

Lacey Wade

Curriculum Vitae

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Professional Appointments

- 2023– **Assistant Professor**, *University of Kansas*, Department of Linguistics.
2022–2023 **Lecturer**, *University of Pennsylvania*, Department of Linguistics.
2020–2022 **Postdoctoral Researcher**, *University of Pennsylvania*, Department of Linguistics.
Language Variation and Cognition Lab
PI: Meredith Tamminga

Education

- 2020 **Ph.D. in Linguistics**, *University of Pennsylvania*.
Dissertation: Linguistic Convergence toward Southern Speech
Committee: Meredith Tamminga (supervisor), David Embick, Gareth Roberts
2015 **M.A. in Sociolinguistics**, *North Carolina State University*.
Thesis: The Role of Production in Perception of Vowel Merger
Advisor: Erik Thomas
2012 **B.A. in English, Minor in Linguistics**, *Youngstown State University*.
2012 **Study Abroad**, *Center for Management and India Studies*, Bangalore, India.

Research Funding

- 2019–2021 NSF Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant (BCS-1917900), “*Linguistic accommodation to southern speech*”, Co-PI, with Meredith Tamminga, \$17,136.
2018–2019 UPenn Social and Behavioral Sciences Initiative Small Grant Award, “*Convergence task replication with perceptual learning component*”, \$1,800.

Peer-Reviewed Publications

- Under Revision **Lacey Wade**, David Embick, & Meredith Tamminga, Dialect experience modulates cue reliance in sociolinguistic convergence, Under Revision for *Glossa: Psycholinguistics*.
2022 **Lacey Wade**, Experimental evidence for expectation-driven linguistic convergence, *Language* 98(1). [LINK].
2022 Meredith Tamminga & **Lacey Wade**, Coherence across social and temporal scales, *The Coherence of Linguistic Communities: Orderly Heterogeneity and Social Meaning (Routledge Studies in Sociolinguistics)*, Karen V. Beaman & Gregory R. Guy (Eds.). [LINK].

- 2022 Wei Lai, **Lacey Wade** & Meredith Tamminga, Individual differences in simultaneous perceptual compensation for coarticulatory and lexical cues, *Linguistics Vanguard*. [LINK].
- 2021 **Lacey Wade**, Wei Lai & Meredith Tamminga, The reliability of individual differences in VOT imitation, *Language and Speech* 64(3). [LINK].
- 2020 Meredith Tamminga, Robert Wilder, Wei Lai & **Lacey Wade**, Perceptual learning, talker specificity, and sound change, *Papers in Historical Phonology* 4(90). [LINK].
- 2020 **Lacey Wade**, & Gareth Roberts, Linguistic convergence to observed vs. expected behavior in an alien-language map task, *Cognitive Science* 44(4). [LINK].
- 2017 **Lacey Wade**, The role of duration in the perception of vowel merger, *Laboratory Phonology* 8(1):30. [LINK].

Other Publications

- To Appear Lena Abirou, Aly Kerrigan, Jay Michell, and **Lacey Wade**, Novel and changing social evaluations of all-lowercase and exclamation points, *Penn Working Papers in Linguistics* 28(1): Proceedings from PLC.
- 2022 **Lacey Wade**, What makes us subconsciously mimic the accents of others in conversation., *The Conversation* May 20, 2022.
- 2015 **Lacey Wade**, Multiple Mergers: Production and Perception of Three Pre-/l/ Mergers in Youngstown, OH., *Penn Working Papers in Linguistics* 21(2): Proceedings from NWAV.

Volumes Edited

- 2018 **Lacey Wade** and Jordan Kodner, Eds., University of Pennsylvania Working Papers in Linguistics: Selected papers from NWAV 46., 24(2).

Conference Talks

- 2023 Lena Abirou, Alexandra Kerrigan, Jay Michell & **Lacey Wade**, Novel and changing social evaluations of all-lowercase and exclamation points, Paper to be presented at *Penn Linguistics Conference* 47, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2023 Bill Haddican, Marcel den Dikken, **Lacey Wade** & Meredith Tamminga, Particle verbs prime double object constructions, Poster presented at *Linguistic Society of America Annual Meeting*, Denver, CO.
- 2022 **Lacey Wade**, Growing experience and changing sociolinguistic knowledge, “Project Launch” paper presented at *New Ways of Analyzing Variation* 50, Stanford University.
- 2021 Meredith Tamminga & **Lacey Wade**, A hierarchical clustering approach to continuing and reversing sound changes, Paper presented at *New Ways of Analyzing Variation* 49, University of Texas at Austin.
- 2021 **Lacey Wade**, The role of dialect background in expectation-driven shifts in perception and production, Paper presented at *New Ways of Analyzing Variation* 49, University of Texas at Austin.

