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Curriculum vitae

SFB 833, Universität Tübingen

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Research interests

Semantics, pragmatics, cross-linguistic variation, syntax-semantics interface, philosophy of language

Employment

2016–present Post-doctoral researcher

Projects B2&C4, SFB 833 “Construction of meaning”, University of Tübingen

Education

2010–2016 **PhD in Linguistics**

University of California, Los Angeles; Los Angeles, CA

fall 2015 **Visiting scholar**

Philosophy Department, Carnegie Mellon University; Pittsburgh, PA

fall 2013 **Visiting student**

Institut Jean-Nicod, CNRS-ENS-EHESS; Paris, France

2003–2009 **MA in Linguistics**

Russian State University for the Humanities; Moscow, Russia

Theses

Dissertation

title *Heterogeneity and uniformity in the evidential domain*

committee Yael Sharvit and Dominique Sportiche (co-chairs), Pranav Anand, Roumyana Pancheva, Tim Stowell

Master’s thesis

title *Temporal and aspectual suffixes in Adyghe*

chair Yakov Testelests

Publications

Peer-reviewed

Journal articles

- 2010 (with Y. Lander) Affix ordering in polysynthesis: Evidence from Adyghe. *Morphology* 20-2:299–319.

Other

- 2016 Disagreement with evidentials: A call for subjectivity. J. Hunter, M. Simons and M. Stone (Eds.), *JerSem: The 20th Workshop on the Semantics and Pragmatics of Dialogue*, 65-75.

Publications in conference proceedings (peer-reviewed abstracts)

- 2016 Evidentials and (relayed) speech acts: hearsay as quotation. S. D’Antonio, M. Moroney, and C.R. Little (eds.), *Proceedings of Semantics and Linguistic Theory* 25.
- 2015 Evidentials in attitudes: do’s and don’t’s. E. Csipak and H. Zeijlstra (eds.), *Proceedings of Sinn und Bedeutung* 19, 340–357.
- 2012 On alleged *wh*-scope marking in Russian. N. Arnett and R. Benett (eds.), *Proceedings of West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics* 30, 205–215.

Publications in edited volumes

- 2009 Proshloe i “sverxproshloe” v adygejskom jazyke [Past and “superpast” in Adyghe. In Russian]. In *Aspects of Polysynthesis: Essays on the Adyghe grammar*, 262–286. Moscow: RGGU.
- 2006 O pokazatele refaktiva -ʒ’ə- v adygejskom jazyke [On the refractive marker -ʒ’ə- in Adyghe. In Russian]. In *Field Studies of RGGU students. Ethnological, folklore, and linguistic studies*, 1: 180-183. Moscow: RGGU.

Edited volumes

- 2015 Kimmelman, V., N. Korotkova and I. Yanovich (eds.). *Proceedings of MOSS 2: Moscow Syntax and Semantics*. MIT Working Papers in Linguistics 75. Cambridge, MA.

Invited talks

- 2016 “Evidentiality: An opinionated guide”. Linguistics Department, Stanford University, December 2016.
- 2015 “Evidentials and questions”. Workshop *Differentiating contents*. Center for Formal Epistemology, Carnegie Mellon University, December 2015.
- 2015 “Evidentials across languages: one class or not”. Workshop *New work on speech acts and modality*. Zukunftskolleg, University of Konstanz, June 2015.
- 2014 “Varieties of evidential shift”. *Cross-linguistic semantics colloquium*. Amsterdam Center for Language and Communication & Institute for Logic, Language and Computation, University of Amsterdam.
- 2014 “Varieties of evidential shift”. *Semantics circle*, Center for General Linguistics (ZAS), Berlin.

- 2014 “Non-uniformity of indexicals”. Commentary on Orin Percus’ paper “Unpronounced indexicality (and pronouns)” at the workshop *Pronouns in embedded contexts at the syntax-semantics interface*, Universität Tübingen.
- 2013 “Embedding evidentials across languages”. *Discourse and Philosophy Colloquium*, Institute for Logic, Language and Computation, University of Amsterdam.
- 2013 “How to embed evidentials”. UiL OTS, Utrecht university.

