




# Anna Björklund


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## Education

- 2019 – present     **PhD student, University of California, Berkeley**— Linguistics
- 2021     **MA, University of California, Berkeley**— Linguistics  
Thesis: *Nomlaki Vowel Quality and Duration: An Archival Examination*  
Advisor: Keith Johnson
- 2019     **BA, University of Florida**— Linguistics, East Asian Languages and Literatures—Chinese.  
Thesis: *Perceptual Bias In Lexical Tone Perception*  
Advisor: Ratree Wayland



## Research interests

-  Acoustic and articulatory phonetics; language documentation, description, and revitalization; application of archival material to above ends ('archival phonetics'); Californian indigenous languages (with focus on Wintuan languages).


## Research Publications

-  Beguš, G., Nazarov, A., Björklund, A., & Puente-Baldoceda, B. (*Under revision/in preparation*). Lexicon against naturalness: Unnatural gradient phonotactic restrictions and their origins.


## Conference papers and posters

- Jan 2022     **96th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America**, Washington, DC.  
Anna Björklund, *Vowel Duration in Nomlaki: An Archival Examination*. (Poster)
- Nov 2021     **181st Meeting of the Acoustical Society of America**, Seattle, WA.  
Anna Björklund, *Nomlaki Vowel Quality: An Acoustical and Archival Examination*. (Poster)





## Research Appointments

- Spring 2022     **Graduate Student Researcher (GSR)**, California Language Archives (Survey of California and Other Indian Languages), UC Berkeley.




## Employment

- 2020– present     **Linguistic Consultant**, Paskenta Band of Nomlaki Indians  
Assisting in language documentation and revitalization of the Nomlaki language through activities such as language teaching and archival work.



## Teaching

- Spring 2022     **LING 100: Intro to Linguistics**  
Graduate Student Instructor, UC Berkeley. Primary instructor: Keith Johnson.
- Fall 2021     **LING 110: Phonetics**  
Graduate Student Instructor, UC Berkeley. Primary instructor: Susan Lin.
- Spring 2021     **LING R1B: Endangered languages: Why does linguistic diversity matter?**  
Primary instructor, UC Berkeley.
- Fall 2020     **LING 5: Introduction to Linguistics**  
Graduate Student Instructor, UC Berkeley. Primary instructor: Larry Hyman.



## Awards, fellowships, & grants

- Summer 2021     **Summer Community Engagement Grant**
- Summer 2020     **Graduate Remote Instruction Innovation Fellow**
- 2019–2020     **Foreign Language Area Studies Fellow—Mandarin Chinese**




## Department-internal talks

- Spring 2022     **Phonology, Phonetics, and Psycholinguistics Forum ("Phorum")**, UC Berkeley.  
*Nomlaki Language Revitalization: Notes from the Archives.*
- Fall 2021     **Fieldwork Forum**, UC Berkeley. *Notes from the Archives: The Road to Nomlaki Language Revitalization.*


## Service

- 2021–2022     **Berkeley Fieldwork Forum ("FForum")**, UC Berkeley  
Co-organizer (with Zachary Wellstood)
- 2020–2021     **Berkeley Phonetics, Phonology, & Psycholinguistics Forum ("Phorum")**, UC Berkeley  
Co-organizer (with Dakota Robinson)

## Professional Affiliations

- 2021–present     **Acoustical Society of America**
- 2019–present     **Linguistic Society of America**
- 2017–present     **Phi Beta Kappa**

## Skills

- Natural Languages     *Native:* English  
*Proficient:* Chinese Mandarin, Swedish  
*Coursework/intermediate:* Japanese, Spanish  
*Fieldwork:* Nomlaki, Garifuna, Yucatec Maya, Choctaw

## Skills (continued)

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Coding Languages    Python, R, LaTeX

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