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Education

MSc, École Normale Supérieure Paris, France
Cognitive Sciences, *Mention Bien (Magna Cum Laude)* June 2019
Thesis: *Visual processing of verb-second word order in second language acquisition.* [PDF]

BA, Rutgers University New Brunswick, New Jersey
Linguistics & French, *Summa Cum Laude* January 2016
Thesis: *The roles of context & prosody in the disambiguation of double negatives in French.* [PDF]

Research Positions

2019— **Cognitive Psychology Laboratory** CNRS & Aix-Marseille Université
Biological Signal Processing & Data Analysis Engineer Jonathan Grainger

2018-2019 **Models, Dynamics, and Corpora** Université Paris Nanterre
Research Assistant/ Study Engineer Caroline Bogliotti & Frédéric Isel

2018-2019 **Laboratory on Perceptual Systems** École Normale Supérieure
Research Assistant Giovanni Di Liberto

2012-2016 **Comparative & Experimental Linguistics Lab** Rutgers University
Research Assistant Viviane Déprez

2015 **Laboratory on Language, the Brain, and Cognition** Institut des Sciences Cognitives
Summer Research Assistant Viviane Déprez

2013 **Language Acquisition Research Center** Hunter College
Summer Research Assistant Virginia Valian

Other Positions

2016–2017 **Prof. d-r. Assen Zlatarov FLHS** Bulgarian Fulbright Commission
Fulbright English Teaching Assistant – Haskovo

2015–2016 **School of Language Studies** US State Department
Program Assistant – Evaluation & Measurement Unit Benjamin Kloda

2015 **School of Language Studies** US State Department
Intern – Dean’s Office Amb. Marie Yovanovitch

Publications

- 2018 Blanchette, F; Nadeu, M; **Yeaton, JD**; Déprez, V. *English negative concord and double negation: The division of labor between syntax and pragmatics*. Proceedings of the Linguistic Society of America, [S.l.], v. 3, p. 53:1-15, mar. 2018. [PDF]
- 2018 Déprez, V; **Yeaton, JD**. *French negative concord and discord: An experimental investigation of contextual and prosodic disambiguation*. Romance Languages and Linguistic Theory 14: Selected papers from the 46th Linguistic Symposium on Romance Languages (LSRL), Stony Brook, NY. [PDF]

Working Papers (Draft available) (* authors contributed equally)

Yeaton, JD; Loder, M; Déprez, V. *Prosody in French negative concord and double negation: Evidence from production and perception*. (Manuscript in preparation)

Mirault, J; **Yeaton, JD**; Broqua, F; Dufau, S; Holcomb, P; Grainger, J. *Parafoveal-on-foveal repetition effects in sentence reading: A co-registered eye-tracking and EEG study*. (Invited for resubmission to Psychophysiology)

Di Liberto, GM*; Nie, J*; **Yeaton, JD**; Khalighinejad, B; Shamma, S; Mesgarani, N. *How proficiency shapes the hierarchical cortical encoding of non-native speech*. (Manuscript in preparation)

Talks (* denotes presenter)

- 2019 Di Liberto, GM; Nie, J; **Yeaton, JD**; Khalighinejad, B; Shamma, S; Mesgarani, N*. *Neural biomarkers of language proficiency in second language listeners*. 49th Annual Meeting of the Society for Neuroscience (SfN). Chicago, IL, USA. October 19-23, 2019. [Slides]
- 2018 Déprez, V*; **Yeaton, JD**. *Negative Concord in French and Italian*. Invited talk at Institut für Romanische Sprachen und Literaturen, Goethe-Universität, Frankfurt am Main, Germany. December 17, 2018.
- 2018 **Yeaton, JD***; Déprez, V. *Ambiguity in Spoken French Double Negation*. Invited talk at Negation Across Modalities Workshop. École Normale Supérieure, Paris, France. December 5, 2018.
- 2018 Déprez, V; **Yeaton, JD***. *How ambiguous are French Double Negative Sequences?* Ambigo: Workshop on Ambiguity – Theory, Development, and Processing. Georg-August-Universität, Göttingen, Germany. July 4-6, 2018. [Slides]
- 2018 Blanchette, F*; Nadeu, M; Déprez, V; **Yeaton, JD**. *Linguistic evidence and stigmatized structures: The case of English Negative Concord*. Linguistic Evidence 2018: Experimental data drives linguistic theory. Eberhard Karls Universität, Tübingen, Germany. February 15-17, 2018.
- 2018 **Yeaton, JD***; Déprez, V. *Evidence for Prosodic Phrase Marking in French Double Negation*. Conference of the Student Organization of Linguistics in Europe (ConSOLE 26), University College London, UK. February 14-16, 2018. [Slides]
- 2016 Déprez, V*; **Yeaton, JD***. *Contextual and Prosodic Disambiguation of French Concord and Discord*. The 46th Linguistic Symposium on Romance Languages (LSRL 46), Stony Brook University, NY, USA. March 31-April 3, 2016.

