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EDUCATION

Sep 2021–present **Doctor of Philosophy**
Linguistics, University of Toronto

Sep 2020–Aug 2021 **Master of Arts**
Linguistics, University of Toronto
Forum Paper: Directional motion event expression in Toronto Heritage Cantonese
Supervisor: Dr. Naomi Nagy

Sep 2019–Apr 2020 **Non-degree Studies (Undergraduate)**
University of Toronto Mississauga

Sep 2015–Jun 2019 **Honours Bachelor of Science (High Distinction)**
Specialist in Bioinformatics, Minor in Linguistic Studies
University of Toronto Mississauga
Dean's List (2017 Winter, 2018 Winter, 2019 Winter)

RESEARCH CONTRIBUTIONS

Journal publication

Troberg, Michelle & **Justin Leung**. 2021. On the unified change of directional/aspectual verb particles in French. *Journal of Historical Syntax* 5(40): 1–76.

Book chapter

Kiss, Angelika, Roger Yu-Hsiang Lo & **Leung, Justin R**. 2022 [under revision]. What do Cantonese sentence-final particles tell us about rhetorical questions? To appear in Anton Benz, Manfred Krifka, Tue Trinh & Kazuko Yatsushiro (eds.). Berlin: Language Science Press.

Conference proceeding

Leung, Justin. 2022 [in preparation]. Variation in path encoding in motion events in Toronto Heritage Cantonese. To be submitted to the *University of Pennsylvania Working Papers in Linguistics*.

Conference presentations

Diep, Brian, **Justin Leung** & Naomi Nagy. 2022 [accepted]. 邊啲人[naːn²³]啲？ (n-/l-) in Cantonese in Hong Kong and Toronto. Paper to be presented at the Fifth Forum on Cantonese Linguistics (FoCaL5), City University of Hong Kong, virtual, June 4.

Leung, Justin. 2022 [accepted]. Given the sack, yet promoted: Passivizable V-IO-DO constructions in Cantonese. Paper to be presented at the Canadian Linguistics Association (CLA) Annual Conference, virtual, June 1–4.

Leung, Justin, Brian Diep & Naomi Nagy. 2022 [accepted]. 'Lazy pronunciation' in Toronto Heritage Cantonese: The case of (n-/l-). Paper to be presented at the 6th Workshop on Innovations in Cantonese Linguistics (WICL-6), Ohio State University, virtual, May 27–28.

Leung, Justin. 2022. Ordering multiple adnominal adjectives in Lingala. Paper presented at the Montréal-Ottawa-Toronto-Hamilton Syntax Conference (MOTH), Université du Québec à Montréal, Montréal, April 22–23.

Leung, Justin. 2021. Variation in path encoding in motion events in Toronto Heritage Cantonese. Paper presented at the 49th meeting of New Ways of Analyzing Variation (NWAV 49), University of Texas at Austin, virtual, October 19–24.

Leung, Justin. 2021. Variation in directional motion event expression in Toronto Heritage Cantonese. Paper presented at the 33rd North American Conference on Chinese Linguistics (NACCL 33), University of Chicago, virtual, June 24–25.

Leung, Justin. 2021. Variation in directional motion event expression in Toronto Heritage Cantonese. Paper presented at the Fourth Forum on Cantonese Linguistics (FoCaL4), Hong Kong Baptist University, virtual, May 29.

Lo, Roger Yu-Hsiang, **Justin Leung** & Angelika Kiss. 2021. Perceiving rhetorical questions in Cantonese. Paper presented at the Fourth Forum on Cantonese Linguistics (FoCaL4), Hong Kong Baptist University, virtual, May 29.

Leung, Justin. 2021. The structure of directional motion events in Cantonese. Paper presented at the 8th Montreal-Ottawa-Toronto-Hamilton Syntax Conference (MOTH 8), McMaster University, virtual, April 19–20.

Troberg, Michelle & **Justin Leung**. 2020. On the uniform loss of Medieval French verb particles. Paper presented at the Canadian Linguistics Association (CLA) Annual Conference, virtual, May 30–June 1.

Leung, Justin. 2020. The unified loss of verb particles in Medieval French: a quantitative analysis. Paper presented at the 13th Toronto Undergraduate Linguistics Conference (TULCON13), University of Toronto, Toronto, March 7–8.

Leung, Justin. 2020. The unified loss of verb particles in Medieval French: a quantitative analysis. Paper presented at the 7th Scarborough Undergraduate Linguistics Conference (SULC), University of Toronto Scarborough, Toronto, February 28.

Workshop presentations

Leung, Justin. 2021. Ordering multiple adnominal adjectives in Lingala. Paper presented at the 13th Annual Linguistics Graduate Course Union (LGCU) Welcome Workshop, University of Toronto, virtual, November 5.

