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Employment:

Fall 2022-present. Lecturer I. Department of Linguistics, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.

Education:

Fall 2016-Spring 2022. PhD. Department of Linguistics, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI. *Advisor*: Fall 2016-Fall 2019: Samuel D. Epstein. Spring 2020-Spring 2022: Acrisio Pires. *Dissertation and committee*: The Argument-Adjunct Distinction and the Structure of Prepositional Phrases. Acrisio Pires (chair), Ezra Keshet, Lisa Levinson, Richard L. Lewis, Daniel Seely.

Fall 2013-Spring 2016. B.A. Linguistics Summa Cum Laude, with honors, and with honors research distinction in Linguistics. Ohio State University, Columbus, OH. Honors Thesis: *The Syntax of Parenthetical Topics in English*, Advisors: Peter W. Culicover, Robert D. Levine, Judith Tonhauser.

Journal articles:

- 1. The argument/adjunct distinction does not condition islandhood of PPs in English. In *Linguistic Inquiry (Squibs)*, accepted pending minor revisions.
- 2. To appear. Specifying coordination in extra be sentences. In Language.
- 3. 2022. The position of *wh*-subjects in Labeling Theory. In *Linguistic Inquiry*, online early: doi.org/10.1162/ling_a_00470
- 4. 2022. Parenthetical Niching, a Third Factor, Phonosyntactic Analysis. In *Syntax* 25(3), 379-415. doi.org/10.1111/synt.12228

Articles under revision/review:

1. Separability of dependents from VP in English: beyond the argument/adjunct distinction. Under revision for invited resubmission to *Journal of Linguistics*.

Manuscripts in preparation:

- 1. Merge. With Noam Chomsky, Robert C. Berwick, Sandiway Fong, M. A. C. Huijbregts, Hisatsugu Kitahara, T. Daniel Seely, & Yushi Sugimoto. Under contract for *Elements in Generative Syntax*, ed. Robert Freidin. Cambridge University Press.
- 2. Lack of c-command in coordinate structures: Evidence from binding. With Alan Ke and Yushi Sugimoto.

Conference proceedings:

1. To appear. Two strategies for PP-fronting from certain island environments in English. In *Proceedings of the 58th Annual Meeting of the Chicago Linguistics Society*.

- 2. To appear. Against the argument/adjunct distinction. In *U. Penn Working Papers in Linguistics, Volume 28.1 (Proceedings of PLC 45).*
- 3. 2022. With Yushi Sugimoto. On dissociating adjunct island and subject island effects: syntactic vs. extrasyntactic approaches. In *Proceedings of the 96th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America*.
- 4. 2022. Re-evaluating the reanalysis analysis of prepositional passives. In *Proceedings of the* 56th Annual Meeting of the Chicago Linguistics Society.
- 5. 2020. The Distribution of Parentheticals is not (entirely) Syntactic! In *Proceedings of the 55th Annual Meeting of the Chicago Linguistics Society*. Eds. Ömer Eren, Asimina Giannoula, Sam Gray, Chi-Dat Lam (Daniel), Aurora Martinez Del Rio.
- 6. 2020. Parentheticals associate with their hosts pragmatically, not syntactically: Evidence from *as*-parentheticals. In *Proceedings of the Fiftieth Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society*. Eds. Mariam Asatryan, Yixiao Song and Ayana Whitmal. Amherst, MA: Graduate Linguistics Student Association.

Peer-Reviewed Conference Presentations:

- 1. Winter 2023. With Yourdanis Sedarous. Effects of extractee category in adjunct-island strength: Nominals vs. Prepositional Phrases. Accepted for poster presentation at *the 97th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America*, Denver.
- 2. Spring 2022. With Alan Ke and Yushi Sugimoto. Lack of c-command in coordinate structures: Evidence from binding. Oral presentation at *The 45th Generative Linguistics in the Old World (GLOW) Colloquium*, Queen Mary University of London.
- 3. Spring 2022. Two strategies for PP-fronting from certain island environments in English. Oral presentation at *The 58th Annual Meeting of the Chicago Linguistics Society*, University of Chicago. (Presented remotely).
- 4. Spring 2022. With Yourdanis Sedarous. Pied-piping out of adjunct islands: an experimental approach to Cinque (1990). Poster presentation at *The 46th Annual Penn Linguistics Conference*, University of Pennsylvania. (Presented remotely).
- 5. Winter 2022. With Yushi Sugimoto. On dissociating adjunct island and subject island effects: syntactic vs. extrasyntactic approaches. Poster presentation at *the 96th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America*, Washington D.C. (Presented asynchronously).
- 6. Fall 2021. Islandhood of English PPs is not conditioned by the argument/adjunct distinction. Oral presentation at *the 52nd Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society*, Rutgers University. (Presented remotely).
- 7. Spring 2021. Against the argument/adjunct distinction. Oral presentation at *The 45th Annual Penn Linguistics Conference*, University of Pennsylvania. (Presented remotely).
- 8. Winter 2021. With Yushi Sugimoto. Subject Islands in a Simplest Merge System. Poster presentation at *The 95th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America*, San Francisco. (Presented remotely).

- 9. Spring 2020. Re-evaluating the reanalysis analysis of prepositional passives. Poster presentation at *The 56th Annual Meeting of the Chicago Linguistics Society*, University of Chicago. (Presented asynchronously).
- 10. Spring 2020. With Emily Atkinson. Syntactically unintegrated parentheticals: Evidence from agreement attraction. Oral presentation at *the 33rd Annual CUNY Human Sentence Processing Conference*, University of Massachusetts Amherst. (Presented remotely).
- 11. Winter 2020. Parentheticals associate with their hosts pragmatically, not syntactically: Evidence from *as*-parentheticals. Oral presentation at *The 94th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America*, New Orleans.
- 12. Fall 2019. Parentheticals associate with their hosts pragmatically, not syntactically: Evidence from as-parentheticals. Poster presentation at *The 50th Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society*, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
- 13. Spring 2019. The Distribution of Parentheticals is not (entirely) Syntactic!. Poster presentation at *The 55th Annual Meeting of the Chicago Linguistics Society*, University of Chicago.
- 14. Spring 2019. The Distribution of Parentheticals and the Sensorimotor Interface. Poster presentation at *The 43rd annual Penn Linguistics Conference*, University of Pennsylvania.

Invited Presentations:

- 1. Winter 2023. Prepositional phrases in an adjunction-free syntax. Syntax Brown Bag, New York University.
- 2. Spring 2019. Parentheticals at the Sensorimotor Interface. Linguistics Colloquium Series, University of Michigan.

Non-Reviewed Presentations:

- 1. Spring 2022. Condition B effects in prepositional phrases. Oral presentation in University of Michigan Semantics Lab.
- 2. Fall 2021. With Yushi Sugimoto. On dissociating adjunct island and subject island effects: syntactic vs. extrasyntactic approaches. Oral presentation in Syntax & Semantics Research Group, University of Michigan.
- 3. Fall 2021. With Alan Hezao Ke & Yushi Sugimoto. A riddle on coordinate structures. Oral presentation in Syntax & Semantics Research Group, University of Michigan.
- 4. Fall 2021. Islandhood of English PPs is not conditioned by the argument/adjunct distinction. Oral presentation in Syntax & Semantics Research Group, University of Michigan.
- 5. Spring 2021. Problems with parentheticals. Oral presentation in University of Michigan Prosody Lab.
- 6. Fall 2020. Argumenthood and binding into prepositional phrases. Oral presentation in Syntax & Semantics Research Group, University of Michigan.
- 7. Fall 2020. No argument/adjunct distinction in argument structure. Oral presentation in University of Michigan Semantics Lab.

