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BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

DATE OF BIRTH: July 11, 1978
CITIZENSHIP: USA

EDUCATION

- 2006 Ph.D – Linguistics. University of California, Los Angeles.
Thesis title: *Conditions on Multiple Copy Spell-Out and the Syntax–Phonology Interface*
Thesis committee: Hilda Koopman (chair), Mark C. Baker, Edward L. Keenan, Tim Stowell
- 2002 Master of Arts – Linguistics. University of California, Los Angeles.
Thesis title: *Word Order and the Extended Projection of the Nupe Verb*
Thesis committee: Hilda Koopman (chair), Daniel Büring, Tim Stowell
- 2000 Bachelor of Arts – Summa Cum Laude with departmental honors in Linguistics and general honors in Philosophy. Rutgers University.
Thesis title: *Nupe Numeral Constructions: Their Syntax, Semantics, & Significance in Linguistic Theory*
Thesis committee: Maria Bittner (chair), Mark C. Baker

NON-DEGREE STUDY

- 2012 Institute on Collaborative Language Research (CoLang 2012). University of Kansas. June 18-29.

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2022 – PRESENT Full Professor, The Graduate Center, City University of New York
2022 Invited Instructor for African Linguistics School 6, July 18-30, Porto-Novo, Benin
2018 – 2021 Associate Professor (tenured), The Graduate Center, City University of New York
2015 – 2017 Associate Professor, The Graduate Center, City University of New York
2012 – 2015 Assistant Professor (tenure track), University of Kansas
2011 – 2012 Assistant Professor (tenure track), University of Texas at Arlington
2006 – 2011 Visiting Assistant Professor, Swarthmore College
2005 – 2006 Typologist and language profile writer, UCLA Language Materials Project

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Syntactic Theory
Syntax–Phonology Interface

African Linguistics
Field Linguistics & Language Documentation

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

8. In progress *Aspects of Ikpána Grammar* (with Bertille Baron Obi, Philip T. Duncan, and Hironori Katsuda)
München: Lincom Publishers. (LINCOM STUDIES IN AFRICAN LINGUISTICS) (Proposal accepted: 8/4/2020)
7. In progress *Escaping African ‘Islands’*. Special issue of *Languages*. Basel, Switzerland: MDPI.
6. 2023 *Ikpána Interrogatives* (with Bertille Baron, Philip T. Duncan, and Hironori Katsuda)
Oxford: Oxford University Press. (OXFORD STUDIES OF ENDANGERED LANGUAGES).
5. 2020 *Anti-Contiguity: A Theory of Wh- Prosody*
New York: Oxford University Press. (OXFORD STUDIES IN COMPARATIVE SYNTAX)
4. 2018 *African Linguistics on the Prairie: Selected Papers from the 45th Annual Conference on African Linguistics* (With Travis Major, Harold Torrence, and Philip T. Duncan)
Berlin: Language Science Press.
3. 2017 *Africa’s Endangered Languages: Documentary and Theoretical Approaches* (with Harold Torrence)
New York: Oxford University Press.

REVIEWS OF *Africa’s Endangered Languages*:

- *The Canadian Journal of Linguistics* 65(2): 317-720. Reviewed by Justin Case. 2020.
- *Bulletin of the School of Oriental & African Studies* 82(3): 591-592. Reviewed by Pius Akumbu. 2019.
- *Language* 94(3): 717-720. Reviewed by Christopher R. Green. 2018.
- *Journal of Linguistics* 54(3): 666-670. Reviewed by Sarah FitzGerald. 2018.

2. 2008 *The Grammar of Repetition: Nupe Grammar at the Syntax–Phonology Interface*
Amsterdam: John Benjamins Publishing Company. (LINGUISTIK AKTUELL/LINGUISTICS TODAY 136)

REVIEWS OF *The Grammar of Repetition*:

- *Journal of African Languages and Linguistics* 32(1): 143-146. Reviewed by Leston Buell. 2011.
- *Topics in the Study of Language (Voprosy Jazykoznanija)* 3: 139-141. Reviewed by Vera S. Maltseva. 2010.

1. 2003 *Papers in African Linguistics, Volume 3*
UCLA Working Papers in Linguistics 9: University of California, Los Angeles.

JOURNAL ARTICLES

13. 2023 “Absence of Clausal Islands in Shupamem” (with Hagay Schurr, Abdoulaye Laziz Nchare, Tysean Bucknor, Xiaomeng Ma, Magdalena Markowska, and Armando Tapia)
Accepted. To appear in *Languages*.
12. 2023 “Integrated Non-restrictive Relative Clauses in Shupamem” (with Abdoulaye Laziz Nchare)
Natural Language and Linguistic Theory 41.2: 655–677.
11. 2023 “Salvation by Deletion in Nupe” (with Gesoel Mendes)
Linguistic Inquiry 54.2: 299-325.
10. 2022 “Sluicing and Focus Related Particles in Brazilian Portuguese and Nupe” (with Gesoel Mendes)
Revista Linguística 18.1: 39-61.

9. 2021 “Documenting the Ikpana Interrogative System” (with Bertille Baron Obi, Philip T. Duncan and Hironori Katsuda)
Journal of African Languages and Linguistics 42.1: 63-100.
8. 2017 “On Prosodic Variation and the Distribution of *Wh*- In-situ”
Linguistic Variation 17.1: 111–148.
7. 2015 “*Wh*- Question Formation in Krachi” (with Harold Torrence)
Journal of African Languages and Linguistics 36.2: 253–286.
6. 2015 “On Prosodic Vacuity and Verbal Resumption in Asante Twi”
Linguistic Inquiry 46.2: 243–272.
5. 2013 “Ways of Emphatic Scope-taking: from Emphatic Assertion in Nupe to the Grammar of Emphasis”
Lingua 128: 51–71.
4. 2011 “How *Why* is Different: *Wh*- In-situ in Krachi” (with Harold Torrence)
Snippets 23: 5–6.
3. 2009 “Embracing Edges: Syntactic and Phono-syntactic Edge Sensitivity in Nupe”
Natural Language and Linguistic Theory 27.2: 305–344.
2. 2009 “Externalization and Emergence: On the Status of Parameters in the Minimalist Program”
Biolinguistics 3.1: 93–98.
1. 2003 “On Directionality and the Structure of the Verb Phrase: Evidence from Nupe” (with Mark Baker)
Syntax 6.2: 115–155.

EDITED BOOK CHAPTER ARTICLES (REFEREED)

7. 2022 “Managing Data for Theoretical Syntactic Study of a Language” (with Philip T. Duncan, Harold Torrence and Travis Major)
In Andrea L. Berez-Kroeker, Bradley McDonnell, Eve Koller, and Lauren Collister (eds.), *The Open Handbook of Linguistic Data Management*, 523-530. Cambridge, MA: MIT Press.
6. 2021 “Predicate Fronting with Verb Doubling in Krachi: A Parallel Chains Analysis” (with Harold Torrence)
In Vera Lee-Schoenfeld and Dennis Ott (eds.), *Parameters of Predicate Fronting: Cross-linguistic Explorations of V(P)-initial Clauses*, 131-156. New York: Oxford University Press.
5. 2019 “A First Look at Krachi Clausal Determiners” (with Harold Torrence)
In Margit Bowler, Philip T. Duncan, Travis Major, and Harold Torrence (eds.), *Schuhschrift: Papers in Honor of Russell Schuh*, 66–76. Los Angeles: eScholarship Publishing.
4. 2017 “Africa’s Endangered Languages: An Overview” (with Harold Torrence)
In Jason Kandybowicz and Harold Torrence (eds.), *Africa’s Endangered Languages: Documentary and Theoretical Approaches*, 1–10. New York: Oxford University Press.
3. 2017 “The Role of Theory in Documentation: Intervention Effects and Missing Gaps in the Krachi Documentary Record” (with Harold Torrence)
In Jason Kandybowicz and Harold Torrence (eds.), *Africa’s Endangered Languages: Documentary and Theoretical Approaches*, 187–205. New York: Oxford University Press.

