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## Education

- 2003      Ph.D., Department of Linguistics, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA.  
Dissertation title: *Deriving economy: Syncope in Optimality Theory*.  
Advisor: John J. McCarthy  
Committee: John Kingston, Joseph Pater, Robert Rothstein, Elisabeth Selkirk
- 1998      BA, Summa Cum Laude, Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, MI.  
Double Major in English Linguistics and German Language and Literature.

## Academic appointments

- 2005–now      Department of Linguistics, New York University (Professor, 2019–present; Associate Professor, 2012–2019; Assistant Professor, 2006–2012, Visiting Assistant Professor, 2005–2006)
- 2004–2005      Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Linguistics, Georgetown University
- 2003–2004      Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Linguistics, Rutgers University

## Grants

### *Research:*

- 2017–2021      National Science Foundation Grant, BCS-1724753, Inductive Learning of Nonlocal Phonological Interactions. \$214,541. co-PI with Gillian Gallagher.
- 2012–2017      National Science Foundation Grant BCS-1224652, Phonological patterns in the Russian lexicon. \$144,813.

### *Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement & Workshops:*

- 2022–2023      National Science Foundation Grant BCS-2214315, \$6,761. DDRI to Guy Tabachnick.
- 2016–2017      National Science Foundation Grant BCS-1627494, Doctoral Dissertation Research: The role of tongue position in voicing contrasts in cross-linguistic contexts, \$11,872. DDRI to Suzy Ahn; co-PI with Lisa Davidson.
- 2015–2016      National Science Foundation Grant BCS-1451522, Workshop on Approaches to Slavic Morphology, \$14,522. co-PI with Stephanie Harves.

## Journal articles

- 2024      Gouskova, Maria. MSCs in Positional Neutralization: The Problem of Gapped Inventories. *Phonology* DOI 10.1017/S0952675724000113

- 2022 Gouskova, Maria and Jonathan Bobaljik. The Lexical Core of a Complex Functional Affix: Russian Baby-Diminutive *-onok*. *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory*. 40:4, pp.1075-1115. <https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s11049-021-09530-1>.
- 2021 Gouskova, Maria and Juliet Stanton. Learning Complex Segments. *Language* 97:1, pp. 151–193. <https://muse.jhu.edu/article/785684>.
- 2020 Gouskova, Maria and Gillian Gallagher. Inducing nonlocal constraints from baseline phonotactics. *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory* 38:1, pp. 77–116. <https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s11049-019-09446-x>
- 2019 Gouskova, Maria. Phonological words in the syntax and in the lexicon: A Study of Russian prepositions. *Journal of Slavic Linguistics* 27:2, pp. 161–212.
- 2019 Gallagher, Gillian, Maria Gouskova, and Gladys Camacho Rios. Phonotactic restrictions and morphology in Aymara. *Glossa* 4:1, 29. <http://doi.org/10.5334/gjgl.826>.
- 2016 Becker, Michael and Maria Gouskova. Source-oriented generalizations as grammar inference in Russian vowel deletion. *Linguistic Inquiry* 47:3, pp. 391–425.
- 2015 Gouskova, Maria, Luiza Newlin-Łukowicz, and Sofya Kasyanenko. Selectional restrictions as phonotactics over sublexicons. *Lingua* 167, pp. 41–81.
- 2015 Gouskova, Maria and Tal Linzen. Morphological conditioning of phonological regularization. *The Linguistic Review* 32:3, pp. 427–473.
- 2013 Linzen, Tal, Sofya Kasyanenko, and Maria Gouskova. Lexical and phonological variation in Russian prepositions. *Phonology* 30:3, pp 453–515.
- 2013 Gouskova, Maria and Kevin Roon. Gradient clash, faithfulness, and sonority sequencing effects in Russian compound stress. *Laboratory Phonology* 4:2, pp. 383–434.
- 2013 Gouskova, Maria and Michael Becker. Nonce words show that Russian yer alternations are governed by the grammar. *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory* 31:3, pp. 735–765.
- 2012 Gouskova, Maria. Unexceptional segments. *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory* 30:1, pp. 79–133.
- 2011 Gouskova, Maria, Elizabeth Zsiga, and One Tlale. Grounded constraints and the consonants of Setswana. *Lingua* 121, pp. 2120–2152.
- 2010 Gouskova, Maria. The phonology of boundaries and secondary stress in Russian compounds. *The Linguistic Review* 17:4, pp. 387–448.
- 2007 Gouskova, Maria. The reduplicative template in Tonkawa. *Phonology* 24:3, pp. 367–396.
- 2007 Gouskova, Maria. DEP: Beyond epenthesis. *Linguistic Inquiry* 38:4, pp. 759–770.
- 2004 Gouskova, Maria. Relational hierarchies in OT: The case of syllable contact. *Phonology* 21:2, pp. 201–250.

