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Curriculum Vitae

Contact Information

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Education

2002 Ph.D. in Linguistics, University of Arizona.
Dissertation: "Tohono O'odham Syllable Weight: Descriptive, Theoretical and Applied Aspects"
Dissertation Committee: Drs. Michael Hammond (Chair), Jane Hill, and Ofelia Zepeda.

1998 M.A. in Linguistics, University of Arizona.

1995 B.A. *magna cum laude* in Linguistics, University of Arizona.

Professional Experiences

2010 - *Associate Professor*, Linguistics Program, Department of Anthropology, U of Montana.

2006 - 2010 *Assistant Professor*, Linguistics Program, Department of Anthropology, U of Montana.

2003 - 2006 *Adjunct Asst. Professor*, Linguistics Program, Dept. of Anthropology, U of Montana.

2002 - 2003 *Visiting Assistant Professor*, Dept. of Linguistics, University of Kansas.

2000 - 2002 *Graduate Associate Coordinator*, Teaching Teams Program, U of Arizona.

1999 - 2000 *Graduate Research Assistant* Dept. of Linguistics, U of Arizona.

1996 - 2000 *Graduate Teaching Assistant*, Department of Linguistics, University of Arizona.

1995 - 2002 *Research Assistant*. Dr. Ono. 'Japanese Discourse Analysis' East Asian Studies, U AZ.

Courses Taught Regularly: The University of Montana

LING 270S "Introduction to Linguistics"
LING 471 "Phonetics-Phonology"
LING 489 "Morphology"
LING 570 "Seminar in Blackfoot Linguistics"

Courses Taught Non-Regularly: The University of Montana

LING 295 "Sophomore seminar: Language and studies in human behavior."
LING 375X "Endangered Languages"
LING 470 "Introduction to Linguistic Analysis"
LING 473 "Language and Culture"
LING 477 "Bilingualism"
LING 570 "Seminar in Prosodic Phonology"
LING 570 "Seminar in Acoustic Phonetics and Advanced Phonology"
LING 570 "Seminar in Linguistic Typology"
LING 570 "Seminar in Applied Linguistics"
LING 570 "Seminar in Language Preservation, Maintenance and Revitalization"
LING 570 "Seminar in Application and Problems in Native American Linguistics"

Teaching Experience at Other Institutions

LING 312/712 "Phonology I" Spring 2003, University of Kansas
LING 492/791 "Seminar: Native American Language Structures" Spring 2003, University of Kansas
LING 106 "Introductory Linguistics" Fall 2002, University of Kansas
LING 714 "Phonology II" Fall 2002, University of Kansas
LING 210 "Native Languages of North America" Summer 1998, Summer 1997, Univ. of Arizona

Teaching Experience as a Teaching Assistant (University of Arizona)*

- INDV 101 "Language" for Dr. Richard Demers (Spring 2000, Spring 1999); for Dr. Cecile McKee (Fall 1999); for Dr. Michael Hammond (Fall 1998); for Dr. Richard Demers (Spring 1998)
- LING 210 "Native Languages of North America" for Dr. Ofelia Zepeda, Fall 1997, Fall 1996
- LING 320 "Social Issues and Language" for Dr. Cari Spring (Spring 1997); Dr. Lou Ann Gerken (Spring 1996)

Editorial Services

- 2000 *Southwest Workshop on Optimality Theory 4*, with Jessica Maye. University of Arizona.
- 2000 *Coyote Papers Vol. 10*, with A. Fountain, S. Hendricks, S. Ohno and D. Cole. U of Arizona.

External Grants/Scholarships

- 2010 \$50,400. Documenting Endangered Languages Fellowship. NSF/NEH/Smithsonian. One year fellowship for 2011-2012. "Blackfoot Documentation: Transcription, Interlinear Analysis, and Electronic Database"
- 2009 \$24,999. "Computer-Based Data Processing and Management for Blackfoot Phonetics and Phonology" with Min Chen, Dept. of Computer Science, U Montana. NEH Digital Humanity Start-up Grant.
- 2009 \$5,000. "Blackfoot Linguistic Transcription and Discourse Analysis." Research Fellowship. Humanities Montana.
- 2009 \$13,176 for 2009-2011. Native Voice Endowment Grant. "Recording Digital Video Language Materials for Blackfeet Documentation and Revitalization" with Mr. Darrell Kipp, Piegan Institute, co-director project and manager. The Endangered Language Fund.
- 2008 \$3,000. Jacobs Research Fund, Whatcom Museum. "Blackfoot Phonology." Recording Blackfoot conversations for linguistic research.
- 2007 \$2,500. Phillips Fund, American Historical Society. "Blackfoot Prosody." Folksong and nursery rhymes recording project for 2007-2008.
- 2000 \$500. (Canada) for an excellent paper by graduate students, *Formal Approaches to Poetry & Recent Developments in Generative Metrics Conference*, University of Toronto. (see below)
- 1999 \$4,415.70. Southwestern Foundation, dissertation grant, dissertation title "Tohono O'odham Syllable Weight: Descriptive, Theoretical and Applied Aspects"
- 1997 \$500. Fort McDowell Wassaja Scholarship.

