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PHD STUDENT · GENERAL LINGUISTICS

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Education

Charles University (CUNI)

PHD IN GENERAL LINGUISTICS

Prague

Oct 2021 - present

- Advisor: Radek Šimík
- Department of Linguistics
- Thesis topic: Modeling the question–statement opposition in Russian and other Slavic languages

Masaryk University (MUNI)

MA IN GENERAL LINGUISTICS

Brno

Feb 2019 - Sep 2021

- Advisor: Mojmír Dočekal
- Department of Linguistics and Baltic Languages

Masaryk University (MUNI)

BA IN GENERAL LINGUISTICS

Brno

Sep 2015 - Jan 2019

- Advisor: Mojmír Dočekal
- Department of Linguistics and Baltic Languages

Professional Experience

Visiting Research Assistant

HUMBOLDT UNIVERSITY OF BERLIN

Berlin

Oct 2024 - present

- Department of Slavic and Hungarian Studies
- DAAD scholarship and CRC 1412 Register fellowship

Intern

LEIBNIZ-ZENTRUM ALLGEMEINE SPRACHWISSENSCHAFT

Berlin

Oct 2024 - Feb 2025

- FB4 Language Development and Multilingualism

Research Assistant

CHARLES UNIVERSITY

Prague

Oct 2021 - Oct 2024

- Institute of Czech Language and Theory of Communication
- PhD project; Czech Science Foundation 21-31488J grant

Process Executive

INFOSYS BPO

Brno

May 2019 - Aug 2021

- IT Help Desk Support for Reckitt
- full and part-time

Publications

PUBLISHED

Onoeva, Maria & Anna Staňková. 2025. Polar questions in Russian and Czech: An exploratory spoken corpus investigation. In Berit Gehrke, Denisa Lenertová, Daria Seres, Roland Meyer, Luka Szucsich & Joanna Zaleska (eds.), *Advances in formal Slavic Linguistics 2022*, Language Science Press. <https://langsci-press.org/catalog/book/481>

Onoeva, Maria, Anna Staňková & Radek Šimík (eds.). 2023. *Proceedings of Sinn und Bedeutung 27*, vol. 27. Prague: Charles University. <https://ojs.ub.uni-konstanz.de/sub/index.php/sub/issue/view/31>

Dočekal, Mojmir, Lucia Vlášková & **Maria Onoeva**. 2023. Degree achievements from a Slavic perspective. In Petr Biskup, Marcel Börner, Olav Mueller-Reichau & Iuliia Shcherbina (eds.), *Advances in formal Slavic linguistics 2021* Open Slavic Linguistics, Berlin: Language Science Press. <https://langsci-press.org/catalog/book/411>

Onoeva, Maria. 2021. *Inferential behavior of degree achievements: an experimental study*. Masaryk University, Faculty of Arts. MA thesis, supervisor: doc. PhDr. Mojmir Dočekal, Ph.D. <https://theses.cz/id/me1ltj/>

Onoeva, Maria. 2019. *Semantics of classifiers: an experimental study*. Masaryk University, Faculty of Arts. BA thesis, supervisor: doc. PhDr. Mojmir Dočekal, Ph.D. <https://theses.cz/id/8s0owj/>

IN REVIEW

Razguliaeva, Mariia, **Maria Onoeva**, Radek Šimík, Roland Meyer & Kateřina Hrdinková. submitted. Polar question meaning in Slavic: Visual world eye-tracking evidence, *Glossa Psycholinguistics*

IN PREP

Onoeva, Maria & Mariia Razguliaeva. in prep. Intonation and polarity sensitive indefinites in Russian polar questions.

Onoeva, Maria. in prep. On interrogative, declarative and imperative uses of Russian discourse particle *čto li*: are they the same *čto li*?

