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## EDUCATION

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current	Ph.D. in LINGUISTICS at UC BERKELEY	Berkeley, CA
fall 2019	B.A. in LINGUISTICS at BROWN UNIVERSITY	Providence, RI
	<i>magna cum laude</i> · honors · Sigma Xi	
	thesis: THE MORPHOPHONOLOGY OF A'INGAE VERBAL STRESS.	
	advisor: Scott AnderBois	
	B.A. in LOGIC at BROWN UNIVERSITY	
	advisor: Joshua Schechter	

## PUBLICATIONS

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- sumb. A'INGAE (SUCUMBÍOS, ECUADOR).
- sumb. A CASE FOR COPHONOLOGY THEORY. A'INGAE VERBAL STRESS.
- in press THE APPREHENSIONAL DOMAIN IN A'INGAE (COFÁN), as first author, with Scott AnderBois. In an untitled volume on apprehensive and precautioning markers. Ed. by Marine Vuillermet, Martina Faller, and Eva Schultze Berndt. *Studies in Diversity Linguistics*. Language Science Press.
- in press THE MORPHOPHONOLOGY OF A'INGAE VERBAL STRESS. In: *Proceedings of the 38th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics*. Ed. by Rachel Soo, Daniel Reisinger, and Katie Martin. Cascadilla Press.
- in press A'INGAE =SA'NE 'APPR' AND THE SEMANTIC TYPOLOGY OF APPREHENSIONAL ADJUNCTS, as equal author, with Scott AnderBois. In: *Proceedings of the 30th Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference*. Linguistic Society of America.
- 2018 A WITTGENSTEINIAN LOOK ON VAGUENESS. *Ivy League Undergraduate Research Journal* 1. Ivy League Undergraduate Research Symposium.
- 2017 YUCATECAN CONTROL AND LEXICAL CATEGORIES IN SBCG. In: *Proceedings of the 24th International Conference on Head-Driven Phrase Structure Grammar*. Ed. by Stefan Müller. CSLI Publications, pp. 162–178.
- 2017 AN END AND A BEGINNING. Translation of the poem *KONIEC I POCZĄTEK* by Wisława Szymborska. *Aldus, a Journal of Translation* 8, pp. 6–11.
- 2017 THREE THINGS MOST CURIOUS. Translation of the poem *TRZY RZECZY NAJDIWNIJSZE* by Wisława Szymborska. *Aldus, a Journal of Translation* 8, pp. 12–13.

PRESENTATIONS

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- in prep. MORPHOLOGICAL DOMAINS AND IDIOSYNCRASIES IN A'INGAE STRESS. Poster presented at the phonological symposium of Amazônicas VIII, Federal University of Goiás, Goiânia, Brazil.
- in prep. Invited talk presented at the Syntax and Semantics Circle (SSCircle), University of California, Berkeley.
- 2021 EVIDENCE OF ACCURATE LOGICAL REASONING IN ONLINE SENTENCE COMPREHENSION. Paper (regular talk) presented at the 34th CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.
- 2021 A'INGAE LANGUAGE DOCUMENTATION PROJECT AND U KOORPUSIL MAAYA T'AAN. TWO CORPORA IN LINGVIEW, A WEB INTERFACE FOR VIEWING ELAN AND FLEX FILES. Invited talk presented at the Fieldwork Forum (FForum), University of California, Berkeley.
- 2021 STRESS IN PARAGUAYAN GUARANI. Invited talk presented at the Phonetics and Phonology Forum (Phorum), University of California, Berkeley.
- 2020 GLOTTAL FEET IN A'INGAE. Talk presented at the Zoom Phonology Group, University of California, Berkeley and Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.
- 2020 A'INGAE =SA'NE 'APPR' AND THE SEMANTIC TYPOLOGY OF APPREHENSIONAL ADJUNCTS, as equal author, with Scott AnderBois. Paper presented at the 30th Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY.
- 2020 THE MORPHOPHONOLOGY OF A'INGAE VERBAL STRESS. Paper presented at the 38th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics, University of British Columbia, Vancouver.
- 2019 A'INGAE SYLLABIC WEIGHT AND ITS TWO DIMENSIONS IN LEXICAL STRESS ASSIGNMENT. Honors thesis presented at Brown University, Providence, RI.
- 2019 HEAVY FEET AND GLOTTAL STOPS IN A'INGAE. Paper presented at the 9th Conference on Indigenous Languages of Latin America, University of Texas at Austin.
- 2019 COFÁN VERB STRESS. Talk presented at the BRC Science Olympiad Symposium, Brown University, Providence, RI.
- 2017 A'INGAE LANGUAGE DOCUMENTATION, as equal author, with Justin Bai, Kalinda Pride, and Nicholas Tomlin. Poster presented at Summer Research Symposium, Brown University, Providence, RI.
- 2017 YUCATECAN CONTROL AND LEXICAL CATEGORIES IN SBCG. Paper presented at the 24th International Conference on Head-Driven Phrase Structure Grammar, University of Kentucky, Lexington.
- 2017 YUCATEC MAYA IN SBCG: A FRAGMENT, with Justin Bai, Kalinda Pride, and Nicholas Tomlin. Paper presented at the 24th International Conference on Head-Driven Phrase Structure Grammar, University of Kentucky, Lexington.

