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Education

M.Sc. Linguistics, University of Edinburgh   2022–2023

B.A. Linguistics & Mathematics, Emory University   2018–2022

    Summa cum laude.

European Summer School in Logic, Language, and Information   SU 2021

Harp studies, Manhattan School of Music Precollege   2014–2018

Experience

Research Assistant, Emory Natural Language Processing Lab   2020–2022

    Advised by Dr. Jinho Choi

    Contribute to projects on meaning representation and dataset annotation

Research Intern, NSF-funded REU at Stanford CSLI   SU 2021

    Advised by Dr. Thomas Icard

    Apply structural equation models to formal semantics

Research Assistant, Emory Language Acquisition Lab   2020–2021

    Advised by Dr. Yun Kim

    Pursue a fieldwork project on negative elements in Tigrinya

Teaching

Teaching Assistant, QTM-190: Data Science for Beginners, Emory University   SP & FA 2021

Math Tutor, Mathnasium at Decatur   2018–2021

Peer Mentor, LING-201: Introduction to Linguistics, Emory University   FA 2020

Publications

Proceedings

Angela Cao, Gregor Williamson, and Jinho Choi (2022). A cognitive approach to annotating causal constructions in a cross-genre corpus. Proceedings of the LREC Workshop on Linguistic Annotation (LAW).

* indicates equal contribution.

Talks

EULC 3, Emory University, USA, *virtual* April 2022
Talk on 'Annotating Causal Language Constructions in Discourse'
Angela Cao

PLC 46, University of Pennsylvania, USA, *virtual* March 2022
Talk on 'Negation and Negative Polarity Items in Tigrinya'
Angela Cao and Madison Liotta

Theses

B.A. Thesis: "An Analysis of Causal Language Constructions in Diverse Discourse Data" 2022
Advised by Jinho Choi

Awards

General

Phi Sigma Iota Honor Society 2022

Undergraduate Fellow, Emory Center for Mind, Brain, & Culture 2021–2022

Math Modelling Honors, Emory University MatheMatics Association 2020

Grants

Emory Center for Mind, Brain, & Culture Research Grant 2022

Emory Program in Linguistics Research Grant 2021

Emory Undergraduate Research Programs Conference Grant 2020

Edward G. Scruggs Scholarship 2019

Service

Vice President, Phi Sigma Iota Honor Society 2022

Volunteer, Emory Undergraduate Linguistics Conference 3 2022

Language

Human: Mandarin (fluent), French (intermediate), Tigrinya (elicitation).

Computer: Intermediate (Java, R, Python), Excel, Praat, Psychopy, LaTeX.