## Edited book chapters and review articles

- 2024 Gouskova, Maria. 'Phonology: An Overview.' *International Encyclopedia of Language and Linguistics*, Elsevier.
- 2023 Gouskova, Maria. 'Phonological asymmetries between roots and affixes.' In Peter Ackema, Sabrina Bendjaballah, Eulàlia Bonet, and Antonio Fábregas, eds. *Wiley Blackwell Companion to Morphology*. Wiley-Blackwell. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/9781119693604.morphcom007>
- 2018 Gouskova, Maria. 'Morphology and Phonotactics.' In Rochelle Lieber, Ed., *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Linguistics: Morphology*. Oxford: Oxford University Press. DOI: 10.1093/acrefore/9780199384655.013.613
- 2010 Gouskova, Maria. 'Optimality Theory in phonology.' In Bernd Heine and Heiko Narrog, eds. *The Oxford handbook of linguistic analysis*. pp. 531–553. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 2009 Gouskova, Maria and Nancy Hall. 'Acoustics of epenthetic vowels in Lebanese Arabic.' In Steve Parker, ed. *Phonological argumentation: Essays on evidence and motivation*. pp. 203–225. London: Equinox Publishing.

## Book reviews (invited)

- 2013 Gouskova, Maria. Review of "The Blackwell companion to phonology." Edited by Marc van Oostendorp, Colin Ewen, Elizabeth Hume, and Keren Rice. Wiley-Blackwell. 2011. *Phonology* 30:1, pp. 173–179.
- 2009 Gouskova, Maria. Review of "Introductory phonology" by Bruce Hayes. Blackwell Textbooks in Linguistics. Malden, Mass. and Oxford, UK. Wiley-Blackwell. 2009. *Language* 85:4, pp. 937–939.

## Conference & workshop proceedings papers

- 2008 Gouskova, Maria and Kevin Roon. 'Interface constraints and frequency in Russian compound stress.' In Jodi Reich, Maria Babyonyshev, and Darya Kavitskaya, eds. *The Proceedings of Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics 17*. pp. 49–63. Ann Arbor, MI: Michigan Slavic Publications.
- 2006 Zsiga, Elizabeth and Maria Gouskova and One Tlale. 'On the status of voiced stops in Tswana: Against \*ND.' In Christopher Davis, Amy Rose Deal, and Yuri Zabbal, The Proceedings of the 36th Meeting of the North East Linguistics Society. pp. 721–734. Amherst, MA: GLSA.
- 2004 Gouskova, Maria. 'Minimal reduplication as a paradigm uniformity effect.' In Benjamin Schmeiser, Vineeta Chand, Ann Kelleher, and Angelo Rodríguez, eds. *The Proceedings of the 22nd West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics*. pp. 265–278. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.
- 2002 Gouskova, Maria. 'Relational hierarchies in OT.' In Line Mikkelsen and Chris Potts, eds. *The Proceedings of the 21st West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics*. pp. 113–126. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.
- 2002 Gouskova, Maria. 'Exceptions to sonority generalizations.' In Mary Andronis, Eric Debenport, Anne Pycha, and Keiko Yoshimura, eds. CLS 38-1: The Main Session. *Papers from the 38th Meeting of the Chicago Linguistic Society*. pp. 253–268. Chicago: CLS.
- 2002 Gouskova, Maria. 'Falling sonority onsets, loanwords, and syllable contact.' In Mary Andronis, Christopher Ball, Heidi Elston and Sylvain Neuvel, eds. *CLS 37: The Main Session. Papers from the 37th Meeting of the Chicago Linguistic Society. Vol. 1*. pp. 175–186. Chicago: CLS.

- 2001 Gouskova, Maria. ‘Split scrambling: barriers as violable constraints.’ (short version) In Karine Megerdoo-  
mian and Leora Bar-el, eds. *Proceedings of the 20th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics*. pp.  
220–223. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.
- 2001 Gouskova, Maria. ‘Split scrambling: barriers as violable constraints.’ (long version) In Graham Horwood  
and Se-Kyung Kim, eds. *RuLing Papers II*. pp. 49–82. New Brunswick: Rutgers University.

