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Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- Ph.D. University of Pennsylvania, expected May 2015
Dissertation: The role of higher education in linguistic change
Advisor: William Labov
- B.A. Emory University, May 2009
Highest Honors in Linguistics, with a minor in French Studies
Thesis: Linguistic variation and change in Atlanta, Georgia
Advisor: Susan Tamasi

PUBLICATIONS

- In prep. Educational attainment and the retreat from the Philadelphia short-a system.
With Kyle Gorman.
- In press The Great Vowel Shift in the North of England. In Raymond Hickey,
ed. *Researching Northern English*. John Benjamins, Amsterdam.
- 2014 Northern dialect evidence for the chronology of the Great Vowel Shift. *Journal of
Linguistic Geography* 2.2, 87-102.
- 2014 Against a split phonology of Michif. With Kobey Shwayder. *University of
Pennsylvania Working Papers in Linguistics* 20.1: Proceedings of the 37th Annual
Penn Linguistics Colloquium.
- 2012 The impact of higher education on Philadelphia vowels. With Meredith
Tamminga. *University of Pennsylvania Working Papers in Linguistics* 18.2: Selected
Papers from NWAV 40.
- 2010 Linguistic Variation and Change in Atlanta, Georgia. *University of Pennsylvania
Working Papers in Linguistics* 16.2: Selected Papers from NWAV 38.

GRANTS AND AWARDS

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| 2014 | Best Student Paper Award
(with Sabriya Fisher and Betsy Sneller) | NWAV 43, Chicago |
| 2014-15 | Dissertation Completion Fellowship | University of Pennsylvania |
| 2012 | President Gutmann Leadership Award
(grant for international conference travel) | University of Pennsylvania |

2011	5th place, Student Paper Prize (with Meredith Tamminga)	NWAV 40, Georgetown
2009-14	Benjamin Franklin Fellowship	University of Pennsylvania
2008	Phi Beta Kappa	Gamma Chapter, Emory University
2008	Phi Sigma Iota	Emory University chapter
2005-8	John Emory Scholarship	Emory Scholars Program
2005-8	HOPE Scholarship	GA Student Finance Commission
2005-8	Crawford T. Johnson III Scholarship	Coca-Cola Bottling Company

TEACHING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2013-14	Research Assistant, <i>The Impact of Higher Education on Local Phonology</i> . P.I.: Dr. William Labov (NSF grant BCS-1251437)
Spring 2012	Teaching Assistant, Introduction to Sociolinguistics (LING 102) Instructor: Dr. Gillian Sankoff
Fall 2011	Teaching Assistant, Undergraduate Tutorial in Linguistics (LING 300) Instructor: Dr. Beatrice Santorini
Fall 2010	Teaching Assistant, Introduction to Linguistics (LING 001) Instructor: Dr. Mark Liberman
2007-9	Research Assistant, <i>The Role of Dialect Variation in Physician / Patient Communication</i> . P.I.: Dr. Susan Tamasi

DEPARTMENTAL & PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

2012-2014	Co-president, University of Pennsylvania Graduate Linguistics Society
2013-2014	Reviewer, 38 th & 39 th Penn Linguistics Conference
2013	Session Chair, 37 th Penn Linguistics Colloquium
2011-2013	Editorial board, Penn Working Papers in Linguistics; Editor of Vol. 18.2
2010-2011	Chair (conference coordinator), 35 th Penn Linguistics Colloquium
2011	Session Chair, 13 th Diachronic Generative Syntax Conference
2009-2011	Organizing Committee, Penn Linguistics Colloquium

LANGUAGES

Natural:	English (native); French (conversational); Spanish, German, Latin (reading)
Programming:	R, LaTeX, Python (proficient); Praat, HTML, CSS (some experience)

PRESENTATIONS

- 2015 *Quantifying cronuts: Predicting the quality of blends.* Paper presented with Constantine Lignos at the LSA Annual Meeting, Portland, January 11.
- 2015 *A systematic partition of the speech community: Short-a in Philadelphia.* Poster presented with William Labov, Sabriya Fisher, Anita Henderson, and Betsy Sneller at the LSA Annual Meeting, Portland, January 9.
- 2014 *The apple doesn't fall far from the tree: incremental change in Philadelphia families.* Paper presented with Sabriya Fisher and Betsy Sneller at New Ways of Analyzing Variation 43, Chicago, October 25. (Received best student paper award)
- 2014 *Educational attainment and the actuation of sound change.* Paper presented at the LSA Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, January 5.
- 2014 *Measures of education and participation in regional sound change.* With Kyle Gorman. Paper presented at the LSA Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, January 5.
- 2013 *Where education and salience meet, local dialects retreat.* With Robin Dodsworth. Paper presented at New Ways of Analyzing Variation 42, Pittsburgh, October 19.
- 2013 *The role of higher education in socially-motivated change.* Poster presented at U.K. Language Variation and Change 9, Sheffield University, September 2.
- 2013 *Against a split phonology of Michif.* With Kobey Shwayder. Paper presented at the 37th Penn Linguistics Colloquium, University of Pennsylvania, March 24.
- 2012 *Northern dialect evidence for the chronology of the Great Vowel Shift.* Paper presented at New Ways of Analyzing Variation 41, Indiana University Bloomington, October 27.
- 2012 *Northern England and the Great Vowel Shift: A dialect geographical approach.* Paper presented at the Fifth Northern Englishes Workshop, Nottingham Trent University, April 3.
- 2011 *The Impact of Higher Education on Local Phonology.* With Meredith Tamminga. Paper presented at New Ways of Analyzing Variation 40, Georgetown University, October 30.
- 2010 *The Medical Consequences of Standard Pronunciation.* Paper presented by Susan Tamasi at the Conference of the American Association for Applied Linguistics, Atlanta, March 8.
- 2009 *Linguistic Variation and Change in Atlanta, Georgia.* Poster presented at New Ways of Analyzing Variation 38, University of Ottawa, October 23.
- 2009 *Linguistic Variation and Change in Atlanta, Georgia.* Poster presented at the Emory Undergraduate Research Symposium, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 2008 *The Role of Dialect Variation in Physician / Patient Communication.* Poster presented at the SIRE Spring Undergraduate Research Symposium, Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia.