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Programme

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All the times are Eastern European Summer Time (UTC + 03:00).

All the lecture rooms are located in the Porthania building (Yliopistonkatu 3). Locations of the social activities are mentioned below.

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Time (UTC+3)	SUNDAY 18 AUGUST / SONNTAG 18. AUGUST / DIMANCHE 18 AOÛT
15:00–18:00	Meeting of the ICOS Board / Sitzung des ICOS Board / Réunion du Bureau de l'ICOS (Helsinki Central Library Oodi, Töölönlahdenkatu 4)

Time (UTC+3) MONDAY 19 AUGUST / MONTAG 19. AUGUST / LUNDI 19 AOÛT						
08:30–10:00	Registration / Registrierung / Inscrition (Porthania lobby)					
08:30–10:00	Meeting of Editorial Board of Onoma / Sitzung des Herausgeberkomitees von Onoma / Réunion du Comité éditorial d'Onoma (Room P673)					
10:00–10:30	Opening Ceremony / Eröffnung / Cérémonie d'ouverture (Room PII) PIRJO HIIDENMAA, TINO JOHANSSON, KATALIN RESZEGI, TERHI AINIALA & MINNA NEVALA					
10:30–11:30	Plenary Session / Plenarvortrag / Session plénière (Room PII) HELEN KELLY-HOLMES: 'Spread the Word': Small languages, brand naming, and sustainability (chair: Paula Sjöblom)					
11:30–13:00	<i>Lunch break / Mittagspause / Pause déjeuner (Unicafe Porthania)</i>					
13:00–14:30 Paper session 1	Room PII Names and minorities <i>Chair: Johanna Lehtonen</i>	Room PIII Names and identity <i>Chair: Fred Puss</i>	Room PIV Names as cultural heritage <i>Chair: Jaakko Raunamaa</i>	Room P673 Onomastics as a sustainable science <i>Chair: Staffan Nyström</i>	Room P674 Onomastic databases <i>Chair: Oleksandra Kuzmenko</i>	Room P722
13:00–13:30	TAARNA VALTONEN Networks of languages and cultures: Saami and Finnish place names in Aanaar (Inari), Finland	JONATHAN ROPER The Estonianization of Family Names: What Principles Underlie the Choice of New Names?	VALERIA DI CLEMENTE Tenera coniuX Cunegvnda: Gunnhild of Denmark's names	ARTUR GAŁKOWSKI Persistence and mutual adaptation of onomastic terminology to humanistic and interdisciplinary scientific terminologies	EUGEN SCHOCHENMAIER Name it to train it, or how onomastic databases fuel AI innovation	
13:30–14:00	KAISA RAUTIO HELANDER Street names in indigenous languages: The recognition of Sámi street names in Finland and Norway	AMIN ALMUHANNA Double-barreled surnames in Kuwait	DARIUS IVOŠKA Ways and Principles of Personal Identification at Junction of the Middle Ages and Modern Times	VALERIA NEKLESOVA & OLENA KARPENKO Ukrainian Onomastic Terminology	HANS-PETER EDERBERG Modelling a Data Store for Information on Names – Challenges and Opportunities	
14:00–14:30		RICHARD COATES & HARRY PARKIN Continuing the "Family Names of the United Kingdom" project	AGATA ŁOJEK Metrical books as a source to study historical anthroponymy – possibilities and limitations	REGĪNA KVAŠĪTE Latvian and Lithuanian Onomastic Terminology: Similarities and Differences	CHRISTIAN ZSCHIESCHANG Sorbian Names go online. About the current digitization of microtoponyms in Lower Lusatia	
14:30–15:00	<i>Coffee break / Kaffeepause / Pause-café (Porthania lobby)</i>					
15:00–16:30 Paper session 2	Room PII Names and minorities <i>Chair: Taarna Valtonen</i>	Room PIII Names and identity <i>Chair: Terhi Ainiala</i>	Room PIV	Room P673 Onomastics as a sustainable science <i>Chair: Artur Gałkowski</i>	Room P674 Onomastic databases <i>Chair: Christian Zscheschang</i>	Room P722
15:00–15:30	MIKKEL RASMUS LOGJE The underwater landscapes of seine fishing grounds	EDLA SZABÓ Name categories and their subtypes on popular Finnish first names from the 2000s		MILAN HARVALÍK & IVETA VALENTOVÁ English and German Equivalents of Slovak Onomastic Terms in the	CAROLE HOUGH A digital approach to place-name survey in Scotland	

