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EDUCATION

Linguistics PhD, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (Thesis Title: <i>Anatomy of an Attitude</i>)	EXPECTED 2022
Linguistics MA, Lomonosov Moscow State University (MSU)	JUNE 2017
Linguistics BA, Lomonosov Moscow State University (MSU)	JUNE 2015

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Broad: semantics, syntax, fieldwork

In semantics: attitude reports, veridicality and factivity, presupposition, polarity, subjunctives, embedded questions, repetitives, aspect.

In syntax: complementation, accusative subjects and hyperraising, complex agreement systems, left branch extraction, scrambling, restructuring, datives/applicatives, ellipsis.

Language families: Algonquian, Altaic (Turkic, Mongolic), Kartvelian, Slavic

OTHER EDUCATION

Intro to UnixShell/Python/Git (20 hrs), Software Carpentries @ MIT	FEBRUARY 2020
Web Summer School in Logic, Language, and Information (WeSSLLI)	JULY 2020
Kaufman Teaching Certificate Program	JUNE 2019
Crete Summer School in Linguistics, University of Crete	SUMMERS 2017-2018
The New York-St. Petersburg Institute of Linguistics, Cognition and Culture (NYI), St. Petersburg State University	SUMMERS 2012-2016

PUBLICATIONS

Journal papers

[with Colin Davis] Insights about cyclic syntax from cross-clausal scrambling and subject case in Balkar. [<Link>](#) UNDER REVIEW AT *SYNTAX*

[with Stanislao Zompì] Leftover Agreement. [<Link>](#) UNDER REVIEW AT *NLLT*

[with Colin Davis] Concealed Pied-Piping in Russian: On Left Branch Extraction, Parasitic Gaps, and Beyond. [<Link>](#) ACCEPTED TO *SYNTAX*

- Factivity from pre-existence: Evidence from Barguzin Buryat. *Glossa: a journal of general linguistics* 5(1): 109. 1–35. [<Link>](#) 2020
- [*in Russian*] Nominalization strategies in Barguzin Buryat (“Strategiji nominalizacii v barguzinskom dialekte buryatskogo yazyka”). In *Ural-Altai Studies* №4 (31), 2018, P. 95-111. [<Link>](#) 2018
- Passivization in the -*za*-converb construction in Barguzin Buryat: On the syntactic representation of voice. In *Voprosy Jazykoznanija* (“Topics in the study of language”), №3, 2018, P. 40-71. [<Link>](#) 2018
- [*in Russian*] Two aspectual subsystems of Georgian (“Dve aspektual’nye podsistemy v gruzinskom yazyke”). In *Voprosy Jazykoznanija* (“Topics in the study of language”), №4, 2017, P. 74-100. [<Link>](#) 2017
- Passivization of matrix predicates in the light of ECM phenomena: the case of Buryat. In *Ural-Altai Studies* №3 (26), 2017, P. 117-126. [<Link>](#) 2017

Papers in festschrifts (peer reviewed)

- On distinguishing dative arguments from PPs. In Nora Boneh, Daniel Harbour, Ora Matushansky & Isabelle Roy (eds.). [Title and other details removed until the volume is presented]. [<Link>](#) TO APPEAR

Book Chapters

- [*in Russian*] Sentential arguments (“Sentencial’nye aktanty.”). A chapter in S.G. Tatevosov, T.I. Bondarenko, A.V. Podobryaev, and D.K. Privoznov (eds.) *Elements of the Buryat language in a typological perspective. Barguzin dialect. (Elementy Buryatskogo yazyka v tipologicheskom osveščenii: Barguzinskij dialekt)*. TO APPEAR
- [with J. F. Bailyn.] Theoretical and empirical issues in Russian ellipsis. 2019
In J. van Craenenbroeck & T. Temmerman (eds.). *The Oxford Handbook of Ellipsis*. P. 988-1019. [<Link>](#)

