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EDUCATION:

1969	Ph. D.	University of Illinois	Linguistics; Dissertation title: English Aspectual Verbs; Advisor: Robert B. Lees
1967	MA	University of Rochester	Linguistics
1965	BA	University of Rochester	Geology

POSITIONS HELD:***Permanent***

2006-	Professor Emeritus	Department of Linguistics, University of Washington
1981-2006	Professor	“ “ (Chair 1990-2000; Acting Chair 2004-2005)
1975-1981	Associate Professor	“ “
1969-1975	Assistant Professor	“ “

Short-Term And Visiting

Fall 2012	Collaborateur	Institut des Sciences Cognitives, Lyon, France
August 2008	Lecturer	University of Copenhagen Summer School in Functional Linguistics
September 2007	Adjunct Professor	Department of Linguistics, Simon Fraser University
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April 2007-	Adjunct Professor	Department of Linguistics, University of British Columbia
October 2006	Visiting Exchange Professor	University of Ljubljana, Slovenia
Spring 2004	Visiting Scientist	Max-Planck-Institut for Evolutionary Anthropology, Leipzig, Germany
Winter 2004	Collaborateur	Institut des Sciences Cognitives, Lyon, France
Fall 2003	Chercheur	École Normale Supérieure, Paris, France
Sept.-Oct. 2003	Instructor	École d'Automne de Linguistique, École Normale Supérieure, Paris, France
September 2003	Visiting Professor	Association for Linguistic Typology Summer School, Cagliari, Sardinia, Italy
Summer 2002	Visiting Professor	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Sprachwissenschaft, Heinrich-Heine-Universität, Düsseldorf, Germany
June 2000	Visiting Professor	Netherlands Linguistics Summer School, Catholic University of Brabant, Tilburg, Netherlands

Summer 1999	Visiting Professor	University of Illinois (LSA Linguistic Institute)
March 1997	Visiting Professor	Universidad Nacional del Comahue, Argentina
Oct.-Nov. 1995 Fall 1987	Visiting Professor Honorary Visiting Fellow	Universidade de São Paulo, Brazil La Trobe University, Melbourne, Australia
Oct.-Nov. 1985	Visitor	Guangzhou Institute of Foreign Languages, China
1982-1983	Visiting Professor	Department of Linguistics, UCLA
Summer 1982	Visiting Professor	University of Maryland (LSA Linguistic Institute)
Summer 1981	Visiting Professor	Cornell University
Winter 1979	Visiting Professor	Department of Phonetics & Linguistics University College London, Univ. of London, UK
1976-1977	Visiting Associate Professor	Dept. of English, Wayne State University
1973-1974	Post-Doctoral Fellow	Dept. of Linguistics, University of Edinburgh, UK
1968-1969	Guest	Research Laboratory of Electronics, MIT
Summer 1967	Language Processing Associate	System Development Corporation, Santa Monica, California

AWARDS, GRANTS, AND FELLOWSHIPS:

2011-2012	Mellon Foundation Fellowship for Emeritus Faculty
2005-	Elected Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science
2005-	Elected Fellow of the Linguistic Society of America
Fall 2003 - 2006	Named to Howard and Frances Nostrand Endowed Professorship
Fall 2000	Solomon Katz Distinguished Lectureship in the Humanities, University of Washington
Summer 1996	American Council of Learned Societies Travel Grant
Winter 1995	American Council of Learned Societies Travel Grant
Winter 1995	International Research and Exchanges Board Travel Grant
Summer 1987	American Council of Learned Societies Travel Grant
October 1985	Washington State China Relations Council Travel Grant
Spring 1985	University of Washington Arts/Humanities Research Professorship
1973-1974	National Endowment for the Humanities, Fellowship for Younger Humanists
1968-1969	Special Graduate Fellowship
1967-1968	NDEA Title VI Fellowship (Indonesian)
1965-1967	NDEA Title IV Fellowship

