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Professional Positions

2019- Assistant Professor (Tenure System), Department of Linguistics, Languages, & Cultures,

Michigan State University.

2017-2019 Postdoctoral researcher, Laboratoire de sciences cognitives et psycholinguistique

(LSCP), Centre national de la recherche scientifique (CNRS), École normale supérieure,

Paris, France.

PI: Emmanuel Chemla

2015–2017 Postdoctoral fellow, Language, Logic and Cognition Center, The Hebrew University

of Jerusalem, Jerusalem, Israel. PIs: Luka Crnič and Yosef Grodzinsky

VISITING POSITIONS

Invited scholar, Institut Jean Nicod (IJN), Centre national de la recherche scientifique

(summer) (CNRS), École normale supérieure, Paris, France.

Sponsor: Benjamin Spector

EDUCATION

2010–2015 Ph.D., Linguistics, McGill University, Montreal, QC, Canada.

Dissertation: "Maximality in the Semantics of Modified Numerals"

Supervisory committee: Luis Alonso-Ovalle (co-chair), Bernhard Schwarz (co-chair), Michael Wagner

Visiting student, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Sponsor: Kai von Fintel

2009-2010 Qualifying Year Program, McGill University, Montreal, QC, Canada.

(Permits strong candidates to make up gaps in their linguistics background by taking appropriate

undergraduate courses.)

2004–2008 B.A., Classics, Honors College, Loyola University Chicago.

B.S., Mathematics, Honors College, Loyola University Chicago.

1999-2004 Jesuit High School New Orleans.

RESEARCH

Journal articles

2023	Ye Ma, Brian Buccola, Shannon Cousins, and Alan Beretta. 2023. "A Self-Paced Reading Study of Context Effects in the Processing of Aspectual Verbs in Mandarin". <i>Language and Cognition</i> , 1–25. DOI: 10.1017/langcog.2023.57.
2023	Ye Ma, Brian Buccola, Zinan Wang, Aline Godfroid, Shannon Cousins, and Alan Beretta. 2023. "Expressions with Aspectual Verbs Elicit Slower Reading Times than those with Psychological Verbs: An Eye-Tracking Study in Mandarin Chinese". <i>Journal of Psycholinguistic Research</i> 52, 179–215. DOI: 10.1007/S10936-022-09846-y.
2022	Isabelle Dautriche, Brian Buccola, Mélissa Berthet, Joël Fagot, and Emmanuel Chemla. 2022. "Evidence for Compositionality in Baboons (<i>Papio papio</i>) Through the Test Case of Negation". <i>Scientific Reports</i> 12(19181), 1–12. DOI: 10.1038/S41598-022-21143-1.
2022	Jeremy Kuhn, David Nicolas, and Brian Buccola. 2022. "Deriving dimensions of comparison". <i>Snippets</i> 43, 1–3. DOI: 10.7358/snip-2022-043-knbu.
2022	Brian Buccola, Manuel Križ, and Emmanuel Chemla. 2022. "Conceptual Alternatives: Competition in Language and Beyond". <i>Linguistics and Philosophy</i> 45, 265–291. DOI: 10.1007/s10988-021-09327-w.
2021	Brian Buccola, Jeremy Kuhn, and David Nicolas. 2021. "Groups vs. Covers Revisited: Structured Pluralities and Symmetric Readings". <i>Natural Language Semantics</i> 29, 509–525. DOI: 10.1007/S11050-021-09179-x.
2021	Brian Buccola and Luka Crnič. 2021. "NPIs, Intervention, and Collectivity". Semantics and Pragmatics 14. DOI: 10.3765/sp.14.2.
2019	Brian Buccola and Emmanuel Chemla. 2019. "Alternatives of Disjunctions: When a Disjunct Contains the Antecedent of a Pronoun". <i>Snippets</i> 37, 16–18. DOI: 10.7358/snip-2019-037-buch.
2019	Luka Crnič and Brian Buccola. 2019. "Scoping NPIs out of DPs". <i>Snippets</i> 37, 19–21. DOI: 10.7358/snip-2019-037-crbu.
2019	Brian Buccola and Andreas Haida. 2019. "Obligatory Irrelevance and the Computation of Ignorance Inferences". <i>Journal of Semantics</i> 36(4), 583–616. DOI: 10.1093/jos/ffz013.
2019	Emmanuel Chemla, Isabelle Dautriche, Brian Buccola, and Joël Fagot. 2019. "Con-

straints on the Lexicons of Human Languages have Cognitive Roots Present in Baboons (*Papio papio*)". *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* 116 (30), 14926–14930.

