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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Program in Linguistics (expected graduation: September 2016)

University at Buffalo

Dissertation Topic: On Space in Conversation: Coordinating Perspectives in Spatial Reference

Advisers: Jürgen Bohnemeyer, Jean-Pierre Koenig

Foundation Certificate in Welsh as a Second Language (August 2007)

Welsh Joint Education Committee

MA/Postgraduate Diploma (July 2007)

Cardiff University, Center for Language and Communication Research

Thesis: "The Phonological Forms of Formulaic Sequences in American Talk Radio."

Adviser: Paul Tench

BA (May 2002)

University of Iowa, Major: Linguistics, Minor: Spanish

Study Abroad in Toledo, Spain through University of Minnesota Twin Cities June-August 1999)
and Mysore, India (August-December 2001)

TEACHING

D'youville College: TSL 680: English Grammar for ESL Teachers January-May 2016 (Instructor); EDU 659: Language Acquisition and ELL Instruction August-December 2015 (Instructor)

The College at Brockport: ENG479/579: Linguistics, January-May 2015 (Instructor)

Buffalo State College: FLE 240: Introduction to Linguistics, August-December 2013 (Instructor)

University at Buffalo: Lin 108: The Roots of English: January-May 2010, June 2010, August-December 2010, January-May 2012 (Instructor); Lin 200: American Pluralism: August-December 2012 (Teaching Assistant); UE145: Global Perspectives Seminar: January-May 2013 (Teaching Assistant)

GRANTS

2014-2016 NSF BCS #1430883. Doctoral Dissertation Research: On Space in Conversation: Coordinating Perspectives in Spatial Reference. With J.Bohnemeyer (Co-PI) and J.P. Koenig (Co-PI). \$15,120.00

PUBLICATIONS

Manuscript. Frames of reference in language and cognition: Linguistic and nonlinguistic factors. (With J. Bohnemeyer, E. Benedicto, A. Capistran Garza, A. Eggleston, N. Hernandez Green, M. Hernandez Gomez, S. Herrera, J. S. Lovegren, C. K. O'Meara, E. Palancar, G. Perez Baez, G. Polian, R. Romero Mendez, S. Smythe-Kung and R.E. Tucker.)

(2015) Semantic typology: New approaches to crosslinguistic variation in language and cognition. Linguistics Vanguard. (With Moore, R., Eggleston, A., & Bohnemeyer, J.)

(2015) The Contact Diffusion of Linguistic Practices. *Language Dynamics and Change*, 5(2), 169-201. (With Bohnemeyer, J., R. Moore, E. Benedicto, A. Eggleston, G. Pérez Báez, A. Capistrán Garza, N. Hernández Green, M. Hernández Gómez, S. Herrera, C. K. O'Meara, E. Palancar, G. Polian, & R. Romero Méndez.)

(2014). The cultural transmission of spatial cognition: Evidence from a large-scale study. (With J. Bohnemeyer, E. Benedicto, A. Capistrán Garza, A. Eggleston, N. Hernández Green, M. Hernández Gómez, S. Herrera Castro, C. K. O'Meara, E. Palancar, G. Pérez Báez, G. Polian, R. Moore, & R. Romero Méndez). In P. Bello, M. Guarini, M. McShane, & B. Scassellati (Eds.), *Proceedings of the 36th Annual Conference of the Cognitive Science Society*. Austin, TX: Cognitive Science Society.

(2012). “ Marcos de referencia en lenguas mesoamericanas: un análisis multivariante tipológico [Frames of reference in Mesoamerican languages: a typological multivariate analysis]”. With J. Bohnemeyer, E. Benedicto, A. Capistrán Garza, A. Eggleston, N. Hernández Green, M. Hernández Gómez, J. S. Lovegren, C. K. O'Meara, E. Palancar, G. Pérez Báez, G. Polian, R. Romero Méndez, and R. E. Tucker. In N. England (ed.), *Proceedings of the Conference on Indigenous Languages of Latin America-V*. Austin, TX: The Archive of the Indigenous Languages of Latin America.

