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Education

Stony Brook University

Ph.D. Linguistics

Stony Brook, NY

8/2019–present

Michigan State University

M.A. Linguistics

East Lansing, MI

1/2017–5/2019

Michigan State University

B.A. Linguistics (High Honors)

East Lansing, MI

8/2015–8/2017

Publications

Refereed Journals.....

- **Nelson, S.** & Karthik Durvasula. (2021). "Lexically-Guided Perceptual Learning does Generalize to New Contexts". *Journal of Phonetics* 86. DOI:10.1016/j.wocn.2020.101019.

Conference Proceedings.....

- Durvasula, K. & **Scott Nelson**. (2018). "Lexical Retuning Targets Features". In Gallagher, Gillian, Gouskova, Maria, and Sora Yin (eds.), *Proceedings of the 2017 Annual Meeting on Phonology*. Washington, DC: Linguistic Society of America.
- Pue, A. Sean & **Scott Nelson**. (2018). "Marking Poetic Time: Building and Annotating a Hindi-Urdu Poetry Corpus for Computational Humanities Research." *Proceedings of the Second Workshop on Corpus-based Research in the Humanities (CRH-2)*, 171-180.

Manuscripts.....

- **Nelson, S.** (submitted). "The logic and typology of derived environment effects".
- **Nelson, S.** (in prep). "Incomplete neutralization and the blueprint model of production".

Presentations

Conferences.....

- **Nelson, S.** (2021) What can logic and model theory tell us about phonological feature systems? Phonology in the NorthEast 2021 (PhoNE 2021). New York University, New York, New York, USA.
- **Nelson, S.** (2020) The logical language of phonological features. Northeast Computational Phonology Circle 2020 (NECPhon 2020). University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland, USA.
- **Nelson, S.** & J. Heinz. (2020) Incomplete neutralization is no problem for formal phonology. Workshop on Theoretical Phonology 2020 (WTPH 2020). Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.
- **Nelson, S.** (2019) Generalization in the absence of variation within lexical retuning. Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America (LSA). New York, New York, USA.
- **Nelson, S.** (2018) Lexical retuning is not the same as audio-visual retuning: the former generalizes better. 23rd Annual Mid-Continental Phonetics & Phonology Conference (MidPhon). Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois, USA.
- Durvasula, K. & **S. Nelson**. (2018). Retuning Generalizes to new contexts. 16th Conference on Laboratory Phonology (LabPhon). University of Lisboa, Lisboa, Portugal.

- Pue, A. Sean & **S. Nelson**. (2018). Marking Poetic Time: Building and Annotating a Hindi-Urdu Poetry Corpus for Computational Humanities Research. Corpus-based Research in the Humanities 2. Austrian Academy of Science, Vienna, Austria.
- Durvasula, K. & **S. Nelson**. (2017). Perceptual retuning targets features. Annual Meeting on Phonology 2017 (AMP), New York University, New York, New York, USA.

Refereed Undergraduate Conference.....

- **Nelson, S.** (2017). Perceptual retuning targets features. Great Lakes Expo for Experimental and Formal Undergraduate Linguistics 2017 (GLEEFUL), Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan, USA.

Undergraduate Conference.....

- **Nelson, S.** (2017). Perceptual retuning targets features. Michigan State Undergraduate Linguistics Conference 2017 (MSULC), Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan, USA.
- **Nelson, S.** (2017). Perceptual retuning targets features. University Undergraduate Research and Arts Forum 2017 (UURAF), Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan, USA.

Teaching Experience

Instructor.....

Department of Linguistics <i>LIN 405 "Writing in Linguistics", Stony Brook, NY</i>	Stony Brook University 5/2021–Present
Department of Linguistics <i>LIN 522 "Phonetics", Stony Brook, NY</i>	Stony Brook University 7/2020–8/2020
Department of Linguistics and Languages <i>LIN 291 "Language and Animals", East Lansing, MI</i>	Michigan State University 5/2018–7/2018

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Department of Linguistics <i>LIN 301 "Phonology", Stony Brook, NY</i>	Stony Brook University 1/2021–5/2021
Department of Linguistics <i>LIN 120 "Language and Technology", Stony Brook, NY</i>	Stony Brook University 8/2020–12/2020
Department of Linguistics <i>LIN 101 "Human Language", Stony Brook, NY</i>	Stony Brook University 1/2020–5/2020
Department of Linguistics <i>LIN 201 "Phonetics", Stony Brook, NY</i>	Stony Brook University 8/2019–12/2019
Department of Linguistics and Languages <i>IAH 204 "Asia and the World", East Lansing, MI</i>	Michigan State University 8/2017–5/2019

Other.....

Primary Instructor <i>Summer Youth Camp in Computational Linguistics (SYCCL), Stony Brook, NY</i>	Stony Brook University 7/2021
Volunteer <i>Summer Youth Camp in Computational Linguistics (SYCCL), Stony Brook, NY</i>	Stony Brook University 8/2020
Coordinator and Instructor <i>Michigan State Linguistics Python Group, East Lansing, MI</i>	Michigan State University 8/2018–5/2019

Professional Service

Linguistics Graduate Student Organization <i>Colloquium Organizer, Stony Brook, NY</i>	Stony Brook University 1/2020–12/2020
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Linguistics Student Organization
Vice President/Colloquium Co-Chair, East Lansing, MI

qUALMS
President/Vice President, East Lansing, MI

GLEEFUL
Organizing Committee Member, East Lansing, MI

MSULC
Organizing Committee Member, East Lansing, MI

Michigan State University
5/2017–5/2019

Michigan State University
1/2016–5/2017

Michigan State University
4/2016, 4/2017

Michigan State University
4/2016, 4/2017

Awards, Honors, and Fellowships

Funded Awards and Fellowships.....

Stony Brook University <i>Teaching Assistantship</i>	Stony Brook, NY <i>8/2019–present</i>
Michigan State University <i>Teaching Assistantship</i>	East Lansing, MI <i>8/2017–5/2019</i>
College of Arts and Letters <i>Undergraduate Research Initiative – Grantee, East Lansing, MI</i>	Michigan State University <i>10/2016–5/2017</i>
College of Arts and Letters <i>Undergraduate Research Initiative – Grantee, East Lansing, MI</i>	Michigan State University <i>1/2016–5/2016</i>

Presentation Awards.....

MSULC <i>Top presentation, East Lansing, MI</i>	Michigan State University <i>4/2017</i>
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Skills

Languages.....

Native: English

Beginner: American Sign Language, Swedish, Spanish

Computing.....

Advanced: Praat, \LaTeX

Intermediate: Python, R

Beginner: PsychoPy, Git, Haskell, Matlab

Affiliations

- Linguistics Society of America (LSA)