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DOI: 10.1073/pnas.1907023116.

2019	Emmanuel Chemla, Brian Buccola, and Isabelle Dautriche. 2019. "Connecting Content and Logical Words". <i>Journal of Semantics</i> 36(3), 531–547. DOI: 10.1093/jos/ffz001.
2018	Brian Buccola, Isabelle Dautriche, and Emmanuel Chemla. 2018. "Competition and Symmetry in an Artificial Word Learning Task". <i>Frontiers in Psychology</i> 9(2176). DOI: 10.3389/fpsyg.2018.02176.
2018	Brian Buccola. 2018. "A Restriction on the Distribution of Exclusive Only". Snippets 33, 3-4. DOI: 10.7358/snip-2018-033-bucc. URL: http://www.ledonline.it/snippets/allegati/snippets33002.pdf.
2016	Brian Buccola and Benjamin Spector. 2016. "Modified Numerals and Maximality". <i>Linguistics and Philosophy</i> 39(3), 151–199. DOI: 10.1007/s10988-016-9187-2.
2012	Bernhard Schwarz, Brian Buccola, and Michael Hamilton. 2012. "Two Types of Class B Numeral Modifiers: A Reply to Nouwen 2010". <i>Semantics and Pragmatics</i> 5(1), 1–25. DOI: 10.3765/sp.5.1.

Manuscripts

in prep.	Yan Cong and Brian Buccola. 2023. "Understanding Cost: Alternatives and Symmetry in Non-Scalar Implicature". Manuscript.
2020	Ye Ma and Brian Buccola. 2020. "Mandarin Chinese Collocations Support a Structural Theory of Alternatives". Manuscript in revision for <i>Snippets</i> .
2017	Brian Buccola. 2017. "Bare Numerals, Collectivity, and Genericity: A New Puzzle". URL: https://ling.auf.net/lingbuzz/003400.
on pause	Amir Anvari, Brian Buccola, and Andreas Haida. n.d. "Alternative Questions in Farsi". Manuscript on pause. Slides available at https://drive.google.com/file/d/1di75XXJ0FL2i0jQEU_afrsbtGGnsHY8V/view.

Proceedings papers

2023	Yaxuan Wang and Brian Buccola. 2023. "Weakening the Trivalent Semantics of Quantifiers: Evidence from Mandarin Chinese". West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL). vol. 41. URL: https://ling.auf.net/lingbuzz/007483.
2023	Brian Buccola and Daniel Goodhue. 2023. "The Effect of Intonation on Scalar and Ignorance Inferences". <i>Chicago Linguistic Society (CLS)</i> . vol. 59. URL: https://ling.auf.net/lingbuzz/007464.
2022	Brian Buccola. 2022. "A Higher-Order Plurality Solution to Xiang's (2021) Puzzle". Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT). vol. 32, 413-419. DOI: 10.3765/salt.v110.5386.

Brian Buccola and Andreas Haida. 2020. "How Obligatory Irrelevance, Symmetric

Problem is Not a Problem". North East Linguistic Society (NELS). vol. 45, 125-134. URL:

	Alternatives, and Dense Scales Conspire: The Case of Modified Numerals and Ignorance". Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT). vol. 30, 464–484. DOI: 10.3765/salt. v30i0.4853.
2017	Brian Buccola and Andreas Haida. 2017. "Expressing Indifference in German". <i>Amsterdam Colloquium</i> . Vol. 21, 165–174. URL: https://ling.auf.net/lingbuzz/003763.
2017	Brian Buccola and Andreas Haida. 2017. "A Surface-Scope Analysis of Authoritative Readings of Modified Numerals". <i>Sinn und Bedeutung</i> . Vol. 21, 233–248. URL: https://ling.auf.net/lingbuzz/003173.
2016	Brian Buccola. 2016. "Severing Maximality from <i>fewer than</i> : Evidence from Genericity". <i>Sinn und Bedeutung</i> . Vol. 20, 127–144. URL: https://ling.auf.net/lingbuzz/002847.
2015	Brian Buccola. 2015. "Variable Monotonicity and less than: When Van Benthem's

