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Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

2002-present Ph.D. program, Department of Linguistics, UCLA

Working Dissertation Title: Inductive Learning of Phonotactic Patterns

(co-chairs: Edward Stabler and Kie Zuraw)

2005 M.A. Linguistics, UCLA

M.A. Thesis Title: CV Metathesis in Kwara'ae

(chair: Kie Zuraw)

1996 B.S. Mathematics, University of Maryland, College Park

1996 B.A. Linguistics, University of Maryland, College Park

TEACHING

2003-present Teaching Assistant, UCLA Linguistics Department.

- Introduction to Linguistics (Ling 20). Professor Felicia Lee. (Winter 2006)
- Phonology Theory I (Ling 200A). Professor Kie Zuraw. (Fall 2005)
- Introduction to Mathematical Linguistics (Ling C208). Professor Edward Keenan. (Spring and Fall 2005)
- Teaching Assistant Technical Practicum. Instructor. (Spring 2004)
- Introduction to Language (Ling 1). Professor Philippe Schlenker. (Spring 2003)

2000-2001	English Teacher. English Plus (Japan).
1997-1999	Mathematics Teacher (Peace Corps Volunteer). Choiseul Bay Secondary School, Choiseul Province. Solomon Islands.
1997	Substitute Teacher. Howard County (Maryland) Public School System.

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Submitted	Evaluating the complexity of Optimality Theory (with Gregory Kobele and Jason Riggle).
To appear	Learning Unbounded Stress Patterns via Local Inference. Proceedings of the 37th Meeting of the Northeast Linguistic Society (NELS 37).
2006	Learning Quantity-Insensitive Stress Patterns via Local Inference. Proceedings of the 2006 Association for Computational Linguistics' Special Interest Group in Phonology (ACL-SIGPHON06).
2006	Learning Phonotactic Patterns from Surface Forms Proceedings of The 25th West Coast Conference of Formal Linguistics (WCCFL 25).
2005	Reconsidering Linearity: Evidence from Kwara'ae. Proceedings of The 24th West Coast Conference of Formal Linguistics (WCCFL 24).

2005 Optional Partial Metathesis in Kwara'ae. Proceedings of the 12th Annual Conference of the Austronesian Formal Linguistics Association (AFLA). UCLA Working Papers no. 12.

2005 Descriptions and Generalizations of Kwara'ae Surface Forms. UCLA Working Papers in Lingustics, no. 11, Papers in Phonology 6.

2004 CV Metathesis in Kwara'ae. Masters thesis, UCLA. Ms.

Conferences

2007	Learning Long Distance Agreement Phonotactics. The 81st Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America (LSA). Anaheim, California.
2006	Learning Unbounded Stress Patterns via Local Inference. The 37th Meeting of the Northeast Linguistic Society (NELS). University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.
2006	Learning Quantity-Insensitive Stress Patterns via Local Inference. The Association for Computational Linguistics Special Interest Group in Phonology (ACL-SIGPHON06). New York, New York.
2006	Learning Phonotactic Constraints from Surface Forms. West Coast Conference of Formal Linguistics (WCCFL) 25. University of Washington. Seattle, Washington.
2005	Optional Partial Metathesis in Kwara'ae. The 12th Annual Conference of the Austronesian Formal Linguistics Association (AFLA). University of California, Los Angeles.
2005	Reconsidering Linearity: Evidence from CV Metathesis. West Coast Conference of Formal Lingustics (WCCFL) 24. Simon Fraser University. Vancouver, British Columbia.
2005	CV Metathesis in Kwara'ae: Implications for a Theory of Stress. The 28th Generative Linguistics in the Old World (GLOW) Colloquium. Geneva, Switzerland.
2005	Exploring the Typology of Quantity-insensitive Stress Systems Without Gradient Constraints. Linguistic Society of America (LSA) Annual Conference 79. Oakland, California. (With Greg Kobele and Jason Riggle)
2005	CV Metathesis as Copy and Deletion: Evidence from Kwara'ae. Linguistic Society of America (LSA) Annual Conference 79. San Fransisco, California.
2004	CV Metathesis as Syncope: Evidence from Kwara'ae. Western Conference on Linguistics (WECOL) University of Southern California. Los Angeles, California.

RESEARCH

Summer 2005 Conducted fieldwork on Kwara'ae (Austronesian) in Arabala, on the island of Malaita in the Solomon Islands.

2004-2005	Conducted fieldwork on Kiche (Mayan) with a native speaker as part of the 2004-2005 UCLA Field methods class, taught by Pamela Munro.
Summer 2004	Participated in the Bare Grammar Workshops with Professors Edward Keenan and Edward Stabler.
2003 - 2006	Aided the development of databases for Professor Russell Schuh for the Yobe Language Project.
2002 - present	Conducting fieldwork on Kwara'ae (Austronesian) with a native speaker.

OTHER EXPERIENCE

2001-2002	Student Affairs Officer I (Counselor/Administrative Assistant). Departments of Music and Ethnomusicology, UCLA.
1997	Communications Director. Nuclear Age Peace Foundation.
Summer 1996	Transcontinental bicyclist. Ocean City, Maryland to Tillamook, Oregon (5400 miles)

Honors	
2006-2007	UCLA Dissertation Year Fellowship
2004-2005	UCLA Research Mentorship Fellowship (mentor: Kie Zuraw)
2004	UCLA Summer Research Mentorship Fellowship (mentor: Kie Zuraw)
2003	NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Honorable Mention
1996	Phi Beta Kappa

SERVICE	
2005	Editor (with Dimitris Ntelitheos) of UCLA Working Papers in Linguistics, no. 12, the Proceedings of the Twelfth Annual Conference of the Austroneisan Formal Linguistics Association (AFLA).
2005	Editor (with Andy Martin & Katya Pertsova) of UCLA Working Papers in Linguistics, no. 11, Papers in Phonology 6.
2005	Organizing committee member. The Twelfth Austronesian Formal Linguistic Association (AFLA 12).

2004-present UCLA Working Papers Committee.

2004 Organizing committee member. The Third North American Summer School

in Logic, Language and Information (NASSLI 3).

LANGUAGES

English (native)

Solomon Island Tok Pisin (fluent)

Japanese (intermediate)

Kids

Emma (2 years, 7 months)