Elizabeth Pankratz
Curriculum Vitae

Date of birth	July 14, 1994
Place of birth	Edmonton, Alberta, Canada
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Education

10.2019–present
Master of Science in Cognitive Systems: Language, Learning, and Reasoning
Universität Potsdam, Germany
- Supervisor: Dr. Shravan Vasishth

10.2017–07.2019
Master of Arts in Linguistics
Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany
- Thesis: *A study of diachronic changes in the productivity of several Early New High German derivational morphemes using the RIDGES corpus*
- Supervisor: Dr. Anke Lüdeling
- Grade: 1.0 (top mark)

09.2013–06.2017
Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Linguistics & German language and literature
University of Alberta, Edmonton, Canada
- Thesis: *Effects of plural semantics on linking element alternation in German nominal compounds*
- Supervisors: Dr. Jennifer Dailey-O'Cain and Dr. Jordan Lachler
- 4.0 GPA (top mark), First Class Honours, best of graduating class

10.2015–08.2016
Year abroad as part of bachelor's degree
Freie Universität Berlin, Germany

Academic work experience

08.2020–present
Researcher
Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, SFB 1412 Register, Project A04
- Research on using machine learning methods (LDA) to probabilistically identify registers from texts

09.2019–present
Proofreader of *Head-Driven Phrase Structure Grammar: The handbook*
Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin/Language Science Press, Berlin
- Proofreading of chapters and communication with authors

01.2018–06.2018, 10.2019–09.2020
Student assistant to Dr. Bob van Tiel
Leibniz Centre General Linguistics (ZAS), Berlin
- Research on processing of scalar inferences

01.2018—03.2018
Editorial assistant for the proceedings of *Sinn und Bedeutung 22*
Leibniz Centre General Linguistics (ZAS), Berlin
- Proofreading of papers and communication with authors

12.2017–09.2019
Student assistant to Dr. Uli Reich
Freie Universität Berlin
- Preparation of an audio corpus of Conchucos Quechua
- Organization of the conference *XXII. Deutscher Hispanistentag* (March 27–31, 2019)

04.2014–06.2014
Student assistant to Dr. Antti Arppe
University of Alberta
- Fieldwork on Plains Cree in Maskwacis, Alberta

Publications

accepted	Bob van Tiel & **Elizabeth Pankratz**. Accepted. Adjectival polarity and the processing of scalar inferences. *Glossa*.
2019	Bob van Tiel, **Elizabeth Pankratz**, Paul Marty & Chao Sun. 2019. Scalar inferences and cognitive load. In *Proceedings of Sinn und Bedeutung 23*, 427–441.
2019	Bob van Tiel, **Elizabeth Pankratz** & Chao Sun. 2019. Scales and scalarity: Processing scalar inferences. *Journal of Memory and Language* 105. 93–107. ISSN: 0749596X. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jml.2018.12.002.
2018	Roland Schäfer & **Elizabeth Pankratz**. 2018. The plural interpretability of German linking elements. *Morphology* 28(4). 325–358. ISSN: 1871-5621, 1871-5656. https://doi.org/10.1007/s11525-018-9331-5.
2017	Jordan Lachler & **Elizabeth Pankratz**. 2017. Moving Towards Value-Added Digital Repatriation in Lexicography for Indigenous Languages in Canada. In Nicholas Ostler, Vera Ferreira & Chris Moseley (eds.), *Proceedings of the 21st FEL Conference: Communities in Control: Learning tools and strategies for multilingual endangered language communities*, 107–114. ISBN: 978-0-9560210-9-0.