Institutional Grants/Scholarships

- 2010 \$2,000. UM Small Grant. "Blackfoot Documentation: Transcribing and making Interlinear Analysis"
- 2009 \$1,500. The Univ. of Montana International Activity. International Program. "Endangered Languages: Course Improvement and Advancing the International Collaboration." Traveling to Japan to Conduct a Collaborative Project with Dr. John Wendel.
- 2009 \$1,145. Short-Term Academic Enrichment Program. Office of Provost and Vice President of Academic Affairs. "Video-Recording Blackfoot Conversations: Traveling to Canada to Conduct Fieldwork for Blackfoot Linguistics Research."
- 2009 \$800. "Blackfoot Linguistic transcription and Discourse Analysis." Burton D. Williams Grant Dept. of Anthropology, University of Montana.
- 2009 \$1,000. UM Small Grant. "Blackfoot Linguistic Transcription and Discourse Analysis."
- 2009 \$859. Visiting Scholar Program, Office of Provost and Vice President of Academic Affairs. Inviting Dr. Joyce McDonough from the Rochester University to give presentations on Dene Linguistics in Spring 2009.
- 2008 \$1,500. Mini-Sabbatical Program, Office of Provost and Vice President of Academic Affairs. Visiting Dr. Donald Frantz at the Lethbridge University, AB, Canada, to receive training in transcribing and interlinearizing Blackfoot recorded materials.

- 2008 \$4,354. UM Small Grant. "Blackfoot Phonology." Recording Blackfoot conversations for linguistic research.
- 2008 \$1,500. Visiting Scholar Program, Office of Provost and Vice President of Academic Affairs. Inviting Dr. Colleen Fitzgerald from the Texas Tech University to give presentations on Tohono O'odham linguistics and Language Revitalization in Spring 2008.
- 2007 \$1,500. Visiting Scholar Program, Office of Provost and Vice President of Academic Affairs. Inviting Dr. Donald Frantz from the Lethbridge University to give presentations on Blackfoot linguistics and Tiwa linguistics in Fall 2007.
- 2007 \$2,000. UM Small Grant. "Blackfoot Prosody." Folksong and nursery rhymes recording project for 2007-08.
- 2006 \$2,000. Sophomore Seminar. Co-teaching with T. Thibeau. LING 295 "Language and Studies in Human Behavior."
- 2001 Web-based Dictionaries for Native American Languages, New Learning Environments and Instructional Technology Grants, University of Arizona (with Sonya Bird, Michael Hammond, Laura Moll, MaryAnn Willie and Ofelia Zepeda)
- 2000 Web-based Dictionaries for Native American Languages, New Learning Environments and Instructional Technology Grants, University of Arizona (with Sonya Bird, Michael Hammond, Laura Moll, MaryAnn Willie and Ofelia Zepeda)
- 1999 Web-based Dictionaries for Tohono O'odham, New Learning Environments and Instructional Technology Grants, University of Arizona (with Sonya Bird, Michael Hammond, Laura Moll, MaryAnn Willie and Ofelia Zepeda)
- 1998 Tohono O'odham Language Dictionary Scanning Project, Social and Behavioral Science Research Institute (with Laura Moll and Ofelia Zepeda)
- 1998 \$1000. Social and Behavioral Science Research Institute Graduate Student Summer Grant.

Publications

To appear "Diphthongs in Tohono O'odham" *Anthropological Linguistics*.

To appear "Five Blackfoot Lullabies." *Proceedings Journal of American Philosophical Society*.