--- Conference presentations (peer-reviewed papers)

- 2016 “Disagreement with evidentials: A call for subjectivity”. *JerSem: the 20th Workshop on the semantics and pragmatics of dialogue*, Rutgers.

--- Conference presentations (peer-reviewed abstracts)

- 2017 “A novel route to *de se*”. *18th Szklarska Poręba Workshop on the Roots of Pragmasemantics*, Szrenica Mountain, Poland.
- 2016 “On the semantic uniformity of evidentials’ (poster presentation)”. *New Ideas in Semantics and Modelling*, Paris.
- 2016 (with P. Anand) “Predicates of personal taste and ‘de re’ construal”. Workshop *Perspectivization*, GLOW 39, University of Göttingen.
- 2016 (with J. Harris) “Preference for single events guides perception in Russian: A phoneme restoration study” (poster presentation). Workshop “Events in language and cognition” in conjunction with the 29th Annual CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Florida, Gainesville.
- 2015 “Evidentials and attitudes” (poster presentation). *Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT) 25*, Stanford University.
- 2014 “Varieties of evidential shift”. *Sinn und Bedeutung (SuB) 19*, University of Göttingen.
- 2013 “How do you think? Apparent *wh*-scope marking in Russian”. Workshop “*Parenthesis and ellipsis: Cross-linguistic and theoretical perspectives*” during the 35th annual meeting of German Linguistic Society, University of Potsdam.
- 2012 “How perfect is the perfect of evidentiality: Evidence from Georgian”. *The Nature of Evidentiality*, Leiden University.
- 2012 “Against partial *wh*-movement in Russian” (poster presentation). *West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL) 30*, UC Santa Cruz.
- 2008 (with Y. Lander) “Affix ordering in polysynthesis: Evidence from Adyghe”. Workshop “*Affix Ordering*” during the *13th International Morphology Meeting*, U of Vienna.
- 2006 “Circassian “double” past and its counterparts in other West Caucasian languages”. *International Workshop on Morphosyntax of Caucasian Languages*, INALCO, Paris.

- 2006 (with S. Say) “Glagol *stat*’ v russkom jazyke: semantika, sintaksis, grammatikalizacija. [The verb *stat*’ ‘to become’ in Russian: Semantics, syntax, and grammaticalization]”. *Conference on Typology and Grammar for Young Researchers 3*, Russian Academy of Sciences, St. Petersburg.
- 2005 (with P. Arkadiev) O pokazatele -ʒə- v adygjskom jazyke [On the marker -ʒə- in Adyghe]. *Conference on Typology and Grammar for Young Researchers 2*, Russian Academy of Sciences, St. Petersburg.
- 2005 “K tipologii dvojnogo proschedschego: pokazatel’ -bave v adygjskom jazyke [Towards a typology of the “double past”: The marker -bave in Adyghe]”. *Conference on Typology and Grammar for Young Researchers 2*, Russian Academy of Sciences, St. Petersburg.
- 2005 (with A. Belyaeva) “Biabsolutivnaja i antipassivnaja konstrukcija v naxsko-dagestanskix jazykax [The bi-absolutive and antipassive constructions in East Caucasian languages]”. “Winter” *Typological School 4*, Tsakhkadzor, Armenia.

Grants and awards

2014–2015	Dissertation Year Fellowship	<i>UCLA</i>
	\$20,000 plus fees & tuition	
2014–2015	Yvonne and Henry Lenart foundation travel fellowship	<i>UCLA</i>
	\$4,000	
2015	SALT 25 travel grant	<i>Stanford</i>
	\$200	
2013, 2014	Research travel grant	<i>UCLA</i>
	\$500 each	
2013–2014, 2010–2011	Humanities Division Pauley fellowship	<i>UCLA</i>
	\$20,000 per academic year plus fees & tuition	
2012	NASSLLI 5 fellowship	<i>UT Austin</i>
	\$410	
2010–2011	Mellon fellowship in the Humanities	<i>UCLA</i>
	\$10,000	
2008	Personal travel grant	<i>Russian Foundation for Fundamental Research</i>
2007	LSA Summer Institute fellowship	<i>Stanford University</i>
2007	Group fieldwork grant	<i>Russian State Science Foundation</i>

