Book release: Swearing in the Nordic Countries

In December 2012, the Danish Language Council hosted a symposium on linguistic approaches to swearing in the Nordic countries. The contributions from the speakers on various aspects of the history and use of Norwegian, Swedish, Finnish, Lithuanian and Danish swearwords have been collected in this book. The book is edited by assistant professor at the University of Southern Denmark, Marianne Rathje, who is also a contributor to the book.

Swearing in the Nordic Countries is written in English. It consists of nine articles, grouped in four themes:

- 1. Swearing and Age
- 2. Swearing in the Media
- 3. Swearing and Translation
- 4. Historical Swearing

Swearing in the Nordic Countries can be purchased in book stores or at the Danish Language Council by emailing Ida Elisabeth Mørch, moerch@dsn.dk.

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