KEYNOTE ADDRESSES:¹

- 2012 Workshop on Formal Linguistics and the Measurement of Grammatical Complexity (one of 6)
- 2010 Conference on Competing Motivations, Leipzig, Germany (one of 10)
- 2010 Language Contact and Change: Grammatical Structure Encounters the Fluidity of Language, Trondheim, Norway (one of 8)
- 2009 Conférence sur les Interfaces dans les théories linguistiques, Leysin, Switzerland (one of 3)
- 2008 Revisiting Parameters: Holmberg and Platzack (1995) Reloaded, University of Lund, Sweden (one of 5)
- 2007 Scandinavian Dialect Syntax Meeting, Lake Myvatn, Iceland (one of 4)
- 2006 NORMS Workshop, Tromsø, Norway (one of 4)
- 2006 Linguistic Society of Korea, Seoul International Conference on Linguistics (one of 4)
- 2006 18th North American Conference on Chinese Linguistics, Bellingham, WA (one of 3)
- 2005 Deutsche Gesellschaft für Sprachwissenschaft (= German Society for Linguistics), Köln (one of 4)
- 2004 Workshop entitled: “La notion de ‘construction verbale en série’: Est-elle une notion opératoire?”, Paris (sole)
- 2003 ZAS Workshop on Dislocated Elements in Discourse: Syntactic, Semantic, and Pragmatic Perspectives, Berlin (one of 6)
- 2003 Fortieth Anniversary Celebration, Department of Linguistics, University of Washington (sole)
- 2003 First International Forum on Language, Brain, and Cognition, Tohoku University, Sendai, Japan (one of 5)
- 2003 Linguistic Society of America, Presidential Address (sole)
- 2002 North-West [of England] Centre for Linguistics Training Session, Manchester (sole)
- 2001 Opening of Leiden Center for Linguistics, Leiden, Netherlands (one of 2)
- 2001 Chicago Linguistic Society, Parasession on Formalism and Functionalism in Linguistic Theory (one of 2)
- 2000 International Conference on Linguistics and Interdisciplinary Research, Tokyo (sole)
- 2000 Conference on Language and Use, Utrecht. (one of 2)
- 1999 Western Conference on Linguistics (one of 2)
- 1998 V Encuentro de Lingüística en el Noroeste, Hermosillo, Mexico (one of 4)
- 1998 Linguistics Association of Great Britain (sole)
- 1995 Pusan (Korea) International Workshop on Linguistics (one of 3)
- 1993 IXth International Conference on the History of the Language Sciences (one of 5)
- 1990 Canadian Linguistics Association (sole)
- 1989 Western Conference on Linguistics (one of 4)
- 1987 British Association of Applied Linguistics (one of 4)
- 1986 Language Acquisition Research Symposium, Utrecht (one of 5)

¹ Addresses at an event where I was one of a small number of invited speakers and the majority of speakers had submitted refereed abstracts.

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES:

American Association for the Advancement of Science
 Association for Linguistic Typology
 Generative Linguists of the Old World
 International Cognitive Linguistics Association
 Linguistic Society of America
 North American Association for the History of the Language Sciences

JOURNAL EDITORSHIPS:

1988-2002 *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory* (one of 5 principal editors)

EDITORIAL BOARDS:

2002-2009 *English Linguistics* (Advisory Committee member)
 2000-2005 *Oxford University Press* (Co-) General Editor, *Studies in the Evolution of Language*
 1998-2000 *Cambridge University Press* (Advisory Board member for series on language evolution)
 1998-2000 *Languages and Linguistics* (Editorial Board member)
 1997-2001 *Annotated Bibliography for English Studies* (Advisory Editor for Theoretical Linguistics)
 1994- *Behavioral and Brain Sciences* (Associate)
 1990-2010 *Language and Communication* (Editorial Board member)
 1981-1985 *Language* (Associate Editor)
 1981-1987 *Journal of Pragmatics* (Advisory Editor)

LINGUISTIC SOCIETY OF AMERICA ACTIVITIES:*Elected Offices:*

2002 President
 2001 Vice-President/President-Elect
 1989-1994 Secretary-Treasurer
 1987-1988 Nominating Committee

Committee Memberships:

