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## EDUCATION

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| 2011 | Ph.D. in Linguistics (*summa cum laude*), University of Leipzig<br>Dissertation: *Typological variation in grammatical relations*<br>Advisors: Balthasar Bickel and Johanna Nichols |
| 2006 | M.A. in Linguistics, English studies, and German as a foreign language, University of Leipzig<br>Thesis: *Aspects of information structure in Richtersveld Nama*<br>Advisors: Balthasar Bickel and Tom Güldemann |

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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| November 2023– | Associate professor in linguistics (tenured), Department of Linguistics, Hebrew University of Jerusalem |
| September 2018–October 2023 | Senior lecturer in linguistics (tenure track), Department of Linguistics, Hebrew University of Jerusalem |
| 2013–2018 | Assistant professor (*Juniorprofessorin*, non-tenure track) for typology and linguistic variance, Institute for Scandinavian Studies, Frisian and General Linguistics, Department of General Linguistics, Christian Albrecht University of Kiel; successfully mid-term evaluation in 2015 |
| 2010–2013 | Postdoctoral researcher, University of Leipzig / U. of Zurich, project: Typological Variance in the Processing of Grammatical Relations (funding: German Research Foundation, Project BI 799/3-2, PI: Prof. Dr. Balthasar Bickel and Prof. Dr. Ina Bornkessel-Schlesewsky) |
| 2006–2010 | Research assistant, U. of Leipzig, project: Typological Variance in the Processing of Grammatical Relations (funding: German Research Foundation, Project BI 799/3-1, PIs: Prof. Dr. Balthasar Bickel and Prof. Dr. Ina Bornkessel-Schlesewsky) |
| 2004–2006 | Student assistant in the project Expression of Focus in Southern African Languages (ZAS, Berlin), research on Richtersveld Nama (Khoe-Kwadi) PIs: Dr. Tom Güldemann and Prof. Dr. Manfred Krifka |
| 2002–2004 | Student assistant in the project AUTOTYP, U. of Leipzig, PIs: Prof. Dr. Balthasar Bickel and Prof. Dr. Johanna Nichols |

# GRANTS, AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIPS

## Major grants

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| 2025–2028 | Endangered Languages Documentation Programme (ELDP), major documentation project<br>*Documentation and description of the linguistic repertoires, culture, and oral tradition of the Nsua of Semuliki Forest*<br>Role: principal investigator (with Saudah Namyalo) |
| 2025–2028 | DFG Middle East Collaboration<br>*Differential object marking and reference tracking in the Northeastern Neo-Aramaic dialect of Christian Urmi*<br>Role: principal investigator (with Maria Ovsjannikova, University of Potsdam) |
| 2023–2025 | The Global Strategy and Partnerships Funding Scheme of the University of Zürich<br>*Event packaging in language*<br>Role: principal investigator (together with Balthasar Bickel and Jessica Ivani) |
| 2020–2024 | Israel Science Foundation<br>*Peripheral Khoekhoe varieties: A comprehensive documentation and description*<br>Role: principal investigator |
| 2017–2019 | Volkswagen Foundation, funding Initiative Knowledge for Tomorrow – Cooperative Research Projects in Sub-Saharan Africa<br>*The comprehensive bilingual talking Luruuli/Lunyara-English dictionary*<br>Role: German partner (with Saudah Namyalo as principal investigator) |
| 2015–2017 | Volkswagen Foundation, DOBES-Programme, Project II/89 550,<br>*Articulation speed variation cross-linguistically* (follow-up project),<br>Role: Principal investigator (with Frank Seifart, Nikolaus Himmelmann, Balthasar Bickel, Swintha Danielsen, Iren Hartmann, Roland Meyer, Brigitte Pakendorf, Jan Strunk, Søren Wichmann, and Taras Zakharko) |
| 2012–2015 | Volkswagen Foundation, DOBES-Programme, Project II/86 292;<br>*The relative frequencies of nouns, pronouns, and verbs cross-linguistically*,<br>Role: Principal investigator (with Frank Seifart, Hans-Jörg Bibiko, Balthasar Bickel, Swintha Danielsen, Roland Meyer, Sebastian Nordhoff, Brigitte Pakendorf, and Taras Zakharko) |

## Scholarships and other grants

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| 2019–2020 | Ben Zvi Institute for the study of Jewish communities in the East<br>*Documenting Juhuri, an Iranian language of the Jews of the Caucasus.*<br>with David Erschler, Eitan Grossman, and Dmitry Nikolaev |
| 2019–2020 | Teaching and Learning Centre at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem<br>*Educational innovation in linguistics*<br>with Eitan Grossman |
| 2018–2019 | Golda Meir Fellowship Fund at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem<br>Position funding for the 2018/2019 academic year |

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| 2017 | BMBF and MESRI (French Ministry for Higher Education, Research and Innovation)<br>Travelling grant to participate at *LexMC: Lexical Data Masterclass* (declined) |
| 2015 | Alumni Kiel e.V., Grant to video record the series of lectures *Sprachwandel mit Migrationshintergrund* |
| 2015 | COST (European cooperation in science and technology)<br>Two travelling grants for the summer school *Standard Tools and Methods for Retrodigitising Dictionaries* (Lisbon) |
| 2014 | DNSZ (Deutsch-Norwegischen Studienzentrum an der Universität Kiel)<br>Seed grant for the Trondheim-Kiel Valency Project |
| 2014 | NetWordS – The European Network on Word Structure<br>A grant to attend the summer school *Words: structure, meaning, acquisition, processing* (4–9 August 2014, Trondheim, Norway) |
| 2013 | Graduate Campus of Zurich University,<br> Conference organization grant for the conference *Landscape through the prism of language*<br>with Giorgio Iemmolo, Curdin Derungs, and Flurina Wartmann |
| 2011 | University of Zurich, International Relations – North-South Cooperation<br>Teaching staff mobility grant to teach at Makerere-Zurich Summer school, Makerere (Uganda), 1–15 August 2011 |

## Awards

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| 2020 | Hebrew University of Jerusalem<br>Outstanding teacher/top teacher of the Faculty of Humanities award |
| 2019 | Hebrew University of Jerusalem<br>Outstanding teacher/top teacher of the Faculty of Humanities award |
| 2013 | Association for Linguistic Typology, The 6th Joseph Greenberg Award<br>Honorable mention (the award recognizes the best piece of typological research embodied in a doctoral dissertation) |

## RESEARCH PROJECT TEAM MEMBER

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| 2025–2031 | *The system of shape representations in cognition, development and across languages SHAPE (ERC Synergy Grant 2024*<br>PIs Mila Vulchanova (NTNU, Trondheim), Pamela Perniss (University of Cologne), Linda Smith (Indiana University), Frank Seifart (SeDyL Lab, CNRS)<br>Role: associated researcher, language expert for Ruuli and Khoekhoe |
| 2023– | *Open Text Collections*<br>DFG/German Research Foundation, 2023–2025<br>Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities<br>PI Mandana Seyfeddinipur<br>Role: regional editor for Africa |

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| 2021– | *Out of Asia Sinergia Project*<br>University of Zurich<br>PIs Balthasar Bickel, Kentaro Shimizu, Robert Weibel, Paul Widmer<br>Role: associated researcher, supervisor of the data modules on grammatical relations |
| 2020–2023 | *The dynamics of language variation: A study of linguistic repertoires of Ruruuli-Lunyara speakers*<br>Volkswagen Foundation, funding Initiative Knowledge for Tomorrow – Cooperative Research Projects in Sub-Saharan Africa<br>PI Saudah Namyalo (Makerere University)<br>Role: mentor and associated researcher |
| 2016–2022 | *DoReCo – Language Documentation Reference Corpora*<br>Leibniz-Zentrum Allgemeine Sprachwissenschaft<br>PIs Frank Seifart and Manfred Krifka<br>Role: associated researcher, corpus creator of N‖ng and Ruuli |
| 2016–2023 | *Grambank* (part of the international research consortium Glottobank)<br>MPI for the Science of Human History, Jena; since 2021 MPI for Evolutionary Anthropology, Leipzig<br>Role: leader of Kiel team, supervision of over 20 research assistants, patron of multiple typological features |
| 2016– | *Khoisan phonological typology project*<br>JSPS Grant-in-aid for Scientific Research (KAKENHI)<br>PI Hirosi Nakagawa (Tokyo University of Foreign Studies)<br>Role: associated researcher, technical lead, coordinator of data collection and processing |
| 2009–2012 | *Referential Hierarchies in Morphosyntax*<br>EuroCORES program "Better Analyses Based on Endangered Languages (EuroBABEL)"<br>PI Katharina Haude<br>Role: associated researcher |
| 2007–2011 | *A text documentation of N\|uu*, Endangered Languages Documentation Programme (ELDP), PI Tom Güldemann<br>Role: associated researcher |
| 2006–2013 | Research Group 742 *Grammar and Processing of Verbal Arguments*<br>German Science Foundation<br>Coordinator Gereon Müller<br>Role: associated researcher |
| 2002– | *AUTOTYP typological database network*<br>PIs Balthasar Bickel and Johanna Nichols<br>Role: associated researcher, developer of database modules on grammatical relations |

# PUBLICATIONS

## Monographs

2021      Saudah Namyalo, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Anatole Kiriggwajjo, Amos Atuhairwe, Zarina Molochieva, Ruth Mukama & Margaret Zellers. *A dictionary and grammatical sketch of Ruruuli-Lunyala* (African Language Grammars and Dictionaries 5). Berlin: Language Science Press.

2011      **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. *Typological Variation in Grammatical Relations.* University of Leipzig Dissertation.
DOI: 10.5281/zenodo.4191665.

## Edited volumes and special issues

2022      Chief editors: Bonny Sands, Kerry Jones;
Editorial team: Chris Collins, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Sylvanus Job, Francoise (Betta) Steyn, Dietloff van der Berg, Dotty Mantzel & Willem Damarah. *Nǀuuki Namagowab Afrikaans English: ǂXoakiǂxanisi/Mîdi di ǂKhanis/Woordeboek/Dictionary.*
Cape Town: African Sun Media.

2021      Janic, Katarzyna & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. 2021. *Antipassive: typology, diachrony, and related constructions.* Amsterdam: John Benjamins.