2. 2007 “On Fusion and Multiple Copy Spell-Out: The Case of Verbal Repetition”
In Norbert Corver and Jairo Nunes (eds.), *The Copy Theory of Movement*, 119–150. Amsterdam: John Benjamins Publishing Company.
1. 2003 “Verb Phrase Structure and Directionality in Nupe” (with Mark Baker)
In John M. Mugane (ed.), *Linguistic Typology and Representation of African Languages: Trends in African Linguistics* 5, 1–22. Trenton, New Jersey: Africa World Press.

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS ARTICLES (REFEREED)

14. 2023 “Question Formation in Ekhwa Adara” (with Josh Amaris, Emmanuel Bawa, Zhilang Liu, Aidan Malanoski, Margaret Matte, Olivia Mignone, Nhu-Anh Nguyen, Shane Quinn, and Alaa Sharif)
Submitted to Vicki Carstens (ed.), *Selected Papers from the 54th Annual Conference on African Linguistics*. Berlin: Language Science Press.
13. 2016 “Predicate Focus in Krachi: 2 Probes, 1 Goal, 3 PFs” (with Harold Torrence)
In Kyeong-min Kim (et al. eds.), *Proceedings of the 33rd West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics*, 227–236. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.
12. 2015 “The Prosodic Licensing of *Wh*- In-situ: Evidence from Krachi and Wasa” (with Harold Torrence)
In Ruth Kramer, Elizabeth Zsiga and One Boyer (eds.), *Selected Proceedings of the 44th Annual Conference on African Linguistics*, 146–157. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.
11. 2013 “Comparative Tano Interrogative Syntax: The View from Krachi and Bono” (with Harold Torrence)
In Olanike Ola Orié and Karen W. Sanders (eds.), *Selected Proceedings of the 43rd Annual Conference on African Linguistics*, 222–234. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.
10. 2012 “Krachi *Wh*- In-situ: A Question of Prosody” (with Harold Torrence)
In Jaehoon Choi, et. al (eds.), *Proceedings of the 29th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics*, 362–370. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.
9. 2009 “Demystifying the Predicate Cleft Construction”
In Rajat Mohanty and Mythili Menon (eds.), *Proceedings of GLOW in Asia VII*, 139–160. Hyderabad: EFL University Press.
8. 2009 “Sandhi Sans Derivation: Third Tone Patterns in Mandarin Chinese” (with Vera Lee-Schoenfeld)
In Catherine Lai and Laurel MacKenzie (eds.), *Proceedings of the 32nd Annual Penn Linguistics Colloquium*, 125–134. U. Penn Working Papers in Linguistics Vol. 15.1.
7. 2009 “*Comp*–*trace* Effects and the Syntax–Phonology Interface”
In Jacqueline Bunting, Sapna Desai, Robert Peachey, Christopher Straughn and Zuzana Tomková (eds.), *Proceedings of CLS 42* (Volume 1: The Main Session), 103–115. Chicago: Chicago Linguistics Society.
6. 2008 “Third Tone Patterns in Mandarin Chinese: A New Perspective” (with Vera Lee-Schoenfeld)
In Kevin Ryan (ed.), *Proceedings of the 27th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics Poster Session*, 51–60. UCLA Working Papers in Linguistics 14.
5. 2008 “On Edge Features and Perfect Extraction”
In Charles B. Chang and Hannah J. Haynie (eds.), *Proceedings of the 26th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics*, 288–296. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

4. 2007 “Fusion and PF Architecture”
In Tatjana Scheffler, Joshua Tauberer, Aviad Eilam and Laia Mayol (eds.), *Proceedings of the 30th Annual Penn Linguistics Colloquium*, 85–98. U. Penn Working Papers in Linguistics Volume 13.1.
3. 2006 “Comp–trace Effects Explained Away”
In Donald Baumer, David Montero and Michael Scanlon (eds.), *Proceedings of the 25th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics*, 220–228. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.
2. 2006 “Nupe Coordinate Structures: A Syntactically Heterogeneous Class”
In Rebecca Cover and Yuni Kim (eds.), *Proceedings of the 31st Annual Meeting of the Berkeley Linguistics Society* (Volume 31S: Special Session on Languages of West Africa), 53–64. Berkeley: Berkeley Linguistics Society.
1. 2004 “Predicate Clefts, Derivations, and Universal Grammar”
In Akin Akinlabi and Oluseye Adesola (eds.), *Proceedings of the 4th World Congress of African Linguistics, New Brunswick 2003*, 211–223. Köln: Rüdiger Köppe Verlag.

WORKING PAPERS ARTICLES

3. 2004 “Nupe Tonology and the Categorical Identity of Verb Copy Tones: A Pilot Experimental Study”
In Ad Neeleman (ed.), *University College London Working Papers in Linguistics 16*, 17–53.
2. 2002 “The Homogeneity of Nupe Verb Doubling Constructions”
In Harold Torrence (ed.), *UCLA Working Papers in Linguistics 8: Papers in African Linguistics 2*, 60–85.
1. 2000 “The Reiterated Numeral Construction”
In Cilene Rodrigues, Maximilano Guimaraes, Luisa Meroni and Itziar San Martin (eds.), *University of Maryland Working Papers in Linguistics 9*, 116–135.

UNPUBLISHED MANUSCRIPTS

10. 2015 “Are Syntax and Prosody Entangled? Insights from Krachi In-situ Interrogatives” Ms. University of Kansas.
9. 2009 “Predicates Clefting in Parallel” Ms. Swarthmore College.
8. 2008 “On the Incompatibility of Feature Inheritance and the PIC” Ms. Swarthmore College.
7. 2004 “Discontinuous Morphology Explained Away” Ms. UCLA.
6. 2002 *Word Order and the Extended Projection of the Nupe Verb* Master’s thesis. UCLA.
5. 2002 “Revising the Structure of the Malagasy *amp-* Causative” Ms. UCLA.
4. 2001 “A Normal Form Theorem for Minimalist Grammars” (with Gregory Kobele) Ms. UCLA.
3. 2001 “Templatic Minimality in Nupe Reduplication” Ms. UCLA.
2. 2000 “Spanish Imperative Intonation” Ms. UCLA.
1. 2000 *Deviant Numeral Constructions in Nupe: Their Syntax, Semantics, and Significance in Linguistic Theory* B.A. honors thesis. Rutgers University. (Chapter 2 published in *Maryland Working Papers 9*.)