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

Peer-reviewed

- [with Colin Davis] Linearization asymmetries in Russian left branch extraction. TO APPEAR
Proceedings of the 28th Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics conference (FASL 28). [<Link>](#)
- Russian Datives Again: on the (im)possibility of the small clause analysis. 2018
In Denisa Lenertová, Roland Meyer, Radek Šimík & Luka Szucsich (eds.), *Advances in formal Slavic linguistics 2016*, P. 25-51. Berlin: Language Science Press. [<Link>](#)

Not peer-reviewed (with peer-reviewed abstracts)

- The dual life of embedded CPs: evidence from Russian *čto*-clauses. *Proceedings of the 31th Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference (SALT 30)*. P. 304-323. [<Link>](#) TO APPEAR
- How do we explain that CPs have two readings with some verbs of speech? TO APPEAR
Proceedings of the 39th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL 39). [<Link>](#)
- [with Colin Davis] Long-Distance Scrambling in Balkar and the Nature of Edges. In Rachel Soo Una Y. Chow, and Sander Nederveen (eds.) *Proceedings of the the 38th West* 2021

- Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL 38). 54–64. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Proceedings Project. [<Link>](#)
- [with Stanislao Zoppi] Leftover Agreement: Spelling Out Kartvelian Number. In Rachel Soo Una Y. Chow, and Sander Nederveen (eds.) *Proceedings of the the 38th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL 38)*. 65–73. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Proceedings Project. [<Link>](#) 2021
- [with Itai Bassi] Composing CPs: evidence from disjunction and conjunction. In Nicole Dreier, Chloe Kwon, Kaelyn Lamp, and Joseph Rhyne (eds.) *Proceedings of the 30th Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference (SALT 30)*. P. 583–602. [<Link>](#) 2021
- From *think* to *remember*: how CPs and NPs combine with attitudes in Buryat. In Katherine Blake, Forrest Davis, Kaelyn Lamp, and Joseph Rhyne (eds.) *Proceedings of the 29th Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference (SALT 29)*. P. 509-528. [<Link>](#) 2019
- [with Colin Davis] Parasitic gaps diagnose concealed pied-piping in Russian. In *Proceedings of The 49th Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society (NELS 49)*. Vol. 1. P. 145-158. [<Link>](#) 2019
- Combining CPs by Restrict: Evidence from Buryat. In T. Bondarenko, C. Davis, J. Colley, and D. Privoznov (eds.) *Proceedings of the 14th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics (WAFL 14)*, MIT Working Papers in Linguistics. #90, P. 29-36. [<Link>](#) 2019
- Voice restructuring in Buryat. In Céleste Guillemot, Tomoyuki Yoshida and Seunghun J. Lee Ciscel (eds.) *Proceedings of the 13th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics (WAFL 13)*, MIT Working Papers in Linguistics, #88, 2018. P. 101-114. [<Link>](#) 2018
- Subject marking and scrambling effects in Balkar nominalizations. In Faruk Akkuş, İsa Kerem Bayırlı, Deniz Özyıldız (eds.) *Proceedings of the first workshop on Turkish, Turkic, and the languages of Turkey (Tu+1)*, Graduate Linguistics Student Association, University of Massachusetts. 2018. P. 27-42. [<Link>](#) 2018
- ECM in Buryat and the optionality of movement. In Leyla Zidani-Eroğlu, Matthew Ciscel, and Elena Koulidobrova (eds.) *Proceedings of the 12th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics (WAFL 12)*, MIT Working Papers in Linguistics, #83, 2017. P. 31-42. [<Link>](#) 2017
- Constructions with two objects again: Georgian and Russian - vs - English. In M.B. Konoshenko, E.A. Lyutikova, and A.V. Zimmerling (eds.) *Proceedings of Typology of Morphosyntactic Parameters*, Vol. 3 (2016), MSPU, Moscow. P. 28-55. [<Link>](#) 2016
- [in Russian] Ditransitive verbs and applicative constructions with transitive verbs in Georgian (“Bitransitivnye glagoly i applicativnye konstrukzii ot perexodnyx glagolov v gruzinskom yazyke”). In E.A. Lyutikova, A.V. Zimmerling, and M.B. Konoshenko (eds.) *Proceedings of Typology of Morphosyntactic Parameters*, Vol. 2 (2015), MSPU, Moscow. P. 26-47. 2015