2019      Grossman, Eitan, Ilja A. Seržant & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** (guest editors). Valency and transitivity in contact: theoretical and empirical issues. Special issue of *Journal of Language Contact* 12(1).

2019      **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena** & Balthasar Bickel. *Argument selectors: A new perspective on grammatical relations.* Amsterdam: John Benjamins.

2018      Seržant, Ilja A. & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. *Diachrony of differential argument marking.* Berlin: Language Science Press.

2016      Haude, Katharina & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** (guest editors). Referential Hierarchies in Morphosyntax. Special issue of *Linguistics* 54(3).

2013      **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena** & Martina Ernszt. *Khoisan languages and linguistics. Proceedings of the 3rd International Symposium July 6–10, 2008, Riezlern/Kleinwalsertal.* (Research in Khoisan Studies 29). Cologne: Rüdiger Köppe.

## Journal articles

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| In preparation | Hong, Tai, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** & Balthasar Bickel. The Evolutionary Dynamics of Ergative Case. |
| In preparation | Lorenzen, Mandy, Saudah Namyalo, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Zellers, Margaret. Backchannels in Luganda: forms and functions. |
| In preparation | Veselovsky, Anna, Saudah Namyalo, Aynat Rubinstein & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Subjunctive in Ruruuli-Lunyala: a corpus-based study. |
| Accepted | Thalmayer, Amber Gayle, David M. Condon, Kendall A. Mather, Luzelle Naudé, Maria Florence, Tracey-Ann Adonis, Elizabeth N. Shino, Stephen Asatsa, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Lea Z. M. Bächlin & Gerard Saucier. The cross-cultural Big Two: A culturally de-centered theoretical and measurement model for personality traits. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology: PPID* |
| Accepted | Veselovsly, Anna & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich.** Modal verbs of strong necessity in Ruruuli-Lunyala (Bantu JE.103). *Africana Linguistica.* |
| 2024 (forthcoming) | Inman, David, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Natalia Chousou-Polydouri & Melvin Steiger. Alignment everywhere all at once: Applying the late aggregation principle to a typological database of argument marking. *Journal of Language Modelling* 12(2): 1–60. |
| 2023 | Skirgård, Hedvig, Hannaah Haynie, Damián Blasi, Harald Hammarström, Jeremy Collins, Jay Latarche, Jakob Lesage, Tobias Weber, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** … Russel Gray. Grambank reveals the importance of genealogical constraints on linguistic diversity and highlights the impact of language loss. *Science Advances* 9(16), eadg6175, 1–15. https://doi.org/10.1126/sciadv.adg6175 |
| 2023 | Nakagawa, Hirosi, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Daniel Auer, Anne-Maria Fehn, Linda Gerlach Ammann, Tom Güldemann, Sylvanus Job, Florian Lionnet, Christfried Naumann, Hitomi Ono & Lee J. Pratchett. Towards a phonological typology of the Kalahari Basin Area languages. *Linguistic Typology* 27(2): 509–535. https://doi.org/10.1515/lingty-2022-0047 |
| 2022 | Veselovsky, Anna & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Linguistic variation in customer reviews: One's own vs. another's experience narrative. *Register Studies* 4(2), 288–322. https://doi.org/10.1075/rs.22004.ves |
| 2022 | Sietze Norder, Laura Becker, Hedvig Skirgård, Leonardo Arias, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** & Rik van Gijn. glottospace: R package for language mapping and geospatial analysis of linguistic and cultural data. *Journal of Open Source Software* 7(77), 4303. https://doi.org/10.21105/joss.04303. |
| 2022 | Just, Erika & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. A corpus-based analysis of P indexing in Ruuli (Bantu, JE103). *South African Journal of African Languages (SAJAL)* 42(2), 234–242. https://doi.org/10.1080/02572117.2022.2094083 |

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| 2020 | Lind Sørensen, Marie-Louise & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Clausal complementation in Ruuli (Bantu, JE103). *Studies in African Linguistics* 49(1), 84–110. |
| 2020 | Seifart, Frank, Jan Strunk, Swintha Danielsen, Iren Hartmann, Brigitte Pakendorf, Søren Wichmann, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Nikolaus P. Himmelmann & Balthasar Bickel. The extent and degree of utterance-final word lengthening in spontaneous speech from 10 languages. *Linguistics Vanguard* 7(1), 1–14. |
| 2020 | Strunk, Jan, Frank Seifart, Swintha Danielsen, Iren Hartmann, Brigitte Pakendorf, Søren Wichmann, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** & Balthasar Bickel. Determinants of phonetic word duration in ten language documentation corpora: Word frequency, complexity, position, and part of speech. *Language Documentation & Conservation* 14, 423–461. |
| 2019 | Grossman, Eitan & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Valency and transitivity in contact: An overview. *Journal of Language Contact* 12, 1–26. |
| 2018 | Güldemann, Tom, Lee J. Pratchett & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. From pragmatics to sentence type: Non-topical S/A arguments and clause-second particles in the Kalahari Basin. *Gengo Kenkyu (Journal of the Linguistic Society of Japan)* 154, 1–32. |
| 2018 | Seifart, Frank, Jan Strunk, Swintha Danielsen, Iren Hartmann, Brigitte Pakendorf, Søren Wichmann, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Nivja H. de Jong & Balthasar Bickel. Nouns slow down speech across structurally and culturally diverse languages. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* 115(22), 5720–5725. |
| 2016 | Haude, Katharina & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Referential hierarchies and alignment: An overview. *Linguistics* 54(3): 433–441. |
| 2016 | Van Lier, Eva, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** & Joana Jansen. Referential and lexical factors in alignment variation of trivalent verbs. *Linguistics* 54(3), 563–616. |
| 2016 | **Witzlack-Makarevich**, Alena, Taras Zakharko, Lennart Bierkandt, Fernando Zúñiga & Balthasar Bickel. Decomposing hierarchical alignment: co-arguments as conditions on alignment and the limits of referential hierarchies as explanations in verb agreement. *Linguistics* 54(3), 531–561. |
| 2015 | Bickel, Balthasar, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich,** Kamal K. Choudhary, Matthias Schlesewsky & Ina Bornkessel-Schlesewsky. The neurophysiology of language processing shapes the evolution of grammar: evidence from case marking. *PLOS ONE* 10(8), e0132819. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0132819. |
| 2014 | Bickel, Balthasar, Taras Zakharko, Lennart Bierkandt & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Semantic role clustering: An empirical assessment of semantic role types. *Studies in Language* 38(3), 485–511. |

| 2013 | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena** & Balthasar Bickel. Towards a questionnaire on grammatical relations: a project bridging between typology and field linguistics. In *Tomsk Journal of Linguistics and Anthropology* 2 (2), 124–134. |

## Peer-reviewed conference proceedings

| Accepted | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. Idiolectal and dialectal variation in N‖ng. In Lee J. Pratchett & Axel Fanego Palat (eds), *Proceedings of the 24. Afrikanist*innentag* (provisional title). Cologne: Rüdiger Köppe. |

| 2024 | Tulchynska, Kira, Sylvanus Job, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** & Margaret Zellers. Prosodic marking of syntactic boundaries in Khoekhoe. In *Interspeech 2024, 1–5 September 2024, Kos, Greece: 3684–3688*. |

| 2022 | Lesage, Jakob, Hannah J. Haynie, Hedvig Skirgård, Tobias Weber & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. 2022. Overlooked data in typological databases: What Grambank teaches us about gaps in grammars. In *Proceedings of the 13th Language Resources and Evaluation Conference (LREC 2022)*, 2884–2890, Marseille, 20-25 June 2022. European Language Resources Association. https://aclanthology.org/2022.lrec-1.309/ |

| 2021 | Zellers, Margaret, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Lilja Saeboe & Saudah Namyalo. An exploration of the acoustic space of rhotics and laterals in Ruruuli. In *Proceedings of 22nd Interspeech*, *Brno, Czechia*, 1454–1458. |

| 2020 | Zellers, Margaret, Saudah Namyalo & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Investigating relationships between intonational and syntactic phrasing in Ruruuli/Lunyala. *Proceedings of Speech Prosody 2020, Tokyo, Japan*, 394–398. |

| 2018 | Buanzur, Tuarik, Margaret Zellers, Saudah Namyalo & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. A first investigation of the timing of turn-taking in Ruuli. *Proceedings of Interspeech 2018* (2–6 September 2018, Hyderabad), 622–625. DOI: 10.21437/Interspeech.2018-1254 |

| 2015 | Marquard, Carina, Oliver Niebuhr & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. 2015. Phonetic reduction of clicks – Evidence from Nǀuu. *Proceedings of the 18th International Congress of Phonetic Sciences*. Glasgow, UK: the University of Glasgow. Paper number 0240. https://www.internationalphoneticassociation.org/icphs-proceedings/ICPh2015/Papers/ICPHS0240.pdf |

