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## Academic Appointments

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| Postdoctoral Researcher<br>Department of Linguistics and Cognitive Science<br><i>Mentor:</i> <a href="#">Alon Hafri</a><br><b>University of Delaware</b> , Newark, DE  | 2024-   |
| Postdoctoral Research Fellow<br>Mind Center for Outreach, Research, and Education ( <a href="#">MindCORE</a> )<br><i>Mentors:</i> <a href="#">Anna Papafragou</a> , <a href="#">John Trueswell</a> , and <a href="#">Florian Schwarz</a><br><b>University of Pennsylvania</b> , Philadelphia, PA | 2021-24 |

## Education and Training

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| Ph.D. in Linguistics<br><i>Thesis:</i> <a href="#">The psycho-logic of universal quantifiers</a><br><i>Mentors:</i> <a href="#">Jeffrey Lidz</a> and <a href="#">Paul Pietroski</a><br><b>University of Maryland</b> , College Park, MD | 2016-21 |
| Lab Manager, <a href="#">Vision and Cognition Lab</a><br>Department of Psychological & Brain Sciences<br><i>Mentor:</i> <a href="#">Justin Halberda</a><br><b>Johns Hopkins University</b> , Baltimore, MD                              | 2015-16 |
| B.A. in Cognitive Science (with honors)<br>Minors in Linguistics, Philosophy, and Psychology<br><b>Johns Hopkins University</b> , Baltimore, MD   | 2011-15 |

## Honors and Awards

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| Language Learning & Development's Peter Jusczyk Best Paper Award<br>For <i>Thematic content, not number matching, drives syntactic bootstrapping</i>    | 2025 |
| <a href="#">The Philosopher's Annual</a> "10 Best Articles of the Year" selection<br>For <i>Psycholinguistic evidence for restricted quantification</i> | 2024 |
| <a href="#">Graduate Student Service Award</a><br>University of Maryland, College of Arts and Humanities  | 2020 |
| <a href="#">Howard Lasnik Award for Distinguished Teaching by a Graduate Student</a><br>University of Maryland, Linguistics Department                  | 2020 |
| <a href="#">Jerrold J. Katz Young Scholar Award</a><br>CUNY Conference on <a href="#">Human Sentence Processing</a>                                     | 2019 |

## Grants and Fellowships

NSF Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant, “Doctoral Dissertation Research: The mental representation and acquisition of the universal quantifiers” (NSF #BCS-2017525) (with Jeffrey Lidz) \$14,994.00	2020
Jacob K. Goldhaber Travel Grant University of Maryland	2018
Fellow, NSF-NRT Training Program, “NRT-DESE: Flexibility in Language Processes and Technology: Human- and Global-Scale” (NRT #1449815)	2017
Provost’s Undergraduate Research Award Johns Hopkins University	2014

## Publications

### Book

Lidz, J. & Knowlton, T. (2026) *A course in first language acquisition*. Oxford University Press.

### Refereed Journal Articles (mentees underlined)

Cesana-Arlotti, N., Icard, T., **Knowlton, T.**, Lidz, J., Pietroski, P., & Halberda, J. (under review) Order-reversal as a core logical capacity in infancy.

Ongchoco, J., **Knowlton, T.**, & Papafragou, A. (under review) Language shifts the representation of auditory objects.

**Knowlton, T.**, Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A. (under revision) Non-conservative quantifiers are unlearnable. *Language*.

Perkins, L., **Knowlton, T.**, Williams, A., & Lidz, J. (2024) Thematic content, not number matching, drives syntactic bootstrapping. *Language Learning and Development*.

Odic, D., **Knowlton, T.**, Wellwood, A., Pietroski, P., Lidz, J., & Halberda, J. (2024) Observers efficiently extract the min and max element in perceptual magnitudes sets: evidence for a bipartite format. *Psychological Science*.

**Knowlton, T.**, Halberda, J., Pietroski, P., & Lidz, J. (2023) Individuals versus ensembles and “each” versus “every”: linguistic framing affects performance in a change detection task. *Glossa Psycholinguistics*.