## Editing

- 2018 Gallagher, Gillian, Gouskova, Maria, and Sora Yin (eds.), *Proceedings of the 2017 Annual Meeting on  
Phonology*. Washington, DC: Linguistic Society of America.  
<https://journals.linguisticsociety.org/proceedings/index.php/amphonology/issue/view/160>

## Invited talks: conferences and workshops

- 2021 “Roots, Affixes and Diacritics.” SinFonIJA, University of Novi Sad, Serbia. Sept. 22–24.
- 2021 “On the internal complexity of morphological heads: A case study of Russian baby-diminutives.” Joint  
plenary talk with Jonathan Bobaljik, Slavic Linguistics Society, Urbana-Champaign, Illinois. Sept. 3–5.
- 2021 “Something borrowed, something new: Phonology and learnability of complex segments in Slavic.” Ple-  
nary talk, Internationalisms in Slavic as a window into the architecture of the grammar. Feb. 25, Graz,  
Austria.
- 2018 “Learning nonlocal phonology from local morphophonological cues.” Plenary talk, North East Linguistic  
Society 49, Cornell University. October 5–7. Ithaca, NY.
- 2018 “Where do phonological words come from?” Plenary talk, Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics 27,  
Stanford University. 4 May. Palo Alto, CA.
- 2015 “Roots, affixes, and prosodic words in phonological selection: The case of the English comparative brack-  
eting paradox.” Roots IV, New York University. 30 June.
- 2015 “How to tell phonologically aggressive affixes from exceptional ones.” Mayfest/Morphest, University of  
Maryland. 1 May.
- 2013 “Selectional restrictions as phonotactics over sublexicons.” Plenary talk, Formal Approaches to Slavic  
Linguistics 22, Hamilton, Ontario. 3 May.

## Invited talks: colloquia

- 2024 “Nobody’s Coyote: Possession in Pipil.” Colloquium, Cornell, 12 September.
- 2023 “Survival of the Frequent: How Affixes Select for Small Stems.” Colloquium, Harvard, 3 November.
- 2022 “On the Analytical Necessity of Morpheme Structure Constraints.” Colloquium, University of California,  
Santa Cruz. 1 April.

- 2022 “Morpheme Structure Constraints revisited.” Colloquium, University of Massachusetts, Amherst. 18 February.
- 2020 “A computational learner for complex segment representations.” Colloquium, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. 11 September.
- 2018 “Phonological words in the syntax and in the lexicon.” Colloquium, Syracuse University. 16 November.
- 2016 “Learning nonlocal phonology.” Colloquium, University of Massachusetts, Amherst. 16 September.
- 2016 “Learning nonlocal interactions in phonology with sublexicons.” Colloquium, Stony Brook. 8 April.
- 2015 “Phonological selection and the bracketing paradox in English adjectival morphology.” Interaktion Grammatischer Bausteine (IGRA) Kolloquium, Universität Leipzig. 16 December.
- 2015 “Phonological and lexical factors in English adjective gradation.” Colloquium, UCLA. 2 October.
- 2015 “Phonological and lexical factors in English adjective gradation.” Colloquium, CUNY. 10 September.
- 2015 “The morphology and phonology of selection.” Speaker Series (colloquium), University of Pennsylvania. 22 January.
- 2014 “Fitter, happier, more productive: Phonological selection in Russian and English.” Johns Hopkins University. 7 November.
- 2012 “Selectional restrictions as sublexical phonotactics.” Colloquium, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. 7 December.
- 2012 “Phonotactic selectional restrictions in Russian diminutives.” Colloquium, University of Indiana. 6 November.
- 2011 “Cyclicity, locality, and selectional restrictions.” Phlunch, UC Santa Cruz, 8 April.
- 2011 “Vug, vg-a: An experimental investigation of Russian yer deletion.” Colloquium, UC Santa Cruz, 8 April. Report on joint work with Michael Becker.
- 2009 “Exceptional morphemes, unexceptional segments: Yers revisited.” Colloquium, Eastern Michigan University, 20 November.
- 2009 “Exceptionality as a property of morphemes: The case of yers.” Colloquium, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 30 October.
- 2009 “A non-representational approach to ghost vowels.” CASTL, Tromsø, Norway, 30 April.
- 2009 “The prosodic and morphological structure of Russian compounds.” CASTL, Tromsø, Norway, 30 April. Report on joint work with Kevin Roon.
- 2009 “Unexceptional segments: A non-representational theory of yers.” PhiG, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, 17 April 17.
- 2007 “Prosody, contrast, and the problem of syllables.” Colloquium, CUNY Graduate Center, 22 March.
- 2006 “The phonology and phonetics of unstressable vowels in Lebanese Arabic.” Colloquium, SUNY Stony Brook. 10 February. Report on joint work with Nancy Hall.
- 2006 “Stress-epenthesis interactions: phonetics and phonology.” Job talk, New York University. February 7.

- 2005 “In Defense of DEP.” Colloquium, University of Massachusetts, Amherst. 4 March.
- 2005 “Economy in phonology.” Job talk, Cornell University. February 18.
- 2004 “Economy in phonology.” Colloquium, Georgetown University. 1 December.
- 2004 “Economy in phonology.” Job talk, Harvard University. 06 February.
- 2004 “Lenient markedness and economy in Optimality Theory.” Job talk, Rutgers University. 27 February.
- 2003 “Epenthesis, deletion, and richness of the base.” Colloquium, Rutgers University. 10 October.
- 2002 “Economy of representation and syncope.” MIT Phonology Circle, Cambridge, MA. 17 October.