				Slovak Onomastic Commission Project		
15:30–16:00	MATS WAHLBERG Forest Finnish place-names in Sweden	MINNA SAARELMA-PAUKKALA <i>Camilla, Siina, Aamos</i> and <i>Miki</i> – Revision of the Finnish name day calendar 2025		TAMÁS FARKAS Applied onomastics: What is it, or what is it for?	BARBARA BÁBA The Hungarian National Toponym Registry: Findings and Objectives of a Research Program	
16:00–16:30	MIREILLE ELCHACAR From <i>Amérindien</i> to <i>Autochtone</i> in Quebec French: A Wikipedia Debate on the Power of Denomination	JAAKKO RAUNAMAA The impact of online forums on naming in Finland in the early 2000s		THIS MICHEL FETZER Glottonyme im Schweizerischen Idiotikon	VIKTÓRIA CZIRFUSZ & DÁVID WENDL Preserving cultural heritage through collecting and analyzing toponyms – Introducing the Hungarian National Toponym Registry	
16:30	Group photo of congress participants / Gruppenfoto der Kongressteilnehmer / Photo des participants au congrès (in front of Porthania building)					
17:00–18:30	Opening reception / Eröffnungsempfang / Réception d'ouverture (Helsinki University Main Building, Fabianinkatu 33)					

Time (UTC+3) TUESDAY 20 AUGUST / DIENSTAG 20. AUGUST / MARDI 20 AOÛT

	Room PII Symposium: <i>Minority place-name regulations in Europe</i> Chair: Peter Jordan	Room PIII Symposium: <i>Personal names in a multicultural context</i> Chair: Leila Mattfolk	Room PIV Names as cultural heritage Chair: Soňa Wojnarová	Room P673 Onomastics as a sustainable science Chair: Paula Sjöblom	Room P674 Names in literary worlds Chair: Grant W. Smith	Room P722 Names in sustainable cities Chair: Sara Racca
08:30–10:00 Paper session 3						
08:30–09:00	PETER JORDAN Minority place-name standardization: A comparison of regulations and approaches in Europe	8.30–8:45 Introduction 8.45–9.10 GUY PUZEY The importance of being ourselves: Onomastic incongruence and the citizen-state relationship in selected European contexts	CAROLA BORGIA The Sustainability of Detoponyms: A Study of Subalpine Surnames	VERONIKA ROBUSTOVA The Conception of the Spiral Development of a Proper Name Meaning	JOAN TORT-DONADA Names, landscape and literary construction in Josep Pla's <i>The Gray Notebook</i> (1966)	
09:00–09:30	PEETER PÄLL & TIINA LAANSALU Minority place names standardization in Estonia	9:10–9:35 DAIVA SINKEVIČIŪTĖ Personal names of immigrants in the documents of the Republic of Lithuania	EDOARDO CAMMISA Alpine and Sub-alpine anthroponymy of the Nineteenth century: re-thinking sustainability through names	MARIA SARHEMAA The semantics of first names through the lens of appellativization	MARIANN SLÍZ Maintaining the humorous function in the translation of literary names	TERHI AINIALA & PIA OLSSON Urban change and the loss of place
09:30–10:00	AINDÍ MAC GIOLLA CHOMHGHAILL Placename standardization in Ireland – when the minority forms the majority	9:35–10:00 MICHELLE WALDISPÜHL Challenges with and solutions for "foreign" name spellings in Swiss Public Administration	SILVIA MARGHERITA CORINO ROVANO Names of fabrics and territory in 19th and 20th Century Piedmont	LASSE HÄMÄLÄINEN & MARIA SARHEMAA How a given name became a slur? The case of Finnish <i>Jonne</i>	MILLA JUHONEN The making of fictional worlds: Place names in Finnish crime fiction	RICHARD COATES <i>Park</i> in English place-naming

