11th Internacional Conference on Modern Greek Dialects and Linguistic Theory

Conference Program

1st day: 30/09/2026	
9:00 – 9:30	Registration
9:30 – 10:00	Conference opening: Aula Magna, Facultad de Filología • Dr. Matilde Olarte Martínez, Vice-Rector for Culture, Heritage, Sustainability and Campus Development • Dr. Manuel González de la Aleja, Dean of the Faculty of Philology • Dr. Luis Arturo Guichard Romero, Deputy Head of the Department of Classical Philology and Indoeuropean Linguistics • Dr. Angela Ralli, Professor Emeritus at the University of Patras, member of the Scientific Committee of MGDLT11 • Dr. Julián Méndez Dosuna, Professor Emeritus of the University of Salamanca, member of the Organizing Committee of MGDLT11
10:00 – 11:30	Session 1: Aula Magna, Facultad de Filología, Chair: Angela Ralli • **Brian Joseph** New Perspectives on Variation with Nasal Clusters in Greek • **Theodoros Lyriotakis** Περιφερειακές φωνολογικές διαδικασίες στις νότιες διαλεκτικές ποικιλίες της Νέας Ελληνικής: η περίπτωση της ουρανικοποίησης των συριστικών • **Spyros Armostis** The Perception of Foreign Plosives and Affricates by Cypriot-Greek Speakers
11:30 – 12:00	Coffee break
12:00 – 13:30	Session 2: Aula Magna, Facultad de Filología, Chair: Ioanna Manolessou • **Mark Janse** Cappadocian Vowel Harmony and Consonant-Vowel Harmony Revisited • **Nikos Liosis** Once Again on Synizesis in Modern Greek Dialects: A Historical and Typological Account • **Metin Bağrıaçık** Allocutive Agreement on Units of Language in Asia Minor Greek Dialects

13:30 – 16:00	Lunch
16:00 – 17:30	Session 3: Salón de Actos, Facultad de Traducción, Chair: Eleni Karantzola • **Josep Quer – Emanuela Pinna – Aikaterini Thomopoulou – Marika Lekakou** How Fake is Pseudocoordination in Griko? • **Dimitris Michelioudakis** Greek is (underlyingly) a subject clitic language • **M.ª Luisa del Barrio** Νεοελληνικές διάλεκτοι και τοπωνυμία: Istanbul και η τσακωνική διάλεκτος της Προποντίδας
17:30 – 18:00	Coffee break
18:00 – 19:30	Session 4 Salón de Actos, Facultad de Traducción, Chair: Marina Tzakosta • **Elena Ioannidou** The Community of Syrian-Cretans in Cyprus: Issues of Language Contact and Identity • **Eirini Kouniarelli** Η λεσβιακή διάλεκτος ως φορητό σημείο ταυτότητας: Μελέτη περίπτωσης της επιχείρησης Παπαλίνες by Lemonart • **Mirsini Kalampaliki – Asimakis Fliatouras** Ήξεις αφήξεις, ουκ εν διαλέκτω θνήξεις: Από-στάσεις ομιλητών/-τριών απέναντι στις νεοελληνικές διαλέκτους

2nd day: 01/10/2026	
9:00 – 10:30	Session 5 Salón de Actos, Facultad de Traducción, Chair: Mark Janse • **Maria Raftopoulou** Univerbation in Modern Greek, Standard and Dialects • **Julián Méndez Dosuna** Real Tmesis (Prefix Deuniverbation) in Modern Greek and in Argentinian Spanish • **Michail Marinis** Multiple Meanings–One Form in Inflectional Morphology
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee Break
11:00 – 12:30	Session 6 Salón de Actos, Facultad de Traducción, Chair: Dimitra Melissaropoulou • **Angela Ralli** On the Process of Borrowing in Greek Dialectal Morphology • **Simeon Tsolakidis – Ioanna Manolessou – Kostas Kakarikos – Georgia Katsouda – Dimitra Melissaropoulou** Διερευνώντας τη δια-διαλεκτική ποικιλότητα του νεοελληνικού επιθηματικού υποκορισμού: το πρόγραμμα DIADIMA • **Georgios Livadiotakis– Anastasia Machairidou – Marina Tzakosta** Βαθμίδες ενσωμάτωσης και προσαρμογής γλωσσικών δανείων στη νεοελληνική και τις τοπικές γλώσσες
12:30 – 13:30	Keynote Lecture (online presentation) Salón de Actos, Facultad de Traducción, Chair: Brian Joseph **Maxim Kisilier** Dialectometric Approach to Modern Greek Dialects: Achievements and Problems
13:30 – 16:00	Lunch
16:00 – 17:30	Session 7 Salón de Actos, Facultad de Traducción, Chair: Ioanna Kappa • **Stavros Bompolas – Dimitra Melissaropoulou** Dialectometric Analysis of Modern Greek Lexical Variation • **Matthew Hadodo** What is Enregistered to Whom: Language Attitudes to Istanbul Greek • **Photini Coutsougera** Language Documentation: The Northeastern Arcadian Greek Project •
17:30 – 17:40	Break
17:40 – 18:40	Session 8 Salón de Actos, Facultad de Traducción, Chair: Metin Bağrıaçık • **Maria Taliadorou** Ραπ, ταυτότητα και γλωσσική ιδεολογία: Η κυπριακή διάλεκτος ως μέσο αντίστασης και κοινωνικής πρακτικής. • **Stavroula Tsiplakou** – **Spiros Armostis – Dimitris Michelioudakis** From Modality to Illocutionary Force: *perci* in Cypriot Greek
19:00	Visit to the Historical Library of the University of Salamanca
20:30	Conference dinner

3rd day: 02/10/2026	
9:30 – 11:00	Session 9 Salón de Actos, Facultad de Traducción, Chair: Spyros Armostis • **Dionysios Mertyris** The Variety of Inepolis in Paphlagonia: Westernmost Variety of Pontic or Distinct Dialect of Eastern Asia Minor? • **Marietta Theodoridou** Beyond the Static Speaker: Mobility and Dialect Variation in the Kefalonian Community • **Ioanna Kappa** Dialectal Input Frequency and the Early Acquisition of Marked Segments in Child Greek
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee Break
11:30 – 13:00	Session 10 Salón de Actos, Facultad de Traducción, Chair: Josep Quer • **Maria Deliyannis** A New Source for the History and Variation of Medieval Greek • **Vasiliki Makri – Eleni Karantzola – Maria Chalvatzidaki** Reconstructing Sixteenth-Century Kytherian Through Notarial Registers: Stability, Diffusion, and Dialect Classification • **Ioanna Manolessou – Konstantinos Kakarikos – Nikolaos Pantelidis – Dionysios Mertyris** Διαλεκτική διαφοροποίηση της νέας ελληνικής: διερεύνηση μέσα από επιγραφικά δεδομένα της πρώιμης μεσαιωνικής περιόδου
13:00 – 13:30	Closing ceremony
14:00	Wine reception
18:00	City Tour