## Phrase Structure Rules

- $S \rightarrow NP VP$

• NP  $\rightarrow$  Det (A) N • NP  $\rightarrow$  PRN NP  $\rightarrow$  Det (A) N PRN

- $NP \rightarrow PN$
- NP  $\rightarrow$  {Det (A) N, PRN, PN}
- $VP \rightarrow V (NP) (NP) (S) (PP)$   $PP \rightarrow P NP$
- Recursiveness

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## **Recursive Structures**

- [<sub>S</sub>I know that [<sub>S1</sub>he is a student]]
- $[_{S}I$  know that  $[_{S1}he$  is the student  $[_{S2}who$ dropped the course]]]
- [SI know that [S1 he is the student [S2 who dropped the course [s3that he didn't like]]]]
- [[Compthat] [she is a student]]

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