2011- Chair, Committee to Celebrate the LSA's 90th Anniversary
 2006-2009 Member, Audit Committee (Chair 2007)
 2004-2009 Delegate to the Comité International Permanent des Linguistes
 2001 Chair, Committee on Institutes and Fellowships

1997	Chair, Secretary-Treasurer Search Committee
1994-1996	Leonard Bloomfield Book Award Committee
1991-1994	Advisory Committee on Linguistic Programs
1989-1994	Committee on Linguistic Institutes and Fellowships
1989-1994	Membership Committee
1989-1994	Finance Committee
1988	Ad Hoc Committee on the Governance and Structure of the Society
1987-1990	Committee on Social and Political Concerns
1986-1987	Advisory Committee for the Bloomfield Centennial
1986-1987	Committee for a Review Journal
1985	Chair, Local Arrangements Committee
1985	Program Committee

OTHER OUTSIDE PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

2012	Organizer, Workshop on Formal Linguistics and the Measurement of Grammatical Complexity, Seattle
2010-	Member, Scientific Committee, International Congress of Linguists meeting in Geneva
2008	Invited participant, Ernst Strüngmann Forum Biological Foundations and Origins of Syntax, Frankfurt am Main, Germany
2007-	Nominating Committee member, Comité International Permanent des Linguistes
2007-2010	American Association for the Advancement of Science, Chair-Elect, Chair, Outgoing Chair, Section Z, Linguistics and Language Sciences
2006-	Scientific Advisory Board Member, Nordic Center of Excellence in Microcomparative Syntax
2005-2006	Co-director, West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics meeting
2005-2008	Executive Committee member, Comité International Permanent des Linguistes
2003	International Advisory Board, Linguistics Program, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam
2003	Organizer, American Association for the Advancement of Science symposium, "Is Grammar 'Designed' for Language Users?"
2002	Special Research Program advisor, Austrian Science Foundation
2001	External Review Committee, Department of Linguistics and Languages, Michigan State University
2000-2001	Executive Committee member, North American Association for the History of the Language Sciences (elected)
2000-2003	Section Steering Committee, American Association for the Advancement of Science, Section Z, (elected)
1999-2002	Electorate Nominating Committee, American Association for the Advancement of Science, Section Z (elected)
2000	Program Committee member, Third International Conference on Language Evolution, Paris

- 1997 Author of the Linguistic Society of America web page on the topic: 'History of Linguistics'
- 1996 Co-organizer, Conference on Functionalism and Formalism in Linguistics, University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee
- 1995 Consultant and featured speaker, PBS series 'The Human Language'
- 1994 External Review Committee, Rutgers University Linguistics Department
- 1991 External Reviewer, Arizona State University Linguistics Program
- 1990-1992 Markers Panel for Labeling Radioactive Waste, Sandia Corp.
- 1989-1992 Center for Applied Linguistics, Member, Board of Trustees and Executive Committee
- 1989-1990 External Review Committee, University of California at Santa Cruz Linguistics Department
- 1985-1986 Chair, National Research Council Working Group on Language and Language Processing
- 1984-1985 Director, West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics meeting
- 1984-1998 Advisor to MIT Athena Language Learning Software Project
- 1980-1981 President, Western Conference on Linguistics
- 1972- Referee for *Annals of Science*, *Annals of Theoretical Psychology*, *Applied Linguistics*, *Canadian Journal of Linguistics*, *Cognitive Linguistics*, *Historiographia Linguistica*, *Interaction Studies*, *Journal of Linguistic Research*, *Journal of Linguistics*, *Journal of Pragmatics*, *Language*, *Lingua*, *Linguistic Analysis*, *Linguistic Inquiry*, *Linguistic Review*, *Linguistics*, *Linguistic Typology*, *Linguistics and Philosophy*, National Science Foundation, *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory*, *Psychology*, *Science*, *Second Language Research*, *Studia Linguistica*, *Syntax*, *Theoretical Linguistics*, *Trends in Cognitive Science*

