# Stefano Coretta

Curriculum Vitæ

## Employment

- 2019-present Postdoc Researcher, Ludwig-Maximilians University of Munich, Germany.
  - 2017–2018 Phonetics Laboratory Assistant, University of Manchester, UK.
- Jan-Jun 2015 Junior Linguist, Adecco at Google Italy, Milan (Italy).

#### Education

- 2016-present **PhD in Linguistics**, *University of Manchester*, United Kingdom.
  - 2018 Faculty of Humanities PGR Exchange Scheme, Visiting PhD Student at the Speech Production Laboratory, at Indiana University, Bloomington, IN (USA).
  - 2015–2016 MA in Phonetics and Phonology, University of York, United Kingdom, Distinction.
- Mar-Oct 2014 **Research in Linguistics**, *University of Newcastle*, Australia. Research on Oceanic phonology.
- Sep-Dec 2012 Erasmus Programme, Leiden University, The Netherlands.
  - 2011–2013 (Res)MA in Theoretical and Applied Linguistics and Linguistics of Modern Languages, University of Pavia, Italy, 110/110 cum laude.
  - 2007–2011 **BA** in Humanities (with Linguistics and Oriental Studies), *University of Milan*, Italy, 103/110.

### **Papers**

- forth. Thea Cameron-Faulkner, Nivedita Malik, Circle Steele, Stefano Coretta, Ludovica Serratrice, Elena Lieven. A cross cultural analysis of early prelinguistic gesture development and its relationship to language development. To appear in *Child Development*
- forth. Longer vowel duration correlates with greater tongue root advancement at vowel offset: Acoustic and articulatory data from Italian and Polish. To appear in *Journal of the Acoustical Society of America*
- 2019 An exploratory study of voicing-related differences in vowel duration as compensatory temporal adjustment in Italian and Polish. *Glossa: a journal of general linguistics.* 4(1) 125. 1-25. DOI: 10.5334/gigl.869

# Talks and posters

- Thea Cameron-Faulkner, Circle Steele, Nividita Malik, Stefano Coretta, Ludovica Serretrice, and Elena Lieven. A cross-cultural analysis of early prelinguistic gesture development and its relationship to language development. Talk presented at the 5th International Language and Communicative Development Conference, 12 June, Manchester (UK).
- 2018 Stefano Coretta and Massimiliano Canzi. The effect of lexical frequency on vowel phonation as a correlate of /t-glottaling. Talk presented at LAGB 2018, 11–14 September, University of Sheffield, UK.
- 2018 Quantifying vocal fold activity: Two new methods for analysing electroglottographic data. Talk presented at the New Developments in Speech Sensing and Imaging LabPhon Satellite Event, 24 June, University of Lisbon, Portugal.
- 2018 Longer vowel duration correlates with tongue root advancement in Italian and Polish: An ultrasound study. Talk presented at LabPhon16, 23 June, University of Lisbon, Portugal.

- 2018 Processing EGG data: New methods for a multidimensional time-series assessment of vocal fold activity. Talk presented at the Manchester Forum in Linguistics 2018 (mFiL2018), 26 April, University of Manchester, UK.
- 2018 Tongue root advancement and vowel duration: A gradient effect?. Talk presented at the BAAP Colloquium, 12-14 April, University of Kent, UK.
- 2017 Sound change, lexical frequency and ambiguous input: a computational implementation. Poster presented at the Third Edinburgh Symposium in Historical Phonology (ESHP3), 30 November, University of Edinburgh, UK.
- 2017 Vowel duration and tongue root advancement in Italian and Polish. Talk presented at Ultrafest VIII, 4-6 October, University of Potsdam, Germany.
- 2017 A streamlined workflow for "doing phonetics by computer" (using Praat and R). Talk presented at the Postgraduate Academic Research in Linguistics at York (PARLAY), 15 September, University of York, UK.
- 2017 Towards an articulatory based typology of laryngeal effects on vowel duration. Poster presented at the 25th Manchester Phonology Meeting (25mfm), 25–27 May, University of Manchester, UK.
- 2017 Reproducibility and phonetic research: A computational workflow. Talk presented at the Manchester Forum in Linguistics 2017 (mFiL 2017), 28–29 April, University of Manchester, UK.
- 2015 A new case of "rhinoglottophilia:" From nasalisation to aspiration. Talk presented at the Second Edinburgh Symposium on Historical Phonology (ESoHPh2), 3–4 December, University of Edinburgh, UK.