## Conference talks (abstracts peer-reviewed)

*An asterisk\* marks talks delivered by co-author*

- 2023 Gouskova, Maria. Selecting for size: Survival of the frequent. Annual Meeting on Phonology 2023, Johns Hopkins, Baltimore, MD.
- 2021 Gouskova, Maria and Jonathan David Bobaljik. A reductionist account of Russian baby diminutives.” Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics 30, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA.
- 2019 Gouskova, Maria and Juliet Stanton. “Clusters or complex segments? A learnability approach.” Annual Meeting on Phonology 2019, Stony Brook University, New York.
- 2018 Gallagher, Gillian\* and Maria Gouskova. “Nonlocal phonological interactions and trigram constraints.” Annual Meeting on Phonology 2018, University of San Diego, CA.
- 2018 Gallagher, Gillian\* and Maria Gouskova. “Inducing non-local constraints from baseline phonotactics.” OCP 15, London, UK. 14 January.
- 2016 Gouskova, Maria and Suzy Ahn.\* “Sublexical phonotactics of English *-er* suffixes. The 90th Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Washington, DC, 7–10 January.
- 2014 Gouskova, Maria and Sofya Kasyanenko. “Generalization as sublexical phonotactics: A nonce study of Russian allomorphy.” Annual Meeting on Phonology 2014, MIT, Cambridge, MA, 19–21 September.
- 2013 Gouskova, Maria and Tal Linzen. “Less than words: Morphological conditioning of phonological regularization.” Annual Meeting on Phonology 2013, UMass Amherst, Amherst, MA, 09–10 November.
- 2013 Gouskova, Maria and Luiza Newlin-Łukowicz. “Selectional restrictions as phonotactics over sublexicons.” Annual Meeting on Phonology 2013, UMass Amherst, Amherst, MA, 09–10 November.
- 2013 Becker, Michael\* and Maria Gouskova. “Grammar inference expresses source-oriented generalizations in Russian *yer* deletion.” The 21st Manchester Phonology Meeting, Manchester, UK, 23–25 May.
- 2013 Becker, Michael and Maria Gouskova. “Wug-testing source-oriented generalizations: grammar inference in *yer* deletion.” The 87th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Boston, MA, 3–6 January.
- 2012 Becker, Michael and Maria Gouskova. “Source-oriented generalizations as grammar inference in *yer* deletion.” North Eastern Linguistic Society 43, New York, NY, 19–21 October.

- 2012 Linzen, Tal,\* Sofya Kasyanenko, and Maria Gouskova. "Lexical and phonological variation in Russian prepositions." The 9th Old World Conference in Phonology, Berlin, Germany, 18–21 January.
- 2012 Becker, Michael\* and Maria Gouskova. "A wug study of the grammar of Russian yers." The 86th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Portland, OR, 5–8 January.
- 2011 Gouskova Maria and Michael Becker. "Russian yer alternations are governed by the grammar." North Eastern Linguistic Society 42, Toronto, ON, 11–13 November.
- 2010 Zsiga, Elizabeth, Maria Gouskova and One Tlale. "Labio-coronal fricatives in Sengwato: Phonetic evidence for a phonological contrast." LabPhon 12, Albuquerque, NM, 8–10 July.
- 2008 Gouskova, Maria and Kevin Roon. "Interface constraints and frequency in Russian compound stress." Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics 17, Yale (New Haven, CT), 9–11 May.
- 2007 Gouskova, Maria and Nancy Hall. "Levantine epenthesis: Phonology, phonetics, and learning." Stanford Workshop on Variation, Gradience, and Frequency in Phonology. Stanford, CA, 6–8 July.
- 2006 Hall, Nancy\* and Maria Gouskova. "An acoustic comparison of lexical and epenthetic vowels in Lebanese." Manchester Phonology Meeting 14, 25–27 May.
- 2006 Gouskova, Maria and Elizabeth Zsiga. "\*NC and the phonetics of "voiced" stops in Tswana." 80th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Albuquerque, NM, 4–6 January.
- 2005 Zsiga, Elizabeth, Maria Gouskova and One Tlale. "On the status of voiced obstruents in Tswana: Against \*ND." North Eastern Linguistic Society 36, Amherst, MA. 28–30 October.
- 2005 Gouskova, Maria. "Vowel epenthesis and markedness." 79th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, San Francisco, CA. 9 January.
- 2004 Gouskova, Maria. "Minimal reduplication as a paradigm uniformity effect." The 23rd West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics, UC Davis, California. 23–25 April.
- 2004 Gouskova, Maria. "Minimizing RED without economy." 78th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Boston, MA. 10 January.
- 2003 Gouskova, Maria. "Economy of Representation in OT." The 22nd West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics, San Diego, California. 21–23 March.
- 2003 Gouskova, Maria. "Syncope: Prosody or \*STRUC?" 77th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Atlanta, GA. Friday, 3 January.
- 2002 Gouskova, Maria. "Syllable Contact as a relational hierarchy." The 38th Meeting of the Chicago Linguistic Society, University of Chicago, IL, 25–27 April.
- 2002 Gouskova, Maria. "Syllable Contact as a relational hierarchy." The 21st West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics, University of California, Santa Cruz, CA, 4–6 April.
- 2001 Gouskova, Maria. "Falling sonority onsets, loanwords, and Syllable Contact." The 37th Meeting of the Chicago Linguistic Society, University of Chicago, IL, 19–21 April.
- 2001 Gouskova, Maria. "Split scrambling: barriers as violable constraints." The 20th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics, USC, Los Angeles, CA, 23–25 February.
- 1998 Gouskova, Maria. "English vowel duration and the tense/lax distinction." joint presentation by Beverley Goodman, Maria Gouskova and Laura Sabadini. Presented at the 1998 Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, New York City, NY, 9–11 January.