Awards, Fellowships & Grants

GRANTS

2024 **Cooperacio: travel grant to SinFonJA 17 (Nova Gorica)**, Charles University, Faculty of Arts

2024 **Cooperacio: financial support of international activities**, Charles University, Faculty of Arts

2024-2025 **One-Year Grant for Doctoral Candidates: Deconstructing Russian polar questions**, German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)

2021-2024 **Modelling the question-statement opposition in Slavic languages (QueSlav)**, Czech Science Foundation 21-31488J

2023 **Supporting student mobility abroad - short-term stays**, POINT/a/2023-1-132 (CUNI)

2021 **Comparative and Typological Linguistic Research on the Categories of Degree and Number (KoTyLin)**, MUNI/A/1288/2020

FELLOWSHIPS

2025-2025 **Fellowship at Collaborative Research Centre 1412 Register**, Humboldt University of Berlin

AWARDS

2025 **CUNI scholarship for excellent study results 2023/2024**, Charles University, Faculty of Arts

2024 **CUNI scholarship for excellent study results 2022/2023**, Charles University, Faculty of Arts

2019 **MUNI scholarship for gifted students from third countries**, Masaryk University

Presentations

Onoeva, Maria & Mariia Razguliaeva. 2025. Intonation and polarity sensitive indefinites in Russian polar questions. Oral presentation: Polar Question Meaning[s] Across Languages 2, Amsterdam.

- Onoeva, Maria** & Mariia Razguliaeva. 2025. Intonation and polarity sensitive indefinites in Russian polar questions. Oral presentation: ZAS semantic circle, Berlin.
- Onoeva, Maria** & Mariia Razguliaeva. 2024. Indefinites and intonation in Russian polar questions. Oral presentation: Formal Description of Slavic Languages 17 (FDSL 17), Brno.
- Onoeva, Maria**. 2024. On interrogative, declarative and imperative uses of Russian discourse particle *čto li*: are they the same *čto li*? Oral presentation: 17th conference on Syntax, Phonology and Language Analysis (SinFonJA 17), Nova Gorica.
- Razguliaeva, Mariia, **Maria Onoeva**, Kateřina Hrdinková, Radek Šimík & Roland Meyer. 2024. Polar question meaning in Slavic: Visual world eye-tracking evidence. Oral presentation: Psycholinguistics of Slavic Languages (PsychoSlav 2024), Wrocław.
- Razguliaeva, Mariia, **Maria Onoeva**, Kateřina Hrdinková, Radek Šimík & Roland Meyer. 2024. Polar question meaning in Slavic: Visual world eye-tracking evidence. Colloquium presentation: Psycholinguistik-Kolloquium, Berlin and online.
- Onoeva, Maria**. 2024. On interrogative, declarative and imperative uses of Russian discourse particle *čto li*: are they the same *čto li*? Oral presentation: Polar Question Meaning[s] Across Languages, Amsterdam.
- Razguliaeva, Mariia, **Maria Onoeva**, Kateřina Hrdinková, Radek Šimík & Roland Meyer. 2024. Polar question meaning in Slavic: Visual world eye-tracking evidence. Oral presentation: Polar Question Meaning[s] Across Languages, Amsterdam.
- Razguliaeva, Mariia, **Maria Onoeva**, Kateřina Hrdinková, Radek Šimík & Roland Meyer. 2024. Polar question meaning in Slavic: Visual world eye-tracking evidence. Colloquium presentation: Experimental Research on Central European Languages Lab, Prague and online.
- Razguliaeva, Mariia, **Maria Onoeva**, Kateřina Hrdinková, Radek Šimík & Roland Meyer. 2024. Polar question meaning in Slavic: Visual world eye-tracking evidence. Colloquium presentation: Slavic Linguistics Colloquium, Berlin and online.
- Onoeva, Maria** & Radek Šimík. 2023. Negation in Russian polar questions: Syntactic and semantic/pragmatic aspects. Oral presentation: Formal Description of Slavic Languages 16 (FDSL 16), Graz.
- Onoeva, Maria** & Radek Šimík. 2023. Negation in Russian polar questions: Syntactic and semantic/pragmatic aspects. Oral presentation: 16th conference on Syntax, Phonology and Language Analysis (SinFonJA 16), Brno.
- Onoeva, Maria** & Anna Staňková. 2022. Polar questions in Czech and Russian: an exploratory corpus investigation. Oral presentation: Student workshop Žďárek, Kutná Hora.
- Onoeva, Maria** & Anna Staňková. 2022. Polar questions in Czech and Russian: an exploratory corpus investigation. Oral presentation: Formal Description of Slavic Languages 15 (FDSL 15), Berlin.
- Onoeva, Maria**. 2019. Semantics of Classifiers: An Experimental Study. Oral presentation: 20th International Meeting of Young Linguists, Olomouc.
- Onoeva, Maria**. 2019. Semantics of Classifiers: An Experimental Study. Poster: Linguistics Prague 2019, Prague.

