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#### **EMPLOYMENT**

2018 - Post-doctoral Fellow

Neuroscience of Language Lab, New York University Abu Dhabi

• Supervisors: Liina Pylkkänen, Alec Marantz

### **EDUCATION**

2013 - Ph.D., Linguistics

Department of Linguistics, Cornell University

- Thesis: Neural mechanisms of pronoun resolution.
- Supervisor: John Hale

2016 – 2018 Graduate Minor, Cognitive Science

Cognitive Science program, Cornell University

2011 – 2012 M.Sc., Experimental Psychology

Department of Experimental Psychology, Oxford University

- Thesis (with Distinction): Sonority, size and shape in sound symbolism.
- · Supervisor: Charles Spence

2009 – 2010 M.A., Linguistics

Department of Linguistics, University College London

- Thesis (with Distinction): "Root infinitives" in child Chinese.
- · Supervisor: Ad Neeleman

2005 – 2009 B.A., English Language and Literature

Department of English Language and Literature, Beijing Normal University

2006 – 2009 Double B.A., Chinese Language and Literature

Department of Chinese Language and Literature, Beijing Normal University

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GRANIS & AWARDS	

ODANITO O AWADDO

2019 CNS2019 Postdoctoral Fellow Award

Cognitive Neuroscience Society

2018 SNL2018 Travel Award

Society for the Neurobiology of Language

2016 – 2017 Jeffrey Sean Lehman Fund (Co-PI): \$13,000

East Asian Program, Cornell University

2017 SNL2017 Travel Award

Society for the Neurobiology of Language

Spring, 2017 Dean's Excellence Fellowship

Cornell University

Fall, 2017 SAGE Fellowship

Cornell University

2016 IPA Student Award for Speech Prosody 2016

International Phonetic Association

Summer, 2016 International Research Travel Grant

Mario Einaudi Center for International Studies, Cornell University

Fall, 2015 C.V. Starr Fellowship

East Asian Program, Cornell University

2013-2014 SAGE Fellowship

Cornell University

2006-2009 Outstanding Student Scholarship

Beijing Normal University

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

To appear Li, J., & Hale, J. (to appear). Grammatical predictors for fMRI timecourses. Sta-

bler, E., & Berwick, R. (Eds.). Minimalist Parsing. Oxford University Press.

2017 Klemens, K., Li, J., Maggioni, E., and & Spence, C. (2017). What drives sound

symbolism? Different acoustic cues underlie sound-size and sound-shape map-

pings. Scientific Reports, 7: 5562.

2016 Li, J., Brennan, J., Mahar, A. & Hale, J. (2016). Temporal lobes as combinatory

engines for both form and meaning. Proceedings of CL4LC 2016.

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2016

**Li, J.**, & and Tilsen, S. (2016). Early prosodic manifestations of disfluency. *Proceedings of Speech Prosody 2016*.

2015

**Li, J.**, & Tilsen, S. (2015). Phonetic evidence for two types of disfluency. *Proceedings of ICPhS* 2015.

# CONFERENCE PRESNETATIONS

2019

- **Li, J.**, & Hale, J. (2019). Tracking the subprocesses of pronoun resolution during naturalistic comprehension. Poster to be presented at the Cogntive Neuroscience Society (*CNS*), San Fransico, USA, March 23-26, 2019.
- CNS2019 Postdoctoral Fellow Award

2018

**Li, J.**, Fabre, M., Luh, W., & Hale, J. (2018). Neural Mechanism for pronoun resolution in Chinese during naturalistic listening. Poster presented at Architectures and Mechanisms of Language Processing (*AMLaP*), Berlin, Germany, September 6-8, 2018.

2018

- **Li, J.**, Fabre, M., Luh, W., & Hale, J. (2018). fMRI evidence for binding theory during anaphora resolution in naturalistic listening. Poster presented at the Society for the Neurobiology of Language (*SNL*), Quebec, Canada, August 16-18, 2018.
- SNL2018 Travel Award

2018

**Li, J.**, Fabre, M., Luh, W., & Hale, J. (2018). The Role of Syntax during Pronoun Resolution: Evidence from fMRI. Paper presented at the ACL Workshop on Cognitive Aspects of Computational Language Learning and Processing (*CogACLL*), Melbourne, Australia, July 19, 2018.

2018

**Li, J.**, Fabre, M., Luh, W., & Hale, J. (2018). Modeling Brain Activity Associated with Pronoun Resolution in English and Chinese. Paper presented at the NAACL Workshop on Computational Models of Reference, Anaphora, and Coreference (*CRAC*), New Orleans, USA, June 9, 2018.

2017

- **Li, J.**, Pallier, C., Yang, Y., & Hale, J. (2017). Neural correlates of semantic coherence in English and Chinese speakers during natural language comprehension. Poster presented at the Society for the Neurobiology of Language (*SNL*), Baltimore, USA, November 8-10, 2017.
- · SNL2017 Travel Award

2017

Hale, J., Bhattasali, S., Brennan, J., **Li, J.**, Luh, W., & Pallier, C. (2017). Localizing Structure-building and Memory Retrieval in Naturalistic Language Comprehension. Poster presented at the Society for the Neurobiology of Language (*SNL*), Baltimore, USA, November 8-10, 2017.

2016

**Li, J.**, Hale, J., Mahar, A., & Brennan, J. (2016). Temporal lobes as combinatory engines for both form and meaning. Poster presented at the Workshop on Computational Linguistics for Linguistic Complexity (*CL4LC*, *COLING*), Osaka, Japan, December 11, 2016.

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2016	Li, J., & Tilsen, S. (2016). Early prosodic manifestations of disfluency. Paper 1.	per
	presented at Speech Prosody, Boston, May 31-June 3, 2016.	

• IPA Student Award for Speech Prosody 2016

2016 Li, J., & Tilsen, S., Phonetic evidence for two types of disfluency. Paper presen-

ted at the Linguistic Society of America (LSA), Washington, USA, January 7-10,

2016.

2015 Li, J., & Tilsen, S., (2015). Phonetic evidence for two types of disfluency. Poster

presented at the 18th International Congress of Phonetic Sciences (ICPhS), Glas-

gow, UK, August 10-14, 2015.

2013 Li, J., Klemens, K., & Spence, C. (2013). Sonority, shape and size in sound sym-

bolism. Poster presented at the Linguistic Society of America (LSA), Boston, USA,

January 3-6, 2013.

2012 **Li, J.** (2012). "Root infinitives" in child Chinese. Paper presented at the 1st Work-

shop on Syntax and Semantics in China, Nanjing, China, June 16-17, 2012.

#### **TEACHING**

TA: PSYCH 4360: Language Development

Fall, 2016 Department of Human Development, Cornell University

Instructor: CHIN 2202: Intermediate Mandarin II

Spring, 2016 Department of Asian Studies, Cornell University

Instructor: CHIN 2202: Intermediate Mandarin II

Spring, 2015 Department of Asian Studies, Cornell University

Instructor: CHIN 2202: Intermediate Mandarin I

Fall, 2014 Department of Asian Studies, Cornell University

## SERVICE & MEMBERSHIP

Reviewer Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society (CogSci)

Member Cognitive Neuroscience Society

Society for the Neurobiology of Language Association for Computational Linguistics

Linguistic Society of America International Phonetic Association

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