

# DANIEL QUIGLEY

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## EDUCATION

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<b>University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee</b>	2020 - 2026 (expected)
<i>PhD: Linguistics; PhD Minor: Computer Science; Physics</i>	
<b>Advisor</b>	Nicholas Fleisher
<b>Dissertation Title</b>	<i>Ellipsis Resolution in Natural Language Processing</i>
<b>Universiteit Utrecht</b>	2018 - 2019
<i>Master's Certificate: Theoretical Physics</i>	
<b>University of Wisconsin-Madison</b>	2013 - 2018
<i>BSc: Anthropology; Astronomy; Linguistics; Mathematics; Physics</i>	
<b>Advisor</b>	J. Mark Kenoyer; Monica Macaulay; Stefan Westerhoff

## PHD RESEARCH

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<b>Theoretical Linguistics; Artificial Intelligence; Natural Language Processing</b>	2020 - Present
<i>University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Description of transformational grammar and construction grammar approaches to ellipsis resolution</li><li>· Developing NLP methods for ellipsis, anaphora, and coreference resolution using neural network architectures</li><li>· Implementation of anaphora resolution, reformulation methods, and frameworks in construction grammar to optimize ellipsis resolution relative to accuracy, time, and computing power</li></ul>	

## PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS

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<b>Linguistics</b>	ellipsis; double object constructions; transitivity mismatches; grammaticalization; case stacking; construction grammar; scope; binding; degree and comparison; typology; language change
<b>Natural language processing</b>	ellipsis, anaphora, coreference resolution; question answering; machine learning methods for language processing; human language technologies; human-computer interaction; computer vision for anaphora resolution
<b>Physics/Mathematics</b>	gravitational physics; black hole physics; early universe physics; topological defects; differential geometry; geometric PDEs; geometric flows; Ricci flow
<b>Anthropology/Archaeology</b>	Bronze Age world; evolution of writing; Indus Valley civilization; calendrical systems; archaeoastronomy; evolution of architecture; power and social relations; gender; ethnoarchaeology

## TEACHING

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### Instructor of Record and Teaching Assistant

2020 - Present

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Linguistics 210	Power of Words	Fall 2020
Linguistics 210	Power of Words	Spring 2021
Linguistics 210	Power of Words	Fall 2021
Linguistics 210	Power of Words	Spring 2022

### Physics Department Undergraduate Drop-in Tutor

2014 - 2018

University of Wisconsin-Madison

### Freelance Math and Science Tutor

2013 - Present

## PAST RESEARCH

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### Indus Valley Textual Analysis

2015 - 2018

University of Wisconsin-Madison

- Reconstructed broken strings of written data of the Indus Valley Script via n-gram Markov chains and conditional entropy using Python
- Collaborated with international colleagues on statistical analyses of Indus Valley Script data which resulted in sign frequency scores showing what kinds of symbols are used on what kinds of contexts
- Results of Zipf-Mandelbrot distributions of texts as measured using Python presented at international academic conference

### Wisconsin IceCube Particle Astrophysics Center

2014 - 2018

University of Wisconsin-Madison

- Undergraduate research assistant: simulations, data acquisition and analysis, and visualization of the HAWC (High-Altitude Water Cherenkov) gamma-ray detector
- Modeled and solved gamma ray source discrepancies between four international experiments using Python
- Designed and built: temperature gauge and alarm using Arduino Uno; GPS and data trigger system in C++ using ZeroMQ; grounding cable network to transform site into Faraday "net"
- Communicated results of physical simulations and technical developments with international teams

### Wisconsin Baldwin Idea Grant

2014 - 2018

University of Wisconsin-Madison

- Worked with Menominee elders and coordinated with team of undergraduate students, graduate students, and academic advisor
- Recorded, documented, and prepared teaching materials for language preservation and revitalization efforts

## PRESENTATIONS

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Quigley, Daniel. *Machine Learning: Basics, Examples, Talking Points*. Apple. May 2022.

Quigley, Daniel. *Transitivity Mismatches in Menominee*. University Talks. April 2021.

Quigley, Daniel. *Arabic Verb Constructions*. University Lightning Talks. April 2018.

Quigley, Daniel and J. Mark Kenoyer. *The Indus Valley Script: A Corpus Compilation and Statistical Analysis of Pottery Inscriptions*. Undergraduate Research Symposium. April 2018.