Brian Buccola. 2013. "On the Expressivity of Optimality Theory versus Ordered Rewrite Rules". Formal Grammar. Ed. by Glyn V. Morrill and Mark-Jan Nederhof. Vol. 8036. Lecture Notes in Computer Science. Heidelberg, Germany: Springer, 142–158. DOI: 10.1007/978-3-642-39998-5_9. URL: https://ling.auf.net/lingbuzz/002513.

https://ling.auf.net/lingbuzz/002512.

Edinburgh, Scotland.

Germany.

Invited talks

2021

2020

2024	Brian Buccola. Apr. 26, 2024. "Higher-Order Plurality: To What Degree?" Invited colloquium talk presented at the University of Chicago. Chicago, IL.
2021	Brian Buccola. Nov. 19, 2021. "Higher-Order Plurality Without Conjunction". Invited colloquium talk presented at University of Massachusetts Amherst. Amherst, MA.
2021	Brian Buccola. Nov. 19, 2021. "Informativity and Numeral Semantics". Invited workshop presented at University of Massachusetts Amherst. Amherst, MA.
2021	Brian Buccola. July 6, 2021. "Informativity and the Semantics of Numerals". Invited talk presented at the Department of Linguistics and English Language, University of Edinburgh. Edinburgh, Scotland.
2021	Brian Buccola. July 6, 2021. "Variables and Variable Binding". Invited lecture presented at the Department of Linguistics and English Language, University of Edinburgh.

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Brian Buccola. May 26, 2021. "Conceptual Alternatives: Motivations, Prospects, and

Caveats". Invited talk presented at the workshop "Scales, degrees and implicature: Novel synergies between Semantics and Pragmatics", University of Potsdam. Potsdam,

2021	Brian Buccola. Feb. 2, 2021. "Conceptual Alternatives". Invited talk presented at the Centre for Language Evolution, University of Edinburgh. Edinburgh, Scotland.
2019	Brian Buccola. Mar. 11, 2019. "Two's Company but What About Three?: Informativity in the Interpretation of Numerals". Job talk presented at Michigan State University. East Lansing, MI.
2019	Brian Buccola. Mar. 7, 2019. "Two's Company but What About Three?: Informativity in the Interpretation of Numerals". Invited talk presented at the Laboratoire de Linguistique Formelle, Université Paris Diderot (Paris 7). Paris, France.
2018	Brian Buccola. Dec. 4, 2018. "Some Robust Properties of Natural Language Have Roots in Animal Cognition". Invited talk presented at the LSCP Plenary Meeting. Paris, France. Based on joint work with Emmanuel Chemla, Isabelle Dautriche, and Joël Fagot.
2017	Brian Buccola. Sept. 27, 2017. "Obligatory Irrelevance and the Computation of Ignorance Inferences". Invited talk presented at the Département d'Études Cognitives, École Normale Supérieure. Paris, France. Based on joint work with Andreas Haida.
2017	Brian Buccola. Apr. 25, 2017. "Conceptual Alternatives: Competition in Language and Beyond". Invited colloquium talk presented at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. Jerusalem, Israel. Based on joint work with Emmanuel Chemla and Manuel Križ.
2016	Brian Buccola. July 6, 2016. "A Surface-Scope Analysis of Authoritative Readings of Modified Numerals". Invited talk presented at the Département d'Études Cognitives, École Normale Supérieure. Paris, France. Based on joint work with Andreas Haida.
2016	Brian Buccola. Mar. 23, 2016. "Bare Numerals and Scalar Implicatures in Generic Sentences". Invited talk presented at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. Jerusalem, Israel.
2015	Brian Buccola. Nov. 19, 2015. "Modified and Unmodified Numerals: Lessons from Genericity". Invited colloquium talk presented at Tel Aviv University. Tel Aviv, Israel.
2015	Brian Buccola. Sept. 7, 2015. "Maximal Informativity and Numeral Modifiers: The Case of <i>between</i> ". Invited talk presented at the Leiden-Utrecht Semantics Happenings (LUSH) research group. Utrecht, Netherlands.

