

# Deniz RUDIN

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## EMPLOYMENT

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2018–now    **University of Southern California**    —    Assistant Professor, Linguistics

## EDUCATION

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2013–2018    **University of California**, Santa Cruz    —    Ph.D., Linguistics

Thesis: *Rising Above Commitment*

Committee: Pranav Anand (chair), Adrian Brasoveanu,  
Donka Farkas, Cleo Condoravdi & Dan Lassiter

2006–2011    **University of Minnesota**, Twin Cities    —    B.A., Linguistics

## PUBLICATIONS

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### ▷ IN PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS

Rudin, Deniz. 2019. **Head-based syntactic identity in sluicing**. *Linguistic Inquiry* 50(2), 253–283.

Rudin, Deniz. 2017. **Uncertainty and persistence: A Bayesian Update Semantics for probabilistic expressions**. *Journal of Philosophical Logic* 47(3), 365–405.

### ▷ IN EDITED VOLUMES

Rudin, Deniz, Karl DeVries, Karen Duek, Kelsey Kraus & Adrian Brasoveanu. 2016. **The semantics of corrections**. In J. Väänänen, Å. Hirvonen & R. de Queiroz (eds.), *Logic, Language, Information, and Computation: 23rd International Workshop*, 358–374.

### ▷ IN CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

Pancheva, Roumyana & Deniz Rudin. 2019. **Speaker discourse roles and the discourse profile of reportative evidentials**. In J. Schlöder, D. McHugh & F. Roelofsen (eds.), *Proceedings of the 22nd Amsterdam Colloquium*, 327–336.

Rudin, Deniz. 2019. **Embedded rising declaratives and embedded quotation**. In K. Blake & F. Davis (eds.), *Proceedings of SALT 29*, 1–21.

Rudin, Deniz & Andrea Beltrama. 2019. **Default agreement with subjective assertions**. In K. Blake & F. Davis (eds.), *Proceedings of SALT 29*, 82–102.

Rudin, Deniz. 2018. **Rising imperatives**. In S. Maspong & B. Stefánsdóttir (eds.), *Proceedings of SALT 28*, 100–119.

Kroll, Margaret & Deniz Rudin. 2017. **Identity and interpretation: Syntactic and pragmatic constraints on the acceptability of sluicing**. In A. Lamont & K. Tetzloff (eds.), *Proceedings of NELS 47*, Vol. 2, 177–190.

Rudin, Deniz. 2016. **Deriving a variable-strength *might***. In N. Bade, P. Berezovskaya & A. Schöller (eds.), *Proceedings of Sinn und Bedeutung 20*, 587–603.

### ▷ AS EDITOR

Merchant, Jason, Line Mikkelsen, Deniz Rudin & Kelsey Sasaki (eds.). 2018. ***A reasonable way to proceed: Essays in honor of Jim McCloskey***. Linguistics Research Center, Santa Cruz.

# PRESENTATIONS

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## ▷ ABSTRACT-REFEREED PRESENTATIONS

- 2020 ‘When faultless disagreement is not so faultless:  
What widely-held opinions can tell us about subjective adjectives’  
Joint work with Elsi Kaiser  
**Linguistic Society of America 94**, January 4th, New Orleans
- 2019 ‘Default agreement with subjective assertions’  
Joint work with Andrea Beltrama  
**Semantics and Linguistic Theory 29**, May 18th, UCLA
- ‘Embedded rising declaratives’  
**Semantics and Linguistic Theory 29**, May 17th, UCLA
- ‘Sluicing and modal mismatches’  
Joint work with Dan Hardt  
**Sluicing@50**, April 13th, Chicago
- 2018 ‘Whither default agreement? The case of subjective assertions’  
Joint work with Andrea Beltrama  
**Semantics and Philosophy in Europe**, December 18th, Barcelona
- 2017 ‘Rising imperatives’  
**Semantics and Linguistic Theory 28**, May 18th, MIT
- ‘Intonation as a speech act modifier: Rising declaratives and imperatives’  
**Questioning Speech Acts**, September 14th, Konstanz
- ‘Assessor-Relativizable Predicates’  
Joint work with Phil Crone  
**Subjectivity in Language and Thought**, May 19th, Chicago
- ‘Errata corrige: The pragmatics of error correction’  
Joint work with Leon Bergen, Adrian Brasoveanu & Noah Goodman  
**New Advances in Formal Pragmatics**, March 29th, Paris
- ‘A dual perspective approach to sluicing’  
Joint work with Margaret Kroll  
**Linguistic Society of America 91**, January 6th, Austin
- 2016 ‘Licensing and interpretation: A comprehensive theory of sluicing’  
Joint work with Margaret Kroll  
**North East Linguistic Society 47**, October 14th, Amherst
- ‘The semantics of corrections’  
Joint work with Karl DeVries, Karen Duek, Kelsey Kraus & Adrian Brasoveanu  
**Workshop on Logic, Language, Information, and Computation 23**, August 18th, Puebla
- 2015 ‘Deriving a variable-strength *might*’  
**Sinn und Bedeutung 20**, September 9th, Tübingen

