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Encyclopaedia of Migrants

Her Worship the Mayor was presented with a three volume Encyclopaedia of Migrants on Wednesday 28th June 2017 at the Mayor's Parlour.

The project commenced in 2015 as a continuation of the multi-disciplinary project that artist Paloma Fernandez Sobrino commenced in 2007, when she started collecting stories from Le Blosne district of Rennes.

In 2014, together with L'age de la Tortue, the artist continued to expand her initial project with the aim to produce an Encyclopaedia. The now complete project gathers 400 life stories of migrants into three-volume Encyclopaedia.

This is an EU funded project with partners in France, Portugal, Spain and Gibraltar. The Government is also proud to have funded the final conference, which is taking place in Gibraltar from 28th to 30th June 2017.

The Encyclopaedia, together with three art installations on the theme of migrants by local artists Ambrose Avellano, Shane Dalmedo and Alan Perez, shall be on public display at the Garrison Library on Thursday 29th June 2017.