Quigley, Daniel and J. Mark Kenoyer. *The Indus Valley Script: a Corpus Compilation and Statistical Analysis of Pottery Inscriptions Found in the Indus and Adjacent Regions*. 46th Annual Conference on South Asia. October 2017.

## AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

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### Graduate Teaching Assistantship

2020 - Present

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

### Chancellor's Graduate Student Award

2020

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

### Record - Number of Majors (5)

2018

University of Wisconsin-Madison

## ACADEMIC PROJECTS

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### **Data Visualization and Sentiment Analysis of Movie Reviews across Four Neural Network Models** 2022

*University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Course Project*

- Comparison of performance metrics (loss, accuracy, F1, misclassification rate, training time) for polarity sentiment analysis of movie reviews
- Built four architectures for comparison with hyperparameter tuning across ten neural network epochs with cutoff for validation loss: CNN; RNN; RCNN; LSTM
- Achieved > 83% accuracy for each model; documentation included description of architectures for instruction and learning purposes

### **NLP POS Tagging and Similarity Scores** 2022

*University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Course Project*

- Generated POS-tags on pre-tokenized sentences using Stanza and evaluated relative to Brown corpus
- Measured similarity scores using word2vec and GloVe embeddings on word-pair datasets using Gensim
- Achieved accuracy scores > 87.5% for each evaluation task; documentation included description of architectures for instruction and learning purposes

### **ML Optimization: No Free Lunch** 2021

*University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Course Project*

- Optimized, evaluated, and compared performance scores of classification architectures: Decision Tree Classifier; K-Nearest Neighbor; Multinomial Naive Bayes; Logistic Regression; SVC; Dummy Classifier; Neural Network
- Optimized, evaluated, and compared performance scores of regression architectures: Decision Tree Regressor; Linear Regression; SVR; Dummy Regressor; Neural Network
- Documentation included description of architectures for instruction and learning purposes

## PROFESSIONAL LICENSES/CERTIFICATES

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### **IBM Data Science Certification** (in progress)

*IBM*

### **IRB-Social Behavioral Researchers** 2020

*CITI Program*

### **Theoretical Physics: Honours Interdisciplinary** 2019

*Universiteit Utrecht*

## INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

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### **Utrecht, The Netherlands** 2018–2019

*Universiteit Utrecht Master's Program*

### **Louny, Czech Republic** Summer 2011

*High School Experience*

## LEADERSHIP INVOLVEMENT

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### **Genius Technician** 2021–present

*Apple*

- Promoted to Genius for technical proficiency, demonstrable knowledge, and interpersonal skills with customers and teammates
- Resolve mobile device and Mac computer hardware and software issues via research and diagnostics
- De-escalate elevated customers using interpersonal skills; mentor teammates in navigating interactions
- Connected with customers in one-to-one and one-to-many settings in an educating and engaging fashion while managing customer expectations, resulting in high ratings

### **Linguistics Student Organization (Linguistics Club)** 2015–2018

*University of Wisconsin-Madison*

- Elected president for the 2015–2016 and 2017–2018 school years
- Organized Workshop in General Linguistics (WiGL) for the spring semesters of 2016 and 2018

- Successfully appealed for university funding for conference travel
- Reorganized Linguistics Student Organization and club archiving to help facilitate longevity, including combining resources with academically-adjacent student organizations

### **University Physical Society (Physics Club)**

**2013–2018**

*University of Wisconsin-Madison*

- General membership included advising to elected board of officers on social and organizational matters
- Drop-in tutor for introductory level courses in physics and mathematics
- coordinated with peers to facilitate social events and outreach

## **CURRENT PROJECTS**

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### **Visualizing Curvature in $\mathbb{R}^3$ and $\mathbb{R}^{3+1}$**

- Visualization and description of objects encountered in General Relativity and (pseudo-)Riemannian geometry
- Visual representations of various curvatures
- Status: concatenating course notes; relevant papers cited and compiled together

### **Lagrangian Formulation and Inverse Problem for Lagrangians**

- Description of Lagrangians in non-relativistic and relativistic physics
- Approaches to formulations of Lagrangians following Inverse Problem for Lagrangians
- Status: catalogue of Lagrangians in physics in progress, with appropriate derivations

### **NLP Sentiment Analysis of *Paradise Lost***

- Exploration of sentiment, including scoring, emotion, and mood of *Paradise Lost*
- Expand upon techniques of sentiment analysis and data visualization learned in coursework
- Status: visualization complete; sentiment analysis in progress