Invited commentaries

Commentator on "True clauses and false connectives", talk presented by Karolina Krzyżanowska (University of Amsterdam), Paris-Amsterdam-London Logic Meetings of Young Researchers (PALLMYR) 12, École normale supérieure.

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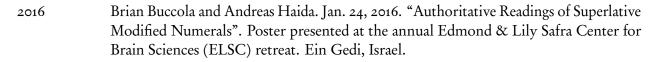
Presentations

Peer-reviewed conferences

2023	Yaxuan Wang and Brian Buccola. May 6, 2023. "Presupposition Projection Out of Quantifiers: An Experimental Study in Mandarin". Poster presented at the West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL 41). Santa Cruz, CA.
2023	Brian Buccola and Daniel Goodhue. Apr. 29, 2023. "The Effect of Intonation on Scalar and Ignorance Inferences". Poster presented at the Chicago Linguistic Society (CLS 59). Chicago, IL.
2022	Brian Buccola. June 10, 2022. "A Higher-Order Plurality Solution to Xiang's (2021) Puzzle". Poster presented at Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT) 32. Mexico City, Mexico.
canceled	Brian Buccola and Andreas Haida. 2021. "Numeral Modifiers Revisited: Ignorance as a Consequence of Obligatory (Ir)relevance". Talk that was to be presented at the workshop Modal Inferences, canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Siracusa, Sicily, Italy.
2021	Yan Cong and Brian Buccola. Mar. 20, 2021. "Alternatives in Non-Scalar Implicature: The Case of Mandarin Adjective Constructions". Poster presented at the 45th annual Penn Linguistics Conference (PLC). Philadelphia, PA.
2020	Ye Ma, Brian Buccola, Zinan Wang, Aline Godfroid, Shannon Cousins, and Alan Beretta. Oct. 18, 2020. "An Eye-Tracking Study on Complement Coercion in Mandarin Chinese". Talk presented at the Words in the World (WoW) 2020 International Conference.
2020	Brian Buccola and Andreas Haida. Aug. 19, 2020. "Numeral Modifiers Revisited: Ignorance as a Consequence of Obligatory (Ir)relevance". Poster presented at Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT) 30. Ithaca, NY.
2019	Brian Buccola, Jeremy Kuhn, and David Nicolas. Oct. 8, 2019. "The Unexplained Symmetric Reading of Reciprocal Sentences". Poster presented at the Workshop on Cross-Linguistic Semantics of Reciprocal Sentences. Utrecht, Netherlands.
2019	Brian Buccola and Andreas Haida. Mar. 27, 2019. "At most vs. More than: Explaining Ignorance in Terms of Relevance of Speaker Belief". Talk presented at the workshop The meaning of numerals: cognitive, experimental, and semantic perspectives, Leibniz-Centre for General Linguistics (ZAS). Berlin, Germany.
2018	Amir Anvari, Brian Buccola, and Andreas Haida. Sept. 7, 2018. "Alternative Questions in Farsi". Poster presented at Sinn und Bedeutung 23. Barcelona, Spain.
2018	Amir Anvari, Brian Buccola, and Andreas Haida. June 8, 2018. "Alternative Questions in Farsi". Talk presented at the workshop Meaning in non-canonical Questions. Konstanz, Germany.

