



The Association of European Migration Institutions

AEMI Seminar and Annual Meeting 2010

“MIGRATION STUDIES, INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES”

Bilbao, September 29 – October 2

Euskalduna Congress Palace, Auditórium B-1

Avda. Abandoibarra, 4 – 48011 Bilbao

Thursday, 30th September

Session 1

New Technologies, Research & Information Management

08h30 – 09h00 Registration

09h00 – 09h25 Conference Opening

Brian Lambkin, President of the AEMI & Member of
Centre for Migration Studies at the Ulster American Folk
Park (Northern Ireland)

“Using ICT to visualize migrant narratives”



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09h30 – 09h55 **Sarah Clement**, Generiques (France)

“The Odysseo database on French immigration”

10h00 – 10h25 **Mathias Nilsson**, Swedish American
Center (Sweden)

“Small steps towards a European migration portal”

10h30 – 11h00 **Discussion**

(11h00 – 11h30 **Coffee Break)**

11h30 – 11h55 **Oscar Álvarez , Alberto Angulo and Jon Ander Ramos**,
University of the Basque Country (Basque Country) /
University of Nevada, Reno (USA)

*“Basques in the American press”. The program of
digitalization of historical sources on Basque
Migration overseas”*

12h00 – 12h25 **Blas Uberuaga**, Buber´s Basque Page (United States)

“Video Showing”

Pedro Oiarzabal, University of Deusto (Basque Country)

*“Cartography of the Basque Diaspora Online:
Preserving Migrant Digital Culture”*



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12h30 – 13h00 **Discussion**

(13h00 – 14h00 **Lunch)**

Session 2

Virtual Museums

14h00 – 14h25 **Maddalena Tirabassi**, Centro Altreitalie sulle migrazioni Italiane (Italy)

«How ICT has changed the agenda of Italian migration studies and affected Italian migrants descendants identities»

14h30 – 14h55 **Isabel Ferreira**, Museu da Migrações e das Comunidades Portuguesas – FAFE- (Portugal)

Daniela da Cruz, Nuno Oliveira, Pedro Rangel Henriques, Information Technologies Department, University of Minho, Braga (Portugal)

“Ontologies supporting Migration studies and Virtual Museums”

15h00 – 15h30 **Discussion**



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(15h30 – 16h00)

Coffee Break)

16h00 – 16h25

Imma Boj, Director of Museum of Immigration History of Catalonia (Spain)

“MHIC TICS and educational uses of the virtual collection”

16h30 – 16h55

Maria Beatriz Rocha-Trindade, Centro de Estudos das Migrações e Relações Interculturais /CEMRI, Universidade Aberta (Portugal)

“Immigration Observatory and Emigration Observatory – The use of ICT for a better knowledge of Portuguese Migrations”

17h00 – 17h25

Fabio Capocaccia, CISEI (Italy)

“Knowledge management System (KMS) for italian emigration”

17h30 - 18h00

Discussion

Friday, 1st October

Session 3



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Communication, Disseminating Information & Getting Involved Virtual Museums in the Community

09h00 – 09h25 **Tatiana Mauri**, Immigration Museum Community Engagement Manager (Australia)

“Talking Faiths – an interfaith project bringing students together to share their stories”

09h30 – 09h55 **Nonja Peters**, Curtin University Sustainability Policy Institute (Australia)

“Preserving the cultural heritage of Australia’s Immigrants 2010”

10h00 – 10h25 **Maria Luisa Caldognetto and Dario Cieol**, Centre de Documentation sur les Migrations Humaines (Luxembourg)

“The Project of an audio-visual guide to enhance the status and retrace the evolution of an immigrant neighborhood in Dudelange”

10h30 – 11h00 **Discussion**

(11h00 – 11h30 **Coffee Break)**



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11h30 – 11h55 **Emilia García López**, Arquivo da Emigración Galega (Spain)

“Digitalization of the AEG (Galician Migration Archive): structure, planning and information management”

12h00 – 12h25 **Nina Ray**, Boise State University (USA)

“An American Perspective on European Roots Tourism”

12h30 – 12h55 **Patty A. Miller**, Basque Museum and Cultural Center, Boise, Idaho (USA)

13h00 – 13h30 **Discussion**



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Saturday, 2nd October

AEMI ANNUAL MEETING

09h30 – 11h00 AEMI Meeting

11h00 – 11h30 Closing Ceremony