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON-INTERNAL SERVICE:

- 2004-2005 Chair, Search Committee for Chair of Department of Scandinavian Languages
- 2002 Chair, Search Committee for Chair of Department of Slavic Languages
- 2001-2002 Chair, Ten-Year Review Committee, Department of Speech and Hearing Sciences
- 2000 Representative from UW at 20th anniversary celebration of UW-University of Bergen exchange program
- 1998 Chair, Search Committee for Chair of Speech and Hearing Sciences Department
- 1997-2000 Member, College Technology Advisory Committee
- 1996-1997 Member, Slavic Department Standing Committee
- 1994-1995 Member, Search Committee for Chair of Speech Communication Department
- 1994-1995 Member, Advisory Committee on Quad Space
- 1988-1989 Member, Search Committee for Chair of Speech and Hearing Sciences Department
- 1987 Member, Search Committee for Chair of Near Eastern Languages and

- Civilization Department
 1985-1987 Member, Graduate School Research Fund Project Committee
 1981-1984 Member, Standing Committee on Afro-American Studies
 1971-1972 Member, Faculty Senate

PH. D. DISSERTATIONS DIRECTED

- 2004 Susan McBurney, 'Referential Morphology in Signed Languages'
 2000 Younghwan Suh, 'The Auxiliary Verb Construction and Verb Serialization in Korean'
 1997 Kristin Denham, 'Optional *Wh*-Movement'
 1995 Seung Chul Moon, 'An Optimality Approach to Long Distance Anaphors'
 1992 Horng-Ming Wu, 'Aspects of Chinese Binding'
 1990 Sompong Witayasakpan, 'A Theory of Syntactic Compounding in English'
 1989 Karl Reynolds, 'The Structure of the Kiswahili Nominal'
 1988 Tatsuya Suzuki, 'The Structure of English Gerunds'
 1987 Robert Dietel, 'Ancient Akkadian Grammatical Concepts'
 1985 Catherine Kettrick, 'Cerebral Lateralization for ASL and English in Deaf and Hearing Native and Non-Native Signers'
 1983 Jane Coulter, 'Prenominal Adjectival Modifiers in English'
 1980 Jack Lawson, 'Case Relations and Generative Grammar'
 1977 Maureen Phelps, 'The Verb *Do*'
 1976 James Critz, 'Assertion and Presupposition in Factive Clauses'
 1976 Navavan Bandhumedha, 'Noun Phrase Deletion in Thai'
 1975 Barbara Beckman, 'Underlying Word Order — German as a VSO Language'
 1973 James Armagost, 'Declarative Tag Sentences and Threatening Tag Sentences'
 1972 Ralph Patrick, 'Some Constraints on the Derivation of Existential Sentences'
 1971 Thomas Hukari, 'Some Logical Properties of the English Complementation System'
 1971 John Lackstrom, 'Agent and Non-Agent Subjects of English Causal Sentences'

BOOKS WRITTEN:

- 2005.** *Possible and Probable Languages: A Generative Perspective on Linguistic Typology.* Oxford: Oxford University Press.
1998. *Language Form and Language Function.* Cambridge, MA: MIT Press.
1996. *Generative Linguistics: A Historical Perspective.* London: Routledge.
1986. *The Politics of Linguistics.* Chicago: University of Chicago Press. Japanese translation 1994, Tokyo: Iwanami Shoten Publishers. Arabic translation 1997, Abha (Saudi Arabia): The Literary Club. Persian translation 2002, Ney (Iran).

- 1983.** *Grammatical Theory: Its Limits and Its Possibilities*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press. Malay translation 1996, Kuala Lumpur: Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka.
- 1980.** *Linguistic Theory in America: The First Quarter Century of Transformational Generative Grammar*. New York: Academic Press. Second edition 1986. First edition translated into Spanish as *El Primer Cuarto de Siglo de la Gramática Generativo-Transformatoria (1955-1980)*. 1982, Madrid: Alianza Editorial. Translations of second edition: Korean 1995, Seoul: Kul Press. Chinese 1998, Taipei: Crane Publishing Co, Ltd.; Japanese translation under contract.
- 1975.** *English Aspectual Verbs*. The Hague: Mouton and Company.