10:00–10:30 <i>Coffee break / Kaffeepause / Pause-café (Porthania lobby)</i>						
10:30–12:00 Paper session 4	Room PII Symposium: Minority place-name regulations in Europe <i>Chair: Peter Jordan</i>	Room PIII Symposium: Personal names in a multicultural context <i>Chair: Sonja Entzenberg</i>	Room PIV Names as cultural heritage <i>Chair: Daniel Solling</i>	Room P673 Onomastics as a sustainable science <i>Chair: Andrea Bölcskei</i>	Room P674 Names in literary worlds <i>Chair: Minna Nevala</i>	Room P722 Names in sustainable cities <i>Chair: Přemysl Mácha</i>
10:30–11:00	GUY PUZEY & RUAIRIDH TARVET To standardise or not to standardise: Minority (and majority) place names in the United Kingdom	10:30–10:55 IRYNA SOFINSKA Mapping personal names application in modern Ukraine: local vs. global 11:20–11:45 BIRGIT EGGERT Immigrants' names in Denmark. On adaptations caused by the Danish Name Law and registration systems	ÅKE ENGSLEDEN Observations on the definite article in Coptic toponymy	THOMAS STOLZ & NATALIYA LEVKOVYCH Inconsistent grammatical name marking in Chamorro	AYOKUNMI OJEBODE Names as Socio-political Rebellion/Revision in Femi Osofisan's Love's Unlike Lading: A Comedy from Shakespeare	MARTINA HUHTAMÄKI & VÄINÖ SYRJÄLÄ Commercial naming in the periphery – Names in the Linguistic Landscape of Akureyri, Iceland
11:00–11:30	ZSOMBOR BARTOS-ELEKES Minority place-name regulations in Romania		MARTINA ZIRHUTOVÁ What place names tell us about our ancestors' relations to trees	PATXI XABIER SALABERRI & IKER SALABERRI The Basque locative suffix <i>-ga</i> through the lens of onomastics: An empirical approach	GRANT W. SMITH Names and sources in Shakespeare's tragedies	SARA RACCA Unveiling the dwellers' perception of the city through its vernacular neighbourhood names
11:30–12:00	JOAN TORT-DONADA The standardization of toponymy as a challenge: The experience of Catalonia and Spain (1899–2023)	11:45–12:10 IVAR UTNE Handling of immigrants' personal names in the Norwegian National Census Register	MELINDA KÖTELES-SZŐKE Toponym History and Local History	JULIA NINTEMANN On the interaction of toponyms and their syntactic environment	PETER K W TAN Names in postcolonial writing: Catherine Lim's love stories	HANNA IKONEN Citizen participation in planning urban toponymy in Helsinki
12:00–13:30 <i>Lunch break / Mittagspause / Pause déjeuner (Unicafe Porthania)</i>						
13:30–15:00 Paper session 5	Room PII Symposium: Minority place-name regulations in Europe <i>Chair: Peter Jordan</i>	Room PIII Symposium: Personal names in a multicultural context <i>Chair: Lena Wenner</i>	Room PIV Names as cultural heritage <i>Chair: Carole Hough</i>	Room P673 Onomastics as a sustainable science <i>Chair: Milan Harvalík</i>	Room P674 Names in literary worlds <i>Chair: Lasse Hämäläinen</i>	Room P722 Names in sustainable cities <i>Chair: Hanna Ikonen</i>
13:30–14:00	ALEXANDRA PETRULEVICH Microtoponyms in the Context of the Seventeenth-century Swedish Place-name Policies	13:30–13:55: EDUARDO TADEU R. AMARAL Attitudes towards foreign personal names in Spain	EMMA HORNE Minority speakers and environmental hierarchies in Early Medieval Lancashire	JAROSLAV DAVID, TERESA KLEMENSOVÁ & MICHAL MÍSTECKÝ The Strange Case of Proper Names: Declension Patterns in Three Onymic Classes	HANNA VIRRANPÄÄ The use of place names and referring to places in letters written by Finnish migrants	JÍŘÍ MARTÍNEK Heroes of the new era – cosmonauts/astronauts in Czech street nomenclature
14:00–14:30	YAROSLAV REDKVA & MICHAEL LUKASHCHUK Standardization of toponyms of ethnic minorities in the legal basis of Ukraine (1989–2023)	13:55–14:20: MARYANN PARADA Accommodation of Spanish Diacritics in U.S. Major League Baseball: A Model for Official Organizations	SAMUELE MASCETTI Old Norse *mqð 'grassland' in Norwegian place names	MONTERRAT RANGEL VICENTE Sustainability and globalization of place names. A challenge in the morphological description of proper names	OLEKSANDRA KUZMENKO From anonymity to authenticity: a trend for selecting recognizable names in video gaming	JOHANNA LEHTONEN Traces of industrialization in existing street names in Helsinki, Finland
14:30–15:00	RITA BARANAUSKIENE & ILONA MICKIENĖ Place names of the Lithuanian Tatars National Minority	14.20–15.00: Discussion (chair: MICHELLE WALDISPÜHL)	PEDER GAMMELTOFT & JOHNNY GRANDJEAN GØGSIG JAKOBSEN Reconstructing Wetlands of Pre-Modern Denmark using Place-Names and Cultural Geography	MARÍA JOSÉ GINZO VILLAMAYOR Onomastic modelling in Galicia	KATARZYNA SUCHARSKA Character Naming Strategies in World of Warcraft: Exploring Virtual Identity in Azeroth	ARTUR ŻOŁĄDŹ Coal mines or spa town? "Spa/mining" opposition in urbanonymy (based on names of Jastrzębie-Zdrój)