**Knowlton, T.**, Pietroski, P., Williams, A., Halberda, J., & Lidz, J. (2023) Psycholinguistic evidence for restricted quantification. *Natural Language Semantics*.

- Knowlton, T.**, Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A. (2023) Keeping quantifier meaning in mind: connecting semantics, cognition, and pragmatics. *Cognitive Psychology*.
- Knowlton, T.**, Pietroski, P., Halberda, J., & Lidz, J. (2022) The mental representation of universal quantifiers. *Linguistics and Philosophy*.
- Knowlton, T.**, Hunter, T., Odic, D., Wellwood, A., Halberda, J., Pietroski, P., & Lidz, J. (2021) Linguistic meanings as cognitive instructions. *Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences*.

**Refereed Conference Proceedings** (mentees underlined)

- Knowlton, T.** & Hafri, A. (forthcoming) Constraints on syntactic-conceptual mapping: the learnability of ‘inverse verbs’. *Proceedings of the 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Penn Linguistics Conference*.
- Knowlton, T.**, Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A. (2025) The strength of conservativity: evidence from learnability experiments. *Proceedings of the Linguistic Society of America*.
- Huang, S.-Z., **Knowlton, T.**, & Schwarz, F. (2024) Cross-linguistic comparisons on distributive universal quantification: *each* vs. *every* vs. *mei*. *Proceedings of the Linguistic Society of America*.
- Knowlton, T.** & Schwarz, F. (2024) *Every* provides an implicit comparison class when *each* does not. *Proceedings of the 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Penn Linguistics Conference*.
- Ongchoco, J., **Knowlton, T.**, & Papafragou, A. (2023) Language shifts the representation of sounds in time: from auditory individuals to auditory ensembles. *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*.
- Knowlton, T.**, Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A. (2022) New evidence for the unlearnability of non-conservative quantifiers. *Proceedings of the 23<sup>rd</sup> Amsterdam Colloquium*.
- Knowlton, T.**, Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A. (2022) A mentalistic semantics explains “each” and “every” quantifier use. *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*.
- Knowlton, T.** & Gomes, V. (2022) Linguistic and non-linguistic cues to acquiring the strong distributivity of *each*. *Proceedings of the Linguistic Society of America*.
- Knowlton, T.** & Lidz, J. (2021) Genericity signals the difference between *each* and *every* in child-directed speech. *Proceedings of the 45<sup>th</sup> annual Boston University Conference on Language Development*.
- Knowlton, T.**, Pietroski, P., Williams, A., Halberda, J., & Lidz, J. (2021) Determiners are “conservative” because their meanings are not relations: evidence from verification. *Proceedings of Semantics and Linguistic Theory 30*.

## Dissertation

**Knowlton, T.** (2021) *The psycho-logic of universal quantifiers*. University of Maryland.

## Volumes Edited

**Knowlton, T., Schwarz, F., & Papafragou, A.** (Eds.) (2025) *Proceedings of the third Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM 3)*. Linguistic Society of America.

**Knowlton, T., Schwarz, F., & Papafragou, A.** (Eds.) (2023) *Proceedings of the second Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM 2)*. Linguistic Society of America.

## Presentations

### Invited Talks

*Word meanings we can't consider.*

Integrated Language Sciences & Technology Seminar, U. of Pennsylvania. March, 2026  
Cognitive Science Colloquium, CUNY Graduate Center. Feb., 2026

*The hidden structure of our thoughts in language.*

Psychology Colloquium, The College of New Jersey. November, 2025

*What psychosemantics tells us about constraints on meaning.*

Mayfest 2025 - Constraints on Meaning, University of Maryland. May, 2025

*What natural language meanings can tell us about natural logic's contents.*

Logic Colloquium, University of Connecticut. February, 2025

*Learnability and linguistic meanings: the case of conservativity.*

Cognitive Development Center Seminar Series, Central European University. May, 2024