## Articles in edited volumes (peer-reviewed)

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| Forthcoming | Ruppert, Eloisa, Saudah Namyalo & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Forthcoming. Negation in Ruuli (JE.103). In Ljuba Veselinova & Matti Miestamo (eds), *Negation in the languages of the world*. Berlin: Language Science Press. |
| Forthcoming | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**, Eloisa Ruppert & Saudah Namyalo. Expressions of caritive semantics in Ruuli. In Sofia Oskolskaya, Maksim Fedotov & Natalia Zaika (eds) *Typology of caritives*. Berlin: Language Science Press. |
| 2023 | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena,** Erika Just & Saudah Namyalo. Reflexive constructions in Luganda. In Katarzyna Janic, Martin Haspelmath & Nicoletta Puddu (eds), *Reflexive constructions in the world's languages*, 185–206. Berlin: Language Science Press. |
| 2022 | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. Khoisan Languages. In Mark Aronoff (ed.), *Oxford Bibliographies in Linguistics*. Oxford: Oxford University Press. DOI: 10.1093/OBO/9780199772810-0294 |
| 2022 | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**, Johanna Nichols, Kristine A. Hildebrandt, Taras Zakharko & Balthasar Bickel. Managing AUTOTYP Data: Design Principles and Implementation. Andrea L. Berez-Kroeker, Bradley McDonnell, Eve Koller & Lauren B. Collister (eds), *Open Handbook of Linguistic Data Management*, 631–642. Cambridge, MA: MIT Press. |
| 2021 | Molochieva, Zarina, Saudah Namyalo & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Phasal polarity in Ruuli. In Raija Kramer (ed.), *The expression of phasal polarity in African languages*, 71–89. Berlin: De Gruyter Mouton. |
| 2021 | Janic, Katarzyna & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. The multifaceted nature of the antipassive construction. In Katarzyna Janic & Alena Witzlack-Makarevich (eds), *Antipassive: Typology, Diachrony, and Related Construction*s, 1–39. Amsterdam: John Benjamins. |
| 2019 | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena** & Hirosi Nakagawa. Linguistic features and typologies in languages commonly referred to as 'Khoisan'. In Ekkehard Wolff (ed.), *The Cambridge Handbook of African Linguistics*, 382–416. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. |
| 2019 | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. Argument selectors. A new perspective on grammatical relations: An introduction. In Alena Witzlack-Makarevich & Balthasar Bickel (eds). *Argument selectors: A new perspective on grammatical relations*, 1–38. Amsterdam: John Benjamins. |
| 2018 | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena** & Ilja A. Seržant. Differential argument marking: Patterns of variation. In Ilja A. Seržant & Alena Witzlack-Makarevich (eds), *Diachrony of differential argument marking*, 1–40. Berlin: Language Science Press. |
| 2015 | Bickel, Balthasar, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** & Taras Zakharko. Typological evidence against universal effects of referential scales on case alignment. In Ina Bornkessel-Schlesewsky, Andrej Malchukov & |

| | Marc Richards (eds), *Scales: A cross-disciplinary perspective on referential hierarchies*, 7–44. Berlin: De Gruyter Mouton. |
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| 2015 | Bickel, Balthasar, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Taras Zakharko & Giorgio Iemmolo. Exploring diachronic universals of agreement: alignment patterns and zero marking across person categories. In Jürg Fleischer, Elisabeth Rieken & Paul Widmer (eds), *Agreement from a diachronic perspective*, 29–52. Berlin: De Gruyter Mouton. |
| 2015 | Ernszt, Martina, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** & Tom Güldemann. Valency in N‖ng. In Andrej Malchukov & Bernard Comrie (eds), *Valency Classes in the World's Languages. Volume 1: Introducing the Framework, and Case Studies from Africa and Eurasia*, 185–220. Berlin: De Gruyter Mouton. |
| 2013 | Bickel, Balthasar, Giorgio Iemmolo, Taras Zakharko & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Patterns of alignment in verb agreement. In Dik Bakker & Martin Haspelmath (eds), *Languages across boundaries: Studies in memory of Anna Siewierska*, 15–36. Berlin: De Gruyter Mouton. |
| 2008 | Bornkessel-Schlesewsky, Ina, Kamal K. Choudhary, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** & Balthasar Bickel. Bridging the gap between processing preferences and typological distributions: initial evidence from the online comprehension of control constructions in Hindi. In Andrej Malchukov & Marc Richards (eds), *Scales* (=Band 86 der Linguistischen ArbeitsBerichte), 397–436. Leipzig: Institut für Linguistik. |
| 2008 | Bickel, Balthasar & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Referential scales and case alignment: reviewing the typological evidence. In Andrej Malchukov & Marc Richards (eds), *Scales* (=Band 86 der Linguistischen ArbeitsBerichte), 1–37. Leipzig: Institut für Linguistik. |

### Databases and electronic corpora

| In preparation | Job, Sylvanus, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** & Margaret Zellers. *A corpus of conversational Khoekhoe.* |
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| Forthcoming | Natalia Chousou-Polydouri1, David Inman1, Marine Vuillermet, Kellen Parker Van Dam, Shelece Easterday, Françoise Rose, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Kevin Bätscher, Oscar Cocaud-Degrève, Anna Graff, Selma Hardegger, Tai Hong, Thomas Huber, Diana Krasovskaya, Raphaël Luffroy, Nora Muheim, André Müller, Alexandra Nogina, David Timothy Perrot, Melvin Steiger & Balthasar Bickel. The Areal Typology of Languages of the Americas database (ATLAs). |
| 2024 | Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena and Sylvanus Job. Bivalent patterns in Khoekhoe. In Sergey Say (ed.). *BivalTyp: Typological database of bivalent verbs and their encoding frames.* https://www.bivaltyp.info/languages/descriptions/Khoekhoe.html |
| 2023 | The Grambank Consortium (eds). *Grambank*. Leipzig: Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology. http://grambank.clld.org |

2023      Namyalo, Saudah, Margaret Zellers, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** & Mandy Lorenzen. *A corpus of conversational Luganda* (Version 1). https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.8432340

2022      Bickel, Balthasar, Johanna Nichols, Taras Zakharko, Alena Witzlack-Makarevich, Kristine Hildebrandt, Michael Rießler, Lennart Bierkandt, Fernando Zúñiga & John B. Lowe. 2022. The AUTOTYP database (v1.1.0). https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.6793367

2021      Güldemann, Tom, Martina Ernszt, Sven Siegmund & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Nǁng DoReCo data set. In Seifart, Frank, Ludger Paschen & Matthew Stave (eds). *Language Documentation Reference Corpus (DoReCo) 0.1.* Berlin & Lyon: Leibniz-Zentrum Allgemeine Sprachwissenschaft & laboratoire Dynamique Du Langage (UMR5596, CNRS & Université Lyon 2). https://doreco.huma-num.fr/languages/nngg1234

2021      **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**, Saudah Namyalo, Anatol Kiriggwajjo, Zarina Molochieva & Amos Atuhairwe. Ruuli DoReCo data set. In Seifart, Frank, Ludger Paschen & Matthew Stave (eds). *Language Documentation Reference Corpus (DoReCo) 0.1.* Berlin & Lyon: Leibniz-Zentrum Allgemeine Sprachwissenschaft & laboratoire Dynamique Du Langage (UMR5596, CNRS & Université Lyon 2). https://doreco.huma-num.fr/languages/ruul1235

2019      **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**, Saudah Namyalo, Zarina Molochieva, Amos Atuhairwe & Anatol Kiriggwajjo. *A corpus of spoken Ruuli*, 200,000 words.

2017      Bickel, Balthasar, Johanna Nichols, Taras Zakharko, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Kristine Hildebrandt, Michael Rießler, Lennart Bierkandt, Fernando Zúñiga & John B. Lowe. *The AUTOTYP typological databases.* Version 0.1.1 https://github.com/autotyp/autotyp-data/tree/0.1.1

2013      Ernszt, Martina, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** & Tom Güldemann. Nǁng Valency Patterns. In Iren Hartmann, Martin Haspelmath & Bradley Taylor (eds). *Valency Patterns Leipzig.* Leipzig: MPI-EVA. http://valpal.info/languages/nllng

2010      Güldemann, Tom, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Martina Ernszt & Sven Siegmund. *Text documentation of N|uu.* Leipzig, London: MPI-EVA, ELDP. https://elar.soas.ac.uk/Collection/MPI194591

## Reprints

2018      **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**, Taras Zakharko, Lennart Bierkandt, Fernando Zúñiga & Balthasar Bickel. Decomposing Hierarchical Alignment: Co-arguments as Conditions on Alignment and the Limits of Referential Hierarchies as Explanations in Verb Agreement. In Irina Nikolaeva (ed.), *Linguistic Typology: Critical Concepts in Linguistics.* 531–561.

2016      Bickel, Balthasar, Taras Zakharko, Lennart Bierkandt & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Semantic role clustering: An empirical

assessment of semantic role types. Seppo Kittilä & Fernando Zúñiga (eds), *Advances in Research on Semantic Roles*, 51–78. Amsterdam: John Benjamins.

## Reviews

2017    **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. Review of *Qualitative-quantitative analyses of Dutch and Afrikaans grammar and lexicon* (2014), Robert Kirsner (Amsterdam: John Benjamins). *Germanistik* 58/3–4: 640.

2014    **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena** & Csilla Kász. Review of *Impersonal constructions: A cross-linguistic* perspective (2011), ed. by Andrej Malchukov, Anna Siewierska. *Anthropological Linguistics* 56(2): 226–228.

2008    **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena.** Review of *Brahui, a Dravidian language* (2006), Mikhail S. Andronov, (Munich: LINCOM Europa). *LinguistList* 16.

2008    **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena.** Review of *Exploring the syntax-semantics interface* (2005), Robert D. Van Valin, Jr., (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press). *Linguistische Berichte* 213, 115–118.

2007    **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena.** Review of *The Tujia language* (2006), Cecilia Brassett, Philip Brassett & Meiyan Lu (Munich: LINCOM Europa) in *LinguistList* 29.


# TALKS

## Keynote lectures

2023    **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. Creating and utilizing corpora for language description and development: lessons learned from three projects across the African continent. LAEA 3 (Language Association of Eastern Africa), 15 August 2023, Makerere University.

2021    **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. Lexical restriction on diathetical operations of promotion and demotion. Presented at *Lexical restrictions on grammatical relations*. University of Amsterdam (online), 29–30 March 2021.

2019    **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. Typological variation of differential argument marking: How to capture it and what it tells us. Presented at *IGDAL 7: International Student Graduate Conference on Diverse approaches to Linguistics*, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, 8 April 2019.

2018    **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. Rapid collection of a spoken corpus of Ruuli (Bantu). Presented at *Fieldwork: methods and theory*, University of Gothenburg, 13–14 December 2018.

2018    **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. Typological variation of differential argument marking: How to capture it and what it tells us. Presented at *Conference on Typology and Grammar for Young Scholars*, St. Petersburg, 22–24 November 2018.

