

## Celtic Language and Culture Revival – Why Diversity Matters Today

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January 31<sup>st</sup> Monday

10:00-10:10 Welcome address by the Director of the French Bureau of Maison franco-japonaise

10:10-10:30 “On the purpose of the present symposium” (HARA Kiyoshi)

10:30-11:50 “La langue et la culture bretonnes : une folle espérance ?” (Tangi LOUARN, in French, translation into Japanese by GOHIRA Mioko)

11:50-12:20 Comments by Patrick HEINRICH, discussion

12:20-13:30 Lunch

13:30-14:50 “The present state of Welsh language and culture revitalization” (Meirion PRYS-JONES, translation by MATSUYAMA Akiko)

14:50-15:20 Comments by ASAHY Yoshiyuki, discussion

15:20-15:50 Break

15:50-17:10 “The present state of Cornish language and culture revitalization” (Davyth HICKS, translation by YONEYAMA Yuko)

17:10-17:40 Comments by Kimura Goro Christoph, discussion

17:40-18:00 Discussion chaired by HARA Kiyoshi

18:00-19:00 Entertainment and Cocktails

February 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday

10:00-10:20 “Summary of Monday’s discussions and introduction of today’s speakers” (HARA Kiyoshi)

10:20-11:50 “The current state of Irish language revitalisation in Ireland- some observations” (Neasa Ni Chinneide, translation by HIRASHIMA Naoichiro)

11:50-12:20 Comments by Patrick HEINRICH, discussion

12:20-13:30 Lunch

13:30-14:50 “The present state of Gaelic language and culture revitalization in Scotland” (Robert DUNBAR, translation by IWASE Hisami)

14:50-15:20 Comments by KIMURA Goro Christoph, discussion

15:20-15:50 Break

15:50-17:30 “The present state of Celtic languages and cultures revitalization in the Isle of Man, Nova Scotia, and Patagonia” (Robert DUNBAR, Meirion PRYS-JONES, Davyth HICKS, translation by IWASE Hisami, MATSUYAMA Akiko, YONEYAMA Yuko)

17:30-18:00 Discussion of the symposium chaired by HARA Kiyoshi