*Universal quantifiers: logically equivalent, psychologically distinct.*

Linguistics & Cognitive Science Colloquium, University of Delaware. December, 2023  
Infant Mind & Cognition Lab (PI: Nicolò Cesana-Arlotti), Yale Univ. October, 2023

*Universal quantifiers, objects, and ensembles: a case study in psychosemantics.*

19<sup>th</sup> Workshop on Syntax, Semantics, and Phonology, Nantes Université. Sept., 2023

*The poverty of the stimulus in the animal kingdom (humans included).*

19<sup>th</sup> Workshop on Syntax, Semantics, and Phonology, Nantes Université. Sept., 2023

*Different determiners invite different ways of restricting and representing the domain.*

The New York Philosophy of Language Workshop, New York University. April, 2023

*What conservativity tells us about Universal Grammar.*

Linguistics Colloquium, University of Maryland. February, 2023

- Non-conservative quantifiers are unlearnable (and what that means for semantic theory).*  
The Psycholinguistics Workshop, University of Massachusetts Amherst. October, 2022
- Every universal is first-orderizable, but only “each” is first-orderized.*  
Cognitive Semantics and Quantities Workshop, University of Amsterdam. May, 2022
- The psycho-logic of “each” and “every”.*  
LingLangLunch, Brown University. November, 2021
- The psycho-logic of universal quantifiers.*  
Linguistic Meaning Lab (PI: Helena Aparicio), Cornell University. October, 2021  
Linguistics Colloquium, University of Southern California. March, 2021
- The psychological treatment of (universal) quantification.*  
Integrated Language Sciences & Technology Seminar, U. of Pennsylvania. Nov., 2019
- Are natural language quantifiers first- or second-order?*  
McDonnell Network Focused Workshop on The Development of Set and  
Quantifier Representations, Johns Hopkins University. May, 2018

## Conference Talks

- Knowlton, T.** & Hafri, A. (2026) *Constraints on syntactic-conceptual mapping: the learnability of ‘inverse verbs’*. Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM) 4, University of Pennsylvania.
- Knowlton, T.** & Hafri, A. (2026) *Constraints on syntactic-conceptual mapping: the learnability of ‘inverse verbs’*. The 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Penn Linguistics Conference (PLC), University of Pennsylvania.
- Knowlton, T.**, Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A. (2025) *The strength of conservativity: evidence from learnability experiments*. Linguistic Society of America (LSA) Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA.
- Knowlton, T.**, Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A. (2024) *Conservativity, learnability, and grammatical architecture*. Workshop on “Explaining Semantic Universals”, The 9<sup>th</sup> Conference of the Scandinavian Association for Language and Cognition (SALC), Norwegian University of Science and Technology.
- Knowlton, T.** & Schwarz, F. (2023) *“Every” provides an implicit comparison class when “each” does not*. The 47<sup>th</sup> annual Penn Linguistics Conference (PLC), University of Pennsylvania.
- Knowlton, T.**, Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A. (2023) *Non-conservative quantifiers are unlearnable*. Linguistic Society of America (LSA) Annual Meeting, Denver, CO.
- Knowlton, T.**, Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A. (2022) *New evidence for the unlearnability of non-conservative quantifiers*. Workshop on “Biases in Language and Cognition”, 23<sup>rd</sup> Amsterdam Colloquium (AC), Amsterdam, Netherlands.
- Gomes, V., **Knowlton, T.**, Papafragou, A., & Trueswell, J. (2022) *Differentiating universal quantifiers by differentiating their domains*. Boston University Conference on Language Development (BUCLD) 47, Boston University.