## ▷ INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- 2019 ‘Intonational commitments and the pragmatics of the table’  
**SemBabble**, November 5th, UCSD
- ‘Rising imperatives’  
**Stanford/CSLI Philosophy of Language & Linguistics Workshop**, May 25th, Palo Alto

2018 'Rising declaratives'  
**UCLA Colloquium**, October 12th, Los Angeles

'Rising intonation: Declaratives, interrogatives, and imperatives'  
**USC Colloquium**, February 9th, Los Angeles

## TEACHING

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### ▷ GRADUATE COURSES AT USC

LING 534: Logic and the Theory of Meaning	FALL 2018 FALL 2019
LING 636: Seminar in Semantics (Topic: Intonational Meaning & Speech Acts)	SPRING 2019

### ▷ UNDERGRADUATE COURSES AT USC

LING 275: Language and Mind (with Stephanie Shih)	SPRING 2020
LING 303: Logic and Meaning in Natural Language	SPRING 2019 SPRING 2020

### ▷ SUMMER SCHOOLS

European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information The Semantics and Psycholinguistics of Subjective Predicates (with Elsi Kaiser)	SUMMER 2020
Eastern Generative Grammar The Semantics-Discourse-Pragmatics Interface: Theory and Applications	SUMMER 2019

### ▷ TEACHING FELLOW AT UCSC

LING 101: Phonology 1	WINTER 2018
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### ▷ TEACHING ASSISTANT AT UCSC

LING 111: Syntactic Structures (Instructor: Ivy Sichel)	SPRING 2018
LING 113: Syntax 2 (Instructor: Sandy Chung)	SPRING 2017
LING 116: Semantics 2 (Instructor: Maziar Toosarvandani)	WINTER 2017
LING 112: Syntax 1 (Instructor: Jorge Hankamer)	FALL 2016
LING 116: Semantics 2 (Instructor: Adrian Brasoveanu)	WINTER 2016
LING 50: Introduction to Linguistics (Instructor: Adrian Brasoveanu)	FALL 2015
LING 101: Phonology 1 (Instructor: Junko Ito)	SPRING 2015
LING 116: Semantics 2 (Instructor: Pranav Anand)	WINTER 2015
LING 50: Semantics 1 (Instructor: Donka Farkas)	FALL 2014
LING 80C: Language, Society, and Culture (Instructor: Jim McCloskey)	SPRING 2014

## ADVISING (USC LINGUISTICS DEPARTMENT IF UNSPECIFIED)

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### ▷ DISSERTATION COMMITTEES

Haley Wei Wei (USC East Asian Languages & Cultures)	ONGOING
Betül Erbaşı	ONGOING
Junhyo Lee (USC Philosophy)	ONGOING

### ▷ QUALIFYING COMMITTEES

Sarah Hye-yeon Lee	ONGOING
Jesse Storbeck	FALL 2019
Junhyo Lee (USC Philosophy)	FALL 2019

### ▷ SCREENING COMMITTEES

Tommy Tsz-Ming Lee ( <b>chair</b> )	ONGOING
Luis Miguel Toquero Perez	ONGOING
Sarah Hye-yeon Lee	FALL 2018
The interpretation of the comparison class in degree predication	

## GRANTS

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- 2017    **Fall Dissertation Quarter Fellowship**  
2017    **Institute for Humanities Research Summer Dissertation Fellowship**

## SERVICE

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2016-2020	<b>Reviewer</b> , Journal of Semantics, Analysis, Linguistic Inquiry, Language, Syntax, Glossa, Journal of Linguistics, Sinn und Bedeutung, Semantics and Linguistic Theory, Amsterdam Colloquium, North East Linguistic Society, Tbilisi Symposium on Language Logic and Computation
2019	<b>Organizer</b> , California Universities Semantics and Pragmatics 12
2019-20	<b>Graduate Studies Committee</b> , USC Linguistics Department
2019-20	<b>Graduate Admissions Committee</b> , USC Linguistics Department
2019-20	<b>Job Search Committee (Tenure Track, Syntax)</b> , USC Linguistics Department
2019	<b>Faculty Merit Review Committee</b> , USC Linguistics Department
2019	<b>Chair Consultative Committee</b> , USC Linguistics Department
2017	<b>Graduate Recruitment Czar</b> , UCSC Linguistics Department
2016	<b>Organizing Committee</b> , Semantics of Underrepresented Languages in the Americas 9
	<b>Co-Organizer</b> , SPLAP! Workshop on Semantics & Cognition
2015-2016	<b>Graduate Representative</b> , UCSC Linguistics Department
2014-2015	<b>Transportation Czar</b> , UCSC Linguistics Colloquium Committee
2014-2017	<b>Coordinator</b> , UCSC SPLAP! Reading Group
2014	<b>Co-founder</b> , UCSC SPLAP! Reading Group
2013-2014	<b>Coordinator</b> , UCSC PHLUNCH Reading Group

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