Presentations

upcoming	Felix Bildhauer, **Elizabeth Pankratz** & Roland Schäfer. 2021. Corpora, inference, and models of register distributions. Talk. Contrastive Corpus Methodology for Language Modeling and Analysis (Workshop at the 43rd Annual DGfS Conference), Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg; virtual.
09.2020	Bob van Tiel & **Elizabeth Pankratz**. 2020. Adjectival polarity and the processing of scalar implicature. Talk. Sinn Und Bedeutung 25, University College London; virtual.
07.2020	**Elizabeth Pankratz** & Bob van Tiel. 2020. Can usage of scalar adjectives predict scalar inference rates? Poster. UK Cognitive Linguistics Conference 2020, University of Birmingham; virtual.
03.2020	Bob van Tiel & **Elizabeth Pankratz**. 2020. Polarity in scalar inference processing. Talk. Degree Expressions and Polarity Effects (Workshop), Leibniz Centre General Linguistics (ZAS).
06.2019	Bob van Tiel, **Elizabeth Pankratz** & Chao Sun. 2019. Scales and scalarity: Processing scalar inferences. Poster. XPRAG 2019, University of Edinburgh.
06.2019	**Elizabeth Pankratz**. 2019. Derivational morphology in Early New High German. Talk. Colloquium for Corpus Linguistics, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin.
03.2019	**Elizabeth Pankratz**, Jordan Lachler & Antti Arppe. 2019. A survey of Indigenous language tools: The emergence of two lexicographical approaches among Indigenous languages of Canada. Talk. 6th International Conference on Language Documentation & Conservation, University of Hawai'i at Manōa.
09.2018	Bob van Tiel, **Elizabeth Pankratz** & Chao Sun. 2018. Processing scalar diversity. Poster. Sinn Und Bedeutung 23, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona.
10.2017	Jordan Lachler & **Elizabeth Pankratz**. 2017. Moving toward value-added digital repatriation in lexicography for Indigenous languages in Canada. Talk. The 21st FEL Conference: Communities in Control: Learning Tools and Strategies for Multilingual Endangered Language Communities, Foundation for Endangered Languages.
03.2017	**Elizabeth Pankratz**. 2017. Language maintenance in a global world: Creating a middle ground for Plautdietsch in 21st-century Canada. Talk. MLCS Undergraduate Conference, University of Alberta.

Reviewing

2020 | **12th Web as Corpus Workshop: WAC-XII**
co-located with LREC 2020 in Marseille, France

Cooperation

2018 | **Linguistic Web Characterisation (SCHA1916/1-1)**
with Dr. Roland Schäfer
– Corpus annotation and analysis
– Experimental validation of web-corpus-based models

Funding

10.2019–present | **University Scholarship Potsdam (previously Deutschlandstipendium)**
Universität Potsdam

10.2017–07.2019 | **Konrad Adenauer Foundation**
Scholarship Program for International Students

05.2017–08.2017 | **Stipend from the Undergraduate Research Initiative at the University of Alberta**
CAD 5000 funding for the summer research project *Digital lexicography of Canadian Indigenous languages* with Dr. Jordan Lachler and Dr. Antti Arppe

Awards and Recognition

03.2019 | **Featured as one of the LINGUIST List's Rising Stars**
nominated by Dr. Roland Schäfer and Dr. Anke Lüdeling

06.2017 | **The Dr. John MacDonald Medal in Arts (CAD 1100)**
for best graduating mark in the Faculty of Arts at the University of Alberta

12.2014–05.2017 | **Seven awards for academic achievement and extracurricular involvement (total CAD 14,200)**
University of Alberta
– The Rod and Judith Fraser International Undergraduate Learning Award (CAD 4500)
– The Louise McKinney Post-Secondary Scholarship (CAD 2500)
– The Mrs. Kathe & Mr. Siegfried Klotsche Scholarship in German (CAD 2200)
– The Edelweiss-Club Scholarship (CAD 1750)
– The Catherine McLean Scholarship in Arts (CAD 1500)
– The Jason Lang Scholarship (CAD 1000)
– The Catherine Folinsbee Memorial Scholarship (CAD 750)

Other skills

Programming	Python (2 and 3), R, Stan
Mark-up	LaTeX, HTML
Experiments	Ibex Farm, Testable, Prolific, Amazon Mechanical Turk
Other software	Adobe Photoshop, Microsoft Office, Praat, ELAN

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