BOOKS EDITED:

- 1998.** *Functionalism and Formalism in Linguistics* (with Michael Darnell, Edith Moravcsik, Michael Noonan, and Kathleen Wheatley).
Volume I: *General Papers*
Volume II: *Case Studies*
Studies in Language Companion Series, Volume 41. Amsterdam: John Benjamins.
- 1988.** *Linguistics: The Cambridge Survey*.
Volume I: *Linguistic Theory: Foundations*.
Volume II: *Linguistic Theory: Extensions and Implications*.
Volume III: *Language: Psychological and Biological Aspects*.
Volume IV: *Language: The Socio-Cultural Context*
Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. Spanish translation published 1990-1992 as *Panorama de la Lingüística Moderna*, Madrid: Visor Distribuciones.
- 1986.** *A Festschrift for Sol Saporta* (with Michael Brame and Heles Contreras).
Linguistic Research Monograph Series Publication. Seattle: Noit Amrofer Press.

ARTICLES:

To appear

- ‘Language Variation and the Autonomy of Grammar’. [submitted conference paper]
- ‘Formal and Functional Explanation’. In Ian Roberts (ed.), *Oxford Handbook of Universal Grammar*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- ‘Goals and Methods of Generative Syntax’. In Marcel den Dikken (ed.), *The Cambridge Handbook of Generative Syntax*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- ‘Chomsky and the Turn to Syntax, Including Alternative Approaches to Syntax’. In John E. Joseph and Linda R. Waugh (Eds.), *The Cambridge History of Linguistics*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- ‘Syntactic Change: Between Parameters and Fuzzy Grammar’. In Brit Maehlum and Tor Åfarli (eds.), *Language Contact and Change – Grammatical Structure Encounters the Fluidity of Language*. Amsterdam: John Benjamins.
- ‘Where Do Motivations Compete?’. In Andrej Malchukov and Edith A. Moravcsik (eds.),

Competing Motivations. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

2011

- ‘The Stokhof - van Lambalgen Paradox Resolved’. *Theoretical Linguistics* 37, 63-68.
- ‘Would We Have Understood the Speech [of King Henry VIII]?’ *Globe and Mail*, January 29, 2011, p. F2 and February 5, 2011, p. F2.
- ‘English Derived Nominals in Three Frameworks’. In Etsuyo Yuasa, Tista Bagchi, and Katharine P. Beals (eds.), *Pragmatics and Autolexical Grammar: In Honor of Jerry Sadock*. Amsterdam: John Benjamins, pp. 213-227.

2010

- ‘On Comparative Concepts and Descriptive Categories: A Reply to Haspelmath’. *Language* 86, 688-695.
- ‘Three Approaches to Exceptionality in Syntactic Typology’. In Horst Simon and Heike Wiese (eds.), *Expecting the Unexpected: Exceptions in Grammar*. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter, pp. 255-282.
- ‘Reply to Alexiadou’. In Horst Simon and Heike Wiese (eds.), *Expecting the Unexpected: Exceptions in Grammar*. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter, pp. 289-290.
- ‘What conversational English tells us about the nature of grammar: A critique of Thompson’s analysis of object complements’. In Kasper Boye and Elisabeth Engberg-Pedersen (eds.), *Usage and Structure: A Festschrift for Peter Harder*. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter, pp. 3-43.
- ‘Accounting for Rare Typological Features in Formal Syntax: Three Strategies and Some General Remarks’. In Michael Cysouw and Jan Wolgemuth (eds.), *Rethinking Universals: How Rarities Affect Linguistic Theory*. Empirical Approaches to Linguistic Typology, #46. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter, pp. 195-222.
- ‘Semantic Data and the Computational System’. In Shoichi Iwasiki, Hajime Hoji, Patricia M. Clancy, and Sung-Ock Sohn (eds.), *Japanese/Korean Linguistics, vol. 17*. Stanford: CSLI Publications, pp. 11-26.
- ‘Competence’. *Cambridge Encyclopedia of the Language Sciences*, pp. 186-187.

