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The 4th EUNoM Symposium, on "Managing Multilingual and Multiethnic Societies and Institutions", was hosted by Queen's University Belfast in Northern Ireland on 14-15 November.



It was officially opened by Dr Stephen Farry, Minister for Employment and Learning in the Northern Ireland executive. He was accompanied by Professor Tony Gallagher, Pro-Vice-Chancellor and by the head of the European Commission office in Northern Ireland, Maurice Maxwell. The Minister's address can be read by clicking here:

http://cv.uoc.edu/~grc0\_003638\_web/2011\_1114\_EUNOM\_BELFAST\_MINISTER.PDF

The Fifth EUNoM Symposium: "ICT, e-Learning and Languages" is to be held in Barcelona on 14-15 May 2012. For information click here: http://eunom.uoc.edu (click on "Activities").

- Speakers include Linnar Viik, Martine Verjans, Norbert Pachler, Tunde Dokus, and researchers from Aalto Univ., Univ. Autònoma de BCN, Universitat Oberta, CERES, the Mercator research centre and Constantine the Philos. U.
- Speakers have also been asked to contribute to the discussion forum, which is open to all: see below for URL.

The keynote speakers were F. Grin, T. Vogel, F. Bradley and G. Williams. D. Johnston, D. Gibson, P. Müürsepp, C. Böttger, R. Jorna, S. Novak, M. Nic Giolla Mhichíl, J. M. Canyelles, T. Tinsley, M. Strubell and K. Gudauner also delivered papers. Abstracts of the papers, and many of the full and draft texts, can be accessed here:

http://bit.ly/AuwGyM



The symposium rapporteur was Heidi Rontu, from Aalto University (Finland). We express our thanks to the University, and especially to the symposium convenor, Dr. Eugene McKendry and his efficient, friendly and enthusiastic staff.

- Please contact the symposium convenor, Miquel Strubell, mstrubell@uoc.edu, for queries.
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http://www.dylanproject.org/Dylan\_en/dissemi nation/final/booklet/assets/D YLAN-Project\_Final-Booklet\_A4.pdf



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