Borui Zhang

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EDUCATION

- Linguistics, Ph.D. Institute of Linguistics *Sep 2016-current*
- Linguistics, MA, Institute of Linguistics *June 2016*
  University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota
  GPA: 3.95
- Bachelor of Science in Educational Technology *July 2011*
  Tianjin Foreign Studies University, Tianjin, China

SKILLS

- Technical skills: Python, Haskell, Matlab, Java, C, C++, HTML, RegExp
- Languages: Mandarin, Cantonese, English, Korean (intermediate level), Nepali (beginning level)

RESEARCH PROJECTS and PUBLICATIONS

- Borui Zhang. 2016. Entropy Reduction Prediction on Mandarin Chinese Relative Clauses, Buckeye East Asian Linguistics Forum, The Ohio State University
- Language consultant of the project of the online application "Flavorize-me", Fallon in Minneapolis
- Borui Zhang. 2015. Processing Embedding Structures in Mandarin Chinese, Semantics Workshop of the American Midwest and Prairies (SWAMP 2015)
- Borui Zhang. 2015. Processing of Center-Embedding Structure in Mandarin Chinese, Spring Research Day, Center for Cognitive Sciences, University of Minnesota Twin Cities (Oral Presentation)
- Costello, J. & Zhang, B. Comparing Unigram Tagger and Bigram Tagger Performance for Chinese Corpora (LING 5801 Computational Linguistics course project, Spring 2015)
- Zhang, B. (2014). An Acoustic Phonetic Portfolio of a Chinese-Accented English Idiolect. *Linguistic Portfolios*, *3*(1), 11.
- Zhang, B., & Koller, T. (2015). Adverbial Phrase Placements in L1-Chinese ESL Learners' Writing. *Linguistic Portfolios*, 4(1), 9.
- Borui Zhang. 2013. Study and Analysis of Intelligibility Problems on Consonants between Chinese English and General American English, *Student Research Colloquium*, St. Cloud State University

EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

- Graduate Teaching Assistant of Linguistics–Institute of Linguistics, University of Minnesota
  Sep. 2014-Current
- Chinese Language Tutor- Asian Language and Literature Department, University of Minnesota
  Jan. 2015-Jun. 2015
- Math Tutor in Access and Opportunity Program (AOP), St Cloud Area School District
  Sep.2012-Aug.2013

AWARDS

- Granted funding for 27th European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information (ESSLLI 2015) by European Association for Computer Science Logic (EACSL)
- Graduate Fellowship awarded from Institute of Linguistics, Fall 2014

VOLUNTEER

- Student Organizer of the Linguistics Colloquium at University of Minnesota, 2015-current
- Language Tutor, St. Cloud Area School District 742, St Cloud, MN, 2012-2013