- 2020 **Lacey Wade**, Speakers converge toward variants they haven't heard: The case of Southern monophthongal /ay/, Paper presented at *Linguistic Society of America Annual Meeting*, New Orleans, LA.
- 2019 Meredith Tamminga, **Lacey Wade** & Wei Lai, The search for predictors of individual differences in VOT imitation, Paper presented at *New Ways of Analyzing Variation 48*, Eugene, OR.
- 2019 **Lacey Wade** & Gareth Roberts, Accommodation to observed vs. expected behavior in a laboratory experiment, Paper presented at *New Ways of Analyzing Variation 48*, Eugene, OR.
- 2019 **Lacey Wade** & Gareth Roberts, Accommodation to observed vs. expected behavior in an alien language, Paper presented at *Meaning in Flux 2019*, New Haven, CT.
- 2018 Meredith Tamminga, **Lacey Wade** & Wei Lai, Stability and variability in phonetic flexibility, Paper presented at *Linguistic Society of America Annual Meeting 2018*, Salt Lake City, UT.
- 2017 **Lacey Wade**, Do speakers converge toward variants they haven't heard?, Paper presented at *New Ways of Analyzing Variation 46*, Madison, WI.
- 2016 **Lacey Wade**, Phonetic vs. contextual cues in communication between merged and unmerged speakers, Paper presented at *New Ways of Analyzing Variation 45*, Vancouver, BC.
- 2016 **Lacey Wade**, The role of duration in perception of vowel merger, Poster presented at *Sociolinguistic Variation and Language Processing*, Virginia Tech.
- 2015 **Lacey Wade**, The role of duration in perception of vowel merger, Paper presented at *New Ways of Analyzing Variation 44*, Toronto, ON.
- 2015 **Lacey Arnold**, Production and perception among three competing pre-/l/ mergers in Youngstown, OH, Poster presented at *Acoustical Society of America*, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 2014 **Lacey Arnold**, Multiple mergers: Production and perception of three competing pre-/l/ mergers in Youngstown, OH, Paper presented at *New Ways of Analyzing Variation 43*, Chicago, IL.
- 2014 **Lacey Arnold**, Production and perception of the pre-lateral, non-low, back vowel merger in Youngstown, OH, Paper presented at *South East Conference On Linguistics 81*, Myrtle Beach.
- 2014 **Lacey Arnold**, Production and perception of the pre-lateral, non-low, back vowel merger in Youngstown, OH, Paper presented at *UNC Chapel Hill Spring Colloquium*.

Invited Talks

- Spring 2023 **Lacey Wade**, Expectations, Experience, and Convergence, Invited Talk, University of California San Diego.
- Spring 2023 **Lacey Wade**, Expectations, Experience, and Phonetic Convergence, Invited Talk, University of Kansas.

- Spring 2023 **Lacey Wade**, Expectations, Experience, and Linguistic Convergence, Invited Talk, Illinois State University.
- Spring 2022 **Lacey Wade**, Experimental Evidence for Expectation-Driven Linguistic Convergence, “Meet the Author” webinar, Linguistic Society of America.
- Spring 2022 **Lacey Wade**, Expectations, Experience, and Phonetic Convergence, Invited Talk, Harvard University.
- Spring 2022 **Lacey Wade**, How are stereotypes formed (and altered) in interaction?, Sociolinguistics Seminar Talk, Stanford University.
- Spring 2022 **Lacey Wade**, Expectations, Experience, and Sociolinguistic Knowledge, Invited Talk, Stanford University.
- Spring 2021 **Lacey Wade**, Using linguistic convergence to probe the mental representation of sociolinguistic knowledge, Invited Talk, University of York.
- Fall 2020 **Lacey Wade**, What makes an accent “good” or “bad”?, Big Ideas for Strange Times lecture series, Penn Arts & Sciences.
- Fall 2019 **Lacey Wade**, The role of sociolinguistic expectations in linguistic convergence, Invited Talk, University at Buffalo.
- Spring 2019 **Lacey Wade**, Speakers converge to linguistic variants they don’t hear: The case of the Southern /ay/ vowel, Social and Behavioral Sciences Initiative Brownbag, University of Pennsylvania.
- Fall 2018 **Lacey Wade**, 60-Second Lecture, Social and Behavioral Sciences Initiative launch party, University of Pennsylvania.