- Knowlton, T.**, Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A. (2022) *A mentalistic semantics explains “each” and “every” quantifier use*. 44<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society (CogSci), Toronto, Canada.
- Cesana-Arlotti, N., **Knowlton, T.**, Lidz, J., & Halberda, J. (2022) *Universal quantification without language? Ten-month-old infants represent the exhaustivity of a relation in visually presented events*. Symposium on The Language of Thought, 3<sup>rd</sup> Joint Conference of the Society for Philosophy and Psychology and the European Society of Philosophy and Psychology (SPP/ESPP), Milan, Italy.
- Cesana-Arlotti, N., **Knowlton, T.**, Lidz, J., & Halberda, J. (2022) *On the origins of universal quantification: 10-month-old infants represent the exhaustivity of multi-agent intentional actions*. XXIII International Congress of Infant Studies (ICIS) Biennial Congress, Ottawa, Canada.
- Knowlton, T.** & Gomes, V. (2022) *Linguistic and non-linguistic cues to acquiring the strong distributivity of “each”*. Linguistic Society of America (LSA) Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.
- Knowlton, T.**, Halberda, J., Pietroski, P., & Lidz, J. (2021) *Evaluating “each”- (but not “every”-) sentences encourages encoding individual properties*. 34<sup>th</sup> CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Pennsylvania.
- Knowlton, T.** & Lidz, J. (2021) *Bootstrapping universal quantifiers: the role of genericity*. Linguistic Society of America (LSA) Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA.
- Knowlton, T.** & Lidz, J. (2020) *Genericity signals the difference between “each” and “every” in child-directed speech*. Boston University Conference on Language Development (BUCLD) 45, Boston University.
- Knowlton, T.**, Pietroski, P., Williams, A., Halberda, J., & Lidz, J. (2020) *Memory for cardinality supports a non-relational account of conservativity*. Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM) 1, University of Pennsylvania.
- Cesana-Arlotti, N., **Knowlton, T.**, Lidz, J., & Halberda, J. (2020) *An investigation of the origins of logical quantification: infants’ (and adults’) representations of exhaustivity in collective or individual complex actions*. Symposium on Learning ‘hard words’, XXII International Congress of Infant Studies (ICIS) Biennial Congress, Glasgow, Scotland.
- Knowlton, T.**, Pietroski, P., Williams, A., Halberda, J., & Lidz, J. (2020) *Conservative meanings with only one set: evidence from verification*. 33<sup>rd</sup> CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Massachusetts Amherst.
- Knowlton, T.**, Pietroski, P., Halberda, J., & Lidz, J. (2019) *The mental representation of universal quantifiers: evidence from verification*. 32<sup>nd</sup> CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Colorado Boulder.
- Knowlton, T.**, Halberda, J., Pietroski, P., & Lidz, J. (2018) *Acquiring the universal quantifiers: every part together or each part on its own?* Boston University Conference on Language Development (BUCLD) 43, Boston University.

#### Conference Posters and Lightning Talks (mentees underlined)

- Knowlton, T.**, Schwitzgebel, D., & Hafri, A. (2026) *To act or be acted upon: Which role is privileged in event perception?* 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society (VSS), St. Pete Beach, FL.
- O’Brien, A., Cracknell, K., **Knowlton, T.**, Pietroski, P., & Wang, J. (2026) *How 5- to 12-year-olds respond to “each” and “every”*. Cognitive Development Society (CDS) 2026 Biennial

Meeting, Montreal, Canada.