15:00–16:00	<p><i>Coffee break / Kaffeepause / Pause-café (Porthania lobby)</i></p> <p>Poster session / Postersession / Session d'affiches scientifiques (Porthania lobby)</p> <p>ŽANETA DVOŘÁKOVÁ: Changes of Jewish surnames in post-war Czechoslovakia</p> <p>ESZTER HÖRCHER: Sustainability and unsustainability in the interpretation of Krisztina Tóth's novel <i>The Eye of the Monkey</i></p> <p>GABRIELA IOANES: La soutenabilité des sobriquets dans le conflit russo-ukrainien</p> <p>DUBRAVKA IVŠIĆ MAJIĆ: Biblical Names Motivated by Nature and their Kajkavian Adaptations</p> <p>LARYSA KOVBASYUK: Nicknames der ukrainischen Streitkräfte während des Krieges in der Ukraine</p> <p>RICARDO MUÑOZ: Sánchez Name Biases in Automated Essay Assessment</p> <p>INGVIL NORDLAND: Naming policies and cultural heritage: Interrogating “problem representations” in the Norwegian Place Names Act</p> <p>ANNA TSEPKOVA: Sustainability in unconventional anthroponymy (case study: Russian and American appearance-based nicknames)</p>
16:00–17:30	Meeting of the ICOS Student Network / Sitzung des ICOS-Studentennetzwerkes / Réunion des étudiants et doctorants (Room PIII)
16:00–17:30	Meeting of the ICOS Terminology Group / Sitzung des ICOS-Terminologie-Komitees / Réunion du groupe terminologique ICOS (Room PIV)
18:00–19:30	City of Helsinki reception / Empfang der Stadt Helsinki / Réception de la Ville d'Helsinki (Helsinki City Hall, Pohjoisesplanadi 11–13)

