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EDUCATION

- 2018 - ongoing **PhD Linguistics**, Utrecht University
Project “Forests and Trees: the Formal Semantics of Collective Categorization”, promoters: Yoad Winter, Joost Zwarts
- 2016 - 2018 **Research Master Linguistics (cum laude)**, Utrecht University
· MA THESIS: *Can we hug in Italian? An investigation on lexical and grammatical reciprocity*; advisors: Yoad Winter, Joost Zwarts
- 2012 - 2016 **BA Foreign Languages and Literature**, University of Bologna
· fall semester 2014 at University of Toulouse II le Mirail (now Jean Jaurès)
· BA THESIS: *Complex lexemes in Cameroonian French*; advisor: Francesca Masini

NON-DEGREE STUDIES

- 2022 **4th Crete Summer School of Linguistics (CreteLing)**,
University of Crete
- 2021 **32nd European Summer School in Language, Logic & Computation**,
University of Bolzano
- LOT Summer School 2021**, KU Leuven
- 2020 **LOT Summer School 2020**, Leiden University
- 2019 **11th International Summer School in Linguistic Fieldwork**,
LaciTo-Llac-SeDyL, CNRS Paris
- 31st European Summer School in Language, Logic & Computation**,
University of Latvia
- LOT Winter School 2019**, University of Amsterdam
- LOT Summer School**, Leiden University
- LOT Winter School 2017**, Radboud University Nijmegen

TEACHING

- 2018 **Teaching Assistant**, Utrecht University
BA course: “Variation and Universality in Natural Language”
Instructor: Martin Everaert

PUBLICATIONS

Palmieri, G. (2020). On the ambiguity between reflexivity and reciprocity in Italian. In M. Asatryan, Y. Song & A. Whitma (Eds.), *Proceedings of the Fiftieth Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society, NELS 50*. Volume 2, pp. 279-289. Amherst, MA: GLSA Publications.

Palmieri, G., R. M. Basso, M. Pinto, Y. Winter, & J. Zwarts (2019) A Note on Lexical Reciprocity in Brazilian Portuguese. In Gabi Danon (Eds.), *Proceedings of IATL 34&35*, pp. 81–95. MIT Working Papers in Linguistics 92.

Palmieri, G., M. Pinto, Y. Winter, & J. Zwarts (2019). Lexical reciprocity vs. grammatical reciprocity: The case of Italian. In M. Baird, D. Göksu, & J. Pesetsky (Eds.), *Proceedings of the Forty-Ninth Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society, NELS 49*, Volume 3, pp. 15-28. Amherst, MA: GLSA Publications.

PRESENTATIONS

Peer-review selection

S. Ros & **G. Palmieri**. Reciprocal marking in Wolof: theoretical and typological considerations. *14th Conference of the Association for Linguistic Typology*, University of Texas at Austin, 15/12/2022

G. Palmieri & J. Zwarts. On lexical reciprocity in Swahili. *37th annual conference of the Israel Association for Theoretical Linguistics*, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, 20/10/2022

S. Ros & **G. Palmieri**. Reciprocal marking in Wolof. (poster presentation) *55th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea*, University of Bucharest, 25/08/2022

J. Nieto i Bou & **G. Palmieri**. On the ambiguity between reflexivity and reciprocity in Spanish: an empirical study. *52nd Linguistic Symposium on Romance Languages*, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 22/04/2022

S. Ros & **G. Palmieri**. Reciprocal marking in Wolof. *53rd Annual Conference on African Linguistics*, University of California San Diego, 08/04/2022

J. Nieto i Bou & **G. Palmieri**. On the ambiguity between reflexivity and reciprocity in Spanish: an empirical study. *Zadar Linguistic Forum*, University of Zadar, 07/04/2022

R. Basso & **G. Palmieri**. ‘Alone’ semantics, but not semantics alone: on *da solo/sozinho* in Italian and Portuguese. *Encuentro de Lingüística Formal en México 2*, Universidad Autónoma de Puebla, 9/09/2021

