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### RESEARCH AREAS

Formal Semantics, Natural Language Ontology, Lexical Semantics  
Nominalization, Event Structure

### POSITIONS

**Pre-doctoral researcher** 2018 –  
Department of Translation and Language Sciences, Universitat Pompeu Fabra.

### EDUCATION

#### Degrees

**M.A.**, Theoretical and Applied Linguistics, Universitat Pompeu Fabra. 2016 – 17  
Thesis: *Middle constructions in Chinese*  
Advisor: Josep M. Fontana

**M.A.**, Hispanic Philology, Shanghai International Studies University. 2015 – 18  
Thesis: *Efecto de la lengua materna en la producción de oclusivas españolas por alumnos chinos: Estudio de caso sobre hablantes del dialecto wu*  
Advisor: Yufei Cao

**B.A.**, Spanish, Shanghai International Studies University. 2011 – 15  
Project: La distinción auditiva de las oclusivas del español por estudiantes chinos  
Advisor: Yufei Cao

#### Research Stays

**Visiting PhD student** 2021  
Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin Sept. – Dec.  
Advisor: Fabienne Martin

#### Non-Degree Studies

**33rd European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information (ESSLI)** 2022  
National University of Ireland, Galway Aug. 8 – 19

**32nd European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information (ESSLI)** 2021  
Free University of Bozen-Bolzano (Online) Jul. 26 – Aug. 13

**Web Summer School in Logic, Language, and Information (WeSSLI)** 2020  
Brandeis University (Online) Jul. 11 – 17

**31st European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information (ESSLI)** 2019  
University of Latvia Aug. 5 – 16

**29th European Summer School in Logic, Language, and Information (ESSLI)** 2017  
University of Toulouse Jul. 17 – 28

## PUBLICATIONS

### *Proceedings Papers of Refereed Conferences*

**2021.** Huang, Zi. **Distinguishing between POSS-ing and ACC-ing: Evidence from *with(out)*.** In Holtz, Annie, Iva Kovač, Rasmus Puggaard-Rode and Joanna Wall (eds.), *ConSOLE XXIX: Proceedings of the 29th Conference of the Student Organization of Linguistics in Europe (26-28 January 2021, Leiden University)*. Leiden: Leiden University Centre for Linguistics. 192-204.

**2021.** Huang, Zi. **Temporal modification of event kinds.** In Young Pedersen, Mina and Alexandra Pavlova (eds.), *Proceedings of the ESSLLI Student Session 2021*. Online. 132–141.

## TALKS

### *Peer-Reviewed Conference Presentations*

**2023.** Huang, Zi. **POSS-ing as Kimian states.** Oral presentation at *The 53rd Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society (NELS 53)*, University of Göttingen. January 12 – 14.

**2021.** Huang, Zi. **Locating facts in time.** Poster presentation at The 9th International Conference on Formal Linguistics (ICFL-9), Fudan University. November 5 – 7.

**2021.** Huang, Zi. **Temporal modification of event kinds.** Oral presentation at *the Student Session of the 32nd European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information (ESSLLI 2021)*, Association for Logic, Language and Information. July 26 – August 13.

**2021.** Huang, Zi. **Imperfect nominals selected by temporal prepositions.** Oral presentation at *The 9th Workshop on Nominalizations (JENom 9)*, The John Paul II Catholic University of Lublin and University of Silesia in Katowice. June 17 – 18.

**2021.** Huang, Zi. **Distinguishing between POSS-ing and ACC-ing: Evidence from *with(out)*.** Oral presentation at *The 29th Conference of the Student Organization of Linguistics in Europe (ConSOLE29)*, Leiden University Centre for Linguistics. January 26 – 28.

### *Other Conferences and Talks*

**2022.** Huang, Zi. **The discourse status of verbal gerunds.** Oral presentation at the *Workshop on Word Formation and Discourse Structure*, University of Leipzig. May 4 – 5.