TALKS

INVITED TALKS

41. 2023 “Escaping African ‘Islands’”
University of Connecticut. *Annual Conference on African Linguistics 54*. Plenary. June 13.
40. 2022 “Polar Interrogative Markers in the Ikpana Left Periphery”
African Linguistics School 6. *Cross-disciplinary Workshop on Information Structure in African Languages*. July 28.

39. 2021 “Two Unexpected(?) Properties of the Shupamem A-bar System”
International Christian University, Japan. Colloquium. November 13.
38. 2019 “Diagnosing (Non)-restrictivity in Ikpana and Shupamem Relative Clauses”
New York University. *Syntax Brown Bag* series. November 22.
37. 2018 “The Anti-contiguity of *Wh-* and *C*”
Princeton University. *Princeton Symposium on Syntactic Theory (PSST) 1: Syntactic Interfaces and Syntactic Modularity* Workshop. April 6.
36. 2015 “Parallel Chains at PF: Insights from Krachi Predicate Fronting with Verb Doubling”
University of Leipzig. *Replicative Processes in Grammar* Workshop. October 2.
35. 2015 “On Prosodic Variation and the Distribution of *Wh-* In-situ in Tano”
The Graduate Center, City University of New York. *Syntax Supper* series. March 16.
34. 2014 “Two Probes, One Goal, Different Copies: There’s No Wrong Way to Front a Predicate In Krachi”
Rutgers University. *Syntactic Theory at Rutgers (STaR)* series. November 20.
33. 2014 “Two Probes, One Goal, Different Copies: There’s No Wrong Way to Front a Predicate In Krachi”
Georgetown University. Colloquium. November 14.
32. 2014 “There’s No Wrong Way to Front a Predicate (In Krachi)” (with Harold Torrence)
University of Kansas. Colloquy. November 6.
31. 2014 “There’s No Wrong Way to Front a Predicate (In Krachi)”
Yale University. Colloquium. October 13.
30. 2014 “There’s No Wrong Way to Front a Predicate (In Krachi)”
New York University. *Syntax Brown Bag* series. October 10.
29. 2014 “There’s No Wrong Way to Front a Predicate (In Krachi)”
University of Pennsylvania. *Thursday Thoughts* series. October 9.
28. 2014 “The Prosodic Licensing of *Wh-* In-situ: Evidence from Four Tano Languages”
UC, Berkeley. *40th Annual Meeting of the Berkeley Linguistic Society*. Plenary. February 7.
27. 2013 “The Prosodic Licensing of *Wh-* In-situ: Evidence from Four Tano Languages”
University of Kansas. Colloquy talk. October 17.
26. 2013 “Can Verb Phrases be Empty?: A Case Study of Asante Twi”
University of Missouri, Columbia. Colloquium. March 15.
25. 2013 “Unweaving the Interrogative Rainbow: The Interplay between Syntax, Semantics & Prosody in Four Tano Languages”
Georgetown University. *Annual Conference on African Linguistics 44*. Plenary. March 8.
24. 2012 “Ways of Emphatic Scope-taking: from Emphatic Assertion in Nupe to the Grammar of Emphasis”
University of Kansas. February 23.
23. 2011 “Language Endangerment in Africa”
University of Texas at Arlington. *Endangered Languages Week*. November 3.

22. 2011 “Varieties of Emphatic Assertion: Restricted and Unrestricted Expression in Nupe”
University of Ghent. *GIST 4 – Polarity Emphasis* Workshop. September 29.
21. 2011 “Prosodic Answers to Syntactic Questions”
McGill University. February 10.
20. 2011 “Prosodic Answers to Syntactic Questions: From Holistic Documentation to Discovery”
University of Texas at Arlington. January 31.
19. 2010 “Syntactic and Prosodic Alignment: A Case Study from Twi Do-insertion”
Syracuse University. *Syracuse Interface* Workshop. April 23.
18. 2010 “The Grammar of Emphasis: A View from Nupe”
New York University. *Syntax Brown Bag* series. April 9.
17. 2010 “The Grammar of Emphasis: A View from Nupe”
Harvard University. *Language Universals and Linguistic Fieldwork* series. March 23.
16. 2010 “The Grammar of Emphasis: A View from Nupe”
University of Delaware. Colloquium. March 12.
15. 2009 “Predicates Clefting in Parallel”
The Graduate Center, City University of New York. Guest lecture in Marcel den Dikken’s *Syntax Seminar*. April 1.
14. 2009 “Verb Copying in Nupe and Mandarin Chinese: Two Pathways to Multiple Pronunciation”
Guest lecture in Shizhe Huang’s *Syntax & Semantics of Mandarin Chinese*. Haverford College. February 19.
13. 2009 “Why Say it Twice? On the Grammar of Repetition and the Syntax-Phonology Interface”
Georgetown University. January 29.
12. 2008 “Why Say it Twice? On the Grammar of Repetition”
University of Pennsylvania. Colloquium. October 9.
11. 2008 “Sometimes Syntax is Syntax. Sometimes Syntax is Phonology”
University of Chicago. February 14.
10. 2007 “Syntactic and Phono-syntactic Edge Sensitivity in Nupe”
The Graduate Center, City University of New York. *Syntax Supper* series. April 24.
9. 2007 “Syntactic and Phono-syntactic Edge Sensitivity in Nupe”
Georgetown University. Colloquium. April 12.
8. 2007 “On Directionality and the Structure of the Nupe Verb Phrase”
Swarthmore College. Guest lecture in Vera Lee-Schoenfeld’s *Intermediate Syntax* class. March 23.
7. 2006 “*Comp-trace* Effects: A PF Reductionist Approach”
University of California, Los Angeles. Colloquium. May 12.
6. 2006 “Nupe Verbal Repetition and Multiple Copy Spell-Out: PF Support for the Copy Theory of Movement”
Swarthmore College. April 3.

5. 2006 “Nupe Syntax at the PF Interface: the Case of Multiple Copy Spell–Out”
Massachusetts Institute of Technology. March 1.
4. 2006 “Field Methods for Formalists”
University of Florida. February 3.
3. 2006 “Multiple Copy Spell–Out and the Theory of Movement”
University of Florida. February 2.
2. 2005 “Nupe Coordinate Structures: A Syntactically Heterogeneous Class”
Carleton College. February 16.
1. 2000 “Some Intriguing Aspects of the Nupe Number System”
Rutgers University. *West African Languages Research Group*. April 25.