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| 2018 | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. Current research on ideophones: Meaning, typology and how to study them. Presented at *StuTS 62*, University of Kiel, 25 May 2018. |
| 2018 | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena.** Differential argument marking: From linguistic typology to corpus studies and back. Presented at *Perspectives on Low-Resource Languages and Language Varieties*, 9 February 2018, Saarland University. |
| 2016 | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. Typological variation of grammatical relations: How to capture it and what it tells us. Presented at *Typology of Morphosyntactic parameters*, 12 October 2016, Moscow State University of Education. |
| 2012 | Bickel, Balthasar, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Taras Zakharko & Giorgio Iemmolo. Are there diachronic universals of agreement systems? Presented at *Agreement from a diachronic perspective*, Philipps-Universität Marburg, 3–5 October, 2012. |

## Presentations at peer-reviewed conferences

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| 2024 | Tulchynska, Kira, Sylvanus Job, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** & Margaret Zellers. 2024. Prosodic marking of syntactic boundaries in Khoekhoe (poster). *INTERSPEECH 2024*, 1–5 September 2024, Island Kos, Greece. |
| 2024 | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**, Sylvanus Job & Anna Veselovsky. Interaction and competition between borrowed and native discourse particles in Khoekhoe (Khoe-Kwadi). 57th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea, 21–24 August 2024. Helsinki: University of Helsinki. |
| 2023 | Veselovsky, Anna, Aynat Rubinstein, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** & Saudah Namyalo. The subjunctive in Ruruuli-Lunyala (Bantu): A corpus-based study. *Workshop on modality in underdescribed languages: Methods & insights*. Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, 20–22 April, 2023. |
| 2023 | Haynie, Hannah J., Jakob Lesage, Hedvig Skirgård, Tobias Weber & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Overlooked information in large-scale typological databases reveals trends in grammaticography. *Linguistic Society of America (LSA) 97th Annual Meeting*. Denver, Colorado, 5–8 January 2023. |
| 2022 | Pratchett, Lee J., **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, … & Hirosi Nakagawa. Typological features of consonants in Khoisan languages of the Kalahari Basin Area. *Francqui International Professorship Symposium Diversity and Documentation of Speech Sounds in the Languages of the World*. Antwerp University, 9 December 2022. |
| 2022 | Lesage, Jakob, Hannah J. Haynie, Hedvig Skirgård, Tobias Weber & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Mind the gap! What typological databases tell us about the state of grammatical descriptions. *Where do we need to go from here? – Language Documentation & Archiving Conference*. Berlin, 3–7 October 2022. |

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| 2022 | Graff, Anna, Balthasar Bickel, Natalia Chousou-Polydouri, David Inman, Chiara Barbieri, Nico Neureiter, Peter Ranacher, Russell Gray, Russell Barlow & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. A global search for linguistic areas using Bayesian mixture modelling. *ICHL25 (International Conference on Historical Linguistics 2022)*. Oxford, 1–5 August 2022. |
| 2022 | Lesage, Jakob, Hannah J. Haynie, Hedvig Skirgård, Tobias Weber & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Overlooked data in typological databases: What Grambank teaches us about gaps in grammars (poster). *LREC 2022 (Language Resources and Evaluation Conference)*, Le Palais du Pharo, Marseille. 20–25 June 2022. |
| 2022 | Hildebrandt, Kristine A., **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Johanna Nichols, Taras Zakharko & Balthasar Bickel. Managing AUTOTYP data: Design principles and implementation. *LSA 2022 Annual Meeting* (Workshop *Scholarly Communication in Linguistics: Resource Workshop and Poster Session*). Washington, DC (and on-line), 6–9 January 2022. |
| 2021 | Lesage, Jakob, Hedvig Skirgård, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Hannah Haynie & Tobias Weber. Seeing the forest or the trees: lessons for grammar writing from Grambank, a large-scale typological database. Presented at *Descriptive grammars and typology II: The challenges of writing grammars of underdescribed and endangered languages*. Paris (and on-line), 1–3 December 2021. |
| 2021 | Zellers, Margaret, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Lilja Saeboe & Saudah Namyalo. 2021. An exploration of the acoustic space of rhotics and laterals in Ruruuli. Presented at *INTERSPEECH 2021*. Brno, Czech Republic, 30 August–3 September 2021. |
| 2021 | Zellers, Margaret, Mandy Lorenzen, Saudah Namyalo & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Forms and functions of backchanneling in Ruruuli and Luganda. Presented at the workshop *Centering pragmatic phenomena on the margins, WOCAL10 (10th World Congress of African Linguistics)*. Leiden University (online), 7–12 June 2021. |
| 2020 | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena** & Saudah Namyalo. 2020. Expressions of caritive semantics in Ruuli. Presented at the conference *Caritive constructions in the languages of the world*. St. Petersburg (online), 30 November–2 December 2020. |
| 2020 | Zellers, Margaret, Saudah Namyalo & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. 2020. Investigating relationships between intonational and syntactic phrasing in Ruruuli/Lunyala. Presented at *Speech Prosody 2020*. Tokyo, 25–28 May 2020. |
| 2019 | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. Reported discourse in Ruuli (Bantu, JE103): a corpus-based study. Presented at *Reported Discourse across Languages and Cultures*. CNRS Campus in Villejuif, 22–23 May 2019. |
| 2019 | Widmer, Manuel, Erik van Gijn, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Yingqi Jing, Erika Just, Nico Neureiter & Peter Ranacher. On the evolution of so-called hierarchical person-marking systems in Tupian and Sino- |

Tibetan. *ALT 2019 (The 13th Conference of the Association for Linguistic Typology).* University of Pavia, 4–6 September 2019.

2019    Nakagawa, Hirosi, Tom Güldemann, Florian Lionnet & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Khoisan Phonological Typology database and the relative frequency of consonants in the Khoisan languages. *ALT 2019 (The 13th Conference of the Association for Linguistic Typology).* University of Pavia, 4–6 September 2019.

2019    **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**, Saudah Namyalo & Erika Weinberger. 2019. Reflexives in Ruuli (Bantu, JE103). *SLE 2019 (52nd Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea).* Leipzig University, 21–24 August 2019.

2018    Buanzur, Tuarik, Margaret Zellers, Saudah Namyalo & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. A first investigation of the timing of turn-taking in Ruuli. Presented *at INTERSPEECH 18.* Hyderabad, India, 2–6 September 2018.

2018    Levshina, Natalia & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Explaining scale effects in differential argument case marking: Evidence from dialogue corpora. Presented at *SLE 2018 (The 51st Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea),* Tallinn, 29 August–1 September 2018.

2018    Lind Sørensen, Marie-Louise & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Complementation strategies in Luruuli/Lunyara (Bantu). Presented at *WOCAL9 (The 9th Word Congress of African Linguistics),* Rabat, 25–28 August 2018.

2018    Lind Sørensen, Marie-Louise & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. 2018. Complementation strategies in Ruuli. Presented at *SWL8 (The 8th Syntax of the World's Languages conference),* Paris, 3–5 September 2018.

2018    Van Gijn, Rik, Manuel Widmer, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Yingqi Jing & Erika Weinberger. On the evolution of so-called hierarchical person-marking systems in Tupian and Sino-Tibetan. Presented at workshop *New Fields for Morphology.* University of Surrey, 2–3 November 2018.

2017    **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**, Lennart Bierkandt & Fernando Zúñiga. Competition in verbal agreement paradigm: Are conflicts resolved in a systematic and historically stable way? Presented at *SLE50 (The 50th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea),* Zurich, 10–13 September 2017.

2017    **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**, Taras Zakharko & Johanna Nichols. Late aggregation as a design principle for typological databases. Presented at *ALT12 (The 12th Conference of the Association for Linguistic Typology),* Canberra, 12–14 December 2017.

2016    Neshcheret, Natalia & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Passives with intransitive verbs: typology and distribution. Presented at *PLM 2016 (46th Poznań Linguistic Meeting),* 15–17 September 2016, Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań.

2016    Janic, Katarzyn & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. The cross-linguistic diversity of antipassives: function, meaning and structure. Presented at

*SLE 2016 (49th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea),* University of Naples Federico II, Naples, 31 August–3 September 2016.

2016    Sands, Bonny & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Towards a minimally useful dictionary of Nǀuu. Presented at *Dictionaria Workshop*. University of Leipzig, 12 April 2016.

2015    Bickel, Balthasar, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Taras Zakharko & Giorgio Iemmolo. The distribution of zeros in agreement paradigms: exploring diachronic universals. Presented at *SLE 2015 (The 48th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea)*. Leiden, 2–5 September 2015.

2015    Güldemann, Tom & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Clause-second elements in languages of the Kalahari Basin with particular reference to Richtersveld Nama and Nǁng. Presented at *The 8th World Congress of African Linguistics (WOCAL 8)*. Kyoto, 20–24 August 2015.

2015    Marquard, Carina, Oliver Niebuhr & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Phonetic reduction of clicks – Evidence from Nǀuu. Presented at The *18th International Congress of Phonetic Sciences*. Glasgow, 10–14 August 2015.

2014    Seifart, Frank, Jan Strunk, Balthasar Bickel, Brigitte Pakendorf, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Iren Hartmann, Swintha Danielsen, Søren Wichmann & Taras Zakharko. Noun to verb ratio and word order. Presented at *The 8th Days of Swiss Linguistics*, University of Zurich, 19–21 June 2014.

2014    Seifart, Frank, Jan Strunk, Balthasar Bickel, Swintha Danielsen, Brigitte Pakendorf, Søren Wichmann & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Noun to verb ratio and word order. Presented at *SLE 2014 (The 47th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea)*. Poznań, 11–14 September 2014.

2014    Marquard, Carina, Oliver Niebuhr & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Acoustic characteristics and variation of clicks in the endangered language Nǀuu. Poster presented at *The 14th International Conference on Laboratory Phonology*. Tokyo, 25–27 July 2014.

2014    **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena** & Tom Güldemann. Valency patterns of Nǁng in contact. Presented *at SLE 2014 (The 47th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea)*. Poznań, 11–14 September 2014.

2013    Güldemann, Tom & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. The risks of analysis without spoken language corpora: clause-second *ke* in Richtersveld Nama and Nǁng. Presented at the conference *Information structure in Spoken Language Corpora (ISSLaC)*. University of Bielefeld, 10–12 June 2013.

2013    **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**, Balthasar Bickel & Taras Zakharko. Typological evidence against universal effects of referential scales on agent case marking. Presented at *SLE 2013 (The 46th Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea)*. Split, 18–21 September 2013.