CHAIRING

16th conference on Syntax, Phonology and Language Analysis (SinFonJA 16), Brno

The Biennial of Czech Linguistics 2024 (BCL 2024), Prague

Summer Schools and Workshops _____

- 2025 **Contrast coding workshop**, ZAS Berlin
- 2025 **Praat Workshop**, HU Berlin
- 2023 **American Pragmatics Association (AMPRA) Experimental Pragmatics Workshop**, online
- 2023 **29th Central European Summer School in Generative Grammar (EGG)**, Novi Sad, Serbia
- 2023 **The QUD-Anno Challenge workshop**, online
- 2022 **28th Central European Summer School in Generative Grammar (EGG)**, Brno, Czechia
- 2022 **Summer School of Linguistics (SSoL)**, České Budějovice, Czechia
- 2022 **Experimental Methods in Language Acquisition Research (EMLAR) workshop**, online
- 2021 **32nd European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information (ESSLLI)**, online

Professional Development

SERVICE

- 2024-2025 **Early Career Researcher Panel IZ D2MCM (HU Berlin)**, Member
- since 2024 **Language Science Press**, Proofreader
- since 2024 **Generative Linguistics in the Old World (GLOW)**, Student membership
- 2024 **The Biennial of Czech Linguistics 2024**, Co-organizer of the workshop on polar questions (No. 16)
- 2023 **29th Central European Summer School in Generative Grammar**, Co-organizer of the \LaTeX workshop
- 2022 **Sinn und Bedeutung 27**, Conference co-organizer and co-editor of the proceedings volume
- 2019 **12th conference on Syntax, Phonology and Language Analysis (SinFonJA 12)**, Student assistant

PROOFREADING AND PEER REVIEW

- Gehrke, Berit & Radek Šimík (eds.). Forthcoming. *Semantics of Slavic Languages*. Berlin: Language Science Press.
- Maxwell, Alexander, Van Rooy, Raf & Herkel, Jan. 2024. *Elementa universalis linguae Slavicae: Annotated translation with introductory essays by Raf Van Rooy and Alexander Maxwell*. (History and Philosophy of the Language Sciences 7). Berlin: Language Science Press. DOI: 10.5281/zenodo.13773949
- Schäfer, Lisa. Forthcoming. *The licensing and usage of topic drop in German*. Berlin: Language Science Press.
- Benz, Anton, Wernder Frey, Hans-Martin Gärtner, Manfred Krifka, Mathias Schenner & Marzena Żygis (eds.). Forthcoming. *Handbook of clausal embedding*. Berlin: Language Science Press.
- Brigitte Pakendorf and Françoise Rose (eds.). Forthcoming. *Fillers: Hesitatives and placeholders*. Berlin: Language Science Press.

SKILLS

Languages: Russian (native), English (fluent), Czech (fluent), German (pre-intermediate), French (elementary)

Programming skills: R Studio (tidyverse, ggplot2, ordinal, etc.), Python for NLP and data science (spaCy, nltk, PyDub, scikit-learn, matplotlib, pandas, numPy), Git, JabRef, Praat

GitHub repositories: [Chess repo](#), [Freq-stat repo](#), [NLP repo](#)

Text edit: \LaTeX (Overleaf, locally), MS Office