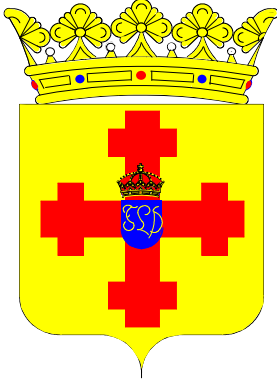


Elio



Description of Arms :

En campo de oro, una cruz, recrucetada y vacia de gules. Escuson de azur, cargado de las letras FLH (Fidelidad, Lealtad, Honor), surmontadas de la corona Real, todo de oro.

Principal Title : Duke of Elio.

Creation : Spain, 1875 (1950)..

Subsidiary Titles : Grandee of Spain.

Family Name : Gaztelu y Elio.

Family History : This title, of comparatively recent origin, goes back to the Carlist wars in Spain. The Carlist leader was called “Carlos VII” by his supporters and was often referred to as the Duke of Madrid. In fact, he was don Joaquin de Elio y Ezpeleta and his family could already trace its lineage back for more than five centuries..

The title of Duke of Elio, however, was then officially recognised by the Spanish Government in 1950, with the rank of Grandee of Spain. The following year it was restored by his descendant, now the duchess.

Elio

Joaquin de Elio y Ezpeleta,
1st Duke of Elio (1875)

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INES GAZTELU Y ELIO (1915-), Duchess of Elio(1951)

= (1940) Rafeal Elio y de Gaztelu (1895-1975), Marquis of Vessolla, ...