- 2013 Yeaton, K*; **Yeaton, JD***. *The Changing Voice of Environmental Reporting: A Linguistic Exploration of Ford Motor Company CSRs and 10-Ks from 2003-2012*. Academy of Business Disciplines 2013. Fort Myers, FL, USA. November 9-11, 2013.

Posters (* denotes presenter)

- 2019 Di Liberto, GM*; Nie, J; **Yeaton, JD**; Khalighinejad, B; Shamma, S; Mesgarani, N. *How proficiency shapes the hierarchical cortical encoding of non-native speech*. Eleventh Annual Meeting of the Society for the Neurobiology of Language (SNL), Helsinki, Finland. August 20-22, 2019. [PDF]
- 2018 Blanchette, F*; Nadeu, M; Déprez, V; **Yeaton, JD**. *English Negative Concord and Double Negation: The Division of Labor between Syntax and Pragmatics*. 92nd Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America (LSA), Salt Lake City, Utah, USA. January 4-7, 2018. [PDF]
- 2016 **Yeaton, JD***; Déprez, V. *How context and intonation influence how people interpret negative expressions in French*. Aresty Undergraduate Research Symposium 2016, New Brunswick, NJ, USA. April 29-30, 2016. [PDF]
- 2014 Durso, B*; McCourt, J*; Lai, MK; **Yeaton, JD**; Durand, M; Genc, H; Patel, A; Déprez, V. *Double Negatives: An Experimental Approach*. Aresty Undergraduate Research Symposium 2014, New Brunswick, NJ, USA. April 25-26, 2014.
- 2013 Lai, M*; **Yeaton, JD***; Downes, C; Patel, A; Déprez, V. *When and How is Concord Preferred? An Experimental Approach*. Aresty Undergraduate Research Symposium 2013, New Brunswick, NJ, USA. April 26-27, 2013. [PDF]

Works in Progress

- Perin, P; Flambard, S; **Yeaton, JD**; Isel, F; Bogliotti, C. *Syntactic, semantic, and phonological violations in French Sign Language: EEG evidence from early- and late-onset signers*. (In data collection)
- Wu, Y; **Yeaton, JD**; Isel, F. *Crosslinguistic semantic and phonological priming: Evidence from ERPs in Chinese-French Bilinguals*. (In data collection)
- Yeaton, JD**; Di Liberto, GM; Dufau, S; Grainger, J. *Naturalistic Story Reading: Evidence from co-registered EEG and eye-tracking data*. (In development)
- Kerr, E; Mirault, J; **Yeaton, JD**; Wen, Y; Grainger, J. *Syntactic priming effects in sentence processing: Evidence from ERPs*. (In development)
- Di Liberto, GM; Kuhn, J; Mertz, J; **Yeaton, JD**; Geraci, C. *Cortical tracking of linguistic features in sign language: EEG evidence from French Sign Language*. (In development)

Grants & Funding

- 2016–2017 Fulbright English Teaching Assistant Grant (\$13,500)
- 2015 Benjamin Franklin Travel Grant from the French Embassy in the US (\$900)
- 2014 Aresty Undergraduate Research Fellowship (\$1,900)

Honors & Awards

2017	US Department of State Certificate of Appreciation
2016	J. William Fulbright English Teaching Assistant Award (Bulgaria, AY 2016)
2016	Chancellor's Leadership Award
2016	Henry Rutgers Scholar Award
2016	Academic Excellence Award in Linguistics
2016	Highest Honors in Linguistics
2016	Highest Honors in French
2016	Paul Robeson Scholar
2015	Phi Beta Kappa National Honorary
2014-2015	Aresty Research Fellow
2013-2015	Frank T. Gorman Scholar
2014	Hanban Chinese Bridge Competition 2014—Third Prize Winner
2013	Phi Sigma Iota National Foreign Language Honor Society
2012-2013	Aresty Undergraduate Research Assistantship

Knowledge & Skills

Scripting & analysis	Matlab (FieldTrip, mTRF Toolbox, EEGLAB, EYE-EEG Toolbox, Mass Univariate ERP Toolbox) Python (NumPy, Matplotlib) R (GGPlot2, TidyVerse, lme4) Jamovi Git
Stimulus presentation	Matlab (PsychToolbox) Python (ExPy, OpenSesame) E-Prime 3 NBS Presentation
Other	BioSemi ActiView Praat Audacity ELAN L ^A T _E X Linux FFmpeg
Certifications	CITI Human Subjects Research Certification

Languages

English	Native speaker
French	C1
Chinese (Mandarin)	B1
Bulgarian	B1
Spanish	B1
Russian	A2
French Sign Language (LSF)	A1