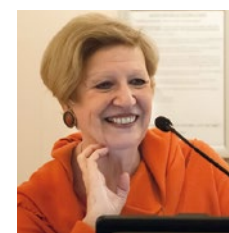
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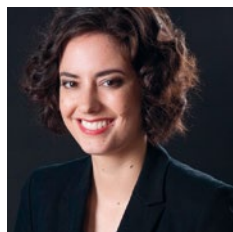
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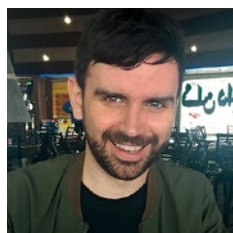


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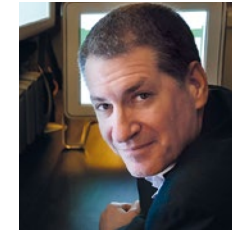
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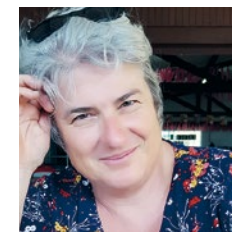
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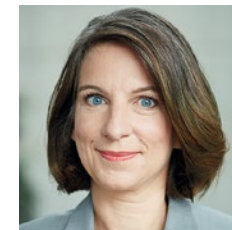
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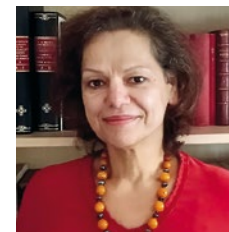
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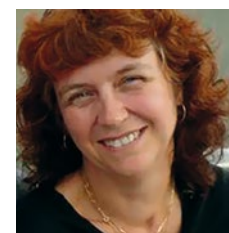
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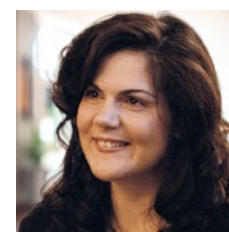
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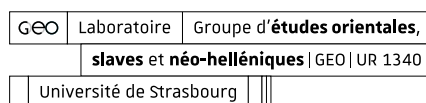


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