CONFERENCE TALKS (REFEREED)

39. 2023 “Question Formation in Ekhwa Adara” (with Josh Amaris, Emmanuel Bawa, Zhilang Liu, Aidan Malanoski, Margaret Matte, Olivia Mignone, Nhu-Anh Nguyen, Shane Quinn, and Alaa Sharif)
Annual Conference on African Linguistics 54. University of Connecticut. June 14.
38. 2023 “Absence of Clausal Islands in Shupamem” (with Hagay Schurr)
Locality in Theory, Processing, and Acquisition Workshop. University of Pennsylvania. March 31.
37. 2022 “Emotive Markers and Polar Interrogative Particles in the Ikpana Left Periphery” (with Philip Duncan)
Seoul International Conference on Generative Grammar. Seoul, Korea. August 12.
36. 2022 “Managing Data for a Theoretical Syntactic Study of Under-documented Languages” (with Philip Duncan, Harold Torrence and Travis Major)
Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America. Washington, D.C. January 6.
35. 2021 “Integrated Appositive Relative Clauses in Shupamem” (with Abdoulaye Laziz Nchare)
Annual Conference on African Linguistics 51-52. University of Florida. April 8.
34. 2021 “On the Absence of (Certain) Islands in Shupamem” (with Tysean Bucknor, Xiaomeng Ma, Magdalena Markowska, Abdoulaye Laziz Nchare, Hagay Schurr and Armando Tapia)
Annual Conference on African Linguistics 51-52. University of Florida. April 9.
33. 2021 “Diagnosing Restrictivity and Non-restrictivity in Ikpana Relative Clauses” (with Philip Duncan)
Annual Conference on African Linguistics 51-52. University of Florida. April 9.
32. 2019 “Documenting the Ikpana Interrogative System” (with Bertille Baron, Philip Duncan & Hironori Katsuda)
Annual Conference on African Linguistics 50. University of British Columbia. May 24.
31. 2019 “Wh- In-situ in Ikpana and the Anti-contiguity Hypothesis” (Withdrawn – did not present)
Annual Conference on African Linguistics 50. University of British Columbia.
30. 2018 “An Anti-contiguity Theory of *Wh*- Prosody”
20th International Congress of Linguists. Cape Town, South Africa. July 3.

29. 2018 “The Anti-contiguity of *Wh-* and C: New Evidence from Nupe”
Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America. Salt Lake City, Utah. January 6.
28. 2017 “The Anti-contiguity of *Wh-* and C: New Evidence from Nupe”
North East Linguistics Society 48. University of Iceland. October 29.
27. 2017 “Predicate Fronting with Verb Doubling in Krachi: A Parallel Chains Analysis”
Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America (Organized symposium – *Parameters of VP-Fronting*). Austin, Texas. January 7.
26. 2015 “Predicate Focus in Krachi: 2 Probes, 1 Goal, 3 PFs” (with Harold Torrence)
West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics 33. Simon Fraser University. March 28.
25. 2015 “There’s No Wrong Way to Focus a Predicate in Krachi” (with Harold Torrence)
Annual Conference on African Linguistics 46. University of Oregon. March 26.
24. 2014 “Language Endangerment in (West) Africa” (with Harold Torrence)
Annual Conference on African Linguistics 45 (Special undergraduate session on language endangerment in Africa). University of Kansas. April 17.
23. 2012 “Ways of Emphatic Scope-taking: Evidence from Nupe Emphatic Assertion”
Annual Conference on African Linguistics 43. Tulane University. March 15.
22. 2012 “Comparative Tano Interrogative Syntax: Typological and Genetic Implications” (with Harold Torrence)
Annual Conference on African Linguistics 43. Tulane University. March 16.
21. 2011 “Krachi *Wh*-in-situ and the Grammar of ‘Why’” (with Harold Torrence)
Annual Conference on African Linguistics 42. University of Maryland. June 11.
20. 2011 “Krachi *Wh*-in-situ: A Question of Prosody” (with Harold Torrence)
West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics 29. University of Arizona. April 22.
19. 2010 “Twi Do-insertion as Verbal Resumption”
Annual Conference on African Linguistics 41. University of Toronto. May 7.
18. 2009 “Demystifying Predicate Clefts: *Wh-* Head Movement and Parallel Chain Formation”
GLOW in Asia 7. English and Foreign Languages University. Hyderabad, India. February 26.
17. 2009 “On Predicate Clefts and Parallel Chains”
Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America. San Francisco, California. January 9.
16. 2008 “Third Tone Patterns in Mandarin Chinese: A New Perspective” (with Vera Lee-Schoenfeld)
West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics 27. University of California, Los Angeles. May 17.
15. 2008 “Sandhi Sans Derivation: Third Tone Patterns in Mandarin Chinese” (with Vera Lee-Schoenfeld)
Penn Linguistics Colloquium 32. University of Pennsylvania. February 23.
14. 2008 “Sandhi Sans Derivation: Third Tone Patterns in Mandarin Chinese” (with Vera Lee-Schoenfeld)
Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America. Chicago, Illinois. January 4.
13. 2007 “Edge Features and Perfect Extraction”
West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics 26. University of California, Berkeley. April 28.

12. 2007 “Sandhi Sans Derivation: Third Tone Patterns in Mandarin Chinese” (with Vera Lee-Schoenfeld)
Alternate paper for *GLOW in Asia* 6. December 27-29.
11. 2006 “Comp–trace Effects Explained Away”
West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics 25. University of Washington, Seattle. April 28.
10. 2006 “On Edge Features and Perfect Extraction in Nupe”
Annual Conference on African Linguistics 37. University of Oregon. April 9.
9. 2006 “Comp–trace Effects and the Syntax–Phonology Interface”
Chicago Linguistics Society 42. April 7.
8. 2006 “On Fusion and the Architecture of PF”
Penn Linguistics Colloquium 30 – special session on Distributed Morphology. University of Pennsylvania. February 24.
7. 2005 “Verbal Repetition and the Copy Theory of Movement”
Penn Linguistics Colloquium 29. University of Pennsylvania. February 27.
6. 2005 “On the Syntax of Nupe Coordination”
Berkeley Linguistics Society 31. University of California, Berkeley. February 20.
5. 2004 “Verbal Repetition and the Phonetic Realization of Multiple Chain Links”
Copy Theory of Movement on the PF Side workshop. Utrecht Institute of Linguistics – OTS, Utrecht University, The Netherlands. December 14.
4. 2004 “Experimental Tonology: The Case of Nupe Verb Copy Constructions”
2004 meeting of the *West African Languages Congress*. University of Ibadan, Nigeria. August 3.
3. 2004 “Nupe Tonology: Results From a Pilot Experimental Study”
Annual Conference on African Linguistics 35. Harvard University. April 2.
2. 2003 “The Derivational Status of Predicate Cleft Constructions: Evidence from Nupe”
World Congress of African Linguistics 4. Rutgers University. June 22.
1. 2002 “Verb Phrase Structures: New Insights from Africa” (with Mark Baker (invited) and Chris Collins)
Annual Conference on African Linguistics 33. Ohio University. March 23.

OTHER TALKS (NON-REFEREED)

4. 2011 “Varieties of Polarity Emphasis: Restricted and Unrestricted Expression in Nupe”
University of Texas at Arlington. *Syntax Reading Group*. September 23.
3. 2011 “Are Syntax and Prosody Entangled? Insights from Krachi In-situ Interrogatives”
University of North Texas. *DFW Metroplex Linguistics Conference*. September 10.
2. 2008 “Tone Patterns in Mandarin Chinese: A New Perspective” (with Vera Lee-Schoenfeld)
UC Santa Cruz. *UC Santa Cruz Linguistics Alumni Conference*. September 13.
1. 2006 “Conditions on Multiple Copy Spell–Out”.
UCLA. *Syntax/Semantics Seminar*. January 26.