2009

- ‘Peut-on reconstruire la langue des premiers etres humains?’ *Nouveaux Cahiers de Linguistique Française* 29, 99-113.
- ‘On Split CPs and the “Perfectness” of Language’. In Benjamin Shaer, Philippa Cook, Werner Frey, and Claudia Maienborn (eds.), *Dislocated Elements in Discourse: Syntactic, Semantic, and Pragmatic Perspectives*, London: Routledge, pp. 114-140.
- ‘What Kind Of Syntactic Phenomena Must Biologists, Neurobiologists, and Computer Scientists Try to Explain and Replicate?’ (with Maggie Tallerman, Derek Bickerton, Denis Bouchard, Edith Kaan, and Luigi Rizzi). In Derek Bickerton and Eörs Szathmáry (eds.), *Biological Foundations and Origin of Syntax*. Cambridge, MA: MIT Press, pp. 135-157.

'Robert B. Lees' (with Jerrold Sadock). In Harro Stammerjohann (ed.), *Lexicon Grammaticorum: A Bio-Bibliographical Companion to the History of Linguistics*, 2nd Edition. Tübingen: Niemeyer, pp. 877-878.

2008

'Semantic Evidence and Syntactic Theory'. In Sam Featherston and Susanne Winkler (eds.), *The Fruits of Empirical Linguistics. Volume 1: Process*. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter, pp. 177-210.

'On Subject-Auxiliary Inversion and the Notion "Purely Formal Generalization"' [commentary on *Constructions at Work* by Adele Goldberg] (with Robert Borsley). *Cognitive Linguistics* 20, 135-143.

'Conceptualization, Communication, and the Origins of Grammar'. In Bernard Laks, Serge Cleuziou, Jean-Paul Demoule, and Pierre Encrevé (eds.), *Origin and Evolution of Languages: Approaches, Models, Paradigms*. London: Equinox, pp. 112-132.

'Universals in Syntax'. *Linguistic Review* 25, 1-48.

'Current Challenges to the Lexicalist Hypothesis: An Overview and a Critique'. In Will Lewis, Simin Karimi, Heidi Harley, and Scott Farrar (eds.), *Time and Again: Papers in Honor of D. Terence Langendoen*. Amsterdam: John Benjamins, pp. 91-117.

2007

'More Complicated and Hence, Rarer,: A Look at Grammatical Complexity and Crosslinguistic Rarity'. In Simin Karimi, Vida Samiiian, and Wendy K. Wilkins (eds.), *Clausal and Phrasal Architecture: Syntactic Derivation and Interpretation* (Festschrift for Joseph E. Emonds). Amsterdam: John Benjamins, pp. 221-242.

'Commentary on Sam Featherston, "Data in Generative Grammar: The Stick and the Carrot"'. *Theoretical Linguistics* 33, 395-399.

'Linguistic Typology Requires Crosslinguistic Formal Categories'. *Linguistic Typology* 11, 133-157.

2006

'Grammar and Usage: A Response to Gregory R. Guy'. *Language* 82: 705-706.

'On Gahl and Garnsey on Grammar and Usage'. *Language* 82, 399-404.

'Negation and Modularity'. In Betty Birner and Gregory Ward (eds.), *Drawing the Boundaries of Meaning: Neo-Gricean Studies in Pragmatics and Semantics in Honor of Laurence R. Horn*. Amsterdam: John Benjamins, pp. 247-268.

2005

Commentary on Denis Bouchard, 'Exaption and Linguistic Explanation'. *Lingua*, 115, 1667-1671.

‘A reply to the Critiques of “Grammar is Grammar and Usage is Usage”’. *Language*, 81, 229-236.

