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EDUCATION

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| 2021-Present | Ph.D. in Second Language Acquisition
<i>University of Maryland, College Park, MD</i> |
| 2022-2025 | Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Quantitative Methodology: Measurement and Statistics
<i>University of Maryland, College, MD</i> |
| 2017-2018 | M.A. in Applied Second Language Acquisition
<i>Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA</i> |
| 2012-2017 | L.L.B., International Law
<i>China Foreign Affairs University, Beijing, China</i> |

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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| 2021-Present | Doctoral Researcher
<i>Graduate program of Second Language Acquisition, University of Maryland, College Park, MD</i> |
| 2018-2020 | Research Associate
<i>Supervisor: Brian MacWhinney</i>
<i>Department of Psychology, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA</i> |
| 2017-2017 | Research Assistant
<i>College of Foreign Languages, Shaanxi Normal University, Xi'an, Shaanxi Province, China</i>
<i>(National Project: Linguistic Atlas of Northwestern China's Dialects)</i> |

JOURNAL ARTICLES (ACCEPTED & PUBLISHED)

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| In Press | 1. Wu, Zhiyi , & Toda-Cosi, Mireia. From Lab to Web: Replicating Cross-Language Translation Priming Asymmetry in an Online Environment. <i>Research Methods in Applied Linguistics</i> . |
| In Press | 2. Wu, Zhiyi , Jia, Ruirui, & Hui, Bronson. Saving the reliability of inhibitory control measures? An extension of Huensch (2024) and Hui & Wu (2024). <i>Studies in Second Language Acquisition</i> . |

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| 2025 | 3. Wu, Zhiyi & Hui, Bronson. New analysis methods may help improve the reliability of inhibitory measures. <i>OASIS Summary</i> of Wu, Jia & Hui (In press) in <i>Studies in Second Language Acquisition</i> . |
| 2025 | 4. Zhang, Nan, Wu, Zhiyi , & Min, Wang. Cross-language phonological activation in bilingual visual word recognition: A meta-analysis. <i>Psychonomic Bulletin & Review</i> . (full text) |
| 2024 | 5. Hui, Bronson & Wu, Zhiyi . Estimating reliability for response time difference measures: Towards a standardized, model-based approach. <i>Studies in Second Language Acquisition</i> . (full text) |
| 2023 | 6. Wu, Zhiyi & Hui, Bronson. Using a statistical model to assess how reliable response time differences are. <i>OASIS Summary of Hui & Wu (2023)</i> in <i>Studies in Second Language Acquisition</i> . |
| 2022 | 7. Fang, Shaohua, & Wu, Zhiyi . Syntactic prediction in L2 learners: Evidence from English disjunction processing. <i>International Review of Applied Linguistics in Language Teaching</i> . (full text) |
| 2022 | 8. Wiener, Seth, Gao, Zhe, Li, Xiaomeng, & Wu, Zhiyi . Acquisition of non-sibilant anterior English fricatives by adult second language learners. <i>Journal of Second Language Pronunciation</i> . |
| 2019 | 9. Li, Yan, & Wu, Zhiyi . A new method of tonal determination for Chinese dialects. <i>2019 International Conference on Asian Language Processing (IALP)</i> , 7-12. IEEE. |
| 2018 | 10. Li, Yan, & Wu, Zhiyi . Disyllabic tone sandhi and neutral tone patterns in Yichang dialect. <i>2018 International Conference on Asian Language Processing (IALP)</i> , 1-7. IEEE. |

JOURNAL ARTICLES (UNDER REVIEW & REVISION)

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| Under Review
(2 nd Round) | 11. Wu, Zhiyi & Gor, Kira. Allophonic and phonemic tap dance: The influence of native phonology on nonnative phonetic perception and lexical encoding. |
| Under Review
(2 nd Round) | 12. Jiang, Nan, Wu, Zhiyi , & Zhou, Ying. Analytic visual word recognition in L2 learners: evidence from the length effect among ESL speakers. |

BOOK CHAPTER

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| 2025 | Toda-Cosi, Mireia, Wu, Zhiyi , & Pandža, Nick B. Online Data Collection in Applied Linguistics. In K. Sadeghi (Ed) <i>Routledge handbook of technological advances in researching language learning</i> . Routledge. (preprint) |
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BOOK REVIEW

