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A Lecture on

## **Language education policy in Ireland: past, present and future perspectives**

By

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