‘On Split-CPs, Uninterpretable Features, and the “Perfectness” of Language’. *Zentrum für allgemeine Sprachwissenschaft Papers in Linguistics*, 35, 399-422.

2004

‘Against a Parameter-Setting Approach to Language Variation’. *Linguistic Variation Yearbook*, 4, 181-234.

‘Typological Evidence and Universal Grammar’. *Studies in Language*, 28, 527-548. Reprinted in Martina Penke and Anette Rosenbach (eds.), *What Counts as Evidence in Linguistics: The Case of Innateness*. 2007. Amsterdam: John Benjamins, pp. 51-73.

‘Cognitive and Functional Factors in the Evolution of Grammar’. *European Review*, 12, 245-264.

‘Reply to Bernard Bichakjian’. *Language*, 80, 3.

“Basic Word Order” in Formal and Functional Linguistics and the Typological Status of “Canonical” Sentence Types’. In Dominique Willems, Bart Defrancq, Timothy Coleman, Dirk Noël (Eds.), *Contrastive Analysis in Language: Identifying Linguistic Units of Comparison*. Basingstoke: Palgrave, pp. 69-88.

2003

‘Grammar is Grammar and Usage is Usage’. *Language*, 79, 682-707.

‘Meaning, Function, and the Autonomy of Syntax’. In John Moore and Maria Polinsky (Eds.), *The Nature of Explanation in Linguistic Theory*. Stanford: CSLI Publications, pp. 263-280.

“Interpretable” Features and Feature-driven A-bar Movement’. In Claire Beyssade, Olivier Bonami, Patricia Cabredo-Hoffhehr, and Francis Corblin (Eds.), *Empirical Issues in Formal Syntax and Semantics 4*. Paris: Presses Universitaires de la Sorbonne, pp. 255-271.

‘Against the Split-CP Hypothesis’. In Piotr Banski and Adam Przepiorkowski (Eds.), *Proceedings of GLiP-5*. Warsaw: Polish Academy of Sciences, pp. 81-93.

‘What Can the Field of Linguistics Tell Us About the Evolution of Language?’. In Morten Christiansen and Simon Kirby (Eds.), *Language Evolution: The States of the Art*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 58-76.

‘Formal and Functional Motivation for Language Change’. In Raymond Hickey (Ed.), *Motives for Language Change*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp. 18-36.

‘Theoretical Implications of Grammatical Category - Grammatical Relation Mismatches’. In Elaine J. Francis and Laura A. Michaelis (Eds.), *Mismatch: Form-Function Incongruity and the Architecture of Grammar*. Stanford: CSLI Publications, pp. 149-178.

2002

- Commentary on John Hawkins, 'Symmetries and Asymmetries: Their Grammar, Typology, and Parsing'. *Theoretical Linguistics*, 28, 171-176.
- 'Uniformitarian Assumptions and Language Evolution Research'. In Alison Wray (Ed.), *Transitions to Language*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 359-375.
- 'Formal Linguistics and Functional Explanation: Bridging the Gap'. *Slovo a Slovesnost* (Prague), 63, 1-17.
- 'Optimality and Functionality: A Critique of Functionally-Based Optimality-Theoretic Syntax'. *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory*, 20, 43-80.
- 'A Rejoinder to Bresnan and Aissen'. *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory*, 20, 97-99,

2001

- 'Where is Functional Explanation?'. In Mary Andronis, Christopher Ball, Heidi Elston, and Sylvain Neuvel (Eds.), *Papers from the Thirty-Seventh Meeting of the Chicago Linguistic Society. Part 2: The Panels*. Chicago: Chicago Linguistic Society, pp. 99-122.
- 'This is Wonderful, This is What I Want to Do!' An Interview with Frederick Newmeyer, Professor of Linguistics, University of Washington, Seattle by Lisa Cheng and Rint Sybesma. *Glott International*, 5, 348-353.
- 'Grammatical Functions, Thematic Roles, and Phrase Structure: Their Underlying Disunity'. In William Davies and Stanley Dubinsky (Eds.), *Objects and Other Subjects: Grammatical Functions, Functional Categories, and Configurationality*. Dordrecht: Kluwer, pp. 53-75.
- 'How Language Use Can Affect Language Structure'. In Kazuko Inoue and Nobuko Hasegawa (Eds.), *Linguistics and Interdisciplinary Research: Proceedings of the COE International Symposium*. Chiba, Japan: Kanda University of International Studies, pp. 189-209.
- 'Deconstructing Grammaticalization'. *Language Sciences*, 23, 187-229.
- 'The Prague School and North American Functionalist Approaches to Syntax'. *Journal of Linguistics*, 37, 101-126.