OTHER MANUSCRIPTS

- Two paths to explain: clausal embedding with verbs of speech. [<Link>](#) 2021
- Feature gluttony for Algonquian: agreement in Passamaquoddy. 2020
Generals Paper (Committee: S. Iatridou, D. Fox, A. Albright). MIT. [<Link>](#)
- Factivity alternation due to semantic composition: *think* and *remember* in Barguzin Buryat. 2019
Generals Paper (Committee: S. Iatridou, D. Fox, A. Albright). MIT. [<Link>](#)

[in Russian] Repetitives in constructions with dative arguments (“Repetitivny v konstrukcijax s dativnymi argumentami”). MA thesis (under supervision of Sergei Tatevosov), Lomonosov Moscow State University, 2017. <Link> 2017

EDITED VOLUMES

[with S.G. Tatevosov, A.V. Podobryaev, and D.K. Privoznov] Elements of the Buryat language in a typological view. Barguzin dialect. (Elementy Buryatskogo yazyka v tipologicheskom osveščeni: Barguzinskij dialekt). M. TO APPEAR

[with P. Grishin and Anton Kukhto] *Proceedings of the Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics 30*. IN PREP.

[with C. Davis, J. Colley, and D. Privoznov] *Proceedings of the 14th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics (WAFL 14)*, MIT Working Papers in Linguistics. 2019

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

Title TBA. *Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics 31 (FASL 31)* at McMaster University. JUNE 2022

Title TBA. *Syntax Brown Bag* at NYU. FEBRUARY 2022

Title TBA. *Syntax & Semantics Circle* at UC Berkeley. JANUARY 2022

Hyperraising and semantics of clausal embedding. *Crossing boundaries: Empirical and theoretical aspects of A-dependencies in complementation*. 46th Austrian Linguistics Conference 2021 (Österreichische Linguistik-Tagung). <Link> DECEMBER 2021

When clauses are Weak NPIs: polarity subjunctives in Russian. *Approaches to the semantics of clause-embedding predicates: theories, cross-linguistic data, and experimentation*. Organized by MECORE project (A cross-linguistic investigation of meaning-driven combinatorial restrictions in clausal embedding). <Link> OCTOBER 2021

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

The dual life of embedded CPs: evidence from Russian *čto*-clauses. Talk at *31st Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference (SALT 31)*. Brown University. MAY 2021

How do we explain that CPs have two readings with some verbs of speech? Talk at *39th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL 39)*. The University of Arizona. APRIL 2021

Inverse in Passamaquoddy as the spell-out of Feature Gluttony. Poster at LSA 2021 Annual Meeting. JANUARY 2021

[with Colin Davis] What cross-clausal scrambling in Balkar reveals about phase edges. Talk at LSA 2021 Annual Meeting. JANUARY 2021

Two paths to *explain*. Talk at the Brussels Conference on Generative Linguistics 13 (BCGL 13): The syntax and semantics of clausal complementation. CRISSP. DECEMBER 2020

[with Itai Bassi] Composing CPs: evidence from disjunction and conjunction. Talk at *30th Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference (SALT 30)*. Cornell University. AUGUST 2020