HONORS AND AWARDS

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- 2020 Berkeley Graduate Division's BERKELEY FELLOWSHIP FOR GRADUATE STUDY
- 2019 Brown University Cognitive, Linguistic, and Psychological Sciences Department's PREMIUM FOR EXCELLENCE IN LINGUISTICS for outstanding research and scholarship

- 2019 associate member of SIGMA XI, the Scientific Research Honor Society (elected)
- 2019 ROYCE FELLOWSHIP for *A'INGAE LANGUAGE PRESERVATION*, an independent language research and documentation project in the indigenous community of Sinangoé, Sucumbíos, Ecuador
- 2018 DAVIS UNITED WORLD COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP to participate in Semester at Sea, a global shipboard comparative studies program
- 2017 member of COLLEGIUM INVISIBLE, a Polish academic society that affiliates outstanding students with distinguished scholars in the spirit of liberal arts education (elected)
- 2017 Brown University's UNDERGRADUATE TEACHING AND RESEARCH AWARD for *KOFÁN LANGUAGE DOCUMENTATION: BUILDING A MULTI-PURPOSE TEXT COLLECTION*, an interdisciplinary project to develop a corpus of traditional and contemporary A'ingae narratives
- 2016 PRETZEL EMOJI 🥨 proposal accepted for Unicode 10.0, with Justin Bai at the Emojicon, San Francisco, CA
- 2014 first prize in the NA'VI WRITING CONTEST in category Advanced Prose

#### EMPLOYMENT

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##### A'INGAE LANGUAGE DOCUMENTATION PROJECT

Brown University, Providence, RI

##### LAB MANAGER

*spring – summer 2020*

- trained 9 undergraduate research assistants in data collection and linguistic analysis
- coordinated a Yucatec Maya language documentation project with a 6-person team at the Eastern University in Valladolid, Yucatán
- analyzed a corpus of traditional and contemporary narratives in A'ingae deposited with ELDP
- managed the development and implementation of LINGVIEW, a web interface for viewing multilingual audiovisual materials for community members and researchers
- managed A'INGAE LANGUAGE DOCUMENTATION PROJECT, an online corpus of annotated audiovisual materials in A'ingae for community members and researchers
- managed U KOORPUSIL MAAYA T'AAN (UNO-BROWN), an online corpus of annotated audiovisual materials in Yucatec Maya for community members and researchers

##### BROWN LANGUAGE AND THOUGHT LAB

Brown University, Providence, RI

##### RESEARCHER

*spring – summer 2020*

- designed and implemented a research project on processing of logical vocabulary in self-paced reading tasks

#### TEACHING

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##### INTRODUCTION TO LINGUISTICS

Collegium Invisibile, Cracow, Poland

##### INSTRUCTOR

*summer 2019*

- designed a short course on phonetics, phonology, and historical linguistics
- taught 4 winners of national high-school academic Olympiads

## FIELDWORK

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### PARAGUAYAN GUARANÍ (Tupian)

ADVANCED LINGUISTIC FIELD METHODS CLASS

*fall 2020 – spring 2021 · Berkeley, CA*

- described and analyzed the syntax and semantics of possession
- described and analyzed metrical stress and its interactions with agglutinating morphology

### A'INGAE (or COFÁN, isolate)

- ongoing research on semantics and the interfaces of phonology

*spring 2017 – current*

ROYCE FELLOW

*summer 2019 · Sinangoé, Sucumbíos, Ecuador*

- recorded texts and trained 2 native speaker research assistants in language documentation
- collected data on verbal morphology, stress, and semantics of apprehension

BROWN UTRA RECIPIENT

*summer 2017 · Dureno, Sucumbíos, Ecuador*

- conducted community workshops on data collection, transcription, and translation

LINGUISTIC FIELD METHODS CLASS

*spring 2017 · Providence, RI*

- researched syntax and semantics of shape classifiers and subordinate clauses

## LANGUAGE DOCUMENTATION

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### A'INGAE FIELD MATERIALS

*collection 2020-19 · California Language Archive*

- deposited over 14h of audiovisual recordings of traditional and contemporary narratives,
- including 2h30 of transcribed and translated material

## SERVICE

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### AD-HOC REVIEWER

- 2020 An untitled volume on apprehensive and precautioning markers. Ed. by Marine Vuillermet, Martina Faller, and Eva Schultze Berndt. *Studies in Diversity Linguistics*. Language Science Press.

### LINGUISTICS DEPARTMENT UNDERGRADUATE GROUP

Brown University, Providence, RI

#### LEADER

*fall 2017 – fall 2019*

- advised undergraduate Linguistics majors by identifying professional opportunities
- connected Linguistic majors with alumni working in the industry
- promoted the visibility of linguistics at Brown University's Concentration Fairs
- organized linguistics- and language-themed social events

## AFFILIATIONS

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2020 COGNITIVE SCIENCE SOCIETY, a member

2019 LINGUISTIC SOCIETY OF AMERICA, a student member

2017 COLLEGIUM INVISIBLE, a Polish academic society that affiliates outstanding students with distinguished scholars in the spirit of liberal arts education, an elected member

OTHER

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SKILLS	L <sup>A</sup> T <sub>E</sub> X, Fieldworks Language Explorer (FLEX), Praat, ELAN, Arbil, and Ibex; intermediate knowledge of R, Python, LAMUS, and GIMP
LANGUAGES	Polish (native), English (professional), Spanish (professional), Na'vi (intermediate), A'ingae (fieldwork), Paraguayan Guaraní (current fieldwork)
INTERESTS	psychology of religion, conlanging, historical reenactment, horror movies