MEDIA APPEARANCES

3. 2019 *Scientists of New York* blog. September 30.
<https://rockedu.rockefeller.edu/blog/jason-kandybowicz>
2. 2019 BBC World Service - *Focus on Africa*. Episode: “Nigeria’s ‘Democracy Buses’”. February 21.
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/w172w240bdlzd5z>
1. 2018 *Scientist* podcast. September 24.
<http://www.scientistpodcast.org/home/023-jason-kandybowicz>

PANEL DISCUSSANT

4. 2019 Prospects & Retrospects. Annual Conference on African Linguistics 50. University of British Columbia. May 25.
3. 2018 Grant writing panel. Fieldwork Discussion Group. New York University. September 14.
2. 2016 Field Linguistics panel. UCLA Linguistics 50th Anniversary Workshop. June 13.
1. 2011 Workshop on African Languages and Cultures for the Intelligence Community. Center for the Advanced Study of Language (CASL). College Park, Maryland. June 9.

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2022 Fellowship Award.
Funding for Spring 2022/2023 research leave. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
- 2017–2019 *Training and Text Collection as a Vehicle for Recruiting and Retaining Endangered Language Fieldworkers*.
Co-PI (with Harold Torrence), National Science Foundation grant BCS (EAGER DEL) – 1748590. \$267,648.
- 2014–2015 *Africa’s Endangered Languages: Documentary and Theoretical Approaches*.
Co-PI (with Harold Torrence), National Science Foundation grant BCS (DEL) – 1360823. \$24,601.
- 2014–2015 Supplement to *Africa’s Endangered Languages: Documentary and Theoretical Approaches*.
Co-PI (with Harold Torrence), National Science Foundation grant BCS (DEL) – 1360823. \$6,000.
- 2014–2015 *Krachi Interrogative Syntax: Documentation and Theoretical Investigation*.
PI, New Faculty General Research Program grant 2302341. University of Kansas. \$7,901.14.
- 2014–2015 *Evaluating Student Learning and Program Curriculum Through Capstone Courses*.
Grant member, Center for Teaching Excellence grant. Allard Jongman, PI. University of Kansas. \$5,000.
- 2011–2012 *Syntactic Interfaces*.
External grant member, Fonds Québécois de la Recherche sur la Société et la Culture (FQRSC)
grant FQRSC SE–144646. Lisa Travis, PI. \$344,693.
- 2010–2011 Faculty Research Support Grant.
Funding for summer fieldwork in Ghana. Swarthmore College. \$2,000.
- 2008–2009 Faculty Research Support Grant.
Funding for summer fieldwork in Nigeria. Swarthmore College. \$2,000.

- 2007–2008 Faculty Research Support Grant. Swarthmore College. \$1,000.
- 2004–2005 Dissertation Year Fellowship. University of California, Los Angeles. \$16,500.
- 2004–2005 Lenart Travel Fellowship. University of California, Los Angeles.
Funding for summer fieldwork in Nigeria. \$5,000.
- 2003–2004 Research Mentorship Fellowship. University of California, Los Angeles. \$15,000.
- 2002 Summer Research Mentorship Fellowship. University of California, Los Angeles. \$3,000.
- 2000–2001 Chancellor’s Fellowship. University of California, Los Angeles. \$16,500.

FIELDWORK

- 2022–PRESENT Adara (Ekhwa). Ongoing work one speaker in New York City.
- 2019–PRESENT Shupamem. Ongoing work one speaker in New York City.
- 2018–PRESENT Ikpana. Ongoing work with the Ikpana community in Ghana.
- 2011–2012 Choctaw. Worked with two speakers in Texas.
- 2010–PRESENT Krachi. Ongoing work with the Krachi community in Ghana.
- 2010–PRESENT Bono. Ongoing work with two speakers in Ghana.
- 2010–PRESENT Wasa. Ongoing work with two speakers in Ghana.
- 2009–PRESENT Asante Twi. Ongoing work with several speakers in Ghana and USA.
- 2007–2008 Mandarin Chinese. Worked with five speakers in Pennsylvania.
- 2001–2002 Malagasy. Worked with one speaker in California.
- 1999–PRESENT Nupe. Ongoing work with the Nupe community in Nigeria and USA.

TEACHING AND ADVISING

DOCTORAL THESIS SUPERVISOR

4. 2023– Naparat Meechanyakul, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“*Wh*- Indeterminates in Thai”
3. 2022– Hagay Schurr, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“On the Absence of Clausal Islands in Shupamem”
2. 2020 Yeonju Lee-Sikka, The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Co-supervised with Sam Al Khatib)
“The Syntax and Semantics of Korean *Wh*- Quantification: *Wh*- NPIs and *Wh*- In-situ”
1. 2020 Danielle Ronkos, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“The Sounds of Sikles Gurung: a Phonetic and Phonological Description of a Tibeto-Burman Language of Nepal”

DOCTORAL THESIS COMMITTEE MEMBER

14. 2022– Cass Lowry, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Pronoun Interpretation in Georgian”
13. 2021– Harriet Taber, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Initial Consonant Mutation in the Grammar of Modern Irish”

12. 2020–2023 Carolina Fraga, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Completive *Todo*”
11. 2019–2023 Bertille Baron, Georgetown University. (External committee member)
“Multiple Conditioning and Variation in Phonological Alternations: The Case of Vowel Hiatus in Ikpana”
10. 2019–2021 Susana Huidobro, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Non-Argumental Clitics in Spanish and Galician: A Study of the Distribution of Solidarity and Ethical Clitics”
9. 2019–2020 Joseph Pentangelo, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“360° Video and Language Documentation: Towards a Corpus of Kanien’kéha (Mohawk)”
8. 2019–2020 Benjamin Macaulay, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Prosody and Intonation in Formosan Languages”
7. 2017–2019 Namseok Yong, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Cue-Based Reflexive Reference Resolution: Evidence from Korean Reflexive *Caki*”
6. 2015–2016 Han-Byul Chung, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“On the Syntax/Semantics of Korean Nominal Particles”
5. 2014–2015 Philip Duncan, University of Kansas.
“The Role of Argument Structure in Me’phaa Verbal Agreement”
4. 2014–2015 Ibrahima Ba, University of Kansas.
“Nominalization in Pulaar”
3. 2012–2014 Khady Tamba, University of Kansas.
“Clausal Nominalization in Wolof”
2. 2011–2014 Mohamed Yusuf Mwamzandi, University of Texas at Arlington.
“Swahili Word Order Choices: Insights from Information Structure”
1. 2011–2013 Joshua Jensen, University of Texas at Arlington.
“The Structure of Jarai Clauses and Noun Phrases”
(Thesis published as book by Mouton De Gruyter in *Pacific Linguistics* series)

QUALIFYING PAPER SUPERVISOR

19. 2023– Emmanuel Bawa, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
Title TBA (QP1)
18. 2019–2023 Armando Tapia, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“The Syntax of Serial Verb Constructions in Shupamem” (QP2)
17. 2021–2022 Aidan Malanoski, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Right Node Raising and Flexible Cyclic Linearization” (QP1)
16. 2020 Joaõ Pedro Marinotti, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Learnability in the Context of Lexicalized Parameters: A Compositional Approach to Language Acquisition” (QP2)