[with Itai Bassi] In favor of identity semantics of clausal embedding: Evidence from Russian. Talk at <i>Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics (FASL) 29</i> . The University of Washington.	MAY 2020
Feature gluttony for Algonquian: inverse in Passamaquoddy. Talk at <i>Chicago Linguistics Society 56 (CLS 56)</i> . The University of Chicago.	CANCELLED DUE TO COVID-19 PANDEMIC
Hyperraising and Logical Form: evidence from Buryat. Poster presentation at <i>43rd Generative Linguistics in the Old World (GLOW)</i> conference. The Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin.	APRIL 2020
[with Stanislaw Zompí] Leftover Agreement: Spelling out Kartvelian number. Talk at <i>43rd Generative Linguistics in the Old World (GLOW)</i> conference. The Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin.	APRIL 2020
[with Colin Davis] Long-distance scrambling in Balkar and the nature of edges. Talk at <i>38th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL 38)</i> . University of British Columbia.	MARCH 2020
[with Stanislaw Zompí] Leftover Agreement: Spelling out Kartvelian number. Poster presentation at <i>38th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL 38)</i> . University of British Columbia.	MARCH 2020
[not peer-reviewed] Inverse in Passamaquoddy as Feature Gluttony. Talk at ECO-5 Workshop (syntax workshop among the graduate students of UMass, MIT, Harvard, UConn, and UMD). Harvard University.	FEBRUARY 2020
[with Colin Davis] A Linearization Explanation for Asymmetries in Russian Scrambling. Poster presentation at <i>94th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America (LSA)</i> . New Orleans.	JAN. 2020
[with Stanislaw Zompí] Leftover Agreement across Kartvelian languages. Poster presentation at <i>94th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America (LSA)</i> . New Orleans.	JAN. 2020
[with Stanislaw Zompí] A new account of Kartvelian number agreement. Poster presentation at workshop <i>Linguistics Theory, Meet Languages of the Caucasus!</i> The 3rd Crete Summer School of Linguistics.	JULY 2019
From <i>think</i> to <i>remember</i> : how CPs and NPs combine with attitudes in Buryat. Poster presentation at <i>Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT) 29</i> , University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA).	MAY 2019
[with Colin Davis] Linearization asymmetries in Russian left branch extraction. Talk at <i>55th Meeting of the Chicago Linguistic Society (CLS)</i> , The University of Chicago, Illinois.	MAY 2019
[with Colin Davis] Linearization asymmetries in Russian left branch extraction. Talk at <i>Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics (FASL) 28</i> , Stony Brook University, NY.	MAY 2019
[with Colin Davis] Parasitic gaps diagnose concealed pied-piping in Russian. Talk at <i>Linguistics Society of America (LSA) 93rd Annual Meeting</i> , New York NY.	JAN. 2019
Combining CPs by Restrict: evidence from Buryat. Alternate talk at <i>14th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics (WAFL 14)</i> , MIT.	OCT. 2018

- [with Colin Davis] Parasitic gaps diagnose concealed pied-piping in Russian. Oct. 2018
Talk at *49th Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society (NELS 49)*,
Cornell University.
- [with Colin Davis] Parasitic gaps and covert pied-piping in Russian left branch MAY 2018
extraction. Talk at *Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics (FASL) 27*,
Stanford University.
- Results, Repetitives and Datives: towards an account of the crosslinguistic variation. JAN. 2018
Poster presentation at workshop *Endpoints, scales, and results in the decomposition
of verbal predicates (ENDPOINTS 2018)*, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin.
- Voice restructuring in Buryat. Talk at *13th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics MAY 2017
(WAFL 13)*, International Christian University (Tokyo, Japan).
- Russian applicatives and the lexical decomposition. Talk at *Formal Approaches MAR. 2017
to Russian Linguistics 2017 (FARL)*, Faculty of Philology, Lomonosov Moscow State
University and the Institute for Modern Linguistic Research, Moscow State University
for Education.
- Russian Datives Again: on the (im)possibility of the small clause analysis. DEC. 2016
Talk at *12th European Conference on Formal Description of Slavic Languages (FDSL)*,
Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin.
- Constructions with two objects again: Georgian and Russian –vs– English. OCT. 2016
("Konstrukzii s dvumya dopolneniyami opjat': gruzinsky i russky - vs - anglijsky").
Talk at *6th Conference in the series "Typology of Morphosyntactic Parameters"*, Moscow
State University of Education & The Institute of Linguistics, Russian Academy of Sciences.
- ECM in Buryat and the optionality of movement. Talk at *12th Workshop on Altaic MAY 2016
Formal Linguistics (WAFL 12)*, Central Connecticut State University.
- Subject marking and scrambling effects in Balkar nominalizations. Nov. 2015
Poster presentation at *Tu+1 Workshop on Turkish, Turkic and the languages of Turkey*,
University of Massachusetts Amherst.
- Ditransitive verbs and applicative constructions with transitive verbs in Georgian. OCT. 2015
("Bitransitivnye glagoly i applicativnye konstrukzii ot perexodnyx glagolov v
gruzinskom yazyke"). Talk at *5th Conference in the series "Typology of Morphosyntactic
Parameters"*, Sholokhov Moscow State University for the Humanities & The Institute of
Linguistics, Russian Academy of Sciences.
- Accusative subjects in Buryat. ("Akkuzativnye podležščije v buryatskom yazyke"). OCT. 2014
Talk at *4th Conference in the series "Typology of Morphosyntactic Parameters"*, Sholokhov
Moscow State University for the Humanities & The Institute of Linguistics,
Russian Academy of Sciences.
- The Georgian masdar. Poster at *11th Conference on Typology and Grammar Nov. 2014
for Young Scholars*, Institute for Linguistic Studies, Russian Academy of Sciences.
- [with Marina Ermolaeva] Two types of nominalizations in Balkar. Talk at *Societas SEPT. 2014
Linguistica Europea 2014 (SLE 2014)*, Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznań.