Teaching Positions

Summer -23	LSA Summer Institute: Language, Social Stereotypes, and Cognition	<i>Instructor</i>
Spring 2023	LING0001: Intro to Linguistics (UPenn)	<i>Instructor</i>
Spring 2023	LING0600: Intro to Sociolinguistics (UPenn)	<i>Instructor</i>
Fall 2022	LING3640/5640: Experimental Sociolinguistics (UPenn)	<i>Instructor</i>
Fall 2022	LING0060: Language & Social Identity (UPenn)	<i>Instructor</i>
Summer -22	LING0600: Intro to Sociolinguistics (UPenn)	<i>Instructor</i>
Fall 2017	LING0001: Intro to Linguistics (2 sections) (UPenn)	<i>Recitation Instructor</i>
Spring 2017	LING0600: Intro to Sociolinguistics (UPenn)	<i>Recitation Instructor</i>
Fall 2016	LING300: Tutorial in Linguistics (UPenn)	<i>Teaching Assistant</i>
Spring 2015	ENG101: Academic Writing and Research (NC State)	<i>Instructor</i>
Fall 2014	ENG101: Academic Writing and Research (NC State)	<i>Instructor</i>
Spring 2014	ENG101: Academic Writing and Research (NC State)	<i>Teaching Assistant</i>
2013-2015	Educational Enrichment	<i>Tutor</i>
2011-2013	YSU Writing Center	<i>Tutor</i>

Invited Guest Lectures

- Spring 2022 “Experimental Sociolinguistics.” Course: Language Variation and Change. Instructor: Meredith Tamminga, *University of Pennsylvania*.
- Spring 2022 3-day “Sociolinguistics” lecture series. Course: Language in its Contexts. Instructor: Irina Monich, *Princeton University*.
- Fall 2019 “Experimental Methods in Sociolinguistics.” Course: Experimental Approaches in Language. Instructor: Gareth Roberts, *University of Pennsylvania*.
- Fall 2019 “Research in Sociolinguistics.” Course: Tutorial in Linguistics. Instructor: Julie Legate, *University of Pennsylvania*.
- Spring 2018 “Experimental Methods in Sociolinguistics.” Course: Introduction to Sociolinguistics. Instructor: Meredith Tamminga, *University of Pennsylvania*.
- Fall 2017 “Experimental Methods in Sociolinguistics.” Course: Experimental Approaches in Language. Instructor: Gareth Roberts, *University of Pennsylvania*.
- Fall 2017 “Levels of a Dialect.” Course: Language and Social Identity in the U.S. Instructor: Betsy Sneller, *University of Pennsylvania*.

--- Student Supervision and Mentoring

Graduate Student Research

- 2022-23 **Xin Gao**, *Independent Study supervisor (UPenn)*: , Explicit and implicit associations of linguistic variable with social meaning in context.
- 2022-23 **Razia Husain**, *Doctoral Dissertation mentor (NC State)*: *Stereotyping and Discrimination in Hiring: A Language-based Approach*.
- 2022 **Xin Gao**, *Qualifying Paper mentor (UPenn)*: *Effect of social label and language experiences on the perception of nasal codas in Mandarin*.
- 2021-22 **Aini Li**, *Doctoral Dissertation mentor (UPenn)*: *Can phonological variants in production be primed?*.

Undergraduate Student Research

- 2021 **Clark Buchman**, *LING300 Research Project*: *The low back merger in Baltimore, Maryland*.
- 2021 **Christine Lugrine**, *Honor's Thesis*: */ay/ monophthongization in Philadelphia: a perception and production analysis*.
- 2020 **Sarah Horwitz**, *Research Project*: *Factors involved in limited convergence to an interviewer in (ING) variation*.
- 2020 **Ellie Hoffman**, *LING300 Research Project/University Scholars Research Project*: *The social evaluation of vocal fry*.
- 2018 **Joseph (Will) Butkiewicz**, *Honor's Thesis*: *A case study of Northeastern Pennsylvania English*.

