

# Jupitara Ray

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## Experience

- Spring 2023 **Research Fellow, Boston University**  
Studying Control Structures in Assamese, P.I. Neil Myler, PhD
- Fall 2022 **Guest Lecture, Boston University**  
LX 301 Phonetics and Phonology: Introduction to Sound Systems  
Lecture on *Same same, but different: Sociophonetic variation of vowels in Assamese*
- Fall 2022 **Teaching Fellow, Boston University**  
LX 250 Introduction to Linguistics
- Spring 2022 **Research Fellow, Boston University**  
Intonation in a Saudi Arabic dialect, P.I. Jon Barnes, PhD
- Fall 2021 **Teaching Fellow, Boston University**  
LX 250 Introduction to Linguistics

## Education

- Expected 2025 **Doctor of Philosophy, Boston University**  
Linguistics
- 2017 - 2019 **Master of Arts, The English and Foreign Languages University**  
Linguistics  
Thesis: A/A bar Distinction in Assamese
- 2017 - 2018 **Diploma, The English and Foreign Languages University**  
Japanese Language and Literature
- 2016 - 2017 **Certificate of Proficiency, The English and Foreign Languages University**  
Japanese Language and Literature
- 2013 - 2016 **Bachelors of Arts, The English and Foreign Languages University**  
English Language and Literature

## Conferences

- May 2023 **Acoustical Society of America - 184th Meeting Chicago, IL**  
Poster: Acoustics Of Vowel Variation in Assamese  
**Ray, J.**
- November 2022 **The 47th Annual Boston University Conference of Language Development Boston, MA**  
Poster: Language-specific infant babbling patterns in Kabyle-Berber  
Gaoua, D., Kellogg, J., **Ray, J.**

## Conference Proceedings

Forthcoming 2023 Gaoua, D., Kellogg, J., **Ray, J.** (2023). Language-specific infant babbling patterns in Kabyle-Berber. *Proceedings of the 47th Boston University Conference of Language Development*. Cascadilla Publishing.

## Service

Fall 2023 **Co-Organizer**  
Boston University Conference on Language Development 48  
Fall 2022 **Sponsorship and Marketing Chair**  
Boston University Conference on Language Development 47

## Grants

Fall 2022 **Boston University, Department of Linguistics**  
Research Funding for Qualifying Paper II  
Fall 2021 **Boston University, Department of Linguistics**  
Research Funding for Qualifying Paper I

## Software Skills

Audacity  
ELAN  
FLEx  
L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X  
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## Languages

### Native - Advanced

Koch Rajbongshi [rkt]  
Assamese [asm]  
English [eng]  
Hindi [hin]

### Intermediate

Japanese [jpn]  
Bengali [ben]

### Beginner - Reading knowledge

French [fra]  
Korean [kor]  
German [deu]

### Research Knowledge

Kawam [kit]