Time (UTC+3) WEDNESDAY 21 AUGUST / MITTWOCH 21. AUGUST / MERCREDI 21 AOÛT						
08:30–10:00 Paper session 6	Room PII Names and minorities <i>Chair: Marit Alas</i>	Room PIII Names and identity <i>Chair: Unni Leino</i>	Room PIV Names as cultural heritage <i>Chair: This Fetzer</i>	Room P673 Onomastics as a sustainable science <i>Chair: Maria Sarhema</i>	Room P674 Names in sustainable economy <i>Chair: Žaneta Dvořáková</i>	Room P722 Changing names <i>Chair: Minna Nevala</i>
08:30–09:00	CSILLA CSOBÁDY The use of toponyms by inhabitants of bilingual settlements along the border area		HUBERT BERGMANN Onomastic aspects of a Slovene migration movement to Croatian communities in western Hungary and Lower Austria in the 17th century		INGRID SPITZNER The Transfer of Social Responsibility as Part of Companies' Sustainability Strategy	
09:00–09:30	SIMONAS NOREIKIS Kreevin (Votic) toponyms and anthroponyms in Southern Latvia	MASAHIKO MUTSUKAWA Japanese bimoraic given names	EVAR SAAR Die Entwicklung der Toponymie und die Toponymie der Jäger im Wald von Treisi	SAMUELE MASCETTI Onomastics as an ecological approach to historical linguistic instruction in higher education	GERGANA PETKOVA & ALBENA IVANOVA Are Latin appellatives still a sustainable part of the commercial names of drugs?	BRIAN Ó RAGHALLAIGH, ÚNA BHREATHNACH & GEARÓID Ó CLEIRCÍN Irish-language naming and renaming of state, semi-state and private sector bodies in Ireland
09:30–10:00	ANTRA KĻAVINSKA Place names as signs of Latgola / Latgale regional identity	IVONA BAREŠOVÁ & TEREZA NAKAYA Names and identity: Gender-neutral names in contemporary Japan	RITA PÓCZOS Neue Bände der Reihe „Frühes ungarisches Ortsnamenbuch“	KATALIN RESZEGI & RÓBERT KENYHERCZ The universality of Baker-baker paradox – psycholinguistic studies among Hungarian children	ILIA BARANOV Can a name contribute to brand sustainability?	HALYNA ZYMOVETS Ideological Dimension of Proper Names (the case of Ukraine)

10:00–10:30	<i>Coffee break / Kaffeepause / Pause-café (Porthania lobby)</i>					
10:30–12:00 Paper session 7	Room PII Names and minorities <i>Chair: Mats Wahlberg</i>	Room PIII Names and identity <i>Chair: Minna Saareлма-Paukkala</i>	Room PIV Names as cultural heritage <i>Chair: Yolanda López Franco</i>	Room P673 Onomastics as a sustainable science <i>Chair: Gerrit Bloothoft</i>	Room P674 Names in sustainable economy <i>Chair: Katharina Leibring</i>	Room P722 Changing names <i>Chair: Peder Gammeltoft</i>
10:30–11:00	RHIAN PARRY Minority place-names in Wales – a current case study	ANNIKA HUSSAR New first names in Estonia 100 years ago and their appearance nowadays	DINU MOSCAL & SILVIU-IOAN BEJINARIU La stratification interne de la strate toponymique hongroise de la Moldavie roumaine	VIKTÓRIA GERGELYOVÁ Analyzing Culture and Identity in Foreign Language Learning: Insights from the MagyarOK Textbook Series	DAIANA FELECAN & ALINA BUGHEȘIU Linguistic mirrors of sustainability: ergonyms and chrematonyms in natural medicine	CÉSAR LÓPEZ-LEIVA & JOAN TORT-DONADA Shrublands in toponymy as indicators of vegetation dynamics: study cases in La Rioja (Spain)
11:00–11:30	THOMAS CLANCY The Ordnance Survey, Place-Names and Scottish Gaelic in the Nineteenth Century: revisiting the relationship	LAIMUTE BALODE & RENĀTE SILIŅA-PINĶE Reflection of identity in given names of Latvia over the last century	MICHEL SAUVANT La durabilité des origines de toponymes historiques grâce à un «classement patrimonial»	MÁRCIA SÍPÁVICIUS SEIDE Language teaching, hydronyms and the 6th SDGS	PAULA SJÖBLOM Responsibility rhetoric in the stories of Finnish textile brand names	WEN GE On possible changes in traditional local dialectal pronunciations of farm names in Ullensvang (Norway)
11:30–12:00	DAIVA SINKEVIČIŪTĖ Strategies for the preservation of Lithuanian names in the United Kingdom: double names (1991–2020)		PABLO TOMÉ DESSY & JOAN TORT-DONADA Historical documentation as a source for toponymic research. Montserrat's mountain (Catalonia) as a case study	KATALIN RESZEGI Complex place name competence survey among pre-school children	PATIENCE ANIM Name choice and national identity: A study of Textile Products in Ghana	
12:00–13:30	<i>Lunch break / Mittagspause / Pause déjeuner (Unicafé Porthania)</i>					
13:30–14:30	Plenary Session / Plenarvortrag / Session plénière (Room PII) JANE PILCHER: People's names and sustainability: (in)equalities and human rights (chair: Minna Nevala)					
14:30–15:00	<i>Coffee break / Kaffeepause / Pause-café (Porthania lobby)</i>					
14.30–15.30	Meeting of the ICOS Toponymy Group / Sitzung des ICOS-Komitees für Toponyme / Réunion du groupe toponymes ICOS (Room PIII)					
14.30–15.30	Meeting of the ICOS Bibliography Group / Sitzung des ICOS-Komitees für Bibliographie / Réunion du groupe bibliographique ICOS (Room PIV)					
16:00–	Excursion / Exkursion / Excursion					

