

Public Lecture to mark European Day Monday 9th May 2011, 6pm

You are invited to a lecture on

Multilingualism in Dublin

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The interconnected phenomena of urbanization, globalization and migration, and their social impact, are all shaped in a very fundamental way by language. This talk considers the theoretical and practical implications of these phenomena, and discusses the issues of language diversity, language maintenance and language loss, drawing on the findings of a recent survey of languages used at home and at school by primary school children in the greater Dublin area (Carson & Extra, 2010).

Lorna Carson is a lecturer in Applied Linguistics, and teaches and researches in the area of second and foreign language learning and teaching.

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138 - 144 Pearse Street, Dublin 2