2017	Brian Buccola and Andreas Haida. Dec. 21, 2017. "Expressing Indifference in German". Talk presented at the 21st Amsterdam Colloquium. Amsterdam, Netherlands.
2016	Brian Buccola and Andreas Haida. Sept. 20, 2016. "A Surface-Scope Analysis of Authoritative Readings of Modified Numerals". Talk presented at the Logic in Language and Conversation (LogiCon) workshop. Utrecht, Netherlands.
2016	Brian Buccola. Sept. 19, 2016. "Bare Numerals and Scalar Implicatures in Generic Sentences". Talk presented at the Logic in Language and Conversation (LogiCon) workshop. Utrecht, Netherlands.
2016	Brian Buccola and Andreas Haida. Sept. 5, 2016. "A Surface-Scope Analysis of Authoritative Readings of Modified Numerals". Talk presented at Sinn und Bedeutung 21. Edinburgh, Scotland. URL: https://ling.auf.net/lingbuzz/003173.
2016	Brian Buccola. May 28, 2016. "Modified and Unmodified Numerals: Lessons from Genericity". Talk presented at the workshop on the semantic contribution of Det and Num. (In)definiteness, genericity, and referentiality. Barcelona, Spain.
2015	Brian Buccola. Sept. 11, 2015. "Severing Maximality from <i>fewer than</i> : Evidence from Genericity". Talk presented at Sinn und Bedeutung 20. Tübingen, Germany.
2015	Brian Buccola. Sept. 3, 2015. "Modified Numerals, Plurality, and Boundedness". Talk presented at the Syntax and Semantics of Numerals workshop, at the 48th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea. Leiden, Netherlands.
2014	Brian Buccola. Oct. 31, 2014. "Global Economic Constraints: The Case of Van Benthem's Problem". Poster presented at the 45th Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society (NELS). Cambridge, MA.
2014	Brian Buccola and Morgan Sonderegger. Jan. 3, 2014. "On the Expressivity of Optimality Theory versus Rules: An Application to Opacity". Talk presented at the 88th Annual Meeting of the Linguistics Society of America. Minneapolis, MN.
2013	Brian Buccola and Morgan Sonderegger. Nov. 9, 2013. "On the Expressivity of Optimality Theory versus Rules: An Application to Opaque Patterns". Poster presented at Phonology 2013. Amherst, MA.
2013	Brian Buccola. Aug. 11, 2013. "On the Expressivity of Optimality Theory versus Ordered Rewrite Rules". Talk presented at the 18th conference on Formal Grammar. Düsseldorf, Germany.

Local workshops



- Brian Buccola. Apr. 12, 2014. "Less than, Lower Bounds, and Distributivity/ Collectivity". Talk presented at the Toronto-Ottawa-Montreal semantics workshop (TOM 7). Toronto, Canada.
- Brian Buccola. Mar. 16, 2013. "A Mathematical Demonstration that Classic Optimality Theory is Expressively Weaker than Ordered Rewrite Rules". Talk presented at the Montreal-Ottawa-Toronto phonology workshop (MOT). Ottawa, Canada.
- Brian Buccola. Mar. 10, 2012. "The Nature of Ignorance Implications Arising from Superlative Quantifiers". Talk presented at the Toronto-Ottawa-Montreal semantics workshop (TOM 5). Ottawa, Canada.
- Brian Buccola. Apr. 9, 2011. "Phrasal and Clausal Comparatives: The *di* vs. *che* Puzzle in Italian". Talk presented at the Toronto-Ottawa-Montreal semantics workshop (TOM 4). Toronto, Canada.

Edited volumes

- Brian Buccola, Michael Hamilton, Alanah McKillen, and James Tanner, eds. Feb. 2014. *Proceedings from the Sixth Toronto-Ottawa-Montreal (TOM) Workshop in Semantics*. Vol. 24. McGill Working Papers in Linguistics 1. McGill University. URL: https://www.mcgill.ca/mcgwpl/archives/volume-241-2014.
- Alanah McKillen and Brian Buccola, eds. June 2013. Proceedings from the First Montreal-Ottawa-Toronto-Hamilton (MOTH) Workshop in Syntax. Vol. 23. McGill Working Papers in Linguistics 1. McGill University. URL: https://www.mcgill.ca/mcgwpl/archives/volume-231-2013.

Dissertation

Brian Buccola. July 2015. "Maximality in the Semantics of Modified Numerals". PhD thesis. Montreal, Canada: McGill University. URL: https://ling.auf.net/lingbuzz/003039.