Teaching experience

	University of Tübingen; English Department	
2016	Mini-course (3 lectures) “Evidentiality”	<i>Instructor</i>

	Carnegie Mellon University; Philosophy Department	
2015	Mini-course (5 lectures) “The landscape of evidentiality”	<i>Instructor</i>
	University of California, Los Angeles; Linguistics Department	
2013–2015	Introduction to Study of Language, online	TA
2013	Semantics I	TA
2013	Introduction to Historical Linguistics	TA
2012	Syntactic Typology and Universals	TA
2012	Field Methods on Dholuo	TA
2012	Introduction to Study of Language	TA
2011	Introduction to Linguistics	TA
	Guest lectures	
2015	“Evidentiality”. At: <i>Meaning in language</i> (undergraduate), Philosophy Department, Carnegie Mellon University	

Fieldwork

2014–present	Turkish (Turkic)	<i>individual work with consultants</i>
	Los Angeles, CA and Tübingen, Germany	
2014–present	Bulgarian (South Slavic)	<i>individual work with consultants</i>
	Los Angeles, CA and Tübingen, Germany	
2012–2015	Georgian (South Caucasian)	<i>individual work with consultants</i>
	Los Angeles, CA	
2012–2013	Imbabura Quichua (Quechuan)	<i>field methods class</i>
	Los Angeles, CA	
2007	Khakas (Turkic)	<i>fieldwork trip</i>
	Kazanovka, Khakassia, Russia (with Russian State Humanities University)	
2007	Kalmyk (Mongolic)	<i>fieldwork trip</i>
	Yergenensky, Kalmykia, Russia (with St. Petersburg State University)	
2004–2010	Adyghe (Northwest Caucasian)	<i>fieldwork trips</i>
	Hakurinohabl & Hatazhukay, Adyghea, Russia (with Russian State Humanities University)	

Summer schools

2016	North American Summer School of Logic, Language and Information (NASSLLI) 7, Rutgers
2014	26th European Summer School in Language, Logic and Information (ESSLLI), University of Tübingen
2012	North American Summer School of Logic, Language and Information (NASSLLI) 5, UT Austin

- 2008 École d'Automne de Linguistique (EALING) IV, ENS, Paris
 2007 LSA Summer Institute "Empirical Foundations for Theories of Language", Stanford

Professional memberships

- 2013–present Slavic Linguistic Society
 2007–present Linguistic Society of America

Service

Reviewing

- Conferences *Pronouns in the embedded contexts at the syntax-semantics interface, Sinn und Bedeutung (SuB), Northeastern Linguistics Society (NELS), Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics (FASL)*

- Journals *Linguistics and Philosophy*

- Other *Affix Ordering Across Languages and Frameworks* (book)

Organizing

- 2011–2013 *Semantics Tea*, seminar in semantics *UCLA, Linguistics department*
 founder and organizer
 2009, 2011 *Moscow Syntax and Semantics (MOSS) I and II* *Moscow, Russia*
 2007, 2008 *Syntactic Structures I and II* *Moscow, Russia*
 international peer-reviewed conferences
 co-founder and co-organizer

Committees

- 2012–2015 Colloquium committee *UCLA, Linguistics department*
 2011–2014 Teaching Evaluation committee *UCLA, Linguistics department*

Industry employment

- 2007–2010 *ABBYY Software*, Moscow: computational linguist
 formal description of Russian and English syntax for parsing and machine translation
 2005–2007 *Russian National Corpus*, Moscow: linguist
 corpus annotation, morphological homonymy resolution

Languages

- Russian **Native**
 English **Fluent**
 French, **Conversational** *Intermediate reading*
 German
 Bulgarian, **Elementary** *Reading with a dictionary*
 Polish