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EDUCATION

since 10/2020	Ph.D. in Linguistics Universitat Pompeu Fabra Supervisor: Louise McNally	Barcelona, Spain
10/2019–07/2020	M.A. in Translation (Chinese-Spanish) Universitat Pompeu Fabra Supervisor: Manuel Pavon	Barcelona, Spain
10/2014–05/2018	B.A. in Hispanic Philology Xi'an International Studies University	Xi'an, Shaanxi
09/2016–07/2017	Exchange student University of Granada	Granada, Barcelona

PUBLICATIONS

2024	Liang, J. and Liao, X. (2024). How does grammatical category influence conceptual categorization: The case of chinese classifiers. In <i>Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society</i> , volume 46, pages 3858–3864.
2023	He, Y., Liao, X., Liang, J., and Boleda, G. (2023). The impact of familiarity on naming variation: A study on object naming in Mandarin Chinese. In Jiang, J., Reitter, D., and Deng, S., editors, <i>Proceedings of the 27th Conference on Computational Natural Language Learning (CoNLL)</i> , pages 456–475, Singapore. Association for Computational Linguistics.

SUPERVISION

MASTER'S THESES

07/2023	Co-supervisor (Principal supervisor: Gemma Boleda) Student: Yunke He, MSc in Theoretical and Applied Linguistics Department of Translation and Language Sciences, Universitat Pompeu Fabra
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WORKING EXPERIENCE

2018-2019	Business manager <i>China Railway Construction Corporation Limited</i> Panama
2018	Chinese-Spanish Interpreter & Translator <i>International Stone Sculpture Camp</i> Shaanxi

PRESENTATIONS

PEER REVIEWED

- 2024 Taxonomic level of categorization influences classifier choice. *37e Journées de linguistique d'Asie orientale du CRLAO*. Paris, France, July 4-5.
- 2024 How grammatical category influences conceptual categorization: The case of Chinese classifiers. *CogSci*. Rotterdam, the Netherlands, July 24-27.
- 2023 An empirical study of the plural morpheme -men in Mandarin Chinese Evidence against the associative reading. *The 19th Workshop on Syntax, Semantics and Phonology*. Nantes Université, September 26-29. (with Chenyuan Deng).

WORKSHOPS

- 2025 1st SNU Linguistics Symposium *Does Classifier Choice Facilitate Contrastive Inference about Reference?* Seoul National University, South Korea, January 10.
- 2024 UR-LING workshop *Taxonomic level of categorization influences classifier choice*. Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Spain, November 29.
- 2024 CORE workshop *How does grammatical category influence conceptual categorization*. Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Spain, April 18-19.
- 2021 CORE project workshop *On the Semantics of Chinese Verbal Classifiers*. Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Spain, March 5.

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

FELLOWSHIPS

- 05/2021–05/2024 FI SDUR grant (competitive Ph.D. fellowship)
Awarding body: Agència de Gestió d'Ajuts i de Recerca (AGAUR), Generalitat de Catalunya (Government of Catalonia)
- 05/2024–05/2025 PIPF grant (competitive Ph.D. fellowship)
Awarding body: Department of Translation and Language Sciences (DTCL), Universitat Pompeu Fabra

GRANTS

- 06/2024–07/2024 Research abroad-grant
Funding of a training activity at the Crete University
Awarding body: Agència de Gestió d'Ajuts i de Recerca (AGAUR), Generalitat de Catalunya (Government of Catalonia)
- 06/2023–07/2023 Research abroad-grant
Funding of a training activity at the University of Massachusetts Amherst, USA
Awarding body: Universitat Pompeu Fabra

TEACHING & ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

TEACHING

10/2022–12/2022 Information and Communications Technology (2 BA seminars)
(teaching assistant to Prof. Montserrat Marimon)
Language of instruction: Spanish
Content: HTML, Corpus, Regular Expressions

PARCITIPATION IN FUNDED PROJECTS

10/2020–10/2021 Member
Ministerio de Ciencia y Innovación, Agencia Estatal de Investigación, “Conectando modelos conceptuales y referenciales del significado 2” (ID: *FFI2016-76045-P*)
PI: Louise McNally

10/2021–08/2025 Member
Ministerio de Ciencia y Innovación, Agencia Estatal de Investigación, “Efectos contextuales en la selección de expresiones referenciales para entidades presentadas de forma visual” (ID: *PID2020-112602GB-I00*)
PI: Louise McNally and Gemma Boleda

SERVICE IN THE FIELD

10/2021–12/2022 Co-Organiser of the GLiF research group seminar (with Sara Amido)
Universitat Pompeu Fabra

04/2024 Co-Organiser of CORE workshop
Universitat Pompeu Fabra

SUMMER SCHOOLS AND COMPLETED COURSES

07/2024 The 6th Crete Summer School of Linguistics
Rethymnon, Crete, Greece

07/2023 2023 Linguistic Institute of the Linguistic Society of America (LSA)
Amherst, USA

07/2022 Landelijke Onderzoekschool Taalwetenschap (LOT)
Groningen, Netherlands

07/2021–08/2021 32nd European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information
Held virtually

07/2021 Leiden Summer School in Languages and Linguistics
Held virtually

05/2022 Statistics for Language studies
Universitat Pompeu Fabra

LANGUAGES & SKILLS

LANGUAGES

Mandarin Chinese, Spanish, English

SKILLS

Python, R, HTML