- 8. Spring 2020. With Emily Atkinson. Syntactically unintegrated parentheticals: Evidence from agreement attraction. Oral presentation in Psycholinguistics Research Group, University of Michigan.
- 9. Spring 2020. With Yushi Sugimoto. On Minimal Search and (in)accessible copies. Oral presentation in Syntax & Semantics Research Group, University of Michigan.
- 10. Fall 2019. With Emily Atkinson. Agreement attraction in parentheticals vs. relative clauses. Oral presentation in Psycholinguistics Research Group, University of Michigan.
- 11. Fall 2019. Parentheticals associate with their hosts pragmatically, not syntactically: evidence from as-parentheticals. Oral presentation in Syntax & Semantics Research Group, University of Michigan.
- 12. Summer 2019. With Samuel D. Epstein. CogSci at Umich: Introduction to Cognitive Science for Shiawassee County Schools. Multimedia presentation for Shiawassee County Scholars University of Michigan campus visit.
- 13. Fall 2019. Parentheticals at the Sensorimotor Interface. Mini-talk presented in Syntax & Semantics Research Group special session, University of Michigan.
- 14. Fall 2018. Parentheticals at the Sensorimotor Interface. Oral presentation in Syntax & Semantics Research Group, University of Michigan.
- 15. Fall 2017. The Concept of Workspace in Syntactic Theory. Oral presentation in Syntax & Semantics Research Group, University of Michigan.
- 16. Fall 2016. Number Alternation in English Fractional Quantifiers. Oral presentation in Syntax & Semantics Research Group, University of Michigan.
- 17. Spring 2016. The Syntax of Parenthetical Topics in English. Poster presented at Denman Research Forum, Ohio State University.

Teaching (Lecturer, University of Michigan):

- 1. Winter 2023.
 - Ling 316. Aspects of Meaning (undergraduate semantics).
 - Ling 193. Human Language and Computers.
 - Ling 111. Introduction to Language.
- 2. Fall 2022.
 - Ling 394. The Linguistics of Speech Recognition.
 - Ling 193. Human Language and Computers.

Teaching (Graduate Student Instructor, University of Michigan):

- 3. Fall 2019. Head GSI for Professor Andries Coetzee, Ling 111: Introduction to Language.
- 4. Winter 2019. Head GSI for Professor Jelena Krivokapić, Ling 111: Introduction to Language.
- 5. Fall 2018. GSI for Professor Jelena Krivokapić, Ling 111: Introduction to Language.
- 6. Winter 2018. GSI for Professor Chandra Sripada, Cognitive Science 200: Intro. to Cognitive Science.

7. Fall 2017. GSI for Professor Samuel D. Epstein, Ling 209/Psych 242: Language and the Human Mind.

Guest Lectures:

- 1. Summer 2020. Guest lecture for Acrisio Pires on Aspectual Class, Ling 316: Aspects of Meaning, University of Michigan.
- 2. Summer 2019. Guest lecture for Samuel D. Epstein on Transformational Grammar, Ling 209: Language and Mind, University of Michigan.
- 3. Spring 2019. Guest lecture for Jelena Krivokapić on Semantics, Ling 111: Introduction to Language. University of Michigan.

Service:

- Fall 2019-Winter 2020. Co-Organizer (with Lucy Chiang), Syntax & Semantics Research Group, University of Michigan.
- Fall 2018-Spring 2019. Organizer, Syntax & Semantics Research Group, University of Michigan.
- Fall 2018-Winter 2020. Member, Graduate Committee, University of Michigan Linguistics Department.
- Fall 2017-Spring 2018. Co-Organizer (with Alan Hezao Ke), Sentence Processing Research Group, University of Michigan.
- Fall 2017-Winter 2018. Member, Undergraduate Committee, University of Michigan Linguistics Department.

Reviewing:

2022. *Glossa*

Linguistic Inquiry Squibs

2019. Linguistic Inquiry (Squibs)

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Honors and Awards:

- Summer 2022. John H. D'Arms Fellowship, Rackham Graduate School, University of Michigan. \$8,000.
- Fall 2020-Summer 2021. Rackham Predoctoral Fellowship, University of Michigan, \$33,651.
- Winter 2020-Summer 2020. Rackham Humanities Candidacy Research Fellowship, University of Michigan, \$22,434.
- Spring 2019. Rackham Conference Travel Grant, University of Michigan, \$616.
- Summer 2018. Rackham Conference Travel Grant, University of Michigan, \$1,050.
- Spring 2018. Rackham Graduate Student Research Grant, University of Michigan, \$1,500.
- Spring 2016. Ohio State University College of Arts and Sciences Undergraduate Research Scholarship for undergraduate thesis project, *The Syntax of Parenthetical Topics in English*, \$1,500.

Fall 2013-Spring 2016. Provost Scholarship, Ohio State University, \$9,000.

Professional Affiliation:

Fall 2016-present. Member, Linguistic Society of America.