AWARDS & GRANTS

Grants

Department-internal (MIT) grants

MIT Noam Chomsky Graduate Fellowship in Linguistics	2020-2021
Funding award for outstanding progress in the MIT linguistics PhD program	ACADEMIC YEAR
MIT Ken Hale Fund - Funding for fieldwork on Balkar [with Colin Davis].	AUG. 2019
MIT Ken Hale Fund - Funding for fieldwork on Buryat [with Colin Davis].	AUG. 2018
MIT Ken Hale Fund - Funding for fieldwork on Georgian [with Colin Davis].	JAN. 2018

Russian Grants (RSF, RFBR, RFH)

<i>Four grammar descriptions of languages of Russia as a multilingual country.</i> (“Četyre grammatičeskix opisaniya yazykov Rossii kak mnogoyazyčnogo gosudarstva”). Supported by Russian Science Foundation (grant #16-18-02081); [with Lomonosov Moscow State University research group].	2016-2018
<i>The semantics-syntax interface in Uralic and Altaic languages.</i> (“Semantiko-sintaksičesky interfeis v ural’skix i altajskix yazykax”). Supported by Russian Foundation for Basic Research (grant #16-06-00536); [with Lomonosov Moscow State University research group].	2016-2018
<i>Expeditions for documenting Uralic and Altaic languages.</i> (“Ekspeditsiya po sboru dannyx ural’skix i altajskix yazykov”). Supported by Russian Foundation for Humanities (grants #15-04-18038, #16-04-18037); [with Lomonosov Moscow State University research group].	2015-2016
<i>Syntax and semantics of verbs in aspectual systems of the derivational type.</i> (“Sintaksis i semantika glagola v vidovyx sistemax derivacionnogo tipa”). Supported by Russian Foundation for Basic Research (grant #14-06-00435); [with Moscow State University research group].	2014-2016

Scholarships

A scholarship within the Integrated Research Training Group of the Collaborative Research Center SFB 732 (“Incremental Specification in Context”), University of Stuttgart, for research “Argument structure and argument realization”, aligned to the projects B1 and B6 and the supervisor Prof. Artemis Alexiadou.	Nov. 2014
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TEACHING

Teacher’s Assistant

Advanced Semantics. A graduate course at MIT. Instructor: Martin Hackl (MIT).	SPRING 2021
Introduction to Linguistics. An undergraduate course at MIT. Instructor: David Pesetsky (MIT).	SPRING 2020
Field Methods in Linguistics. An undergraduate course at MIT. Instructor: Adam Albright (MIT).	FALL 2018

Introduction to Syntax. A course at the 2nd Crete Summer School of Linguistics. JULY 2018
Instructor: Sabine Iatridou (MIT).