Time (UTC+3) THURSDAY 22 AUGUST / DONNERSTAG 22. AUGUST / JEUDI 22 AOÛT

08:30–10:00 Paper session 8	Room PII Names and minorities <i>Chair: Valéria Tóth</i>	Room PIII Names and identity <i>Chair: Eugen Schochenmeier</i>	Room PIV Names as cultural heritage <i>Chair: Laimute Balode</i>	Room P673 Onomastics as a sustainable science <i>Chair: Sheila Embleton</i>	Room P674	Room P722 Changing names <i>Chair: Tiina Laansalu</i>
08:30–09:00	MARYANN PARADA Indigenous Mexican given names in the U.S.: Socio-historical trends, postcolonial orthographies, and pedagogical applications		EVELIN MOZGA The name historical source value of the personal names of an Early Old Hungarian charter	ANITA RÁCZ L'applicabilité de la méthode de la chronologie relative dans les recherches de la typologie des toponymes		ÉVA KOVÁCS Changes in settlement names referring to the natural environment
09:00–09:30	EMILY COMEAU & SHAUNA YEOMANS Supporting land stewardship and language revitalization through the Tlingit language and land app	SOFIA KOTILAINEN Inherited names and onomastic literacy in the Finnish families	MIKEL MARTÍNEZ-ARETA Anthroponyms “nested” in toponyms. Some Early Medieval Basque anthropotonyms as a case in point	FRANCESCU MARIA LUNESCHI La toponymie de Portivechju : de la documentation linguistique à l'aménagement du territoire		MARIT ALAS The Dynamics of Place Names: Exploring Changes and Continuity in Two Coastal Areas of Estonia
09:30–10:00	BENJAMIN LOUTER, TAMIS COCHRANCE & CHRISTINE SCHREYER Connecting Oral Histories, Archaeology, and Indigenous Place Names towards Sustainability in Taku River Tlingit Territory	RITA LUPPI Namen und Identitäts(re)konstruktion in Gesprächen mit Kindern des Kindertransports	JOHANNA HALONEN Early medieval bishops and names of power in the Finnish landscape	TETYANA ROSIQUE Et Schubert sur l'eau : sur la transonymisation poétique		VERONIKA ŠTĚPÁNOVÁ Preservation of identity versus natural process: changes of proper names during their adaptation into Czech
10:00–10:30	<i>Coffee break / Kaffeepause / Pause-café (Porthania lobby)</i>					
10:30–12:00 Paper session 9	Room PII Names and minorities <i>Chair: Peter K.W. Tan</i>	Room PIII Names and identity <i>Chair: Sheila Embleton</i>	Room PIV Names as cultural heritage <i>Chair: Kaisa Rautio-Helander</i>	Room P673 Onomastics as a sustainable science <i>Chair: Annika Hussar</i>	Room P674 Names in sustainable economy <i>Chair: Paula Sjöblom</i>	Room P722 Changing names <i>Chair: James Deutsch</i>
10:30–11:00	ANNAMÁRIA ULLA SZABÓ T. Motivations of naming in multilingual families: sustainability of names and identity	RIITTA-LIISA VALIJÄRVI & ELSA WOODMEADE The role, semantics, and structure of chosen names among nonbinary Finns	ABIGAIL LLOYD Rendering the historic landscape visible: sustaining and enriching our connections to places through onomastics	DAVID MITCHELL Bad Bionames – Researching the Harm Behind Offensive Names for Taxa	FLORIAN KOCH, LAURENT GAUTIER, JAVIER FERNÁNDEZ-CRUZ & MATTHIEU LLORCA Stadium names between commodification and cultural sustainability. A quantitative study of four European countries	PAULS BALODIS Changing of Surnames in Latvia: Recent Data
11:00–11:30	IVAN ROKSANDIC & FABRICIO GERARDI Monsters' savanna and heron's nests: morphophonological, sociolinguistic and referential characteristics of Xavante place names	UNNI LEINO Proper names as performativity	BRITTNEE LEYSEN Naming conventions for cultural sustainability within the UNESCO Global Geoparks	ERZSÉBET GYÓRFFY On the naming of hydronyms	OLIVIU FELECAN & ALINA BUGHEȘIU Names of environmental NGOs in Romania: sociolinguistic markers of sustainability	KITTI HAUBER Preserving a national surname system in the globalized world: regulations for surname changes in Hungary