2000

- 'Why Typology Doesn't Matter to Linguistic Theory'. In Grant Goodall, M. Schulte-Nafeh, and Vida Samiian (Eds.), *Proceedings of the Twenty-Eighth Meeting of the Western Conference on Linguistics*. Fresno: Department of Linguistics, California State University at Fresno, pp. 334-352.
- 'Agent-Assignment, Tree-Pruning, and Broca's Area' (commentary on Yosi Grodzinsky 'The Neurology of Syntax: Language Use without Broca's Area'). *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, 23, 44-45.
- 'On Reconstructing "Proto-World" Word Order'. In Christopher Knight, James Hurford, and Michael Studdert-Kennedy (Eds.), *The Evolutionary Emergence of Language: Social Functions and the Origins of Linguistic Form*, pp. 372-388. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

‘The Discrete Nature of Syntactic Categories: Against a Prototype-Based Account’. In Robert Borsley (Ed.), *Syntax and Semantics, Volume 32: The Nature and Function of Syntactic Categories*, pp. 221-250. Orlando: Academic Press. Reprinted in Bas Aarts, David Denison, Evelien Keizer, and Gergana Popova (Eds.), *Fuzzy Grammar: A Reader*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 487-509.

1999

- ‘Adaptation, Optimality, and Functional Explanation: Two Serious Problems’ (commentary on Martin Haspelmath ‘Optimality and Diachronic Adaptation’). *Zeitschrift für Sprachwissenschaft*, 18, 235-237.
- ‘Bridges between Generative and Cognitive Linguistics’. In Leon de Stadler and Christoph Eyrieh (Eds.), *Issues in Cognitive Linguistics: 1993 Proceedings of the International Cognitive Linguistics Conference*, pp. 3-19. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter.
- ‘Deictic Constructions in English and the Notion “Prototype Construction”’. In François Corblin, Carmen Dobrovie-Sorin, and Jean-Marie Mandarin (Eds.), *Empirical Issues in Formal Syntax and Semantics 2: Selected Papers from the Colloque de Syntaxe et Sémantique à Paris (CSSP 1997)*, pp. 355-372. The Hague: Thesus.
- ‘The State of American Linguistics in the Mid 1950s’. In John Fought (Ed.), *Leonard Bloomfield: Critical Assessments of Leading Linguists. Volume II: Reviews and Meaning*, pp. 307-325. London: Routledge.

1998

- ‘Some Remarks on the Functionalist-Formalist Controversy in Linguistics’. In Michael Darnell, Edith Moravcsik, Frederick J. Newmeyer, Michael Noonan, and Kathleen Wheatley (Eds.), *Functionalism and Formalism in Linguistics*, pp. 467-480. Amsterdam: John Benjamins.
- ‘Preposition Stranding: Parametric Variation and Pragmatics’. *Languages and Linguistics*, 1, 1-24.
- ‘On the Supposed Counterfunctionality of Universal Grammar: Some Evolutionary Considerations’. In James Hurford, Christopher Knight, and Michael Studdert-Kennedy (Eds.), *Approaches to the Evolution of Language: Social and Cognitive Bases*, pp. 305-319. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. Reprinted in Gesche Westphal Fitch and W. Tecumseh Fitch (Eds.), *Language Evolution: Critical Concepts in Linguistics*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- ‘Genetic Dysphasia and Linguistic Theory’. *Journal of Neurolinguistics*, 10, 47-74.
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