#### Invited departmental talks

2018 Vowel duration as a function of consonant gestural timing in Italian and Polish: Evidence from acoustics, ultrasound tongue imaging, and electroglottography. Aarhus University, 18 September, Denmark.

# Software and packages

- 2017 tidymv, Tidy model visualisation, http://github.com/stefanocoretta/tidymv.
- 2017 rticulate, Ultrasound tongue imaging in R, https://github.com/stefanocoretta/rticulate.
- 2017 speakr, an R wrapper for the phonetic software Praat, https://github.com/stefanocoretta/speakr.
- 2016 SFM exporter, https://stefanocoretta.shinyapps.io/sfm-exporter/.
- 2016 language-praat, Praat scripting language support in the Atom Editor, https://atom.io/packages/language-praat.
- 2013 phonrule, LATEX macros for typesetting phonological rules, https://www.ctan.org/pkg/phonrule.

# Research appointments

- 2018–2019 Research Assistant for *Investigating prelinguistic development in three minority cultures*, *LuCiD*, Thea Cameron-Faulkner (PI), http://lucid.ac.uk.
  - 2018 Research Assistant for Beauty is in the ear of the beholder: The role of accent in mate choice. Tucker Gilman (PI), University of Manchester, UK.

# **Teaching**

- Jan-Jun 2018 Teaching Assistant for Experimental Phonetics, University of Manchester, UK.
- Feb-Jun 2017 Teaching Assistant for Stylistics of English, University of Manchester, UK.
  - Nov-Dec **Teaching Assistant for Forensic Linguistics of English**, *University of Manchester*, UK. 2016

- Jul-Oct 2014 **Teaching Assistant for Introduction to Phonology and Morphology**, *University of New-castle*, NSW (Australia).
- Jan-Sep 2013 **Teaching Assistant for Historical Linguistics**, *University of Pavia*, Italy. Invited courses and workshops
- 19 Sep 2018 Workshop "An introduction to GAMs", Aarhus University, Aarhus (Denmark).
  - 4, 11 Feb Workshop "Introduction to X=LATEX", Halifax College, University of York, York (UK).
- 31 Jul 2014 Workshop "Introduction to XaleTeX", University of Newcastle, NSW (Australia).
- 3 Dec 2013 Workshop "Introduzione a X=LATEX", University of Pavia, Italy.

#### **Awards**

- 2018 Best LAGB Student Abstract
- 2018 IPA Student Award for LabPhon16

#### Scholarships

- 2018 Postgraduate Researcher Exchange Programme Award, Faculty of Humanities, School of Arts, Languages and Cultures PGR Studentship (University of Manchester, UK)
- 2016-2019 Faculty of Humanities, School of Arts, Languages and Cultures PGR Studentship (University of Manchester, UK)
  - 2015 Philological Society Masters Bursary Scheme (UK)
  - 2012 Erasmus Programme Scholarship, MIUR and University of Pavia (Italy)
  - 2012 E.Di.S.U Scholarship (Pavia, Italy)
  - 2009 C.I.Di.S Scholarship (Milan, Italy)
  - 2008 C.I.Di.S Scholarship (Milan, Italy)

#### Training

- 2018 Analysing Curves: Training workshop on statistical analysis of non-linear data, *The University of Manchester*, UK.
- 2013 Statistica per le scienze umane (Statistics for Humanities), BiostAT, Asti (Italy).
- Second International Summer School for Indo-European Linguistics, *University of Pavia*, Italy.

#### Professional service

Journal peer Journal of Phonetics, Journal of the Association for Laboratory Phonology review

Conference Analysing Curves 2018 (UK), Manchester Forum in Linguistics 2017 and 2018, 25th Manchorganisation ester Phonology Meeting 2017, Postgraduate Academic Researchers in Linguistics at York 2016

#### Technical skills

computer macOS, Microsoft Windows and Ubuntu operating systems

research Praat, RStudio, Atom Editor, Psysoftware choPy, Audacity, GitHub, Elan MPI, Toolbox SIL, FLEx SIL, Phonology Assistant SIL

productivity Microsoft Office and Apple Pages, software Keynote and Numbers; git (versioncontrol system), Hugo (static site generator), WordPress (CMS) markup and R, Praat scripting, RMarkdown, programming LATEX, HTML/CSS, MySQL, Python, languages AWK, Matlab

other reviewer and editor for Italian Wikipedia

# Languages

Italian Native speaker

English C2