2013    Iemmolo, Giorgio & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. When is there agreement? Typologizing restrictions on agreement. Presented at *ALT*

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|       | *10 (The Association for Linguistic Typology 10th Biennial Conference).* Leipzig, 15–18 August 2013. |
| 2012  | Bickel, Balthasar, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Taras Zakharko & Lennart Bierkandt. Semantic Role Clustering: An Empirical Assessments of Semantic role types. Presented at the workshop *Non-Canonically Case-Marked Subjects within and across Languages and Language Families.* Reykjavík, 4–8 June 2012. |
| 2012  | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**, Balthasar Bickel & Fernando Zúñiga. Grammatical relations beyond subjects and objects: 40 years later. Presented at *SLE 2012 (The 46th Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea).* Stockholm University, Stockholm, 29 August–1 September 2012. |
| 2012  | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**, Giorgio Iemmolo, Taras Zakharko & Balthasar Bickel. Same but different: Formal discrepancies in determining alignment of agreement systems. Presented at SWL5 (The Syntax of the World's Languages). Dubrovnik, 1–4 October 2012. |
| 2011  | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**, Lennart Bierkandt, Taras Zakharko & Balthasar Bickel. Decomposing hierarchical alignment: participant scenarios as conditions on alignment. Presented at *SLE 2011 (The 44th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea).* Universidad de la Rioja, Logroño, 8–11 September. |
| 2011  | Bickel, Balthasar, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Taras Zakharko & Lennart Bierkandt. Semantic Role Clustering: An Empirical Assessments of Semantic Role Types. Presented at the Workshop on *Role Complexes: (New) approaches to defining semantic roles*, University of Zurich. |
| 2011  | Molochieva, Zarina & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Noun-verb complex predicates in Chechen. Presented at the conference on *Caucasian languages.* MPI-EVA Leipzig, 13–15 May 2011. |
| 2011  | Bierkandt, Lennart, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Taras Zakharko & Balthasar Bickel. Synchronic variation and diachronic trends in the alignment of Kiranti agreement. Presented at International workshop on Gradualness in change and its relation to synchronic variation and use. University of Pavia, 30–31 May 2011. |
| 2011  | **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**, Lennart Bierkandt, Taras Zakharko & Balthasar Bickel. Beyond "basic types": accounting for the full variation in alignment typology. Presented at *ALT9 (Association of Linguistic Typology 9th Biennial Conference),* University of Hong Kong, 21–24 July 2011. |
| 2011  | Lier, Eva van, Anna Siewierska & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Alignment typology in three-participant construction. Presented at *ALT9 (Association of Linguistic Typology 9th Biennial Conference).* University of Hong Kong, 21–24 July 2011. |
| 2011  | Bierkandt, Lennart, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**, Taras Zakharko & Balthasar Bickel. Diachronic trends in the alignment of the Kiranti agreement system. Presented at ICHLXX (International Conference on |

Historical Linguistics). National Museum of Ethnology, Osaka, 25–30 July 2011.

2010 Molochieva, Zarina & **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich**. Noun-verb complex predicates in Chechen. Presented at *Syntax of the World's Languages 4*. CNRS and the Université Lumière Lyon II, Lyon, 23–26 September 2010.

2010 Balthasar Bickel, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** & Taras Zakharko. Alignment across the lexicon. Presented at *Syntax of the World's Languages 4*. CNRS and the Université Lumière Lyon II, Lyon, 23–26 September 2010.

2010 **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. Grammatical relations without syntactic transitivity. Presented at SLE2010 (43rd Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea). Vilnius, 2–5 September 2010.

2009 Bickel, Balthasar, **Alena Witzlack-Makarevich** & Taras Zakharko. Is differential case marking caused by a universal referential scale? *ALT8 (The 8th meeting of the Association for Linguistic Typology)*. University of California, Berkeley, 23–26 July 2019.

2009 **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. What is left after passivization? On the syntactic status of derived arguments. *ALT8 (The 8th meeting of the Association for Linguistic Typology)*. University of California, Berkeley, 23–26 July 2019.

2009 **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena** & Martina Ernszt. Referential Density in Nǁuu. *WOCAL6 (6th World Congress of African Linguistics), University of Cologne*. Cologne, 17–21 August 2009.

2007 **Witzlack-Makarevich, Alena**. Construction-centered database on grammatical relations. Presented at *ALT7 (The 7th Biannual Meeting of the Association for Linguistic Typology)*. Paris, 25–28 September 2007.


## Outreach

2020 Languages of Uganda. Presented in the seminar for excursion preparation of the African Studies Program, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, January 2020.

2018 Catching Ruuli (Bantu, Uganda): How to compile a grammar and a dictionary of an undescribed minority language in three years. *Africounters* (an interdisciplinary workshop series focused on Africa). The Harry S. Truman Research Institute for The Advancement of Peace, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, 20 December 2018.

2018 Lebhafte Anschauung von Ideen in Lautgestalt: Ideophone [Ideophones: Lively representations of ideas in sound]. Lecture series for general public *An den Rändern der Sprache: Ringvorlesung über Rand-, Grenz- und Übergangsphänomene in der Sprache*, 24 April 2018, University of Kiel.

2017 Was macht man so als Sprachwissenschaftler? [What do linguists do?] Lecture series organized by *Evangelische Studierendengemeinde an den Kieler Hochschulen*, January 2017.

| 2015 | Lecture series for general public *Sprachwandel mit Migrationshintergrund* [*Language change with migration background*] (with Steffen Höder). University of Kiel, nine events in April–June 2015. |

## PRIMARY DATA ACQUISITION AND FIELDWORK

### Primary data acquisition

| 2022– | Khoekhoe (Khoe-Kwadi): audiovisual documentation and corpus development, elicitation in situ (Namibia) |
| 2016– | Ruuli (Ruruuli/Lunyala) (Rutara, Great Lakes Bantu): elicitation in situ, audiovisual documentation and corpus development (Uganda) |
| 2019– | Ganda (Rutara, Great Lakes Bantu): elicitation in situ, audiovisual documentation and corpus development (Uganda) |
| 2009–2015 | Nǀuu (Tuu): audiovisual documentation and corpus development, including ethnography and language revitalization attempts, elicitation in situ (South Africa) |
| 2009–2010, 2020 | Chechen: elicitation in Leipzig and Kiel |
| 2006–2011 | Nama/Khoekhoe (Khoe-Kwadi): audiovisual documentation and corpus development, elicitation in situ (South Africa) |

### Fieldwork

*In the field: over 15 months*

| 2023–2024 | Khoekhoe (Khoe-Kwadi), 2–3 hours per week remote fieldwork |
| 2023 | Khoekhoe (Khoe-Kwadi), multiple locations (Namibia), 4 weeks |
| 2022 | Khoekhoe (Khoe-Kwadi), multiple locations (Namibia), 4 weeks |
| 2019 | Ganda (Bantu), Kampala (Central Uganda), 1 week |
| 2019 | Ruuli (Bantu), Kayunga, Nakasongola (Central Uganda), 5 weeks |
| 2018 | Ruuli (Bantu), Kayunga, Nakasongola (Central Uganda), 4 weeks |
| 2017 | Ruuli (Bantu), Kayunga, Nakasongola (Central Uganda), 5 weeks |
| 2015 | Nǀuu (Tuu), Upington/Andriesvale (Northern Cape, South Africa), 3 weeks |
| 2014 | Nǀuu (Tuu), Upington/Andriesvale (Northern Cape, South Africa), 3 weeks |
| 2011 | Nǀuu (Tuu), Upington/Andriesvale (Northern Cape, South Africa), 3 weeks |

| 2011 | Khoekhoe (Khoe-Kwadi), Kuboes (Northern Cape, South Africa), 1 week |
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| 2007 | Nǀuu (Tuu). Upington/Andriesvale (Northern Cape, South Africa), 10 weeks |
| 2005 | Khoekhoe (Khoe-Kwadi), Kuboes (Northern Cape, South Africa), 9 weeks |
| 2004 | Khoekhoe (Khoe-Kwadi), Kuboes (Northern Cape, South Africa), 12 weeks |

*In the office and remote*

| 2023– | Khoekhoe (Khoe-Kwadi), weekly meetings with speakers of Khoekhoe via zoom for elicitation and corpus annotation |
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| 2009–2010, 2022 | Chechen (Nakh-Daghestanian), elicitation in Leipzig and Kiel, graduate language structure class with elicitations sessions at Hebrew University of Jerusalem |
| 2019 | Luganda (Bantu), graduate class in *Field linguistics*, Hebrew University of Jerusalem |

## ACADEMIC SERVICE AND MEMBERSHIPS
### Departmental functions and university committees

| 2022– | Head of Functionalist track, Department of Linguistics, Hebrew University of Jerusalem |
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| 2021– | MA advisor, Functionalist track, Department of Linguistics, Hebrew University of Jerusalem |
| 2020– | Academic advisor at The Martin Buber Society of Fellows (a German-Israeli program for postdoctoral fellows in Humanities and Social Sciences), Hebrew University of Jerusalem |
| 2020– | Member of the Language science doctoral committee, Faculty of Humanities, Hebrew University of Jerusalem |
| 2018– | Student exchange coordinator of the Functionalist track, Department of Linguistics, Hebrew University of Jerusalem |
| 2018– | Library liaison for the linguistic section of the university library, Hebrew University of Jerusalem |
| 2016–2018 | Member of the central budget and planning committee (*Zentraler Haushalts- und Planungsausschuss*), University of Kiel |
| 2015, 2016 | Member of the hiring committee for Phonetics and phonology (W1), University of Kiel |
| 2015–2018 | Erasmus coordinator, Institute of Linguistics, University of Kiel |
| 2015–2018 | Member of the examination committee of the Faculty of Arts and Humanities (*Fakultäts- und Promotionsprüfungsausschuss*), University of Kiel |

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| 2015–2018 | Deputy member of the committee for the promotion of young researchers of the Faculty of Arts and Humanities (*Ausschuss für Angelegenheiten des wissenschaftlichen Nachwuchses*), University of Kiel |
| 2014–2018 | Examination coordinator for programs in General linguistics, University of Kiel |
| 2014–2018 | Library liaison, management of the linguistic section of the university library, University of Kiel |