## Fellowships and awards

- 2011 Golden Dozen Outstanding Teaching Award, College of Arts and Sciences, NYU
- 2002–2003 University Graduate Dissertation Fellowship, University of Massachusetts, Amherst
- 2000 Professional Development Grant, Linguistics Department, UMass, Amherst
- 1998–2001 Graduate Fellowship and Assistantship, Linguistics Department, UMass, Amherst
- 1997–1998 Undergraduate Honors Assistantship, Eastern Michigan University
- 1998 Certificate of Recognition for Excellence in Undergraduate Creativity and Research, College of Arts and Sciences, Eastern Michigan University
- 1994–1998 Certificate of Recognition, Foreign Languages and Bilingual Studies, Eastern Michigan University

## Teaching

### Invited Teaching

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|------|--|---|
| 2022 | Introduction to Morphology                     | New York-St. Petersburg Institute of Linguistics, Cognition, and Culture, Jan. 10–21      |
| 2016 | Phonological Generalizations in the Lexicon    | Israel Winter School in Phonology, Tel Aviv. December 11–15.                              |
| 2008 | Introduction to Optimality Theory in Phonology | Eastern European School in Generative Grammar (EGG), Debrecen, Hungary. July 27–August 8. |
| 2008 | Phonology and the Lexicon                      | EGG, Debrecen, Hungary. July 27–August 8.   |

### At New York University

#### *Introductory undergraduate courses:*

Language (LING-GA 1): Fall 2005, Spring 2010, Spring 2012, Fall 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018  
 Introduction to Linguistics (LING-UA 2): Fall 2006, Fall 2007

#### *Intermediate and advanced undergraduate courses:*

Phonological Analysis (LING-UA 12): Spring 2006, Fall 2008, Spring 2011, Fall 2013, Spring 2015, Spring 2016, Spring 2021, Spring 2024  
 Morphology (LING-UA 29): Spring 2014 (*Co-taught with Alec Marantz*), Spring 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, Spring 2022, Fall 2022  
 Field Methods (LING-UA 44): Spring 2007, Chuukese/Mortlockese (*Co-taught with Chris Collins*), Fall 2011, Kazakh.  
 Sound and Language (LING-UA 11): Fall 2016, 2020, 2021, 2023  
 Independent Study (LING-UA 997): Spring 2009, 2010, 2011  
 Internship (LING-UA 980): Spring 2009, 2010, 2015, 2016, Fall 2017  
 Research on Current Topics in Linguistics: Phonological Theory (LING-UA 0102): Spring 2009

#### *Graduate courses:*

Phonology I (LING-GA 1210): Fall 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2022  
 Phonology II (LING-GA.1220): Spring 2006, 2010, 2015 & 2017 (*with G. Gallagher*), 2020 (*w J. Stanton*)  
 Phonology Seminar (LING-GA 3210): Fall 2024. Phonology classics



Phonology Seminar (LING-GA 3210): Spring 2021. Reduplication and root-affix asymmetries  
Phonology Seminar (LING-GA 3210): Spring 2016. Morphology-phonology interface  
Phonology Seminar (LING-GA 3210): Spring 2014. Phonotactic, morphophonological and phonetic learning. *Co-taught with F. Adriaans*  
Phonology Seminar (LING-GA 3210): Spring 2012. Issues in current phonological theory  
Phonology Seminar (LING-GA 3210): Spring 2011. Issues in Slavic phonology and phonetics. *Co-taught with L. Davidson*  
Phonology Seminar (LING-GA 3210): Spring 2007. Prosody and contrast in phonology  
Phonology Seminar (LING-GA 3210): Spring 2008. Morphology-phonology interface  
Introduction to Morphology at an Advanced Level (LING-UA 55/GA 1029): Spring 2018, Spring 2022 (*Co-taught with A. Marantz*)  
Computational Phonology (LING-GA 1230): Fall 2018 (*with J. Stanton*), Fall 2020, Fall 2023  
Professional seminar (LING-GA 2330): Spring 2009. *Co-taught with C. Barker*. This course is now team-taught; I am a regular contributor  
Directed Reading in Linguistics (LING-GA 3910): Spring 2009  
Statistical Analysis in Linguistics (LING-GA 2945) Fall 2021