- Shah, M., **Knowlton, T.**, Halberda, J., Pietroski, P., & Lidz, J. (2025) *Uniformity of sentence verification strategies within and across individuals supports a subtraction-based meaning of “most”*. The 51<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of the Society for Philosophy and Psychology (SPP), Cornell University.
- Shah, M., **Knowlton, T.**, Halberda, J., Pietroski, P., & Lidz, J. (2025) *Uniformity of verification strategies within and across individuals: Predicting performance with “most”-sentences from performance with “more”-sentences*. 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing (HSP), University of Maryland.
- Fayyaz, M., Icard, T., **Knowlton, T.**, Lidz, J., Pietroski, P., Halberda, J., & Cesana-Arlotti, N. (2025) *Developmental foundational logical cognition: infants’ concept of antitonicity (Order-FLIP)*. Society for Research in Child Development (SRCD) Biennial Meeting, Minneapolis, MN.
- Fayyaz, M., Icard, T., **Knowlton, T.**, Lidz, J., Pietroski, P., Halberda, J., & Cesana-Arlotti, N. (2025) *Antitonicity (order-flip) as a foundational logical concept in infancy*. Budapest CEU Conference on Cognitive Development (BCCCD), Budapest, Hungary.
- Knowlton, T.**, Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A. (2024) *(Im)possible determiners and their learnability*. Boston University Conference on Language Development (BUCLD) 49, Boston University.
- Knowlton, T.**, Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A. (2024) *The strength of a universal*. 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society (CogSci), Rotterdam, Netherlands.
- Huang, S.-Z., **Knowlton, T.**, & Schwarz, F. (2024) *Cross-linguistic comparisons on distributive universal quantification: “each”/“every” vs. “mei”*. Linguistic Society of America (LSA) Annual Meeting, New York, NY.
- Ongchoco, J., **Knowlton, T.**, & Papafragou, A. (2023) *Language shifts the representation of sounds in time: from auditory individuals to auditory ensembles*. 45<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society (CogSci), Sydney, Australia.
- Knowlton, T.** & Schwarz, F. (2023) *“Every” provides an implicit comparison class when “each” does not*. 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing (HSP), University of Pittsburgh.
- Cesana-Arlotti, N., Icard, T., **Knowlton, T.**, Lidz, J., Pietroski, P., & Halberda, J. (2023) *The slower they swim, the faster they fly! Can preverbal infants learn antitonic functions?* Budapest CEU Conference on Cognitive Development (BCCCD), Budapest, Hungary.
- Knowlton, T.**, Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A. (2022) *Non-conservative quantifiers are unlearnable*. Boston University Conference on Language Development (BUCLD) 47, Boston University.
- Knowlton, T.**, Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A. (2022) *A psycho-semantic explanation of “each” and “every” quantifier use*. Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM) 2, University of Pennsylvania.
- Cesana-Arlotti, N., **Knowlton, T.**, Lidz, J., & Halberda, J. (2022) *Universal quantification without language? Ten-month-old infants represent the universality of visually presented properties*. Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM) 2, University of Pennsylvania.
- Knowlton, T.**, Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A. (2022) *Psycho-semantic representations explain “each” and “every” quantifier use*. 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing (HSP), University of California, Santa Cruz.