## Journal and book series committees

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| 2023– | advisory board of Language Science Press |
| 2021– | review editor of the journal *Linguistic Typology* |
| 2020– | scientific committee of the journal *Linguistique et Langues Africaines* |
| 2020– | academic advisory board of the journal *Afrika und Übersee* |

## Program committee

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| 2021 | scientific committee *Emerging Topics in Typology 2021* |
| 2012– | program committee of *Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea (SLE)* |
| 2011– | program committee of the conference of the *Association for Linguistic Typology (ALT)* |
| 2012–2016 | program committee of *Workshop on Linked Data in Linguistics* |

## Reviewing

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| Journals | *Afrika und Übersee* (2020, 2021, 2022), *Acta Linguistica Petropolitana* (2016 two articles), *Diachronica* (2019, 2024), *Folia Linguistica* (2021), *Glossa* (2018, 2022 two articles), *History of Humanities* (2021), *International Journal of American Linguistics (IJAL)* (2018, 2024), *Journal of Historical Linguistics* (2018, 2022), *Journal of Linguistics* (2013), *Language Dynamics and Change* (2013), *Linguistic Typology* (2017, 2021), *Linguistic Typology at the Crossroads* (2022), *Linguistics and African Languages Scholarship at an African University* (2021), *Linguistic Discovery* (2011, 2017), *Linguistics* (2011, 2024), *Linguistics in the Netherlands* (2015), *Linguistics Vanguard* (2020), *Linguistique et Langues Africaines* (2022, 2023), *Nordic Journal of African Studies* (2020), *Stellenbosch Papers in Linguistics* (2019, 2022, 2024), *Studies in Language* (2013, 2014 two articles, 2015, 2020, 2022, 2023), *SKY Journal of Linguistics* (2012), *STUF - Language Typology and Universals* (2024), *Transactions of the Philological Society* (2024), *Wiley Interdisciplinary Reviews: Cognitive Science* (2012) |
| Book manuscripts | Brill (series *Studies in South and Southwest Asian Languages*, 2012 and 2016) |

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| | EL Publishing (2020) |
| | Language Science Press (2021) |
| | The MIT Press (2018, 2021) |
| Contributions to edited collections | John Benjamins (series *Typological Studies in Language*, two articles 2012; series *Studies in Language Companion Series*, one article 2016) |
| | Language Science Press (2020, 2021) |
| | DeGruyter Mouton (2011, 2021) |
| Grants | DFG/German Research Foundation (2014, 2023) |
| | *Endangered Languages Documentation Programme (ELDP)* (reviewer in 2015, 2017, and 2019; referee in 2013, 2019, 2021, 2022) |
| | Mandel Scholion Center (Hebrew University of Jerusalem) postdoctoral scholarship (2023) |
| | The Martin Buber Society of Fellows (Hebrew University of Jerusalem) postdoctoral scholarship (2023) |
| | National Geographic Society (2013) |
| Jury member | 10th Joseph Greenberg Award (*Association for Linguistic Typology*; 2021) |
| Proofreading | Proofreading for Language Science Press (15 contributions) |

## Organization of workshops, conferences, and webinars

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| 2020–2024 | Webinar *The Kalahari Basin Area network,* over 20 events (talks and reading groups). https://www.kalaharibasinarea.net/, with Lee J. Pratchett and Anne-Maria Fehn (until 2021). |
| 2016 | Workshop *The crosslinguistic diversity of antipassives: Function, meaning and structure* (with Katarzyna Janic). *SLE 2016 (The 49th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea)*, University of Naples Federico II, Naples, 31 August – 3 September 2016. |
| 2014 | Conference *The diachronic typology of differential argument marking* (with Ilja A. Seržant). University of Konstanz, 5-6 April 2014. |
| 2014 | Workshop *The relative frequencies of nouns, pronouns, and verbs in discourse* (with Frank Seifart, Hans-Jörg Bibiko, Balthasar Bickel, Swintha Danielsen, Roland Meyer, Sebastian Nordhoff, Brigitte Pakendorf, Jan Strunk, and Taras Zakharko). MPI EVA, Leipzig, 12–13 August 3014. |
| 2013 | Workshop *Landscape through the prism of language* (with Giorgio Iemmolo, Curdin Derungs, and Flurina Wartmann). University of Zurich, 1st June 2013. |
| 2012 | Workshop *Grammatical relations beyond subjects and objects: 40 years later* (with Balthasar Bickel and Fernando Zúñiga). *SLE 2012*, Stockholm University, 29 August–1 September 2012. |
| 2011 | Workshop *Referential hierarchies in alignment typology* (with Balthasar Bickel and Anna Siewierska). *SLE 2011*, University of La Rioja Logroño, 8–11 September 2011. |

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| 2010 | Workshop *Referential hierarchy effects on the morphosyntax of verbal arguments* (with Robert Schikowski and Balthasar Bickel). University of Leipzig, August 2010. |
| 2010 | Workshop *The fine structure of grammatical relations* (with Petr Biskup). University of Leipzig, December 2010. |
| 2007 | Workshop *Grammar and processing of verbal arguments* (with Gereon Müller and Andreas Opitz). University of Leipzig, April 2007. |
| 2006 | Workshop *Historical linguistics and hunter-gatherer populations in global perspective* (with Tom Güldemann). MPI-EVA Leipzig, August 2006. |

## Memberships in professional associations

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| 2024– | Fachverband Afrikanistik |
| 2010– | Societas Linguistica Europaea (SLE) |
| 2003– | Association for Linguistic Typology (ALT) |

# SKILLS AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

## Languages

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| Native language | Russian |
| Near-native proficiency | English, German |
| Good speaking and reading proficiency | Afrikaans, Belarusian, French, Polish |
| Basic speaking and reading proficiency | Hebrew |

## Computational skills

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| Presentation | Keynote, Microsoft PowerPoint, |
| Operating systems | Windows 2000/XP, Linux, Mac OSX |
| Database/ statistics | FileMaker Pro, SQL, R, Excel, Numbers |
| Project management | Git, wiki, Mercurial, Redmine |
| Document preparation | Word, Pages, LaTeX |
| Language documentation, corpus linguistics | ELAN, Toolbox, Audacity, Praat, AntConc, #LancsBox |

## Professional development

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| 2023 | Teaching workshop for senior university stuff (about 10 h., Hebrew University of Jerusalem) |
| 2017–2021 | Over 25 courses (over 100 h.) with the online learning platform Datacamp including courses on R foundations, visualization (e.g. *Data Visualization with ggplot2*), statistical analysis (including *Intermediate Statistical Modeling in R, Modeling with Data in the Tidyverse, Cluster Analysis in R, Multiple and Logistic Regression in R*), data wrangling (e.g. *Cleaning Data in R, Joining Data with dplyr, String Manipulation with stringr in R*), and reporting techniques (*Reporting with R Markdown, Communicating with Data in the Tidyverse*), as well as courses on Python (e.g. *Data Manipulation with pandas*) and version control (*Introduction to Git*) |
| 2023 | *Teaching methods workshop for senior university stuff (10 h., Hebrew University of Jerusalem)* |
| 2016 | *Lecture hall training: Presentation, voice, free speech* (*Hörsaaltraining: Auftritt – Stimme – Freie Rede*, 1 day, University of Kiel) |
| 2016 | *Integration of praxis into teaching* (*Mehr Praxisbezug in der Lehre*, 0.5 day, University of Kiel) |
| 2015 | *University teaching: Basic program* (*Basisprogramm Hochschuldidaktik*, 2 days, University of Kiel) |
| 2014 | *Competences in supervision of a PhD thesis for professionals. (Kompetenzen der Promotionsbetreuung – for professionals. Hilfreiche Kommunikationsstrategien für den Weg durch die Promotion – Ziele formulieren, Rollen schärfen, klar kommunizieren,* 3 h., University of Kiel) |
| 2014 | *Multivariate statistics and visualization with R* (*Statistik mit R: vertiefender Kurs/Multivariate Statistik und Graphik mit R*, 1.5 days, University of Kiel) |
| 2014 | *Statistik mit R: vertiefender Kurs/Programmieren mit R* (1.5 days, University of Kiel) |
| 2014 | *Basics of university teaching for newly appointed professors* (*Hochschullehre grundlegend und aktuell – Hochschuldidaktik für Neuberufene*, 1 day, University of Kiel) |
| 2013 | *Networking for academic careers* (*Strategische Netzwerkanalyse für wissenschaftliche Karrierepfade. Sichtbare Kompetenz in Netzwerken*, 1 day, University of Kiel) |
| 2013 | *Adobe Captivate 5*.0 (a tool for creating e-learning content (3.5 h, University of Kiel) |
| 2013 | *Sailing and leadership training for new hires* (*Neuberufenen-Programm: Segel-Leadership-Wochenende: Führungsstille und Führungsinstrument, Teamdynamik,* 1.5 days, University of Kiel) |

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| 2013 | *Teaching 2.0 - An introduction to the central learning platform of the University of Kiel/OpenOLAT* (*Lehre 2.0 – Einführung in die zentrale Lernplattform der CAU/OpenOLAT,* University of Kiel, 1.5 days) |
| 2013 | *Lecturing: Interactive methods for large groups* (*Vorlesungen: Aktivierende Methoden für große Veranstaltungen*; University of Kiel, 1.5 days) |
| 2013 | *The teaching portfolio: Form and function* (3 h., UZH/ETH Didactica Zurich) |
| 2013 | *Teaching and learning in laboratory practical classes* (1 day, UZH/ETH Didactica Zurich) |
| 2012 | *Introduction to MySQL 5 and PHP 5* (UZH Zurich, 1.5 days) |

# TEACHING

*University courses*

Spring 2024    *Comparative linguistics and phylogenetic methods* (BA lecture, HUJI)

Spring 2024    *Quantitative methods in linguistics* (BA seminar, open for students of the Digital Humanities program, HUJI)

Spring 2024    *The Germanic languages* (BA/MA seminar, HUJI)

Fall 2023    *The structure of Afrikaans – B* (BA/MA seminar, HUJI)

Fall 2023    *Register variations* (MA seminar, HUJI)

