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Congress of Slavists (Minsk, 2013) presents a comprehensive overview of current Slavic linguistic research in the Netherlands, and covers its various linguistic disciplines (both synchronic and diachronic linguistics, language acquisition, history of linguistics) and subdomains (phonology, semantics, syntax, pragmatics, text). The different chapters in this peer-reviewed volume show the strong data-oriented tradition of Dutch linguistics and focus on various topics: the use of imperative subjects in birchbark letters (Dekker), the existential construction in Russian (Fortuin), Jakovlev's formula for designing an alphabet with an optimal number of graphemes (Van Helden), frequency effects on the acquisition of Polish and Russian nominal flexion paradigms (Janssen), Macedonian verbal aspect (Kamphuis), the concept of 'communicatively heterogeneous texts' in connection with three birchbark letters from medieval Rus' (Schaeken), a philological analysis of the authorship of some Cyrillic manuscripts (Veder), a reconstruction of the evolution of the Slavic system of obstruents: the motivation of mergers and the rise of dialect differences (Vermeer), and a contrastive analysis of Russian delat' and Dutch doen (Honselaar and Podgaevskaja). With a well-known cast of contributors, this reference work will be of interest to researchers in both Slavic and general linguistics.

2. Record Nr. UNINA9910255329003321 Autore Cairney Paul <1973-> Titolo The Politics of Evidence-Based Policy Making / / by Paul Cairney London:,: Palgrave Macmillan UK:,: Imprint: Palgrave Pivot,, 2016 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 9781137517814 1137517816 Edizione [1st ed. 2016.] 1 online resource (XV, 137 p. 1 illus. in color.) Descrizione fisica Collana Palgrave Pivot Disciplina 320.6 Political planning Soggetti **Public Policy** Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references at the end of each chapters and index. Chapter 1. The Science of Policy Making -- Chapter 2. The Role of Nota di contenuto Evidence in Theories of the Policy Process -- Chapter 3. Health and advocacy: what are the barriers to the use of evidence in policy? --Chapter 4. Evidence in environmental policy: learning lessons from health? -- Chapter 5. Conclusion: How to Respond to The Limits of Evidence-Based Policy Making. . Sommario/riassunto 'This is essential reading for anyone interested in how evidence and policy interact in the real world. Paul Cairney plots an entertaining course outlining the main debates of the evidence-based policy movement, drawing on up-to-date research and fascinating case studies to show what can realistically be expected of science, and of policy. Full of succinct overviews of theoretical and empirical research, this is where I'll be sending students and colleagues for an informative read.'- Dr Kathryn Oliver, University of Oxford, UK 'How can policymaking make best use of evidence? We expect policymakers to follow a transparent and systematic process, and scientists to understand that actors use evidence selectively in a politically heated debate. Cairney helps us appreciate these challenges, explaining how policymakers understand and use evidence, and inviting scientists to reflect on how they can be effective in that

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