G. Palmieri & R. Basso. On the ambiguity of *se*-clauses and the role of natural reflexivity in Brazilian Portuguese. *54th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea*, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, 31/08/2021

J. Nieto i Bou & **G. Palmieri**. Ambiguity or vagueness: the case of Catalan’s reflexivity and reciprocity. (poster presentation) *41st TABU Dag*, University of Groningen, 11/06/2021

G. Palmieri & R. Basso. Reflexive and reciprocal interpretations of *se*-clauses in Brazilian Portuguese. (poster presentation) *Going Romance 34*, Université Paris 8 & CNRS, 27/11/2020

G. Palmieri & I. Kruitwagen. Reflexivity and reciprocity in Italian: an ambiguous matter. (poster presentation) *50th Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society*, MIT, 25/10/2019

G. Palmieri, M. Pinto, Y. Winter, J. Zwarts. Lexical vs Grammatical reciprocity: the case of Italian. (poster presentation) *34th annual conference of the Israel Association for Theoretical Linguistics*, Ben Gurion University of the Negev, 09/10/2018

G. Palmieri, M. Pinto, Y. Winter, J. Zwarts. Lexical vs Grammatical reciprocity: the case of Italian. *49th Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society*, Cornell University, 07/10/2018

G. Palmieri, Y. Winter, J. Zwarts. Lexical and Grammatical reciprocity in Italian (poster presentation) *39th TABU Dag*, University of Groningen, 20/06/2018

Internal/ invited

J. Nieto Bou & **G. Palmieri**. Lexical reciprocals in Romance languages: insights from Catalan and Spanish. *ROCKY lecture*. Utrecht University, 26/11/2021.

S. Ros & **G. Palmieri**. Wolof reciprocals. *Uiltjes Dagen*, Utrecht University, 26/04/2022

G. Palmieri. Some questions on reciprocity in Swahili. *Uiltjes Dagen*, Utrecht University, 18/12/2020

G. Palmieri. Reflexive and reciprocal interpretation of Italian *si*-constructions. *Uiltjes Dagen*, Utrecht University, 16/12/2019

G. Palmieri. Vagueness or ambiguity? On the reflexive and reciprocal interpretation of Italian *si*-constructions. *Workshop ‘Cross-linguistic semantics of reciprocals’*, Utrecht University, 7/10/2019

G. Palmieri. Lexical and grammatical reciprocity in Romance: insights from Italian and Brazilian Portuguese. *Language Sciences Day*, Utrecht University, 31/01/2019

G. Palmieri & R. Basso. When ‘se’ is not needed: lexical reflexivity and reciprocity in Brazilian Portuguese. *ROCKY lecture*. Utrecht University, 10/12/2018

G. Palmieri. Hugging or hugging each other? Towards a cross-linguistic investigation of lexical and grammatical reciprocity. *Uiltjes Dagen*, Utrecht University, 4/12/2018

G. Palmieri & J. Zwarts. The status of reciprocal *si* in Italian. *Semantic Debates: ROCKY seminar on reciprocity, collectivity and typicality*, Utrecht University, 6/03/2018

ORGANIZATION

2019 Workshop ‘Cross-linguistic semantics of reciprocals’
Utrecht University, 7-8/10/2019

AWARDS

2022 Best Conference Poster Award (1st prize),
55th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea

DATA COLLECTION & LINGUISTIC FIELDWORK

Swahili January 2022 (Brussels, BE & Rotterdam, NL)
March - April 2021 (online)

Wolof November - December 2021 (Almere, NL)

Kituba February - March 2021 (online)

OTHER EMPLOYMENT

2016 Instructor of Italian as L2
Universo Intercultural Association, Bologna, IT

LANGUAGES

Italian native
English full professional competence
French fluent
Greek intermediate
Spanish intermediate
Dutch basic

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