### **At Georgetown University (2004–2005)**

Phonology/Phonetics III (Graduate) *Co-taught with Elizabeth Zsiga*  
Seminar: The Phonology of Roots and Affixes. (Graduate)  
Field Methods in Linguistics (Grad/undergrad)  
Phonetics (Undergraduate)  
Phonology (Undergraduate)

### **At Rutgers University (2003–4)**

Seminar: Economy Effects in Phonology (Graduate course)  
Phonology II (Graduate course)  
Introduction to Linguistic Theory (Undergraduate course, two semesters)

### **At the University of Massachusetts, Amherst (1998–2003)**

People and their Language (three semesters). *Teaching Assistant for John McCarthy, Suzanne Winkler, John Kingston*  
Optimality Theory (undergrad seminar for advanced students). *Co-taught with John McCarthy*  
Introduction to Linguistic Theory (sole instructor, six semesters)

## Advising

### Dissertations outside NYU

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|------|--|
| 2023 | McGrady, Christiana. <i>The phonetics and phonology of Alaskan Russian: The dying dialect of a forgotten people</i> . Georgetown University, External committee member.                                    |
| 2022 | Ziani, Zoubida. <i>Issues in the morphology of loanwords in Moroccan Arabic (MA): An Optimality Theoretic Approach</i> . Mohammed V University, Morocco. Fulbright co-supervisor with Dr. Karim Bensoukas. |
| 2022 | Kim, Seoyoung. <i>Restrictive tier induction</i> . UMass Amherst, External committee member.   |
| 2019 | ChocieJ, Joanna. "Exceptional faithfulness and exceptional alternation: A case study of Polish vowel-zero alternations as deletion and epenthesis." University of Toronto. External examiner.              |
| 2018 | Ahyad, Honaidah. "Vowel distribution in the Hijazi Arabic root." Stony Brook University. External committee member.  |
| 2017 | Hachoumi, Houmman. Mohammed V University, Morocco. External evaluator of thesis proposal.  |
| 2017 | Yeverechyahu, Hadas. "Hebrew phonotactics: Frequency and grammar." Tel Aviv University, Israel. External evaluator of thesis proposal.   |
| 2006 | Nitisaroj, Rattima. "Effects of stress and speaking rate on duration and tone in Thai." Georgetown University. Committee member.   |

### NYU dissertations

(Co-)Chaired:

| <u>Year</u> | <u>name</u>     | <u>diss. title</u>   | <u>Employment</u>         |
|-------------|-----------------|--|---------------------------|
| 2024        | Lee, Naomi      | "Investigating the representation and modeling the learning of number, gender, and declension class." (co-chair with Alec Marantz) | CUNY/Baruch College       |
| 2023        | Mooney, Kate    | "The theory and typology of phonological reordering."  | U of Maryland             |
| 2023        | Tabachnick, Guy | "Morphological dependencies."  | U of Nova Scotia, postdoc |
| 2022        | Gilbert, Maddie | "An experimental and formal investigation of Sevillian Spanish metathesis."  | U of Georgia              |
| 2018        | Ahn, Suzy       | "The role of tongue position in voicing contrasts in cross-linguistic contexts." (co-chair with Lisa Davidson)                     | U of Ottawa               |

Committees:

| <u>Year</u> | <u>name</u>        | <u>diss. title</u>   | <u>Employment</u>                       |
|-------------|--------------------|--|---|
| 2020        | Wang, Sheng-Fu     | "Feature systems, inventory structures, and phonological classes."                 | Postdoc, Acad. Sinica                   |
| 2016        | Szeredi, Dániel    | "Exceptionality in vowel harmony."   |   |
| 2016        | Whang, James       | "Shaping speech patterns via predictability and recoverability."                   | Seoul Nat'l U                           |
| 2016        | Kastner, Itamar    | "Form and meaning in the Hebrew verb."   | U of Edinburgh                          |
| 2015        | Chanethom, Vincent | "Language Interaction in Child Bilingual Speech: An Acoustic Study of Diphthongs." | Princeton U                             |
| 2015        | Martin, Sean       | "Bias in Novel Category Learning."   | Data scientist, Kaiser Permanente       |
| 2015        | Linzen, Tal        | "Probabilistic linguistic representations: Between learning and processing."       | NYU Center for Data Science/Linguistics |