11:30–12:00	JAMES DEUTSCH Debating Heritage Conservation and Cultural Sustainability in Removing the S-Word from U.S. Geographic Features	YOLANDA GUILLERMINA LÓPEZ FRANCO Une approche lexicologique et socioanthroponymique aux prénoms les plus attribués au Mexique en 2021	GOABILWE RAMAEBEA & THAPELO OTLOGETSWE The influence of the environment on Botswana place names	SOŇA WOJNAROVA Colour terms in Czech and Finnish toponyms	MARIKO FASTER, KADRI KOREINIK & KARA D. BROWNE Estonian kindergarten names in focus: Mapping patterns and changes	MICHAŁ KOZIOL Changes in onomastics of Polish Sign Language in the perspective of sustainability
12:00–13:30	<i>Lunch break / Mittagspause / Pause déjeuner (Unicafe Porthania)</i>					
13:30–15:00	ICOS General Assembly / ICOS-Generalversammlung / Assemblée Générale d'ICOS (Room PII)					
15:00–15:30	<i>Coffee break / Kaffeepause / Pause-café (Porthania lobby)</i>					
15:30–16:30	ICOS General Assembly continues / Fortsetzung der ICOS-Generalversammlung / Suite de l'Assemblée Générale d'ICOS (Room PII)					
18:00–	Banquet / Bankett / Banquet (Restaurant Sipuli, Kanavaranta 7)					