- 2010 "Academic-Community Collaboration: Data Collection, Linguistics Research, and Language Teaching." With Rosella Many Bears (Piegan Institute). 44th International Conference for Salish and Neighboring Languages. UBC Working paper
- 2010 "Developing Blackfoot Language Teaching in Collaboration." With Annabelle Chatsis (NAS). 44th International Conference for Salish and Neighboring Languages. UBC Working paper
- 2009 Kyoko Masuda and Mizuki Miyashita. Acquisition of English /ɪ/ and /I/: A Longitudinal Study of Japanese Learners of English. *Sophia Linguistica*. pp225-282.
- 2009 "A Multimedia Scripting System for Endangered Language Learning." With Min Chen, Beau Ufen, Bradley Bahls and Tyler Julian. In Second Workshop on Story-Telling and Educational Games.
- 2009 "Blackfoot Lullabies and Language Revitalization" In *Indigenous Language Revitalization: Encouragement, Guidance & Lessons Learned*. Jon Reyhner, ed. Northern Arizona University.
- 2006 "The development of the final particle *ha* in Yamagata Japanese" with Tsuyoshi Ono. In *Canadian Review of East Asian Studies*. Vol. 2, No. 1
- 2006 "Tohono O'odham" In *Encyclopedia of Language and Linguistics 2nd Edition*. Online version. Elsevier.
- 2006 "The Function of Pauses in Metrical Studies: Acoustic Evidence from Japanese Verse," with Debbie Cole. In *Formal Approaches to Poetry*. Elan Dresher and Nila Friedberg, eds. Mouton.
- 2005 "Tohono O'odham" In *Encyclopedia of Language and Linguistics 2nd Edition*. Printed version. Elsevier.
- 2004 "Online Dictionary Project for Southwestern Languages," In *Proceedings to Endangered Languages of Pacific Rim Conference*, Kyoto, Japan. 2001.

- 2003 “Consonant Clusters in Tohono O’odham.” In *Studies in Uto-Aztecan: Working Papers on Endangered and Less Familiar Languages* 5. ed. by Luis Barragan and Jason Haugen, 41-53. *MIT Working Paper in Linguistics*.
- 2003 “Grammatical Relations in Tohono O’odham: An Instrumental Perspective.” With R. Demers and D. Ortiz. In *Word Order and Scrambling*. ed. by Simin Karimi. Oxford: Blackwell.
- 2003 “Weight Asymmetries in Tohono O’odham.” In *MIT working paper in Linguistics*. Proceedings of SCIL XI.
- 2002 “Web-based Dictionaries for Languages of the South-west USA,” (with Sonya Bird, Michael Hammond, Maria Amarillas, Melody Jeffcoat, Heidi Harley, Laura Moll, Mary Ann Willie, and Ofelia Zepeda). In *Literary and Linguistic Computing*. 2002, 17, 4, Dec, 427-438
- 2000 “The Moraic Structure of Diphthongs in Tohono O’odham” In *Linguistics Notes from La Jolla. The journal of the UCSD Department of Linguistics. (LNLJ) 20 SWOT V: Proceedings of the Fifth Annual Southwest Workshop on Optimality Theory*, ed. by Boyd, Jeremy, Andrew Hickl, Todd O’bryan, Gina Taranto, and Sarah West.
- 2000 “Less Stress, Less Pressure, Less Voice.” In *Proceedings of Southwest Workshop on Optimality Theory Conference 4 proceedings*, ed. by Jessica Maye and Mizuki Miyashita. Linguistics Circle, The University of Arizona.
- 2000 “Sequential Grounding and Consonant-Vowel Interaction.” In *Coyote Paper* Vol. 10, ed. by. Amy Fountain, Sean Hendricks, Sachiko Ohno, Debbie Cole and Mizuki Miyashita. Linguistics Circle, The University of Arizona.
- 2000 “Audible Silence: A silent mora in Japanese Verses,” (with Kumi Kogure). In *Proceedings of Western Conference on Linguistics* 1998.
- 1999 “Enhancing Language Materials Availability Through Computer Technology” with Laura Moll. *Revitalizing Indigenous Languages*, ed. by Jon Reyhner, et al. Flagstaff: Northern Arizona University Press.

Presentations

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- Accepted “Developing and archiving open-source Blackfoot teaching materials.” With J. Lee, S. Schroeder, S. Yamamoto and A. Chatsis. Second International Conference on Language Documentation and Conservation (ICLDC) Scheduled Feb 11-13. 2011. University of Hawaii.
- 2010 “Video-Recording Project for Blackfoot Language Revitalization.” With R. Many Bears. SILS 17.
- 2010 “Language Endangerment and Efforts in Blackfoot Revitalization.” *Invited Speaker*. Seminar in Language and ecology. Dokkyo University. Saitama, Japan.
- 2010 “Blackfoot Video-Recording Project: Building a Symbiotic Relationship” *Invited Speaker*. Linguistics Colloquium. University of Arizona.
- 2010 “Number and Person in Blackfoot” *Invited Speaker*. Linguistics 484. University of Montana.
- 2009 “Blackfoot Voiceless Stop Consonants.” With Robert Hall. Bridges Program. Poster Session.
- 2009 “Academic-Community Collaboration: Data Collection, Linguistics Research, and Language Teaching.” With R. Many Bears. 44th Int’l Conference for Salish and Neighboring Languages. Montana.
- 2009 “Developing Blackfoot Language Teaching in Collaboration.” With Annabelle Chatsis (NAS). 44th International Conference for Salish and Neighboring Languages. Missoula, Montana.
- 2009 “Online Implementation on Blackfoot Language Materials.” With Ryan Denzer-King and Miranda McCarvel. Conference on Endangered Language and Culture of North America. University of Utah. Salt Lake City, Utah. March.
- 2009 “Measuring Blackfoot Consonant Length” with Don Frantz, (U Lethbridge). Poster. SSILA. San Francisco, January 9th.
- 2008 “Blackfoot Lullabies.” Arizona Anthropology-Linguistics Symposium. Tucson, AZ. May 10th.
- 2008 “Blackfoot Lullabies and Language Revitalization.” With Shirlee Crow Shoe. SILS 15. Flagstaff, AZ.
- 2008 “Creating a Blackfoot Online Audio-Dictionary” with Joshua Birchall and Meredith Ward. CELCNA. Salt Lake City. March 30th.