15. 2020–2021 Lucas Ashby, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Cyclic Linearization, Agree, and Movement to the Edge” (QP1)
14. 2020–2021 Naparat Meechanyakul, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Intervention Effects in Thai *Wh*-phrase *T^hammaj* ‘Why’” (QP1)
13. 2019–2021 Hagay Schurr, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“On the Absence of Clausal Islands in Shupamem” (QP2)
12. 2019–2020 Amal Aissaoui, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“The Syntactic Status of Non-restrictive Relative Clauses in Tunisian Arabic” (QP1)
11. 2019–2020 Cass Lowry, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Evidence for Short A-bar Movement in Georgian” (QP1)
10. 2019–2020 Enas Albasiri, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Egyptian Arabic In-situ Interrogative Distribution: A Prosodic Analysis” (QP1)
9. 2018–2019 Camilo Andrés Bonilla Carvajal, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“The Syntax of the Latin Presentative *Ecce*: Locality Restrictions on Mobility” (QP1)
(Published in 2020 in *Journal of Latin Linguistics* 19: 27-57)
8. 2016–2018 Yeonju Lee, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“*Wh*- In-Situ Interrogatives Through the Lens of Split *Wh*- NPIs” (QP2)
7. 2017–2018 André Eliatamby, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“A Minimalist Parameter for the Development of Negation in Child English” (QP1)
6. 2017–2018 Pamela Franciotti, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Exploring Intervention Effects in L2 English Raising: Evidence from Acceptability Judgments” (QP1)
5. 2016–2018 Matthew Stuck, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Apparent Restrictions on the Distribution of the English Zero Complementizer: A Wide-Scale Survey of Acceptability Judgments” (QP1)
4. 2016–2017 Reem Faraj, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Morphosyntactic Transfer to Modern Standard Arabic: The Case of Heritage Speakers of Syrian Arabic” (QP1)
3. 2016–2017 Joaõ Pedro Marinotti, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“No Control in Partial Control: The Referential pro Hypothesis in Brazilian Portuguese” (QP1)
2. 2015–2016 Yeonju Lee, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“A Complex Null Operator Analysis of the Korean Exceptional Case Marking Construction” (QP1)
1. 2015–2016 Ines Pena Novas, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“The Personal Pronoun System in Yine: A Descriptive and Typological Account” (QP1)

QUALIFYING PAPER COMMITTEE MEMBER

9. 2023– Ibrahim Abu-Elrob, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“The Intonation and Prosody of Focus in Colloquial Palestinian Arabic” (QP1)

8. 2022–2023 Margaret Matte, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Multiple Sources of Gemimates in Passamaquoddy-Maliseet” (QP1)
7. 2021–2022 Cass Lowry, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Pronominal Expression in Georgian: A Corpus Analysis” (QP2)
6. 2020–2021 Tysean Bucknor, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Multiple Copy Spell-Out of AdjP in Belizean Creole *How*-Phrase Constructions” (QP1)
5. 2019 Hagay Schurr, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Bound to Be? Bare and Partitive-marked Noun Phrases Across Romance Languages and the Emergence of Prominence-conditioned Patterns” (QP1)
4. 2016–2018 Susana Huidobro, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“What Ethical Dative and Solidarity Clitics Can Tell Us About the Left Periphery” (QP2)
3. 2017 Benjamin Macaulay, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“Language Death and Language Change in Pazehe-Kaxabu” (QP2)
2. 2015–2016 Danielle Ronkos, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“The Role of Pitch in Gurung Tone” (QP2)
1. 2015–2016 Chaya Nove, The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
“There Goes the Dative: Case Leveling in Contemporary Hasidic Yiddish Object Pronouns” (QP1)

MASTERS THESIS SUPERVISOR

1. 2013–2015 Longcan Huang, University of Kansas.
“The Syntax of Vietnamese Causatives”

MASTERS THESIS COMMITTEE MEMBER

4. 2012–2013 Travis Major, University of Kansas.
“Syntactic Islands in Uyghur”
3. 2012–2013 Ibrahima Ba, University of Kansas.
“The Clause Structure of Pulaar”
2. 2012–2013 Jon Coffee, University of Kansas.
“Indefinite Pronouns in Uyghur”
1. 2012–2013 Robert Lewis, University of Kansas.
“Complementizer Agreement in Najdi Arabic”

UNDERGRADUATE THESIS SUPERVISOR

15. 2010 Caitlin Elizondo, Haverford College.
“Not 2 Cryptic 2 DCode: Paralinguistic Restitution, Deletion and Non-standard Orthography in Text Messages”
14. 2010 Clara Gordon, Swarthmore College.
“From Speech to Screen: The Orthography of Colloquial Arabic in Electronically-Mediated Communication”

13. 2010 Sarah Hawkins, Swarthmore College.
“Moroccan Arabic Multi-verb Constructions and the Verbal Prefix *k-*”
12. 2010 Leland Kusmer, Swarthmore College.
“There is no Future: Diachronic Verbal Morphology in Fante Twi”
11. 2010 Cansada Martin, Haverford College.
“On the Structure and Derivation of Twi Multi-verb Constructions”
10. 2010 Juliana Reyes, Bryn Mawr College.
“Secrets of Tagalog Headlines Revealed!: An Examination of Tagalog Headline Grammar”
9. 2010 Nemo Swift, Swarthmore College.
“The Grammar of Pitch in Gyeonsang Korean”
8. 2008 Elizabeth Bogal-Allbritten, Swarthmore College. (Co-supervised with Ted Fernald)
“Gradability and Degree Constructions in Navajo”
7. 2008 Emma Shaw, Bryn Mawr College. (Co-supervised with Donna Jo Napoli)
“A Sentential Stress Parameter? On Stress and Phasal Syntax: Evidence from French”
6. 2007 Katie Bates, Swarthmore College.
“Mixed Metaphors and the Speed of Comprehension of Figurative Language”
5. 2007 Rebecca Black, Swarthmore College.
“The Acquisition of Syntax: An Overview and Minimalist Case Study of L2 Japanese”
4. 2007 Kit La Touche, Swarthmore College.
“Dying Languages in a Wired World: How Best to Use the Internet in Language Revitalization”
3. 2007 Suzanne Landi, Bryn Mawr College.
“To Err is Human: The Nature of Phonological ‘Errors’ in Language Development”
2. 2007 David Stifler, Swarthmore College.
“Greek and Mandarin Utterance Particles: A Comparative Analysis”
1. 2007 Jessica WebsterLove, Bryn Mawr College.
“A Bare Grammar for Japanese”

UNDERGRADUATE HONORS THESIS COMMITTEE MEMBER

2. 2013 Ethan Locke, University of Kansas.
“An Extended Functional Perspective on West Greenlandic Incorporation and Affix Ordering”
1. 2013 Patrick Patterson, University of Kansas.
“Unpacking Bipartite Negation in Kaqchikel Maya”

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH MENTOR

1. 2014–2015 Jake Frondorf, University of Kansas.
“The Left Periphery of Pulaar”

