

Researching to revitalize the language

Recherche pour la revitalisation linguistique

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The Cluster



- Why Sociolinguistics?
 We need scientific research
- Why a cluster?
 Many agents working on Basque
- Research centre for the social development of the Basque language



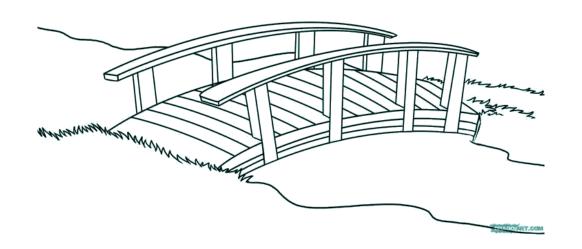
- The main research centre on Basque language and society
 - since 2004
 - bottom-up
 - budget > 800.000 €
 - network of collaborators
 - research projects
 - staff: 9 people





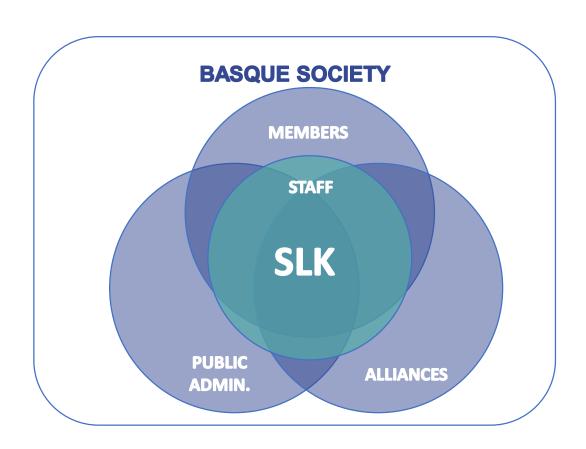
>Our mission:

- ➤ To create and to manage sociolinguistic knowledge
- ➤ for the revitalization of Basque language
- >in collaboration with all the agents
- >building bridges between theory and practice





To answer the needs of public and private language planners, civil society and researchers





- How?
 - scientifically → university
 - teamwork, collaboration:
 - municipalities
 - universities
 - companies
 - associations
 - social compromise
 - diffusion of knowledge
 - shared objectives





















































The projects



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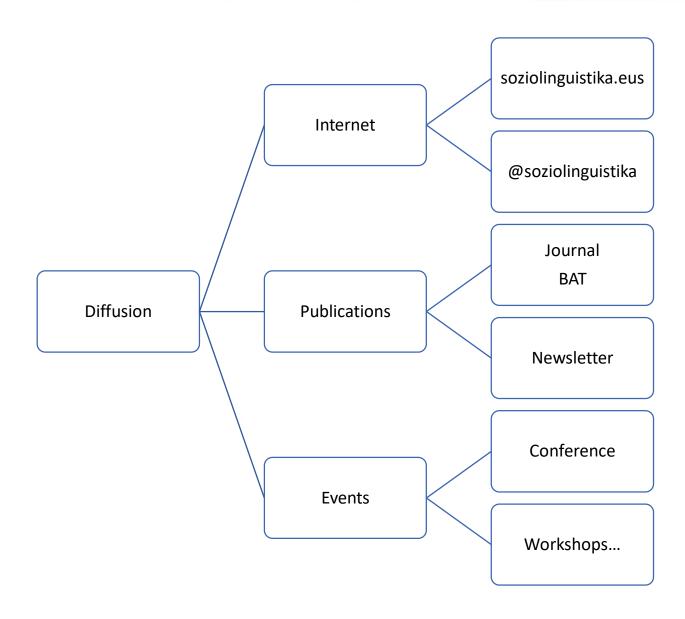
Research

Methodologies for change

Diagnosis



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General Street Local measurement Factors of use Sectorial Map of languages Quantitative Use in Diagnosis education Qualitative Indicator system Effectiveness of Euskaraldia



Diagnosis

Quantitative

Qualitative

Education

Migrant discourses

Spanish migrants

Youth discourses



Education Youth Methodologies for change Workplace Society



Education Children

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Youth
Activation

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Changing habits

Workplace

Responsibility

Communication



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Thank you! Merci!
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