Fall 2023    *Language in context* (BA lecture, HUJI, with Michal Marmorstein)

Spring 2023    *The structure of Afrikaans – A* (BA/MA seminar, HUJI)

Spring 2023    *Linguistic typology* (BA lecture, HUJI)

Spring 2023    *Nakh-Daghestanian languages* (BA/MA seminar, HUJI)

Fall 2022    *Areal linguistics* (MA seminar, HUJI)

Fall 2022    *Introduction to the structure of Chechen (part 2)* (BA/MA seminar, HUJI)

Fall 2022    *Advanced quantitative methods in linguistics* (MA class, open for students of the Digital Humanities program, HUJI)

Spring 2022    *Register variations* (MA seminar, HUJI)

Spring 2022    *Advanced investigations in Khoekhoe* (BA/MA seminar, HUJI)

Spring 2022    *Introduction to the structure of Chechen (part 1)* (BA/MA seminar, HUJI)

Fall 2021    *Introduction to the structure of Khoekhoe (part 2)* (BA/MA seminar, HUJI)

Fall 2021    *Quantitative methods in linguistics* (BA seminar, open for students of the Digital Humanities program, HUJI)

Fall 2021    *Corpus linguistics* (open for students of the Digital Humanities program, MA seminar, HUJI)

Spring 2021    *Linguistic typology* (BA lecture, HUJI)

Spring 2021    *Introduction to the structure of Khoekhoe A* (BA/MA seminar, HUJI)

Spring 2021    *Quantitative methods in linguistics* (open for students of the Digital Humanities program, BA seminar, HUJI)

Fall 2020    *Pidgins and creoles* (BA seminar, HUJI)

Fall 2020    *Comparative linguistics and phylogenetic methods* (BA lecture, with Eitan Grossman, HUJI)

Fall 2020    *Introduction to quantitative methods in linguistics B (advanced)*, MA seminar, HUJI)

Fall 2020    *Research tutorial for advanced students* (with Eitan Grossmann, Michal Marmorstein, and Eran Cohen)

Spring 2020    *Advanced investigations in Ruuli* (BA/MA seminar, HUJI)

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| Spring 2020 | *Practical lexicography* (BA seminar, HUJI) |
| Spring 2020 | *Corpus linguistics* (with Aynat Rubinstein) (MA seminar, HUJI) |
| Fall 2019 | *Quantitative methods in linguistics* (BA seminar, HUJI) |
| Fall 2019 | *Lexical typology* (MA, HUJI) |
| Fall 2019 | *Introduction to the structure of Bantu: Ruuli* (2) (BA/MA seminar, HUJI) |
| Spring 2019 | *Field linguistics* (BA seminar, HUJI) |
| Spring 2019 | *Introduction to the structure of Bantu: Ruuli (1)* (BA/MA seminar, HUJI) |
| Fall 2018 | *Linguistic typology* (BA lecture, HUJI) |
| Fall 2018 | *Pidgins and creoles* (BA seminar, HUJI) |
| Fall 2018 | *Introduction to quantitative methods in linguistics* (MA seminar, HUJI) |
| 2018 | *Wissenschaftliches Schreiben* [Academic writing skills] (BA/MA seminar, CAU) |
| 2017 | *Einführung in die Phonologie und Morphologie* [Introduction to phonology and morphology] (BA lecture, CAU) |
| 2017 | *Korpuslinguistik* [Corpus linguistics] (BA seminar, CAU) |
| 2017 | *Statistische Methodenlehre* [Statistical methods] (BA seminar, CAU) |
| 2017 | *Erklärungen in der Sprachtypologie* [Explanations in linguistic typology] (MA seminar, CAU) |
| 2016 | *Einführung in die allgemeine Sprachwissenschaft* [Introduction to general linguistics] (BA lecture, CAU) |
| 2016 | *Quantitative Methoden* [Quantitative methods] (MA seminar, CAU) |
| 2016 | *Feldforschungsmethoden* [Fieldwork methods] (MA seminar, CAU) |
| 2016 | *Sprachwissenschaftliches Kolloquium* [Linguistic colloquium] (MA seminar, CAU) |
| 2016 | *Areallinguistik* [Areal linguistics] (MA seminar, CAU) |
| 2016 | *Pidgin und Kreolsprachen* [Pidgins and creoles] (MA seminar, CAU) |
| 2016 | *Sprachtypologie* [Linguistic typology] (BA lecture, CAU) |
| 2015 | *Korpuslinguistik* [Corpus linguistics]; BA seminar, CAU |
| 2015 | *Statistische Methodenlehre* [Statistical methods] (BA seminar, CAU) |
| 2015 | *Pidgin und Kreolsprachen* [Pidgins and creoles] (MA seminar, CAU) |
| 2015 | *Sprachtypologie* [Linguistic typology] (BA lecture, CAU) |
| 2014 | *Einführung in die Phonologie und Morphologie* [Introduction to phonology and morphology] (BA lecture, CAU) |
| 2014 | *Sprachtypologie* [Linguistic typology]; (BA lecture, CAU) |
| 2014 | *Korpuslinguistik* [Corpus linguistics]; BA seminar, CAU |
| 2014 | *Bantusprachen* [Bantu languages] (BA seminar, CAU) |

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| 2013 | *Einführung in die Phonologie und Morphologie* [Introduction to phonology and morphology] (BA lecture, CAU) |
| 2013 | *Sprachtypologie* [Linguistic typology] (BA lecture, CAU) |
| 2013 | *Korpuslinguistik* [Corpus linguistics]; BA seminar, CAU |
| 2013 | *Einführung in die Semantik* [Introduction to semantics]; BA lecture, CAU |
| 2012 | *Sprachtypologie* [Linguistic typology]; BA seminar, University of Zurich |
| 2012 | *Semantik und Pragmatik* [Semantics and pragmatics]; BA seminar, University of Zurich |

*Summer schools, community workshops, reading groups, and other teaching activities*

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| 2024 | *Data annotation* (5 days)<br>Salos 2024: Empirical data in linguistic research and where it leads: a variety of approaches from Fieldwork to R<br>(Academia Grammaticorum Salensis Vigesima Prima, Latvia) |
| 2024 | *Linguistics in the pub* (University of Zurich) |
| 2023 | *Introduction to statistical visualization* (3 h.)<br>HUJI, The Martin Buber Society of Fellows, a German-Israeli program for postdoctoral fellows in Humanities and Social Sciences |
| 2022 | *Academic career workshop: Preparing a successful application portfolio* (3 h.)<br>HUJI, The Martin Buber Society of Fellows, a German-Israeli program for postdoctoral fellows in Humanities and Social Sciences |
| 2022 | *Introduction to statistics with R*; 2 days, further education program for academic stuff, CAU |
| 2021 | *How to diversify one's expertise as a typologist*; organizer of a discussion and mentoring event at the conference Emerging Topics in Typology (a conference for PhD candidates in linguistic typology |
| 2020 | *Statistics with R*; 5 days, November–December 2020; a course for *The Language Learning and Processing Lab*, HUJI |
| 2019 | *Introduction to statistics with R* (2 days)<br>CAU, further education program for academic stuff |
| 2019 | *Statistics with R: an advanced class* (2 days)<br>CAU, further education program for academic stuff |
| 2019 | *Data management with R* (1 day)<br>CAU, further education program for academic stuff |
| 2018 | *ELDP (Endangered Languages Documentation Programme) summer school on language documentation*, coursed on corpus-linguistic methods, data management, and data collection (7 days)<br>Rabat, Morocco |
| 2018 | *Statistics with R*; 5 days, November-December 2018, a course for *The Language Learning and Processing Lab*, HUJI |

| 2018 | *Data management with R*; 2 days, July 2018, CAU, further education for academic stuff |
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| 2018 | *Introduction to statistics with R*; 2 days, July 2018, CAU, further education program for academic stuff |
| 2017 | *Explanations in linguistic typology*; The Societas Linguistica Europaea Summer School in Linguistics, 7-9 September 2017, Université de Neuchâtel, Switzerland |
| 2017 | *Linguistic transcription;* 5 day, August 2017, a workshop for community members participating in the project *The comprehensive bilingual talking Luruuli/Lunyara-English dictionary*, Kayunga (Uganda) |
| 2017 | *Tools and techniques of language documentations*; 2 days, February 2017, a course for faculty at Makerere University, Uganda |
| 2017 | *Introduction to statistics with R*; 2 days, February 2017, CAU, further education program for academic stuff |
| 2017 | *Multivariate statistics with R*; 2 days, March 2017, CAU, further education program for academic stuff |
| 2017 | *Introduction to statistics with R*; 2 days, February 2017, CAU, further education program for academic stuff |
| 2016 | *Statistics with R: Advanced class*; 2 days, CAU, further education program for stuff |
| 2015–2018 | *Datencafé. Statistik-Auswertung: Erste Hilfe für Studierende* (with Georg Hörmann, an interdisciplinary weekly learning and statistical support event for students of natural sciences and humanities, supported by PerLe-Fonds für Lehrinnovation; CAU |
| 2014–2015 | Reading group of the research center *Arealität und Sozialität in der Sprache*; CAU |
| 2014 | *Basic maps for linguistics with R*, International summer school on Geolinguistics; 17–27 August 2014, CAU |
| 2014 | *An introduction to R for linguists*, International summer school on Geolinguistics; 17–27 August 2014, CAU |
| 2014 | *An introduction to R for typologists and other linguists*, organized by the research unit in typology, August 2014, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam |
| 2011 | *Typological variation in grammatical relations*, LOT Summer school, 13–17 July 2011, Leuven |
| 2011 | *Major concepts of morphological and syntactic typology*, Makerere-Zurich Summer school, 1–15 August, Makerere University, Uganda |
| 2011 | *Toolbox for linguistic text annotation* (hands-on workshop), Makerere-Zurich Summer school, 1–15 August, Makerere University, Uganda |

| 2008 | *Grammatical relations typology beyond standard alignment* (with Corinna Handschuh), Leipzig Spring School on Linguistic Diversity, 26 March–4 April 2008, Leipzig |