COURSES TAUGHT

- 2023–2024 *Field Methods II* (Adara) (Ling 82200), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
Syntax II (Ling 72200), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Spring)
- 2022–2023 *Syntax I* (Ling 72100), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
Field Methods (Adara) (Ling 70100), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
- 2021–2022 *Interrogative Syntax: The View from Africa*. African Linguistics School 6. Porto-Novo, Benin. (Summer)
Syntax I (Ling 72100), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
Intro to Theoretical Linguistics (Ling 70100), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
- 2020–2021 *Syntax I* (Ling 72100), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
Intro to Theoretical Linguistics (Ling 70100), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
Syntax II (Ling 72200), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Spring)
Foundational Issues in Linguistics (Ling 79600), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Spring)
- 2019–2020 *Syntax I* (Ling 72100), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
Field Methods II (Shupamem) (Ling 82200), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
Syntax II (Ling 72200), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Spring)
Structure of an Individual Language: Ikpana (Ling 73100), The Graduate Center, CUNY. (Spring)
- 2018–2019 *Syntax I* (Ling 72100), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
Seminar in Syntax: Wh- Prosody (Ling 84100), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
Syntax II (Ling 72200), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Spring)
Field Methods (Shupamem) (Ling 82100), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Spring)
- 2017–2018 *Syntax I* (Ling 72100), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
Modern Linguistic Theories (Ling 79600), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Spring)
Syntax II (Ling 72200), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Spring)
Professional Development, The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Spring)
- 2016–2017 *Syntax I* (Ling 72100), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
Modern Linguistic Theories (Ling 79600), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
Syntax II (Ling 72200), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Spring)
- 2015–2016 *Syntax I* (Ling 72100), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
Intro to Theoretical Linguistics (Ling 70100), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Fall)
Syntax II (Ling 72200), The Graduate Center, City University of New York. (Spring)
- 2014–2015 *Syntax II* (Ling 326/726), University of Kansas. (Spring)
Typology – The Unity and Diversity of Human Language (Ling 421), University of Kansas. (Spring)
Research in Field Linguistics (Ling 852), University of Kansas. (Spring)
- 2013–2014 *Syntax I* (Ling 325/725), University of Kansas. (Fall)
Introductory Linguistics (Ling 106), University of Kansas. (Fall)
Research in Field Linguistics (Ling 852), University of Kansas. (Fall)
Syntax II (Ling 326/726), University of Kansas. (Spring)
Introductory Linguistics (Ling 106), University of Kansas. (Spring)
Research in Field Linguistics (Ling 852) [overload course], University of Kansas. (Spring)

- 2012–2013 *Syntax I* (Ling 325/725), University of Kansas. (Fall)
Linguistic Typology (Ling 322/722), University of Kansas. (Fall)
Seminar in Syntax: The Syntax-Phonology Interface (Ling 910), University of Kansas. (Spring)
Introductory Linguistics (Ling 106), University of Kansas. (Spring)
- 2011–2012 *Formal Syntax* (Ling 5530)/*Grammatical Theory I* (Ling 4303), UT at Arlington. (Fall)
Field Methods (Ling 5380), University of Texas at Arlington. (Fall)
Field Methods Seminar (Ling 6380), University of Texas at Arlington. (Spring)
History of Linguistics (Ling 4370/5370), University of Texas at Arlington. (Spring)
- 2010–2011 *Introduction to Language and Linguistics* (Ling 1), Swarthmore College. (Fall)
Introduction to Linguistics (Ling 1), Bryn Mawr College. (Fall)
Senior Thesis Research Seminar (Ling 195), Swarthmore College. (Fall)
Structure of Twi (Ling 65), Swarthmore College. (Spring)
Phonetics and Phonology (Ling 115B), Haverford College. (Spring)
- 2009–2010 *Field Methods: Twi* (Ling 75), Swarthmore College. (Fall)
Introduction to Syntax (Ling 113B), Bryn Mawr College. (Fall)
Introduction to Linguistics (Ling 1), Haverford College. (Fall)
Syntax (Ling 50), Swarthmore College. (Spring)
Phonetics and Phonology (Ling 115B), Haverford College. (Spring)
- 2008–2009 *Introduction to Language and Linguistics* (Ling 1), Swarthmore College. (Fall)
Introduction to Linguistics (Ling 1), Bryn Mawr College. (Fall)
Syntax Seminar: The Minimalist Program (Ling 295), Haverford College. (Spring)
Syntax (Ling 50), Swarthmore College. (Spring)
Phonetics and Phonology (Ling 115B), Haverford College. (Spring)
- 2007–2008 *Syntax Seminar: The Minimalist Program* (Ling 107), Swarthmore College. (Fall)
Senior Thesis Research Seminar (Ling 195), Swarthmore College. (Fall)
Introduction to Linguistics (Ling 1), Bryn Mawr College. (Fall)
Syntax (Ling 50), Swarthmore College. (Spring)
Phonetics and Phonology (Ling 115B), Haverford College. (Spring)
- 2006–2007 *Syntax* (Ling 50), Swarthmore College. (Fall)
Writing Systems, Decipherment, and Cryptography (Ling 55), Swarthmore College. (Fall)
Introduction to Linguistics (Ling 1), Bryn Mawr College. (Fall)
Introduction to Syntax (Ling 113B), Haverford College. (Spring)
Phonetics and Phonology (Ling 115B), Haverford College. (Spring)

OTHER TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2003 Teaching Fellow. *Syntax I* (Linguistics 120B), UCLA. (Spring)
2003 Teaching Fellow. *Semantics* (Linguistics 125), UCLA. (Winter)
2002 Teaching Associate. *Semantics* (Linguistics 125), UCLA. (Spring)
2002 Teaching Fellow. *Introduction to the Study of Language* (Linguistics 1), UCLA. (Fall)
2002 Teaching Associate. *Introduction to the Study of Language* (Linguistics 1), UCLA. (Winter)
2001 Teaching Assistant. *Mathematical Structures in Language* (Linguistics 180), UCLA. (Fall)
2000 Teaching Assistant. *Introduction to Formal Logic* (Philosophy 201), Rutgers University. (Spring)

SERVICE

SERVICE TO THE FIELD

MEMBERSHIP/PARTICIPATION IN SCHOLARLY SOCIETIES

- 2003–PRES Linguistic Society of America.
2015–PRES Association of Contemporary African Linguistics.

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS ORGANIZED

- 2014 45th Annual Conference on African Linguistics (ACAL 45). University of Kansas.
2014 Africa's Endangered Languages workshop. University of Kansas.

GRANT PROPOSAL REVIEWS

- 2022 National Science Foundation.
2019 National Science Foundation.
2017 National Science Foundation.
2016 National Science Foundation.
2013 National Science Foundation.

JOURNAL ARTICLE REVIEWS

- 2022 *Snippets*. LED On Line. Edizioni Universitarie di Lettere Economia Diritto.
- 2021 A. *Natural Language & Linguistic Theory*. Springer Publishing.
B. *Journal of African Languages and Linguistics*. De Gruyter.
C. *Canadian Journal of Linguistics*. Cambridge University Press.
- 2020 A. *Natural Language & Linguistic Theory*. Springer Publishing.
B. *Journal of West African Languages*. West African Linguistic Society.
- 2019 *Journal of Comparative Germanic Linguistics*. Springer Publishing.
- 2018 A. *Journal of Comparative Germanic Linguistics*. Springer Publishing.
B. *Linguistic Inquiry*. MIT Press.
C. *Linguistic Inquiry*. MIT Press.
- 2017 *Journal of African Languages and Linguistics*. De Gruyter.
- 2016 A. *Linguistic Inquiry*. MIT Press.
B. *Linguistics*. De Gruyter.
- 2015 A. *Linguistic Inquiry*. MIT Press.
B. *Lingua*. Elsevier Publishing.
C. *Journal of African Languages and Linguistics*. De Gruyter.
- 2014 *Linguistic Inquiry*. MIT Press.
- 2013 A. *Linguistic Inquiry*. MIT Press.
B. *Studia Linguistica*. Wiley.
- 2012 A. *Linguistic Inquiry*. MIT Press.