PRESENTATIONS

(2016). Audience Design and the Selection of Spatial Frames of Reference in Tseltal Maya and English. Poster. Special session Language, Culture, and Cognition in Spatial Reference. 90th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Washington, D.C

(2016). Reference frames in language and thought: Beyond Mesoamerica. (With J. Bohnemeyer, H. C. Hsiao, Y. T. Lin, J. Lovegren, R.E. Moore, and J. T. Olstad). Invited talk. Special session Language, Culture, and Cognition in Spatial Reference. 90th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Washington, D.C.

(2015). El uso de marcos de referencia en maya y diidxaza: Factores internos y externos [Reference frame use in Yucatec and Isthmus Zapotec: Internal and external factors]. (With J. Bohnemeyer, R.E. Moore, and G. Pérez Báez). 7th Annual Conference on Indigenous Languages of Latin America, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX

(2014). “The Cultural Transmission of Spatial Cognition: Evidence from a Large-scale Study.” With J. Bohnemeyer, R. Tucker, E. Benedicto, A. Capistrán Garza, A. Eggleston, N. Hernández Green, M. Hernández Gómez, S. Herrera Castro, C. K. O'Meara, E. Palancar, G. Pérez Báez, G. Polian, and R. Romero Méndez. *CogSci2014: Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*. Quebec City, Quebec, Canada.

(2013). “The principle of canonical orientation revisited: Evidence from Mesoamerican languages.” With R.E. Tucker, E. Benedicto, J. Bohnemeyer, A. Eggleston, A. Capistran Garza, N. Hernandez Green, M. Hernandez Gomez, J. Lovegren, C. O'Meara, E. Palancar, G. Perez Baez, G. Polian, R. Romero Mendez, and V. Vazquez Soto. 12th International Cognitive Linguistics Conference, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Canada.

(2013). “Frame of reference use in Mesoamerica in the context of sustained contact with Spanish”. With J. Bohnemeyer, G. Pérez Báez, J. S. Lovegren, E. Benedicto, A. Capistrán Garza, A. Eggleston, N. Hernández Green, M. Hernández Gómez, C. K. O'Meara, E. Palancar, G. Polian, R. Romero Méndez, and

R. E. Tucker. International Conference on Mesoamerican Linguistics; California State University, Fullerton.

(2013). "Reference frames in Mesoamerica: Linguistic and nonlinguistic factors" With J. Bohnemeyer, J. S. Lovegren, E. Benedicto, A. Capistrán Garza, A. Eggleston, N. Hernández Green, M. Hernández Gómez, C. K. O'Meara, E. Palancar, G. Pérez Báez, G. Polian, R. Romero Méndez, and R. E. Tucker. Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America; Boston, MA.

(2012). "In search of areal effects in semantic typology: Reference frames in Mesoamerica". With J. Bohnemeyer, J. S. Lovegren, E. Benedicto, A. Capistrán Garza, A. Eggleston, N. Hernández Green, M. Hernández Gómez, C. K. O'Meara, E. Palancar, G. Pérez Báez, G. Polian, R. Romero Méndez, and R. E. Tucker. Workshop on Quantitative Approaches to Areal Linguistic Typology; Royal Dutch Academy of Sciences, Amsterdam.

(2011). "Marcos de referencia en lenguas mesoamericanas: un análisis multivariante tipológico [Frames of reference in Mesoamerican languages: a typological multivariate analysis]. With J. Bohnemeyer, E. Benedicto, A. Capistrán Garza, A. Eggleston, N. Hernández Green, M. Hernández Gómez, J. S. Lovegren, C. K. O'Meara, E. Palancar, G. Pérez Báez, G. Polian, R. Romero Méndez, R. E. Tucker, and V. Vázquez Soto. CILLA V: V Congreso de Idiomas Indígenas de Latinoamérica. University of Texas, Austin.