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TEACHING AND ADVISING

Teaching

Undergrad LIN 401: Introduction to Linguistics, MSU (2019-).

LIN 437: Semantics and Pragmatics, MSU (2019-).

LIN 499: Senior Thesis Research, MSU (2020-).

LIN 499E: Senior Thesis Experiential Learning, MSU (2022).

LING 201: Introduction to Linguistics, McGill University (2014).

Graduate LIN 837: Adv. Studies in Semantics & Pragmatics, MSU (2020, 2021).

LIN 837: Semantics and Pragmatics I, MSU (2022–).

LIN 838: Semantics and Pragmatics II, MSU (2022-).

LIN 891: Special Topics, MSU (2023, 2024).

LIN 899: Independent Study, MSU (2022-).

Advising

Ph.D. committee chair or co-chair

in progress	Jiasheng Guo, Ahmed Mohamed, Yaxuan Wang.
2024	Philip Pellino. "Contrarian hardly and the Approximative Adverbs".
2024	Shannon Cousins. "How to Begin: Toward a General Theory of Aspectual Verbs".
2023	Ye Ma. "The Processing of Aspectual Verbs in Mandarin Chinese". (co-chair with Alan Beretta)
2021	Yan Cong. "Competition in Natural Language Meaning: The Case of Chinese Adjective Constructions and Beyond".

Ph.D. committee member

in progress	Komeil Kolahi Ahari, Mofart Ayiega, Adam Barnhardt, John Ryan, Jessica Shepherd,
	Jason Smith, Jingying Xu.

Ni-La Lê. "Vietnamese Pluralizers' Properties and their Effects on the Structure and the Acquisition of Vietnamese Noun Phrases".

Ph.D. comprehensive paper advisor

Yaxuan Wang. "Speaker-Oriented Additives".

2023 Philip Pellino. "The Semantics of Contrarian HARDLY".

Yaxuan Wang. "Presupposition Projection Out of Quantifiers: An Experimental Study

in Mandarin".

Shannon Cousins. "Aspectual Verb Alternations: Implications of an Integrated The-

ory".

Ye Ma. "A Self-Paced Reading Study of Context Effects in the Processing of Aspectual

Verbs".

2020 Yan Cong. "Degree Interpretations and their Competitions".

M.A. committee chair

in progress Teo Shannon.

M.A. committee member

Daniel Greeson. "Revisiting Variation Between Null Subject Languages: The View

from Overt Subject Pronouns".

Isaac Sarver. "A Systematic Evaluation of Computational Models of Phonotactics".

B.A. thesis advisor

Destiny Hayes. "Honorification in Korean".

2023 CJ Sivak. "Yes? No? Rising Response Particles in English".

2022 Kyle Haling. "Applying and Extending Formal Pragmatics to the Courtroom".

Zachary Sneed. "Investigating Learnability in Semantic Universals Through Artificial

Means".

Undergraduate Honors Option advisor

Dan Ke Le, Kira Vander Molen, Holly Ryan

2022 CJ Sivak

2020 Claudia Chen, Sean Connelly, Yash Sharma, David Sherwood

External committee member

2020 Émile Enguehard. Member, Comité de suivre (progress report committee), École

normale supérieure, Paris, France.

SERVICE

To the profession

Editorial boards

2021- Member of the Editorial Board of Natural Language Semantics.

2016- Member of the Editorial Board of Semantics and Pragmatics.

Reviewing

(regular)

(ad hoc)

Grants Israel Science Foundation (ISF).

Books MIT Press, University of Toronto Press.

Journals Acta Linguistica Academica; Glossa; Glossa Psycholinguistics; Journal of Logic, Language

and Information; Journal of Semantics; Language and Linguistics Compass; Linguistics and Philosophy; Mind & Language; Natural Language Semantics; Semantics and Pragmatics;

Snippets.

Conferences Amsterdam Colloquium, Canadian Linguistics Association, North East Linguistic

Society (NELS), Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT), Sinn und Bedeutung (SuB),

West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL).