Introduction to formal Semantics. A course at NY-St. Petersburg Institute of JULY 2016
Linguistics, Cognition and Culture (NYI). Instructor: Sergei Tatevosov (Lomonosov
Moscow State University).

Introduction to formal Semantics. A course at NY-St. Petersburg Institute of JULY 2015
Linguistics, Cognition and Culture (NYI). Instructors: Philippe Schlenker (Institut
Jean-Nicod & Ecole Normale Supérieure & NYU) & Sergei Tatevosov (Lomonosov
Moscow State University).

Instructor

[with Andrey Zavgorodny] Introduction to the generative syntax. Seminar for FALL 2013,
schoolchildren at the Department of Structural and Applied Linguistics, SPRING 2014
Lomonosov Moscow State University.

SERVICE & MEMBERSHIPS

Reviewing

Ad-hoc reviewer for papers in: ◦ *Linguistic Inquiry* ◦ *Glossa* ◦ *Syntax* ◦ *Journal of Linguistics* ◦ *Journal of Slavic Linguistics* ◦ *Snippets* ◦ *Proceedings of the Workshop on Turkic and Languages in Contact with Turkic (Tu+4)* ◦ *Proceedings of the 28th Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics (FASL 28)* ◦ *Volume on non-interrogative subordinated wh-clauses at OUP* ◦ Vol. “The Size of Things” at *Open Generative Syntax*

Ad-hoc reviewer for conference abstracts: ◦ workshop *Crossing boundaries: Empirical and theoretical aspects of A-dependencies in complementation* (at 46th Austrian Linguistics Conference, OELT 2021)

Conference organization

Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics 30 (FASL 30). Co-organizer. 2021
TripleA 6, a workshop series for semantic fieldworkers. Co-organizer. 2019
Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics 14 (WAFL 14). Co-organizer. 2018

Department-internal service

Linguistics Community & Equity Committee Member. SUMMER 2020—SUMMER 2021
Passamaquoddy Workshop Founder & Organizer. FALL 2019—SUMMER 2021
MIT LF reading group (LFRG) Co-organizer. SPRING 2018 — FALL 2019
MIT Fieldwork Reading Group (FWRD) Co-organizer. FALL 2018

Memberships

Linguistics Society of America SINCE 2018

FIELDWORK EXPERIENCE

Azeri (Turkic). Elicitations during the class “Topics in the Grammar of a less Familiar Language” (24.942) at MIT. SPRING 2020

Balkar (Turkic). A researcher of the Lomonosov Moscow State University AUGUST 2013
Altaic expedition (chair: Sergei Tatevosov (MSU)). Verhnyaya Balkaria, & AUGUST 2019
The Kabardino-Balkar Republic, Russia.

Barguzin Buryat (Mongolic). A researcher of the Lomonosov Moscow State University Altaic expedition (chair: Sergei Tatevosov (MSU)). Baraghan, Republic of Buryatia, Russia. AUG. OF 2014-2018

Georgian (Kartvelian). Tbilisi, Georgia. JAN. OF 2015, 2017-2018

Javanese (Austronesian). Elicitations during the class “Topics in the Grammar of a less Familiar Language” (24.942) at MIT. SPRING 2019

Passamaquoddy (Algonquian). Fieldwork in Indian Township & Pleasant Point (Maine, USA) with MIT group (chair: Norvin Richards) in January 2020. Virtual elicitations over Zoom since Summer 2020 (ongoing). 2020-PRESENT

Wolof (Niger-Congo). TA for the undergraduate Field Methods in Linguistics class (24.909) at MIT. FALL 2018

LANGUAGES

NATIVE	RUSSIAN
FLUENT	ENGLISH
READING KNOWLEDGE	GERMAN