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| 2021 | Fang, Shaohua, & Wu, Zhiyi . Book Review: A. Godfroid: Eye Tracking in Second Language Acquisition and Bilingualism: A Research Synthesis and Methodological Guide (2019) 《二语和双语语境下的眼动：研究综述和技术指南》评介. <i>Foreign Language Teaching and Research</i> , 53(4), 628-632. |
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CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2025	Upcoming conference talk. When Milliseconds Matter: Challenges in Replicating Laboratory Priming Effects in Online L2 Research. <i>The Second Language Research Forum</i> .
2025	Conference talk. Can we ever measure inhibitory control reliably? An extension of Hui & Wu (2024) and Huensch (2024). <i>American Association for Applied Linguistics Annual Conference</i> .
2023	Conference talk. The Role of Native Phonology in Speech Perception and Phonolexical Encoding among Spanish Learners. <i>American Association for Applied Linguistics Annual Conference</i> .
2022	Conference poster. How do language(s) we know influence how we learn a new language? <i>Language Science Day 2022 at UMCP</i> .
2022	Conference poster. How are second-language word forms connected to their meanings? <i>Language Science Day 2022 at UMCP</i> .
2020	Conference talk. The Perception and Production of English fricatives by L2 learners. <i>Second Language Research Forum</i> .
2018	Conference talk. Teaching Classical Chinese in the Classroom. <i>Chinese Language Teaching Association Annual Conference</i> .

GUEST LECTURE

2022	Syntactic prediction in L2 learners. <i>SLA seminar at UMCP (Guest Lecture)</i> .
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FUNDING APPLICATIONS

2023, 2025	SLLC & SLA Conference Travel Fund (\$3,000)
2024-2025	Faculty-Student Research Award with Dr. Nan Jiang (15,000\$)
2024	NSF Linguistics Program – Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant (not funded)
2023, 2024	ARHU Graduate Student Travel Awards (950\$)
2023, 2024	Laura Bassi Scholarship (not funded)
2022-2024	ARHU Summer Fellowship (4100\$)
2023	Gorilla & Prolific Grant (not funded)
2023	SLA Research Fund (\$1,225)

TEACHING & ADVISING EXPERIENCE

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- 2021-Present **Undergraduate Academic Advisor**
College of Arts and Humanities
Supervisor: Dr. Paula F. Nadler
University of Maryland, College Park
College Park, MD, USA
- Undergraduate student advising
 - Undergraduate Scholarship
 - o Scholarship Review Committee
 - o Creating Qualtrics
 - Creating newsletters
 - Study Abroad Course Approval
 - Course list update
- 2025 **Workshop Instructor, Using Random Slopes as a Measure**
SLA seminar “Advanced Statistics for Second Language Research”
University of Maryland, College Park
College Park, MD, USA
- 2024 **Workshop Instructor, Multilevel Modeling for Psycholinguistic Data**
Language Science Center
University of Maryland, College Park
College Park, MD, USA
- 2024 **Workshop Instructor, Data Preprocessing in R**
Language Science Center
University of Maryland, College Park
College Park, MD, USA
- 2023 **Workshop Instructor, Introduction to Data Wrangling in R**
Graduate program of Second Language Acquisition
University of Maryland, College Park
College Park, MD, USA
- 2021-2022 **Chinese Mentor**
Language House (Immersion Program)
University of Maryland, College Park
College Park, MD, USA
- 2018 Spring **Co-Lecturer, Elementary Chinese**
Carnegie Mellon University
Pittsburgh, PA, USA
- 2018-2022 **Undergraduate Student Academic Consultant**
Self-Employed – Academic writing editing & Grad school application guidance
Fully Remote
- 2015-2017 **Instructor, Reading & Writing in English**
Niuyueke Institution (纽约课) & New Oriental Institution (新东方)
Beijing, China

INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE & AFFILIATIONS

- 2021.1 - present Language Science Center at UMCP. ***Member***
- 2023.9 - 2024.5 ARHU Dean’s Graduate Advisory Board at UMCP. ***SLA Representative***

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2023.9 - 2024.5	SLLC Race, Equity, and Justice Committee at UMCP. <i>Graduate Student Member</i>
2022.8 - 2024.5	Language Science Center at UMCP. <i>Graduate Student Board Member</i>
2022, 2024	Language Science Center at UMCP. <i>Winter Storm planning committee</i>
2022.12 - 2023.12	American Association for Applied Linguistics. <i>Member</i>
2022.12 - 2023.12	Linguistic Society of America. <i>Member</i>
2023. 2	Language House “Language or Dialect” event at UMCP. <i>Featured panelist</i>

AD-HOC REVIEW

Book chapter

2025.2	<i>Online and Internet-Based Research Methods in Applied Linguistics</i>
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Journal Articles

2024.8	<i>Language Learning & Technology</i>
2024.6	<i>Studies of Second Language Acquisition</i>

Conference abstracts & proceedings

2024.8	<i>AAAL 2025</i>
2024.2	<i>CogSci 2024</i>

LANGUAGES

Mandarin	Native
English	Advanced
Spanish	Intermediate (B1 level)
Japanese	Beginner-high (A2 level)

PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES & EXPERIMENT PLATFORMS

R, Python
Gorilla Experiment Builder, Qualtrics, Naodao, Prolific, OpenSesame