## Supervision

### *Doctoral degree students*

| 2024– | Benyami, Asael. *Aspects of argument-marking and valency patterns in Iranian languages, a micro-typological study* (HUJI) |
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| 2023– | Shlyakhter, Mayya. *The development of morphological causatives in Early Modern Indo-Aryan languages, with a focus on Bengali* (HUJI, co-supervisor with Yigal Bronner) |
| 2021– | Veselovsky, Anna. *Register variation in Ruuli* (HUJI, co-supervisor with Aynat Rubinstein) |
| 2022– | Hong, Tai. *Evolution of morphosyntactic alignment* (University of Zurich, co-supervisor with Balthasar Bickel) |
| 2018– | Job, Sylvanus. *An Investigation into the structure and linkage of Khoekhoegowab clauses: A discourse-based approach* (co-supervisor with Tom Güldemann, Humboldt University of Berlin) |
| 2021–2024 (submitted) | Lorenzen, Mandy. *Word order variation in Datooga.* (University of Cologne, co-supervisor with Birgit Hellwig and Alice Mitchell) |
| 2018–2022 | Luchina, Elena. *Variation in Yiddish* zikh-*verbs in areal perspective.* (HUJI) |
| 2017–2022 | Just, Erika. *A functional approach to differential indexing – combining perspectives from typology and corpus linguistics.* (Leiden University) (sole supervisor until relocation to Hebrew University of Jerusalem, co-promoter since 2018) |

### *PhD and MA thesis examination*

| 2023 | Laine, Antti Olavi. *Microvariation in the Western Serengeti languages: Comparative Morphosyntax of Ikoma, Ishenyi, Nata and Ngoreme* (University of Helsinki, PhD dissertation; examination and opponent in a public defense) |
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| 2021 | Mössmer, Martin. *Xri: A study of contact, and phonetic and phonological change* (University of Cape Town, MA thesis) |
| 2020 | Silva Amorim, Ana Beatriz. *Tracing invisible footsteps: towards a multidisciplinary model for the spread of Khoe-Kwadi languages in pre-colonial southern Africa.* (University of Porto, MA thesis) |
| 2017 | Schunack, Silke. *Processing of Non-canonical Word Orders in an L2 – When small changes make no big difference.* (University of Potsdam, PhD dissertation) |

## Member of PhD advisory committees

2022–        Ben Yehuda, Inbal. *Cultural expressions of identity among non-Arab Darfuris groups: the case of the Fur, the Zaghawa, and the Masalit* (Cultural Studies, HUJI)

2020–        Kostina, Anna. *Register Usage by Russian-Hebrew and English-Hebrew Adult Bilinguals in Israel: based on the formal and informal written language of the 'second generation'.* (Linguistics, HUJI)

2020–        Matalon, Nadav. *Prosodic Variation in Yes-No Questions and its Functional Correlates.* (Linguistics, HUJI)

## Supervision of postdoctoral researchers

2023–2024    Smirnitskaya, Anna
             Project: Semantic features of Khoekhoe varieties: semantic and lexical analysis of dialects
             Funding: Funding: Ministry of Aliyah and Integration (12 months)

2023         Ovsiannikova, Mariia (currently University of Potsdam)
             Project: Differential Object Indexing (DOI) in several Northeastern Neo-Aramaic (NENA) varieties
             Funding: Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities special fellowships for Russian researchers (three months)

## Supervised MA theses

2023–        Mayo, Inbal, preliminary title *The evolution of argument indexing* (HUJI)

2024         Yefremova, *The morphosyntactic properties of presentative constructions in Russian: a corpus-based study* (HUJI)

2022         Benyami, Asael. *Valency classes and alternations in Persian.* (HUJI)

2022         Ufland, Mariia. *Code-switching in the speech of Russian-speaking immigrants in Israel: A corpus-based study of the written digital register of WhatsApp messages.* (HUJI)

2022         Yosef, Yoav. *The Ruuli augment: a multivariate corpus study.* (HUJI)

2021         Schwartz, Layla. *The collateral damage of addiction: A corpus-based study of metaphors for addiction in contemporary American English* (HUJI)

2021         Veselovsky, Anna. *Semantic properties of verbs of speaking.* (HUJI)

2019         Mandy, Lorenzen. *An investigation of backchannels in the Bantu language Luganda.* (CAU)

2019         Ruppert, Eloisa Costanza. *Negation in Ruuli.* (CAU)

2019         Friedrichsen, Levke Marie. *Derivation im Ruuli (Bantu).* (CAU)

2018         Buanzur, Tuarik Cassimo. *Turn-taking behavior in question-response-sequences in Ruuli. A corpus-based analysis of naturalistic conversations.* (CAU)

| 2018 | Winkler, Jana. *The noun phrase in Luruuli/Lunyara – A corpus-based description.* (CAU) |
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| 2018 | Witte, Tim. *Grenzen der Clause aus sprachtypologischer Perspektive – syntaktische Einheiten unterhalb des Satzes.* (CAU) |
| 2017 | Kiupel, Nele. *Streitfall Bilingualismus – Doping fürs Gehirn oder langlebiger Mythos? Eine Untersuchung zum aktuellen Forschungsstand in puncto Gedächtnis anhand experimenteller Studien der Psycho- und Neurolinguistik.* (CAU) |
| 2017 | Peralta Gonzalez, Yedi Yulieth. *Tempus und Aspekt im Palenquero.* (CAU) |
| 2017 | Pieper, Sören. *The typological variation of antipassive morphology. A cross-linguistic study.* (CAU) |
| 2016 | Neshcheret, Nataliia. *Passive construction with intransitive verbs: typology and distribution.* (CAU) |

*Supervised BA theses*

| 2018 | Göbel, Hans-Philipp. *Innersprachliche Variation der Negations-markierung. Eine typologische Untersuchung.* (CAU) |
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| 2018 | Zechner, Isabel. *A corpus-based description of constituent interrogatives in Luruuli/Lunyara.* (CAU) |
| 2018 | Ehlers-Karmanova, Margareta. *Modalverben in Ruuli (Eine korpusbasierte Untersuchung).* 2018 |
| 2018 | Kapitzke, Sarah. *Sprachtod – Eine Analyse möglicher Ursache.* (CAU) |
| 2018 | Lemburg, Julia. *Sprachliche Komplexität in Übersetzungen: Eine korpusbasierte Untersuchung.* (CAU) |
| 2018 | Lorenzen, Mandy. *Nonverbale Prädikation in Ruuli – Eine korpusbasierte Analyse.* (CAU) |
| 2017 | Alpen, Jennifer. *Die Sprachentwicklung bei Kindern unter 3 Jahren. Schwerpunkt Lexikonerwerb.* (CAU) |
| 2017 | Johns, Marilen. *Kategorien von Vulgäspracheim Englischen und Deutschen – Ein korpusbasierter Vergleich.* (CAU) |
| 2017 | Kipf, Carolina. *Die inflektionale Synthese des Nomens.* (CAU) |
| 2017 | Klinberger, Janina Vivien. *Fragewörter in den Sprachen der Welt – eine typologische Untersuchung.* (CAU) |
| 2017 | Krieg, Jacqueline. *Semikommunikation in Skandinavien – Eine Betrachtung interskandinavischer Kommunikation.* (CAU) |
| 2017 | Oluoch, Cheryl Akinyi. *A Corpus-Based Description of Relative Clauses in Luruuli/Lunyara.* (CAU) |
| 2016 | Grote, Nele. *Possessivkonstruktionen in den arabischen Dialekten.* (CAU) |
| 2016 | Jensen, Janina. *Anglizismen im brasilianischen Portugiesisch – Eine korpusbasierte Untersuchung.* (CAU) |

| 2016 | Kalyoncu, Meryem. *Negation in den arabischen Dialekten: Typologie und Verteilung.* (CAU) |
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| 2016 | Stahmer, Jonna Sophia. *Verbstellung in weil-Sätzen in der gesprochenen und geschriebenen Sprache des Deutschen: Eine korpusbasierte Untersuchung.* (CAU) |
| 2015 | Gerstenkorn, Gunnar. *Adjunktposition im Deutschen als Variable in der Autorenschatserkennung.* (CAU) |
| 2015 | Meyhoff, Franciska. *Numeralsysteme in den Sprachen der Welt: Typologische Variation und Verteilung.* (CAU) |
| 2015 | Sambale, Heidemarie Susanne. *Serielle Verbkonstruktion in Nǀuu.* (CAU) |
| 2015 | Schmidt, Julia. *Komposita des Dänischen.* (CAU) |
| 2015 | Schoroth, Tom. *Argument-triggered object marking in Persian.* (CAU) |
| 2015 | Schultz, Megan Mareike. *Final Obstruent Devoicing in Indo-European Languages: A Typological Overview.* (CAU) |
| 2015 | Sommer, Katharina. Gespaltene *Possessivmarkierung in ausgewählten Sprachfamilien Nordamerikas.* (CAU) |
| 2015 | Weiter, Imke. *Typologie des Agensausdrucks in Passivsätzen.* (CAU) |
| 2015 | Winkler, Jana. *Serial verb constructions in creole languages – A typological survey.* (CAU) |
| 2014 | Gonzalez, Yedi Yulieth Peralta. *Anredesystem im Spanischen.* (CAU) |
| 2014 | Jäger, Rita. *Präfigierung und Suffigierung in der Morphologie. Eine typologische Studie.* (CAU) |
| 2014 | Kiupel, Nele Marike. *Empirische Untersuchung der Anglizismen im Deutschen am Material der Zeitung Der Stern im Bereich Politik, Gesellschaft und Unterhaltung (Zeitraum 2012–2014).* (CAU) |
| 2014 | Mölling, Anna-Lena. *Typologische Untersuchung der Silbenstruktur in den Bantusprachen.* (CAU) |
| 2014 | Petersen, Christoph. *Füllsel und Weichzeichner in der Referatssprache von Linguistikstudierenden und ihre Wirkung auf das Publikum.* (CAU) |
| 2014 | Poo, Nancy Ann. *Differentielle Objektmarkierung im Afrikaans.* (CAU) |
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## Program planning, course evaluation

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| Spring 2023 | Redesign of the BA program in Linguistics at HUJI, merger of the two previous separate BA programs in the first year of studies (in the role of the head of the Functionalist track) in collaboration with Luka Crnič (head of the Department of Linguistics) |