### **ML Optimization for Classification and Regression**

- Learning and exploration of machine learning architectures and algorithms for optimization of classification and regression tasks
- Datasets extracted from OpenML: phoneme classification; multidimensional gamma-ray event classification; Seattle house price regression; far-infrared-laser in a chaotic state regression
- Status: documentation for classification tasks in progress; optimizing regression architectures

### **Linux from Scratch**

- Built own Linux subsystem
- Used EndeavourOS as host system
- Status: complete

### **Billiards in Curved n-Dimensional Space using Python and Mathematica APIs**

- Classical collision physics subject to curved surfaces in  $\mathbb{R}^n$
- Custom-built Mathematica calculations to integrate with Python code
- Status: Mathematica files for useful objects in differential geometry complete; exploration of collision physics using python in progress; writing custom APIs in progress

### **Calendrical Calculations and Conversions from Arbitrary Epochs**

- Reformulation of Reingold and Dershowitz (2018) Lisp into Python
- Attempting derivation from scratch modular arithmetic representations of various world calendars
- Status: Python scripts for calendrical conversions with Balinese and Mayan calendars in progress; appropriate modular arithmetic implemented

### **Calendarium Egregium: a Description of Calendars, Naked-eye Astronomy, and Calculations**

- Introductory mechanics of world calendars, naked-eye astronomy, and basic calendrical modular arithmetic
- Description of three invented calendrical systems
- Status: basic descriptions of naked-eye astronomy and modular arithmetic complete; descriptions of select calendars in progress

### **Ahāmatya: a Reference Grammar of a Constructed Language**

- Description of invented language as introductory-style textbook to linguistics
- Textbook-style targeted to undergraduate-level linguistics students
- Status: descriptions of major grammatical features complete; syntactic typology and pragmatics in progress

### **Eḥeithymme: a Reference Grammar of a Constructed Language**

- Description of invented language as introductory-style textbook to linguistics
- Textbook-style targeted to undergraduate-level linguistics students
- Status: grammatical sketch complete; paper published on *Fiat Lingua* about construct state

### **Pselwō: a Reference Grammar of a Constructed Language**

- Description of invented language as introductory-style textbook to linguistics
- Textbook-style targeted to undergraduate-level linguistics students
- Status: grammatical sketch in progress

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

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**American Mathematical Society (AMS)**

**American Physical Society (APS)**

**Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL)**

**Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI)**

**Language Creation Society (LCS)**

**Linguistic Society of America (LSA)**

## **RELEVANT SKILLS**

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<b>Python</b>	IDLE; Jupyter Notebook; VIM; Anaconda; NumPy; Pandas; Keras; Scikit Learn; Natural Language Toolkit; Gensim; Stanza; Tensorflow
<b>C/C++</b>	Arduino; ZeroMQ
<b>Computational and Statistical analysis software</b>	Mathematica; MATLAB; R; SPSS
<b>Speech analysis tools</b>	PRAAT; Audacity; TANDEM-STRAIGHT
<b>Web design and formatting</b>	HTML/CSS; Jekyll
<b>Operating Systems</b>	Windows 7, 8, 10; Linux (Ubuntu, CentOS, Arch, EndeavourOS); macOS (OS X El Capitan through macOS Monterey)
<b>Typesetting, presentation, and spreadsheet software</b>	ℒ <sub>T</sub> ℒ <sub>X</sub> ; Office 365; LibreOffice; iWork

## **LANGUAGES**

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<b>Native</b>	English
<b>Conversational</b>	German
<b>Elementary</b>	Dutch; Finnish
<b>Some Study</b>	Menominee; Arabic (MSA); Sanskrit; Georgian

## GRADUATE COURSEWORK

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<b>Linguistics</b>	Phonetics; Phonology; Morphology; Syntax; Semantics; 2nd Language Acquisition; Seminar: Ellipsis; Typology and Universals; Historical and Comparative Linguistics; Seminar: Research Methods
<b>Computer Science</b>	Machine Learning and Applications; Introduction to Natural Language Processing
<b>Physics</b>	Quantum Field Theory; Statistical Field Theory; General Relativity; String Theory; Field Theory in Particle Physics; Cosmology; Radiative Processes; High Energy Astrophysics
<b>Mathematics</b>	Differential Geometry; Geometric Partial Differential Equations; Mathematical Methods in Theoretical Physics

## REFERENCES

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