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## Foreword

The Research Centre for Language Planning of the Institute of Hungarian Research is organising its second international conference on language strategy in September 2025, under the title Current Language Policy Practices in European Countries: Discussion and Exchange of Best Practices. This event follows the Centre's first international conference, held in May 2022, which focused on European language policies and strategies.

The aim of the conference is to provide a comprehensive and up-to-date overview of the linguistic and language policy situation, aspirations, and best practices in the countries represented by the invited speakers. The event offers a platform for comparative analysis, critical discussion, and professional exchange regarding current issues in language strategy.

Experts from 22 countries will participate at the conference, presenting the current state and key characteristics of their national or regional language policies. The diversity of perspectives will offer valuable insights into the challenges and innovations shaping language strategy in contemporary Europe.

This volume contains the abstracts of the presentations to be delivered at the 2025 conference. The abstracts reflect the thematic richness of the event, including topics such as (multilingual) education, linguistic rights, minority

language protection, geopolitical challenges and policy responses to sociolinguistic change.

We hope that this collection will serve not only as a useful guide to the conference program, but also as a resource for scholars and professionals interested in contemporary language policy issues across Europe.

*The organisers would like to thank all the contributors for their input and look forward to lively/meaningful discussions during the event.*

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