Time (UTC+3) FRIDAY 23 AUGUST / FREITAG 23. AUGUST / VENDREDI 23 AOÛT						
08:30–10:00 Paper session 10	Room PII Names and minorities <i>Chair: Daiva Sinkevičiūtė</i>	Room PIII Names and identity <i>Chair: Richard Coates</i>	Room PIV Names as cultural heritage <i>Chair: Maryann Parada</i>	Room P673 Name laws and policies <i>Chair: Guy Puzey</i>	Room P674 Names in sustainable economy <i>Chair: Oliviu Felecan</i>	Room P722
08:30–09:00			CARLA BASTIANI & KARYLLEILA KLINGER The material heritage and the toponymic study in Palmas, Tocantins, Brazil	PAVEL ŠTĚPÁN Current changes of the Czech name law from an onomastic perspective	STÉPHANE GENDRON Appropriation de la toponymie par le tourisme. L'exemple de la France métropolitaine	
09:00–09:30	KRISTÝNA BŘEZINOVÁ Synchronous analysis of Romany names in the Czech national corpus	PAVEL SKORUPA Toponyms as National Identity Markers: A Case Study of Vilnius County (Lithuania)	ANDREA BÖLCSKEI Place names of biblical origin as agents of cultural sustainability	GIANCARLA UNSER-SCHUTZ On the potential impact of new legal restrictions on Japanese names	LAURENT GAUTIER & FLORIAN KOCH Les routes touristiques du patrimoine naturel : entre toponymes et ergonymes en contexte de commodification	
09:30–10:00	GIULIA GUZZO Name Sustainability in Migration: An Analysis of the Romanian and Peruvian Communities in Turin, Italy	REBECA GIŢ (Non)sustainability in sports – an anthroponymic perspective	PŘEMYSL MÁCHA Oblivion: recovering place names memory on a former military shooting range	KATHARINA LEIBRING Sustainable elements for a new surname inventory in Sweden – the vision of one man	ZSUZSA HAJABÁCS The problems of recognizing Hungarian aristocrats in English translations of Slovak tourist texts	
10:00–10:30	<i>Coffee break / Kaffeepause / Pause-café (Porthania lobby)</i>					

10:30–12:00 Paper session 11	Room PII Names and minorities <i>Chair: Brittnee Leysen</i>	Room PIII Names and identity <i>Chair: Ivan Roksandic</i>	Room PIV Onomastics as a sustainable science <i>Chair: Eugen Schochenmeier</i>	Room P673 Name laws and policies <i>Chair: Pavel Štěpán</i>	Room P674 Names in sustainable economy <i>Chair: Mariko FASTER</i>	Room P722
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11:00–11:30	RAFAL ZAREBSKI Proper names and bilingualism. Onimia in Polish-French egodocumentaries by representatives of the Parisian <i>Culture</i>	FRED PUSS Does the personal name order reflect the type of society?	DIANE ALLEN WEST No More Horsing Around! Onomastic Equity for 'Equinym's'	AGOSTINHO SALGUEIRO Subsidy for the standardization of exonyms in European Portuguese	SOFIA EVEMALM-GRAHAM Navigating the visitor experience through place-names: Iona's Namescape and the tourist gaze	
11:30–12:00	FRANCESCO PERONO CACCIAFOCO Place-names and Cultural Identity: Toponyms and Their Diachronic Evolution among the Abui People from Alor	GERRIT BLOOTHOOFT & FOLGERT KARSDORP First names and models of cultural evolution	DANIEL SOLLING Individual naming of machines and technical devices in Sweden	GIZELLA SZABÓMIHÁLY <i>Hodos, Nemeshodos</i> oder <i>Hodus</i> ? Pragmatische Aspekte der Verwendung von Varianten ungarischen Siedlungsnamen in der Slowakei	PATRYCJA PAŁKA & RENATA PRZYBYLSKA Between local and global – names of restaurants in Poland, Germany and China	
12:00–13:30	<i>Lunch break / Mittagspause / Pause déjeuner (Unicafe Porthania)</i>					
13:30–14:30	Plenary Session / Plenarvortrag / Session plénière (Room PII) VÄINÖ SYRJÄLÄ: Names as a guide through natural and linguistic landscapes (chair: Terhi Ainiala)					
14:30–15:00	Closing Ceremony / Abschlusszeremonie / Clôture (Room PII) TERHI AINIALA, LASSE HÄMÄLÄINEN, PAULA SJÖBLOM, KATALIN RESZEGI & the new ICOS President					
15:00–16:00	ICOS Board Meeting / Sitzung des ICOS-Vorstandes / Réunion du conseil d'ICOS (Room PIII)					
15:00–16:00	Meeting of the editors of onomastic journals / Sitzung der Herausgeber von namenkundlichen Zeitschriften / Réunion des rédacteurs des revues onomastiques (Room PIV)					