- B. *Lingua*. Elsevier Publishing.
 - C. *Natural Language & Linguistic Theory*. Springer Publishing.
- 2010
- A. *Linguistic Inquiry*. MIT Press.
 - B. *Natural Language & Linguistic Theory*. Springer Publishing.
 - C. *Syntax*. Blackwell Publishing.
- 2009
- Syntax*. Blackwell Publishing.
- 2008
- Syntax*. Blackwell Publishing.
- 2006
- Syntax*. Blackwell Publishing.

EDITED VOLUME REVIEWS

- 2023
- Selected Proceedings from the 53rd Annual Conference on African Linguistics*. Language Science Press.
- 2020
- Celebrating 50 Years of ACAL: Selected Proceedings from the 50th Annual Conference on African Linguistics*. Language Science Press.
- 2018
- Descriptive and Theoretical Approaches to African Linguistics: Selected Proceedings from the 49th Annual Conference on African Linguistics*. Language Science Press.
- 2017
- Theory and Description in African Linguistics: Selected Papers from the 47th Annual Conference on African Linguistics*. Language Science Press.
- 2016
- Recent Discoveries in African Linguistics and Literature*. Cambridge Scholars Publishing.
- 2015
- A. *Diversity in African Languages: Selected Papers from the 46th Annual Conference on African Linguistics*. Language Science Press.
 - B. *Diversity in African Languages: Selected Papers from the 46th Annual Conference on African Linguistics*. Language Science Press.
- 2014
- Kansas Working Papers in Linguistics*. University of Kansas.
- 2013
- A. *Selected Proceedings of the 44th Annual Conference on African Linguistics*. Cascadilla Press.
 - B. *Selected Proceedings of the 44th Annual Conference on African Linguistics*. Cascadilla Press.
 - C. *Selected Proceedings of the 43rd Annual Conference on African Linguistics*. Cascadilla Press.
 - D. *Selected Proceedings of the 43rd Annual Conference on African Linguistics*. Cascadilla Press.
- 2005
- The Copy Theory of Movement. Linguistik Aktuell/Linguistics Today*. John Benjamins Publishing.

BOOK PROPOSAL REVIEWS

- 2023
- Oxford University Press.
- 2007
- Cambridge Language Surveys. Cambridge University Press.

CONFERENCE ABSTRACT REVIEWS

- 2021
- Chicago Linguistics Society 57.
- 2020
- Annual Conference on African Linguistics 51.
- 2019
- Generative Linguistics in the Old World in Asia 12.

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- 2017 A. West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics 36.
B. Clause Typing and the Syntax-to-Discourse Relation in Head-Final Languages Workshop.
- 2016 A. Generative Linguistics in the Old World 2017.
B. Formal Ways of Analyzing Variation 3.
- 2015 A. North East Linguistics Society 46.
B. Chicago Linguistics Society 51.
- 2013 A. Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America.
B. Chicago Linguistics Society 49.
- 2012 A. Chicago Linguistics Society 48.
B. 18th International Conference of Korean Linguistics.
- 2011 West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics 30.
- 2010 A. Chicago Linguistics Society 46.
B. West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics 29.
- 2009 Penn Linguistics Colloquium 34.
- 2008 A. West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics 27.
B. Penn Linguistics Colloquium 33.
- 2007 Penn Linguistics Colloquium 32.
- 2006 A. Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America.
B. Penn Linguistics Colloquium 31.

DATABASE CONTRIBUTIONS (WEB MATERIALS/WEB PUBLICATIONS)

- 2009–PRES The Syntactic Properties of Nupe (<http://sswl.railsplayground.net/browse/languages/Nupe>).
In *Syntactic Structures of the World's Languages* database (<http://sswl.railsplayground.net>).
- 2007 The Nupe Numeral System (<http://lingweb.eva.mpg.de/numeral/Nupe.htm>).
In *Numeral Systems of the World's Languages* database (<http://lingweb.eva.mpg.de/numeral>).

EXTERNAL EVALUATION

- 2023 Spinoza Prize. Dutch Research Council (NWO). March 28.
- 2018 Swarthmore College Undergraduate Honors Program. May 21–22.
- 2015 Swarthmore College Undergraduate Honors Program. May 21–23.

INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE

UNIVERSITY/COLLEGE-LEVEL SERVICE

- 2016–2018 Research Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
- 2016 GC Dissertation Fellowship review panel. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
- 2014–2015 Co-chair of Faculty Seminar Committee. Kansas African Studies Center. University of Kansas.
- 2012 Faculty evaluator of Undergraduate Written Communication Learning Outcome. University of Kansas.
- 2010–2011 Off-Campus Study credit evaluator for all Twi language courses taken abroad. Swarthmore College.

DEPARTMENT-LEVEL SERVICE

2023–2024	Deputy Executive Officer. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2023–2024	Executive Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2023–2024	Ad-hoc Governance Review Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2023–2024	Faculty Membership Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2023–2024	Elections Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2022–2023	Curriculum and Exams Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2022–2023	Faculty Membership Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2020–2021	Admissions Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2020	MA Thesis Award Selection Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2019–2021	Faculty Membership Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2018–2019	Admissions Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2017–2018	Computational Linguistics Job Search Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2016–2024	Executive Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2016–2018	Curriculum and Exams Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2016–2018	Faculty Membership Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2016	Two presentations on Field Linguistics for Professional Development series. The Graduate Center, CUNY.
2015–2016	Curriculum and Exams Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2015–2016	Admissions Committee. The Graduate Center, City University of New York.
2014–2015	Fellowships and Awards Committee. University of Kansas.
2014–2015	Budget Advisory Committee. University of Kansas.
2014–2015	Assessment Committee. University of Kansas.
2014–2015	Evaluation of Teaching Committee. University of Kansas.
2012–2014	Capstone course development for LING 420 – Capstone Typology. University of Kansas.
2013–2014	GTA Supervisory committee. University of Kansas.
2013–2014	Curriculum committee. University of Kansas.
2012–2013	Fellowships and Awards committee. University of Kansas.
2012–2013	GTA Supervisory committee. University of Kansas.
2011–2012	Scholarship and Awards committee. UT Arlington.
2011–2012	Admissions and Recruitment committee. UT Arlington.
2011–2012	Graduate Studies committee. UT Arlington.
2011–2012	Undergraduate Curriculum committee. UT Arlington.
2011–2012	Library liaison. UT Arlington.
2007–2011	Undergraduate Linguistics advisor/program director. Bryn Mawr and Haverford Colleges.
2002	Semantics job search committee. University of California, Los Angeles.
1999–2000	Co-founder/director of the Rutgers Undergraduate Language and Linguistics Club. Rutgers University.

HONORS AND AWARDS

2004	Visiting scholar and honorary research assistant. University College London.
2000	University of Maryland Undergraduate Essay Prize in Linguistics. (An international competition)
2000	Honors in Linguistics. Rutgers University.
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Krachi	Beginner reading knowledge
Ikpana	Beginner reading knowledge