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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Syntax-semantics interface, semantics, computational linguistics, Chinese linguistics, sign linguistics

## EDUCATION

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| 2016–present | Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey<br>Doctor of Philosophy in Linguistics  |
| 2013–2014    | The Chinese University of Hong Kong<br>Master of Arts in Chinese Linguistics and Language Acquisition<br>Thesis: The syntax and semantics of gapping-like ellipsis in Chinese (Supervisor: Prof. Candice Cheung)<br>Overall GPA: 3.79 |
| 2009–2013    | Sichuan Normal University, China<br>Bachelor of Arts in Teaching Chinese as a Foreign Language<br>Overall GPA: 3.63   |

## OTHER ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

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| 07/2015 | LSA Linguistic Summer Institute, University of Chicago                      |
| 05/2013 | Natural Language Processing, Coursera.org (Lecturer: Prof. Michael Collins) |

## WORKING EXPERIENCE

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| 12/2014–07/2015 | Research Assistant<br>Center for Sign Linguistics and Deaf Studies, The Chinese University of Hong Kong (Supervisor: Prof. Gladys Tang) |
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## INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

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| 09/2010–06/2011 | One-On-One Chinese Tutor<br>Chinese Center for International Education, Sichuan Normal University |
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## PUBLICATIONS

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| 2014 | Hùn-bīn jùshì de xíngshì yǔyì fēnxī [Semantics of ‘mix-object’ constructions in Mandarin], in <i>Yǔyán Lìshǐ Lùncóng</i> [Papers on Language and History] ed. Jixu Zhou et al., 7:83–106. Chengdu: Bashu Shushe |
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## PRESENTATIONS

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| 06/2015 | Passing on the contrast: Systematic symmetric contrast in subordinate gapping-like ellipsis in Mandarin Chinese. Paper presented at the 10th International Workshop on Theoretical East Asian Linguistics (TEAL-10), Tokyo University of Foreign Studies |
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**AWARDS**

03/2015	Dean's List 2013–2014, Faculty of Arts, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
11/2014	M.A. Best Thesis Award 2014, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
06/2013	Distinguished Thesis Award, Sichuan Normal University
11/2011	Merit Student, Sichuan Normal University
05/2010	First-class Academic Scholarship, Sichuan Normal University
12/2007	First Prize, the 13th National Olympiad in Informatics in Provinces (NOIP)

**LANGUAGES**

Mandarin Chinese (native), English (fluent), Japanese (limited fluency), Cantonese (intermediate), Hong Kong Sign Language (beginner)

**SKILLS**

C/C++, Pascal/Delphi, Python, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X