- Cesana-Arlotti, N., **Knowlton, T.**, Lidz, J., & Halberda, J. (2021) *An investigation of the origins of logical quantification: infants' (and adults') representations of exhaustivity in collective or individual complex actions*. The 6<sup>th</sup> Lancaster Conference on Infant and Early Child Development, Lancaster University.
- Cesana-Arlotti, N., **Knowlton, T.**, Lidz, J., & Halberda, J. (2021) *An investigation of the origins of logical quantification: infants' (and adults') representations of exhaustivity in collective or individual complex actions*. Society for Philosophy and Psychology (SPP) 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Princeton University.
- Cesana-Arlotti, N., **Knowlton, T.**, Lidz, J., & Halberda, J. (2021) *Representing the exhaustivity of collective and individual actions: an investigation of universal quantification in adults and infants*. 12<sup>th</sup> Dubrovnik Conference on Cognitive Science, Virtual.
- Knowlton, T.**, Pietroski, P., Williams, A., Halberda, J., & Lidz, J. (2020) *Determiners are 'conservative' because their meanings are not relations: evidence from verification*. Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT) 30, Cornell University.
- Cesana-Arlotti, N., **Knowlton, T.**, Lidz, J., & Halberda, J. (2020) *An investigation of the origin of logical quantification: infants' and adults' representations of collective and distributive actions in complex visual scenes*. 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Virtual.
- Cesana-Arlotti, N., **Knowlton, T.**, Lidz, J., & Halberda, J. (2020) *Who's chasing whom? Adults' and infants' engagement of quantificational concepts ("each" and "all") when representing visual chasing events*. 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society (VSS), Virtual.
- Cesana-Arlotti, N., **Knowlton, T.**, Lidz, J., Pietroski, P., & Halberda, J. (2019) *Concepts of universal quantification ("each" and "all") may support infant and adult understanding of collective and distributive actions*. Cognitive Development Society (CDS) 2019 Biennial Meeting, Louisville, KY.
- Knowlton, T.**, Halberda, J., Pietroski, P., & Lidz, J. (2019) *A novel memory task reveals early understanding of quantifier meanings*. Society for Research in Child Development (SRCD) Biennial Meeting, Baltimore, MD.
- Knowlton, T.**, Pietroski, P., Halberda, J., & Lidz, J. (2019) *Representational format and universal quantifiers*. Linguistic Society of America (LSA) Annual Meeting, New York, NY.
- Perkins, L., **Knowlton, T.**, Williams, A., & Lidz, J. (2018) *Matching number vs. linking roles: using 3-participant scene percepts to understand infants' bootstrapping*. Boston University Conference on Language Development (BUCLD) 43, Boston, MA.
- Knowlton, T.**, Perkins, L., Williams, A., & Lidz, J. (2018) *Getting a grip on infants' event representations: participant number in TAKE and PICK-UP*. XXI International Congress of Infant Studies (ICIS) Biennial Congress, Philadelphia, PA.
- Knowlton, T.**, Wong, A., Halberda, J., Pietroski, P., & Lidz, J. (2018) *Different determiners, different algorithms: two majority quantifiers in Cantonese bias distinct verification strategies*. 31<sup>st</sup> CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of California, Davis.
- Knowlton, T.**, Halberda, J., Pietroski, P., & Lidz, J. (2017) *Sentences, centers, and sets: set selection and the meanings of more and most*. Cognitive Development Society (CDS) Biennial Meeting, Portland, OR.
- Knowlton, T.**, Halberda, J., Pietroski, P., & Lidz, J. (2017) *Distinguishing first- from second-order specifications of each, every, and all*. Mid-Atlantic Colloquium of Studies in Meaning



(MACSIM) 7, Georgetown University.

**Knowlton, T.**, Halberda, J., Pietroski, P., & Lidz, J. (2017) *Set selection and storage reflect differences in quantifier meanings*. McDonnell Network Plenary Workshop on “The Ontogenetic Origins of Combinatorial Thought”, University of California, San Diego.

Perkins, L., **Knowlton, T.**, Hirzel, M., Dudley, R., Williams, A., & Lidz, J. (2017) *Linguistic and conceptual structure in verb learning*. McDonnell Network Plenary Workshop on “The Ontogenetic Origins of Combinatorial Thought”, University of California, San Diego.

## Teaching

### University of Delaware (*Instructor of Record*)

Virtual/Asynchronous Intro CogSci (w. Alon Hafri; 13 undergraduates)	Winter 2026
Introduction to Cognitive Science (135 undergraduates)	Spring 2025

### University of Pennsylvania (*Instructor of Record*)

Language, Cognition, and Culture (10 undergraduates; 1 postgraduate)	Spring 2024
Cognition, Language, and Perception (15 graduate students & faculty)	Fall 2022

### University of Maryland

#### *Instructor of Record*

Language and Thought (11 undergraduates)	Spring 2020
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#### *Teaching Assistant*

Grammar and Meaning (24 undergraduates)	Fall 2019
Child Language Acquisition (19 undergraduates)	Spring 2019
Language and Mind (50 undergraduates)	Fall 2018

#### *Recitation/Section Instructor*

Introductory Linguistics (30 undergraduates)	Spring 2018
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## Mentorship

### University of Delaware

Undergraduate mentor, Perception and Language Lab	2025-
– Supervised 3 undergraduate research assistants	
Cognitive science methodological rotation mentor	2025
– Supervised Carleton University PhD student Chester Leopold’s rotation project	