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| 2015 | Dye, Amanda                   | <i>“Coarticulation and vowel harmony in Wolof and Pulaar: An ultrasound study.”</i>                                   | Assoc. Director,<br>Preprofessional<br>Advising Center,<br>NYU                |
| 2015 | Al Kaabi, Meera               | <i>“The anatomy of Arabic words: The role of the root in representations and processing.”</i>                         | United Arab<br>Emirates U   |
| 2014 | Newlin-<br>Łukowicz,<br>Luiza | <i>“Ethnicity, L1 interference, and sound change in New York City.”</i>   | Sr. Director of<br>Corporate &<br>Foundation Re-<br>lations, Willam<br>& Mary |
| 2014 | Lee-Kim, Sang<br>Im           | <i>“Contrast neutralization and enhancement in phoneme inventories: evidence from sibilant place contrasts.”</i>      | Nat’l Chiao Tung<br>U, Taiwan   |
| 2012 | Roon, Kevin                   | <i>“The dynamics of phonological planning.”</i>   | Postdoc, Haskins  |
| 2011 | Fix, Sonya                    | <i>“Dark-skinned white girls: Linguistic and ideological variation among white women with African American ties.”</i> | Columbus Coll.<br>of Art & Design   |
| 2010 | Morrill, Tuuli                | <i>“Word segmentation and phonological learning in cross-language perception of fluent speech.”</i>                   | Data scientist,<br>Northeastern<br>U Institute for<br>Experimental AI         |
| 2010 | Shaw, Jason                   | <i>“The temporal organization of syllabic structure.”</i>   | Yale U  |
| 2009 | Balusu, Rahul                 | <i>“OCP effects in Telugu.”</i>   | Last position:<br>Eng. & For. Lgs<br>U, Hyderabad<br>(deceased)               |

## Qualifying paper chair

- 2022 Chatten, Alicia. “*Prosodic faithfulness drives overwriting in echo reduplication.*”
- 2020 Tabachnick, Guy. “*Morphological dependencies in Hungarian nominal paradigms.*” <https://doi.org/10.16995/glossa.10260>
- 2020 Mooney, Kate. “*Metathesis is deletion and feature spreading: Evidence from Uab Meto.*” <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0952675723000088>
- 2019 Lee, Naomi. “*Architecture and acquisition: A generalizing learner of DP morphosyntax.*” (co-chair with Ailís Cournane)
- 2018 Gilbert, Madeline. “*Secondary stress in Brazilian Portuguese.*” <http://doi.org/10.5334/gjgl.1045>
- 2018 Wang, Sheng-Fu. “*Markedness, features, and statistical patterns in the organization of inventory structure: A computational study of obstruent gaps.*” (co-chair with Sam Bowman)
- 2014 Lin, Kuo-Chiao. “*Variable reduplication in Harmonic Serialism.*”
- 2014 Ahn, Suzy. “*Similarity in Korean blends.*”
- 2012 Linzen, Tal. “*Lexical and phonological variation in Russian prepositions.*” <http://dx.doi.org/10.1017/S0952675713000225>
- 2012 Kasyanenko, Sofya. “*Double consonants at word-clitic boundaries in Russian: An acoustic study.*”
- 2012 Kuhn, Jeremy. “*Bilateral triggers in Kazakh nasal assimilation: A Harmonic Grammar account.*”
- 2012 Lee-Kim, Sang-Im. “*Adjective reduplication in Mandarin Chinese: Interplay between morphology and phonology.*” <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.lingua.2015.12.015>
- 2011 Myler, Neil. “*Epenthetic morphemes, look-ahead and exceptions to the Mirror Principle: the role of spell-out.*”
- 2011 Hwang, Sangjin. “*Non-derived environment blocking effects in Emái compounds.*”
- 2011 Newlin-Lukowicz, Luiza. “*Acoustic correlates of stress in Polish.*” <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0952675712000139>
- 2007 Shousterman, Cara. “*Everybody’s doing it, so why can’t nouns?*”
- 2007 Wong, Amy (Wing-Mei). “*Cop- $\eta$ -copy? Reduplicating unassimilated loanwords in Hong Kong MIX.*”
- 2006 Becker, Kara. “*Variation in Optimality Theory: The case of interdental fricatives in AAE.*”
- 2006 Shaw, Jason. “*Deriving initial geminate moraicity from temporal coordination.*”
- 2005 Gruber, James. “*The prosodic domain of roots: Output oriented faithfulness in Classical Latin.*” Master’s Paper, Georgetown University.