Kiss, Angelika, Roger Yu-Hsiang Lo, **Justin Richard Leung** & Maxime Alexandra Tulling. 2021. What do Cantonese sentence-final particles tell us about rhetorical questions? Paper presented at the workshop on Biased Questions: Experimental Results & Theoretical Modelling, Leibniz-Zentrum Allgemeine Sprachwissenschaft, virtual, February 4–5.

Leung, Justin. 2020. A quantitative approach to the loss of Medieval French verb particles. Paper presented at the 12th Annual Linguistics Graduate Course Union (LGCU) Welcome Workshop, University of Toronto, virtual, October 16.

Conference poster

Lo, Roger, Angelika Kiss & **Justin Leung**. 2021. Two types of rhetorical questions: Evidence from Cantonese prosody. Poster presented at the 95th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America (LSA), virtual, January 7–10.

TEACHING & TEACHING-RELATED EXPERIENCE
Teaching assistantships

Fall 2021 **LIN102** Introduction to Linguistics: Sentence Structure and Meaning
Department of Linguistics, University of Toronto
Instructors: Dr. Keir Moulton, Dr. Susana Béjar

Fall 2021 **LIN101** Introduction to Linguistics: Sound Structure
Department of Linguistics, University of Toronto
Instructor: Dr. Nathan Sanders

Winter 2021 **LIN204** English Grammar
Department of Linguistics, University of Toronto
Instructors: Heather Yawney, Emilia Melara

Fall 2020 **LIN203** English Words
Department of Linguistics, University of Toronto
Instructor: Dr. Marisa Brook

Study group facilitation

Winter 2019 **LIN101** Introduction to General Linguistics: The Sounds of Language
Department of Language Studies, University of Toronto Mississauga
Instructor: Dr. Jessamyn Schertz

Fall 2018 **LIN102** Introduction to General Linguistics: Words, Sentences, Their Structure and Meaning
Department of Language Studies, University of Toronto Mississauga
Instructor: Dr. Arsalan Kahnemuyipour

Winter 2018 **BIO207** Introductory Genetics
Department of Biology, University of Toronto Mississauga
Instructor: Dr. Jade Atallah

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2020–present **Research assistant**
Department of Linguistics, University of Toronto
Heritage Language Variation and Change in Toronto
Supervisor: Dr. Naomi Nagy

2021–2022 **Research assistant**
Department of Linguistics, University of Toronto
Tritransitive Constructions
Supervisor: Dr. M. Cristina Cuervo

2019–2021 **Research assistant**
Department of Language Studies, University of Toronto Mississauga
Supervisor: Dr. Michelle Troberg

SERVICE

[from Sep 2022] **Co-coordinator**
Language Variation and Change Research Group, University of Toronto

2021–present **Reviewer**
Toronto Working Papers in Linguistics (TWPL), University of Toronto

2020–present	**Committee member**
	Linguistics Graduate Course Union (LGCU) website committee, University of Toronto
2014–present	**Contributor (autopatrolled) and administrator**
	English Wiktionary

- Create and edit entries for Chinese (including but not limited to Mandarin, Yue, Hakka and Southern Min) and several Chinese minority languages (Zhuang, Bouyei and Hlai).
- Create synonym tables to show dialectal variation within the varieties of Chinese.
- Maintain pronunciation modules (Lua) for various lects in the Sinitic and Kra-Dai families.
- Administrator since 2017; maintain integrity of the dictionary by patrolling edits, protecting pages with excessive vandalism, blocking disruptive editors and managing requests for deletion or verification.

AWARDS

2022	**SSHRC Doctoral Fellowship** [$80 000]
	University of Toronto
2020	**Canada Graduate Scholarship—Master's (SSHRC)** [$17 500]
	University of Toronto
2020	**Scarborough Undergraduate Linguistics Conference, 3rd place** [$100]
	University of Toronto Scarborough
2018	**Trenwith Computer Science Award** [$1107.36]
	University of Toronto Mississauga
2016	**Lawrence V. Redman Prize in Chemistry (Erindale)** [$100]
	University of Toronto Mississauga
2015	**University of Toronto Mississauga Entrance Scholarship** [$3000]
	University of Toronto Mississauga
2015	**University of Toronto Scholar** [$6000]
	University of Toronto

LANGUAGES

English (native), Yue (native/heritage in Cantonese, beginner in Taishanese), Mandarin (advanced), French (intermediate), Southern Min (intermediate in Taiwanese/Hokkien, beginner in Teochew), Hakka (intermediate in Sixian), Vietnamese (beginner), Haitian Creole (beginner), Lingala (fieldwork)

SKILLS

Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint), programming (Python, R, Lua, Java, Racket), ELAN, Praat, markup (LaTeX, Wikitext, Markdown), website construction/maintenance (Squarespace, basic HTML, CSS), image editing (Photoshop, GIMP, Inkscape), video editing (iMovie)