

Gibraltar International Conference 3

Gibraltarian Literature: Ways of Being in Language

University of Basel, **September 4-6, 2025**, Department of English, Lecture Hall

DRAFT PROGRAMME

Wednesday, Sep. 3 – Conference warming 20.00

Thursday, Sep 4

- 09.00 Arrival, Registration, coffee
- 10.00-11.15 Opening remarks by organizers and Keynote Lecture, Prof. Rico Valär (Zurich)
- 11.30-12.30 Llanito meets Rumantsch I
- 12.30-14.00 Lunch Break (own arrangements)
- 14.00-15.00 Llanito meets Rumantsch II
- 15.00-16.00 Llanito meets Rumantsch III
- 16.00-16.30 Coffee break
- 16.30-18.30 Round Table on *Llanito & the linguistic situation in Gibraltar*
Sociolinguistics Inputs from Prof. David Levey, Prof. Elena Seoane, and Dr. des
Marta Rodríguez García
Discussion; feedbacks from Flurina Badel and Gianna Olinda Cadonau;
(Chair: Prof. Sandra Schlumpf-Thurnherr)
- 18.30 *Disgust.* Performance by Flurina Badel
- 20.00 Conference Dinner ([Restaurant Antalya](#))

Friday, Sep 5

- 09.00-10.30 Studying Gibraltarian Language and Literature: Linguistics
(Chair: Dr. des Marta Rodríguez García)
Dr. Abderrazak Salim (University of Cadiz)
MA. Francisco Javier Fonseca (University of Cadiz)
MA. Jan-André Diederich (TU Dortmund)
- 10.30-11.00 Coffee break
- 11.00-11.30 Studying Gibraltarian Language and Literature: Literature
Ina Habermann, Llanito intertextualities in Gabriel Moreno's poetry
Isabel Jimenez, tba

- 11.30-12.30 Student inputs
Verónica Silva Folgar (University of Vigo)
Students from Language & Linguistics at the University of Basel and Bern
- 12.30-14.00 Lunch Break (own arrangements)
- 14.00-15.30 Authors' studio – Writing and Migration (Room 11)
Parallel: Projects and ongoing publications on Gibraltar and its linguistic/literary situation
- 15.30-16.00 Coffee Break
- 16.00-17.30 Narrating Gibraltar: Conversation with Rebecca Calderon, Sophie Macdonald and M.G. Sanchez (Chair: Prof. Ina Habermann)
- 17.30-19.00 Making Gibraltarian Voices Heard
Publishing in Britain (expert input by Josephine Cassaglia)
Gibraltarians for a Multilingual Society: current situation, challenges and plans (John Manuel Enriles & Dale Buttigieg)
- 19.00 Apéro riche (Pinar)
- 20.00 Performance evening and party
Readings, performances, music

Saturday, Sep 6

- 10.00-12.00 Inputs from authors' studio and scholars' session and final discussion
- 12.00 Farewell and departure