## Undergraduate Honors Theses chair

- 2016 Sawant, Tejas. “*Museum of Language.*” Global Liberal Studies program research thesis
- 2011 Rysling, Amanda. “*Morphological exceptionality across verbal aspects in Polish.*”
- 2010 Greenwood, Anna. “*The syllabic status of prevocalic glides in Italian.*”

## Reviewing

Editorial boards: Natural Language and Linguistic Theory (2014–present)  
 Open Slavic Linguistics (2017–present)  
 Phonology (2018–present)  
 Revue Langues et Littératures (2021–present)

Grants: Israel Science Foundation  
 Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft  
 National Science Foundation

- Journals:
- Applied Psycholinguistics
  - Glossa
  - International Journal of American Linguistics
  - Journal of East Asian Linguistics
  - Journal of Germanic Linguistics
  - Journal of Linguistics
  - Journal of Slavic Linguistics
  - Laboratory Phonology
  - Language
  - Language Sciences
  - Lingua
  - Linguistic Inquiry
  - The Linguistic Review
  - Linguistic Typology
  - Linguistic Variation
  - Linguistics Vanguard
  - Natural Language and Linguistic Theory
  - Phonological Data and Analysis
  - Phonology
  - Phonetica
  - SKY Journal of Linguistics
- Conferences:
- AMP (Annual Meeting on Phonology)
  - AIMM (American International Morphology Meeting)
  - CLS (Chicago Linguistic Society)
  - ConSOLE (Conference of the Student Organization Linguistics in Europe)
  - Dissecting Morphological Theory
  - FASL (Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics)
  - FDSL (Formal Description of Slavic Languages)
  - GLOW (Generative Linguistics in the Old World)
  - IATL (Israel Association for Theoretical Linguistics)
  - LabPhon (Laboratory Phonology)
  - LSA (Linguistic Society of America)
  - NELS (North Eastern Linguistic Society)
  - SinFonIJA (Linguistics in the Austro-Hungarian Empire)
  - WCCFL (West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics)
  - WECOL (Western Conference on Linguistics)
- Other:
- Cambridge University Press, Georgetown Working Papers in Linguistics, Proceedings of the 8th SUNY/CUNY/NYU mini-conference, Linguistics in the Big Apple, Blackwell books, Capturing Phonological Shades within and across Languages: Inspirations from the Theoretical Phonology Conferences, Perspectives on Arabic Linguistics

## Department and university service at NYU

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| 2024             | Admissions committee  |
| 2020–2022        | Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, College of Arts and Sciences              |
| 2015, 2017, 2022 | Tenure review committee (chair in 2022)                                       |
| 2014, 2019, 2020 | Third year review committee (chair in 2019)                                   |
| 2013, 2017, 2020 | Merit review committee (chair in 2017, 2020)                                  |
| 2009–present     | regular contributor to team-taught Professional Seminar                       |
| 2018–2019        | supervising independent study of students taking Python course                |
| 2016–17          | Search committee for Assistant/Associate Professor in computational phonology |
| 2012–13          | Search committee for Assistant Professor in computational phonology           |
| 2008–13          | Writer for departmental newsletter/blog                                       |
| 2011–12          | Search committee for Visiting Assistant Professor in phonology                |
| 2010–11          | Search committee, Assistant Professorships in phonology and semantics         |
| 2010             | Committee to revise departmental merit review guidelines                      |
| 2009–10          | Search committee for Visiting Assistant Professor in phonology                |
| 2008–09          | Search committee for Departmental Administrator                               |
| 2007–2009        | Chair of the Departmental Curriculum Committee                                |
| 2006–2009        | Director of the Honors Program for the NYU Linguistics Department             |
| 2006–2009        | Director of Undergraduate Studies for the NYU Linguistics Department          |
| 2006–present     | Faculty mentor (Faculty Mentor Program)                                       |

## Other professional service

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| 2018–19   | Co-organizer of MarantzFest, NYU, New York City.   |
| 2016–17   | Co-organizer of the 5th Annual Meeting on Phonology 2017, NYU, New York City.  |
| 2014–15   | Co-organizer of Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics conference, 24th Meeting, New York City.                           |
| 2014–15   | Co-organizer of the Special Workshop on Slavic Morphology at FASL 24.  |
| 2002      | Co-organizer of HUMDRUM 2002, a joint conference of four universities on Optimality Theory.                                |
| 2002      | Organizer of the UMass Linguistics Department phonology group  |
| 2002      | Dissertation contact for the UMass Graduate Linguistics Student Association  |
| 2001–2    | Student Representative to faculty, UMass   |
| 2001      | Compiled an online catalog of films and videos to aid in teaching linguistics courses for the UMass Linguistics Department |
| 1999–2001 | Co-organizer for the UMass Linguistics Department colloquium series  |
| 1998–1999 | Graduate Employee Union steward for the UMass Linguistics Department   |

## Skills

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|---------------|---|
| markup        | LaTeX, HTML5                                    |
| languages     | Python, R, JavaScript (minimal), Java (minimal) |
| web/server/OS | Django, Apache, Linux                           |
| databases     | PostgreSQL                                      |