

# Deepthi Gopal

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## EDUCATION

**DECEMBER 2018** • PhD in Linguistics, *University of Manchester*.

Dissertation: SIMILARITY AND REPRESENTATIONS IN SONORANT PHONOLOGY

Supervised by Yuni Kim and Ricardo Bermúdez-Otero; examined by Marc van Oostendorp and Wendell Kimper.

**DECEMBER 2014** • PhD in Linguistics, *University of Manchester*.

Dissertation: THE STRUCTURAL IMPACT OF MORPHOLOGICAL BORROWING

Supervised by Yaron Matras.

**JUNE 2012** • BS in Physics with honors, *California Institute of Technology*.

## EMPLOYMENT

**DECEMBER 2017** — PRESENT

Research associate, *University of Cambridge*.

3-year position on the ESRC-funded project *Investigating the diffusion of morphosyntactic innovations using social media*, with David Willis, Adrian Leemann & Tam Blaxter.

## PUBLICATIONS

**UNDER REVIEW** • *Geospatial distributions reflect rates of evolution of features of language*.

HENRI KAUMANEN, DEEPTHI GOPAL, TOBIAS GALLA & RICARDO BERMÚDEZ-OTERO

**2010** • *Using post-measurement information in state discrimination*.

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## TEACHING

**2019–2020** • *University of Cambridge*

Li13 *History of English* • SUPERVISION

Li4 *History and varieties of English* • SUPERVISION

**2018–2019** • *University of Cambridge*

Li11 *Historical linguistics* • LECTURING

**2016–2017** • *University of Manchester*

LELA20011 *Phonology 1* • TUTORIALS

LELA20342 *Experimental phonetics* • TUTORIALS/LABWORK

LELA20281 *The logic of English* • TUTORIALS

**2015–2016** • *University of Manchester*

LELA10922 *Introduction to morphology* • TUTORIALS

**2014–2015** • *University of Manchester*

LELA20062 *English dialects* • TUTORIALS

LELA10221 *Introduction to phonetics & phonology* • TUTORIALS

## SKILLS

### TECHNICAL SKILLS

development & data analysis in Python, R, Matlab;  
phonetic analysis in Praat; mapping & spatial data analysis  
in QGIS; 2D design (Indesign, equivalents; HTML5/CSS).

### LANGUAGES

English (native); Swedish, Turkish, French (intermediate).

## TALKS — selected

**OCTOBER 2019** • *Apparent-time and spatial diffusion in large social-media corpora*.

NWAV 48, University of Oregon, Eugene.

DAVID WILLIS, DEEPTHI GOPAL, ADRIAN LEEMANN, TAM BLAXTER

**FEBRUARY 2019** • *The rhotic in Jutland Danish*.

Fonologi i Norden 2019, University of Edinburgh.

DEEPTHI GOPAL, MICHAELA HEJNÁ, PAVEL ŠTIRM

**OCTOBER 2018** • *Localising morphosyntactic variation in Welsh Twitter data*.

NWAV 47, New York University.

DAVID WILLIS, DEEPTHI GOPAL, ADRIAN LEEMANN, TAM BLAXTER

**JANUARY 2018** • *Sonority and the typology of Turkic onset obstruentisation*.

Old World Conference in Phonology 15, University College London.

**APRIL 2017** • *Modeling similarity-driven phonological generalisations*.

4th Workshop on Sound Change, University of Edinburgh.

DEEPTHI GOPAL, HENRI KAUMANEN & STEPHEN NICHOLS

**JANUARY 2017** • *Sonorant-conditioned mid vowel lowering in Turkish*.

Old World Conference in Phonology 14, Düsseldorf.

DEEPTHI GOPAL & STEPHEN NICHOLS

**OCTOBER 2016** • *Aspiration dissimilation in Tangkhul Naga prefixation*.

2016 Annual Meeting of the LAGB, University of York.

**MAY 2016** • *Sonorant-conditioned mid vowel lowering in Turkish*.

24th Manchester Phonology Meeting.

DEEPTHI GOPAL & STEPHEN NICHOLS

**JANUARY 2016** • *Nasal-lateral assimilations as Agreement by Correspondence*.

Old World Conference in Phonology 13, Budapest.

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

### CONFERENCE ORGANISATION

**MAY 2020** • *Morphosyntactic variation in the 21st century*.  
UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE

**MAY 2020** • *Workshop on language variation and change*.  
UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE

**AUGUST 2019** • *Symposium on Representations, Usage and Social Embedding in Language Change (RUSE)*

UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER

**2015–2017** • *Manchester Forum in Linguistics (MFIL)*

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