

# Youran Lin, B.A., M.A. Linguistics

**Clinical interests:** As an international student in a combined SLP/PhD program, I'm especially interested in speech disorders, SLP in multicultural and multilingual contexts, and the combination of clinical practice and research evidence.

## Education

### University of Alberta

- MScSLP/PhD (2018-Present)

### Peking University

- M.A. Linguistics (2015-18)
- B.A. Chinese Language (2011-15)

## Professional skill highlights

### Assessments for children with different language backgrounds

- Designed Mandarin speech assessment tools for a research project
- Assessed speech and language of Chinese-English bilingual children for 40+ hours
- Assessed literacy skills of 400+ Mandarin-speaking children using a test battery with 14 subtests

### Interdisciplinary teamwork in multicultural contexts

- Worked as a clinical translator and interpreter at LIH Healthcare, Beijing for a year
- Collaborated with PTs, OTs, and SLPs to provide clinical sessions and parent training sessions
- Translated clinical sessions, educational presentations, clinical notes, and research articles
- Assisted to launch the "[GoBabyGo](#)" program in China to provide cars for children with limited mobility

### Teaching and supervisory skills

- Taught 1st-year SLP students clinical transcription in a 2-hour guest lecture
- Designed a case study to introduce software-assisted clinical transcription
- Mentored 14 SLP students on their projects about bilingual speech development
- Taught the postgraduate course "Contemporary Phonology" as a teaching assistant

### Consultation and counselling skills

- Provided consultation for 50+ international students who were interested in studying abroad
- Provided training for international students whose communication was impacted by accentness

## Clinical placements

- Corbett Clinic Internal Practicum (Fall 2020, telepractice)
- Corbett Clinic Internal Practicum (Spring 2020, [Simucase](#))

## Technical Skills

- Matlab, HTML5, Python
- Phon, Praat, Photoshop, SPSS

## Publications

- [PA and alphabetic knowledge](#)
- [Bilingual lexicalization](#)

## Presentations

- [Teaching speech in bilingual schools](#)
- [Ratings and acoustics of foreign speech](#)
- [Development of tones and fricatives](#)