## University of Pennsylvania

Cognitive science independent study co-mentor	2022-23
– Supervised 2 undergraduate thesis projects	
– Mentee Julia Ongchoco won the 2023 Robert J. Glushko Outstanding Undergraduate Award in Cognitive Science and a Phi Beta Kappa Senior Thesis Award	
MindCORE <a href="#">Step-Ahead Mentorship Program</a>	2021-22
– Supervised 1 undergraduate student	

## University of Maryland

Undergraduate mentor, <a href="#">Project on Children’s Language Learning</a>	2018-21
– Supervised 7 undergraduate research assistants	
High school summer intern mentor, <a href="#">Project on Children’s Language Learning</a>	2019
– Mentee Simon Chervenak won “Best Paper in Behavioral Sciences” from the Washington Academy of Science for his presentation at the Blair Magnet School STEM Fair	

## Johns Hopkins University

Undergraduate mentor, <a href="#">Vision and Cognition Lab</a>	2015-16
– Supervised 5 undergraduate research assistants	

## Academic Activities

### Service

#### *University of Delaware*

Linguistics and Cognitive Science Colloquium Committee	2025-
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#### *University of Pennsylvania*

Organizing committee, <a href="#">ELM 3</a> (Experiments in Linguistic Meaning)	2023-24
Admissions committee, <a href="#">DivE In</a> (Diversity and Equity Initiative)	2023
3 <sup>rd</sup> Annual Mentorship Weekend	
Proceedings co-editor, <a href="#">ELM</a> (Experiments in Linguistic Meaning)	2022-24
Volunteer, <a href="#">The 9<sup>th</sup> MACSIM</a> (Mid-Atlantic Colloquium of Studies in Meaning)	2023
Student mentor, <a href="#">DivE In</a> (Diversity and Equity Initiative)	2022
2 <sup>th</sup> Annual Mentorship Weekend	
Host, <a href="#">Behind the CV: Stories from Faculty</a>	2022
MindCORE <a href="#">Outreach Committee</a>	2021

Organizing committee, <a href="#">ELM 2</a> (Experiments in Linguistic Meaning)	2021-22
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*University of Maryland*

Linguistics Colloquium Committee	2019-21
Organizing committee, <a href="#">Mayfest 2020: Hindsight</a> (postponed due to COVID-19)	2019-20
Co-organizer, Developmental Science Workshop <i>Endless Possibilities: The Development of Possibility and Necessity in Cognition, Language, and Society</i>	2018-19
Chair, <a href="#">Language Science Outreach Committee</a>	2018-19
Planning committee, <a href="#">Winter Storm 10</a> (graduate student skills workshop)	2017-18
Co-chair, Linguistics Graduate Student Association	2017-18
Career fair coordinator, <a href="#">Language Science Outreach Committee</a>	2016-18
Planning committee, <a href="#">Winter Storm 9</a> (graduate student skills workshop)	2016-17
Organizing committee, SALT 27 (Semantics And Linguistic Theory)	2016-17

## Ad Hoc Reviewing

*Manuscripts*

Analysis  
 Cognition  
 Cognitive Science  
 Discourse Processes  
 Erkenntnis  
 First Language (×2)  
 Glossa: A Journal of General Linguistics  
 Glossa Psycholinguistics  
 Journal of Memory and Language (×4)  
 Journal of Pragmatics  
 Journal of Semantics (×2)  
 Language Acquisition  
 Language Learning and Development (×3)  
 Natural Language Semantics  
 PLOS One (×2)

*Proposals*

CRC Press Book Proposal  
 National Science Foundation Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant

*Conference Abstracts/Papers*

Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing  
 Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society  
 Budapest CEU Conference on Cognitive Development  
 European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information  
 Experiments in Linguistic Meaning  
 Penn Linguistics Conference

Procedural and Computational Models of Semantic and Pragmatic Processes  
Semantics and Linguistic Theory  
Sinn und Bedeutung

### **Professional Memberships**

American Psychological Association  
Cognitive Development Society  
Cognitive Science Society  
International Congress of Infant Studies  
Linguistic Society of America  
Society for Human Sentence Processing  
Society for Research in Child Development  
Vision Sciences Society