Undergraduate Research Assistants

- 2021 **Drey Diggs**, *UPenn Summer Research Experience for Undergraduates RA*, funded by the NSF.
- 2019-21 **Sadie Butcher**, *RA for NSF Grant: Doctoral Dissertation Research: Linguistic Accommodation to Southern Speech*, PIs: Lacey Wade and Meredith Tamminga.
- 2019-20 **Leila Pearlman**, *RA for NSF Grant: Doctoral Dissertation Research: Linguistic Accommodation to Southern Speech*, PIs: Lacey Wade and Meredith Tamminga.
- 2019 **Kelsey Lane**, *RA for NSF Grant: Cognitive Characteristics of the Leaders of Sound Change*, PI: Meredith Tamminga.
- 2017-18 **Dylan Zuniga Cardenas**, *RA for NSF Grant: Cognitive Characteristics of the Leaders of Sound Change*, PI: Meredith Tamminga.
- 2017 **John McGahay**, *RA for Research Project: Accommodation to Southern Monophthongal /ay/*.
- 2017 **Talia Beck**, *RA for NSF Grant: Cognitive Characteristics of the Leaders of Sound Change*, PI: Meredith Tamminga.

Undergraduate Professional Development Mentoring

- 2020 **Christina Dicindio**, *MindCORE Step-Ahead Mentorship Program (STAMP)*.

Professional Development in Pedagogy and Mentorship

- 2020 MindCORE Step-Ahead Mentorship Program (STAMP) Workshop, *University of Pennsylvania*, Oct. 8, 2020.
- 2016 Center for Teaching and Learning (CTL) Workshop: Motivating your students to do the reading (and do it well), *University of Pennsylvania*, Oct. 12, 2016.
- 2016 Center for Teaching and Learning (CTL) TA Training Workshop, *University of Pennsylvania*, Aug. 24-25, 2016.
- 2014 ENG624 Pedagogy Course: Teaching College Composition, *North Carolina State University*, Fall Semester, 2014.
- 2014 Pedagogy Preparation Workshop, *North Carolina State University*, May 12-16, 2014.
- 2014 Global Training Initiative (GTI) International Cultural Leadership Workshop Series, *North Carolina State University*, Spring Semester, 2014.
- 2013 ENG511 Pedagogy Course: Theory and Research in Composition, *North Carolina State University*, Fall Semester, 2013.

Research Positions

- 2017-2019 NSF Grant (BCS-1627972), “*Cognitive Characteristics of the Leaders of Language Change*”, Graduate Research Assistant for PI Meredith Tamminga.

Awards

2017–2018	Dean’s Scholar Award	<i>University of Pennsylvania</i>
2017–2018	Fishman Fellowship	<i>University of Pennsylvania</i>
2015–2020	Benjamin Franklin Fellowship	<i>University of Pennsylvania</i>
2017	SASGov Research Travel Grant	<i>University of Pennsylvania</i>
2016	GAPSA Research Travel Grant	<i>University of Pennsylvania</i>
2016	SASGov Research Travel Grant	<i>University of Pennsylvania</i>
2013	“Tutor of the Year” Award	<i>East Central Writing Centers Association</i>
2012	Gilman International Scholarship	<i>Study Abroad Funding</i>
2012	M. Virginia Hare Award	<i>Youngstown State University</i>
2011	Hare Award for Critical Writing	<i>Youngstown State University</i>

Reviewing

Journals	<i>Language</i> (2022-23), <i>Laboratory Phonology</i> (2020–2023), <i>Research Methods in Applied Linguistics</i> (2023) <i>Language and Speech</i> (2022), <i>Open Mind: Discoveries in Cognitive Science</i> (2022), <i>Psychology of Language and Communication</i> (2022), <i>Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research</i> (2021), <i>Cognition</i> (2020).
Conferences	Penn Linguistics Conference (2018–2022).

Professional Service

2022–	ILST/SCEW Workshop “Language, Stereotypes & Social Cognition”	<i>Organizer</i>
2020–	MindCORE’s Step-Ahead Mentorship Program (STAMP)	<i>Mentor</i>
2017–2018	Penn Working Papers in Linguistics Vol. 24.2	<i>Co-Editor</i>
2017–2018	Penn Variation Reading Group	<i>Organizer</i>
2015–2017	Penn Linguistics Conference	<i>Organizing Committee</i>
2015–2017	Penn Working Papers in Linguistics	<i>Editorial Board</i>
2015–2016	Penn Graduate Linguistics Society	<i>Treasurer</i>
2014–2015	NCSU Association for English Graduate Students	<i>President</i>
2013–2015	NCSU Linguistics Colloquia	<i>Coordinator</i>
2013–2014	NCSU Association for English Graduate Students	<i>Vice President</i>
2013–2014	NCSU University Graduate Students Association	<i>Representative</i>

Languages

Spanish (Intermediate), Tagalog (Research)

Software/Programming

Proficient	R, Praat, PennController(PCibex), PsychoPy, FAVE, L ^A T _E X
Basic	JavaScript, Python, CSS, HTML, Bash, AWS