Conferences Experimental approaches to language universals in structure and meaning (ExUni),

GLOW in Asia, Israel Association for Theoretical Linguistics (IATL), Seoul Interna-

tional Conference on Generative Grammar (SICOGG).

To Michigan State University

College of Arts and Letters

2020, 2021 Member, CAL Awards Committee.

2020–2021 Member, College Undergraduate Committee (CUC).

Department of Linguistics, Languages, & Cultures

2023- Member, Department Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

2022, 2023 Member, Faculty Evaluation Committee (2-year term)

Linguistics program

2024 Convenor for Linguistics program (2-year elected position).

Member, Graduate admissions subcommittee (for Fall 2024).

2022–2024 Convenor for Linguistics program (2-year elected position).

2022- Member, Melchert Endowment Fund Committee.

2019- Director, MSU Semantics and Pragmatics Lab.

Member, Graduate admissions subcommittee (for Fall 2021).

2020 Member, Curriculum review subcommittee.

2020 Member, Summer fellowship review subcommittee.

2020 Member, Graduate admissions subcommittee (for Spring 2021).

2019–2020 Member, Handbook review sub-committee.

Member, Search committee for fixed-term position in Linguistics (general linguistics,

cognitive science).

2019 Member, Graduate admissions subcommittee (for Spring 2020).

To previous institutions

2018–2019 Amazon Mechanical Turk (MTurk) administrator, École normale supérieure (LSCP

and IJN).

2015–2017 Organizer (with Andreas Haida), LLCC Semantics-Pragmatics Research Group, The

Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

2015 Department publications manager, McGill University.

2013–2015 Organizing committee, Syntax-Semantics Research Group, McGill University.

2012–2014 Co-editor, McGill Working Papers in Linguistics (McGWPL).

2013 Organizing committee, Exploring the Interfaces 2: Implicatures, Alternatives, and the

Semantics-Pragmatics Interface (ETI 2), McGill University.

2012 Graduate student representative for syntax job hire, McGill University.

2011–2012 Co-editor, McGill Linguistics Blog (McLing).

Awards

2022

Arts & Letters College Fund for International Travel, MSU (\$1000). Travel award from MSU College of Arts & Letters for international travel. Special Foreign Travel Fund, MSU (\$400). 2022 Travel award from MSU International Studies and Programs for international travel. Faculty of Arts Graduate Student Teaching Award, McGill University (\$500). 2014

Nomination-only award, which "recognizes outstanding teaching in the Faculty by graduate students."

Centre for Research on Brain, Language and Music (CRBLM) Graduate Travel Award, 2014

McGill University (\$700).

Application-based award given to CRBLM student members to present their scientific results at an international conference.

Graduate Student Travel Award, McGill University (\$1,500). 2013

> A "competitive award designed to support graduate student travel by both MA and PhD students for the purposes of research and the dissemination of research."

Lara Riente Memorial Prize in Linguistics, Department of Linguistics, McGill Univer-2013

sity (\$500).

"Awarded by the Faculty of Arts Scholarships committee on the recommendation of the Department of Linguistics on the basis of high academic standing to a graduate or an undergraduate student enrolled in a full-time degree program in Linguistics."

Cremona Memorial Fellowship in Linguistics, Department of Linguistics, McGill 2012-2013

University (\$8,479).

"Awarded by the Department of Linguistics to an outstanding graduate student registered in the Ph.D. or M.A. program in Linguistics."

NASSLLI full scholarship (\$410). 2012

Application-based stipend covering tuition, fees, accommodation, and travel.

National Merit Finalist Scholarship, Loyola University Chicago (about \$100,000). 2004-2008

Full-tuition scholarship awarded to students who have been named National Merit finalists by the

National Merit Corporation.

Honors and associations

Israel Association for Theoretical Linguistics (IATL). 2016 (joined)

2015 (joined) Societas Linguistica Europaea (SLE).

Centre for Research on Brain, Language and Music (CRBLM), Montréal, Canada. 2012 (joined)

Linguistic Society of America (LSA). 2012 (joined)

2008 (inducted) Phi Beta Kappa.

National Merit Scholar. 2004