**2021.** Huang, Zi. **The discourse status of verbal gerunds.** Oral presentation at the *Experimental Syntax and Heritage Languages (RUESHeL) lab meeting*, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin. December 6.

**2021.** Huang, Zi. **Imperfect nominals selected by temporal prepositions.** Oral presentation at *Kolloquium für Syntax und Semantik*, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin. October 26.

**2021.** Huang, Zi. **POSS-ing and ACC-ing as complements of *with(out)*.** Oral presentation at the *Formal Linguistics Research Group (GLiF) seminars*, Universitat Pompeu Fabra. January 14.

**2019.** Huang, Zi. **Hybrid infinitives in Spanish and the aspectual restriction.** Oral presentation at *The URLING Research Unit in Linguistics Workshop*, Universitat Pompeu Fabra. June 12.

**2019.** Huang, Zi. **The aspectual restriction and unpredicted nominal infinitives.** Oral presentation at *The Meaning and Grammar Network Meeting (SiGGRAM)*, Universidad de Alcalá. June 6 – 7.

**2018.** Huang, Zi. **Identifying middle constructions in Chinese.** Oral presentation at *The Retreat for Students in Semantics and Pragmatics (ReSSP)*, La Garrotxa. October 4 – 7.

## EXPERIENCE

### *Participation in Funded Projects*

<b>Member</b>	2023 –
Consolidated Research Group “Grup de Lingüística Formal” (2021 SGR 00947, funded by the Catalan government), 60,000.00€	
PI: Louise McNally	
<b>Member</b>	2018 – 22
Consolidated Research Group “Grup de Lingüística Formal” (2017 SGR 01478, funded by the Catalan government), 58,424.65€	
PI: Josep Quer	
<b>Member</b>	2018 – 20
Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation grant FFI2016-76045-P, “Connecting conceptual and referential models of meaning 2”, 55,000€	
PI: Louise McNally	

## FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS AND AWARDS

### Fellowships

<b>PhD Fellowship</b>	2019 – 2022
Ajuts per a la contractació de personal investigador predoctoral en formació (2019FI_B_00397).	May. – Sept.
Awarded by: Agència de Gestió d'Ajuts Universitaris i de Recerca, Generalitat de Catalunya.	

### Awards

<b>Best short paper</b>	2021
Student Session of the 32nd European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information (ESSLI)	

## SERVICE IN THE FIELD

### Conference Organization

<b>Language &amp; Logic track co-chair of the Student Session</b>	2022
33rd European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information (ESSLI)	Aug. 8 – 19
National University of Ireland, Galway.	

<b>Member of the organizing and program committee</b>	2020
The 28th Conference of the Student Organization of Linguistics in Europe (ConSOLE 28)	Jan. 29 – 31
Universitat Pompeu Fabra.	

### Other Service

<b>Co-organizer</b>	2019 – 20
Formal Linguistics Research Group Seminars (GLiF)	
Universitat Pompeu Fabra	

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

### Universitat Pompeu Fabra: Teaching Assistant

<b>Meaning in Languages</b> (25464)	2021 – 22
for undergraduate in Applied Languages, taught in Catalan	Spring
<b>ICT Resources</b> (25284)	2020 – 21
for undergraduate in Translation and Interpreting, taught in Spanish	Fall
<b>Linguistics</b> (20219)	2019 – 20
for undergraduate in Translation and Interpreting, taught in English	Spring
<b>ICT Resources</b> (25284)	2019 – 20
for undergraduate in Translation and Interpreting, taught in Spanish	Fall

*Shanghai International Studies University: Teacher*

**Spanish Listening and Conversation**

at College for International Cooperative Programs

2017 – 18

Spring

**Introductory Spanish**

for undergraduate in English Philology

2015 – 16

Fall, Spring

**LANGUAGES**

Mandarin Chinese (native)

Wu Chinese (native)

English (proficient)

Spanish (DELE C1, 2016)

Catalan (CIFALC C1, 2021)

German (basic knowledge)

**PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES**

Python

MySQL