- 2008 “The Tohono O’odham Language.” Guest speaker. LING 484. University of Montana.
- 2007 “Acquisition of English /ɪ/ and /I/: A Longitudinal Study of Japanese Learners of English. With Kyoko Masuda. Seminar in Linguistics University of Montana. October 29th.
- 2007 “Endangered Languages and Russian.” Guest speaker in Russian 202. Univ. of Montana.
- 2005 “Diphthong Classification in Tohono O’odham.” The 34th Annual Conference of The Linguistic Association of the Southwest (LASSO). October, 8th. Lubbock, TX.
- 2005 “Language Maintenance and Sound Authenticity.” A Symposium on Native Language Acquisition. April 18th. Missoula, MT.
- 2005 “Double reduplication & two ALIGNREDS in a single grammar.” 77th Linguistic Society of America (LSA). January 7th, 2005. Oakland, CA.
- 2004 “Collateral Reduplication in O’odham,” Workshop on American Indigenous Languages (WAIL) UC Santa Barbara. April 30th.
- 2003 “L2 Performance of American Liquids: Phonological explanation via Phonetics” with Kyoko Masuda. Second Language Research Forum (SLRF). University of Arizona. October 18th.
- 2003 “Determining Moraicity: phonetics-phonology interaction” Workshop on American Indigenous Languages (WAIL) UC Santa Barbara. April 26th.
- 2003 “Tohono O’odham as a Quantity-Sensitive language,” *Colloquy*, Department of Linguistics, University of Kansas. March 10th.
- 2002 “The American Indian Language Online Dictionary Project”, *invited presentation* with Sonya Bird, The Third Richard A. Harvill Conference on Higher Education: Developing a Sense of Place for Distance Education, University of Arizona.
- 2001 “Online Dictionary for Endangered Languages of the Southwest” *Invited Speaker* for Endangered Languages of Pacific Rim Conference, Kyoto, Japan.
- 2000 “English as Foreign Language” *Guest Lecturer*, Yamagata University, December.
- 2000 “Word Order Freedom in Tohono O’odham: An Instrumental Perspective.” with Richard Demers and Delbert Ortiz. Scrambling conference, University of Arizona.
- 1999 “Poetic Meter in a Prominence-Insensitive Language” with Deborah Cole, Formal Approaches to Poetry and Recent Developments in Generative Metrics, October, U. of Toronto, Canada.
- 1999 “The Moraic Structure of Diphthongs in Tohono O’odham.” Southwest Workshop on Optimality Theory Conference 5, May 15, UC San Diego.
- 1999 “Demonstration Tutorial for Accessing and Using an Online Dictionary of Tohono O’odham.” with Laura Moll. Stabilizing Indigenous Languages Conference, June, University of Arizona.
- 1999 “Weight Asymmetries in Tohono O’odham” Student Conference in Linguistics 11, May, University of Texas at Austin.
- 1999 “Online Dictionary Project” with Laura Moll. Poster session. May, University of Arizona.
- 1999 “The Development of Final Particle Ha in Yamagata Japanese.” with Tsuyoshi Ono. Seventh Asian Linguistics Workshop. April. University of California Santa Barbara.
- 1998 “Orthography and Language Revitalization in Tohono O’odham” LASSO XXVII, ASU.
- 1998 “Audible Silence: A silent mora in Japanese Verses” with Kumi Kogure. WECOL. ASU.
- 1998 “Enhancing Language Material Availability Through Computer Technology” with Laura Moll. Stabilizing Indigenous Language Conference 5. Louisville, Kentucky.
- 1998 “Less Stress, Less Pressure, Less Voice” Southwest Workshop on Optimality Theory 4, *invited presentation*, University of Arizona.

Languages

Japanese (native)

English (fluent)

Russian (grammatical knowledge and some speaking skills)

Tohono O’odham (grammatical knowledge and some speaking skills)

Blackfoot (some grammatical knowledge and some speaking skills)