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Multilingual Pedagogies and the Public Humanities

How does comparative literature resist dominant language hegemony in our institutional spaces? Inspired by activist interpretation practices, I am interested in creating multilingual spaces and learning experiences that would affirm the centrality of translation studies and linguistic diversity in academic life. My article "<u>Building</u> <u>Language Justice</u>" (*Translation Review* 2020) focuses on the USA, but I would like to brainstorm international and creative strategies to incorporate multiple language traditions in research and teaching.

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