EFN CONFERENCE 2026 - ALMERIA, SPAIN - SCHEDULE	
THURSDAY 12 NOVEMBER	
All day	*Arrivals/Hotel check in/Registration*
18.00-19.00	*Welcome reception - music from* ***Cuadrilleros Endémicos***
FRIDAY 13 NOVEMBER	
9.15 - 10.00	*Registration & Coffee*
10.00 - 10.15	**Welcome**
	Steven Vanderaspoilden (Chair EFN), Pablo Mazuecos Nievas (Director, Clasijazz)
10.15 - 10.45	**Keynote: Our Values - Why We're Here**
	Alistair Anderson *(England)*
10.45 - 11.45	**Panel: Protecting our values, defending against co-option by extremist nationalism**
	Miklos Both *(Hungary)* Bernhard Hanneken *(Germany)* David Francis *(Scotland)*
11.45 - 12.15	*Coffee break*
12.15 - 13.15	**Discussion Groups**
	Preserving and advocating for our values nationally and internationally
13.15-13.35	*Musical interlude by* **Gata Brass Band**
13.35 - 15.00	*Networking meeting and Lunch*
15.00 - 15.30	**Open Mic**
	Members and delegates present their own ideas
15.30 - 16.00	**Provocation and Info about Working Groups - encouraging formation, protocol**
	Angela Hont *(Hungary)*
16.00 - 17.00	**Panel: Cross pollination with other genres and what it means**
	Mike Fletcher *(UK/Spain)* Alistair Anderson *(England)* Krisztina Koszorus *(Transylvania)* Marc Vandermoortele *(Belgium)*
17.00 - 17.45	**Feedback from the morning discussion groups on Preserving & Advocating**
17.45 -18.00	**Wrap up and looking forward to the second day's agenda**
20.00	*Delegates dinner*
21.00	*Alboloduy folk music from Almeria, Andalusia with* **Grupo Folklórico El Galayo**
22.00	*Flamenco-jazz with* **Spicy Sessions**
SATURDAY 14 NOVEMBER	
9.30 - 10.00	*Registration & Coffee*
10.00 - 10.30	**Traditional Arts Education In Spain**
	Antonio Mirón & Jose Moreno Vargas *(Spain)*
10.30 - 11.45	**Panel: Formal, informal and lifelong education - passing on our values**
	Vilma Timonen *(Finland)*, Fiona Dalgetty *(Scotland)* Jose Moreno Vargas *(Spain)*
11.45 - 12.15	*Coffee break*
12.15 - 13.15	**Discussion Groups**
	Passing on values and practical learning - what can EFN do to support that?
13.15 - 15.00	*Networking meeting and Lunch*
15.00 - 15.30	**EFN Update - 2025, 2026 & plans for 2027**
	Steven Vandersaspoilden *(Chair, EFN)*
15.30 - 16.00	**Open Mic**
	Members and delegates present their own ideas
16.00 - 17.00	**Working Groups**
	Formation of EFN Working Groups and discussion of potential actions
17.00 - 17.45	**Plenary - Feedback from Working Groups**
17.45 - 18.00	**Announcement of 2027 Conference - then thanks and farewell**
21.00	**Cuadro Flamenco** *with dancer* **Manuel Daif**
22.30	*Sicilian folk music with* **Faciti Rota**
SUNDAY 15 NOVEMBER	
All day	*Tourism & travel home*