

## Exam IRSK1501- Celtic Civilisation.

Spring 2013

Time: from 13:00, 08.04.2013 to 15:00 11.04.2013

Please answer any two of the following four questions, writing about 2 – 3 pages each or 5 – 6 combined. Please cite your sources for your statements and give a list of books used.

Papers must be submitted in Fronter no later than 15:00 on Thursday 11.04-2013. All pages must contain your candidate number (to be found in StudentWeb) and page numbers. Please use this template: [Mal for eksamensbesvarelse ved ILN](#)

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- 1.) **'Celtic' languages:** Explain the Celtic language family in its entirety (for the language family tree, you may use a diagram / drawing with explanations). Mention the different existing issues and theories regarding these issues.
- 2.) **'Celtic' literature:** Summarise the Celtic literature encountered in class, focusing on the topic (either) comparatively (*within* the 'Celtic literatures' or compared with other literatures, like the Classical, Germanic or Norse one), historically and/or regarding the media and contexts of literature in the Middle Ages. Do not just give your personal impressions! You may, however, pick examples of the literature for clarification purposes.
- 3.) **'Celtic' history:** Describe the contact and interactions of the Celts with the Romans over space and time (i.e. over the centuries and different geographical contexts).
- 4.) **Celtic archaeology:** Name the 'Celtic' archaeological findings, taking into account the 'issues' connected with these, as well as the implications for our knowledge of the Celts, for instance regarding migrations and 'Celtic' 'culture'.