

Research Interests

- Greek, Latin, and Indo-European Linguistics.
- Cognitive semantics, semantic change, and lexicography.
- Contact between ancient Greece and the Near East.

Professional Positions

APA/NEH Postdoctoral Fellow, Thesaurus linguae Latinae, 2010-2012
Bavarian Academy of Sciences, Munich, Germany

Education

University of California, Berkeley, Ph.D., Classics May 2010
Peking University, Fulbright Research 2002-2003
Oxford University, Corpus Christi College, M.Phil. with distinction June 2002
Amherst College, B.A. *summa cum laude*, Classics May 2000

Dissertation

Wackernagel's Law in Fifth-Century Greek
Committee: Andrew Garrett (Linguistics, co-chair); Donald Mastrorarde
(Classics, co-chair); Mark Griffith (Classics); Line Mikkelsen (Linguistics).

M.Phil. Thesis

Studies in the Syntax and Style of Sophocles
Supervisors: Peter Parsons (Christ Church), Philomen Probert (Wolfson).

Publications

Articles

[in preparation] "Iteration and Polarity Focus in Ancient Greek."

Book Project

[in preparation] *Wackernagel's Law in Fifth-Century Greek*.

Lemmata in Brill's Encyclopedia of the Ancient Greek Language [under contract]

Assimilation, Consonants, Diphthongs, Diphthongization, Dissimilation,
Greek Phonotactics, Intonational Phrase, Length, Movable Consonants,
Phonological Phrase, Pitch, Split, Syllabic Consonants, Syn-Phono
Interface, Truncation, Utterance, Voicing, Vowels, Wackernagel's Law.

Thesaurus linguae Latinae Lemmata

nebulosus; nedum; neo; rasura; recognosco; rosio; rosus.

Reviews

[with Dieter Gunkel, forthcoming in *BMCR*] Bakker, E.J., ed. *A companion to the ancient Greek language* (Chichester; Malden, MA 2010).

[in preparation for *Kratylos*] R. Lühr and S. Ziegler, edd., *Protolanguage and Prehistory: Akten der XII. Fachtagung der Indogermanischen Gesellschaft vom 11. bis 15. Oktober 2004 in Krakau* (Wiesbaden 2009).

H. Halla-aho, *The Non-Literary Latin Letters: A study of their syntax and pragmatics* (Helsinki 2009), *Classical Bulletin* 85: 117-119.

S. Reece, *Homer's Winged Words: The Evolution of Early Greek Epic Diction in the Light of Oral Theory* (Leiden/Boston 2009), *BMCR* 2010.03.03.

A. Sihler, *New Comparative Grammar of Greek and Latin* (Oxford 2008), *Classical Bulletin* 85: 178-183.

P. Poccetti, ed., *Les prénoms de l'Italie antique* (Rome 2008), *BMCR* 2009.3.12.

J. Willmott, *The moods of Homeric Greek* (Cambridge 2007), *BMCR* 2009.01.29.

- H. Dik, *Word Order in Greek Tragic Dialogue* (Oxford 2007), *BMCR* 2008.06.08.
 P. Judet de la Combe, *L'Agamemnon d'Eschyle: commentaire des dialogues*
 (Paris 2001), *BMCR* 2003.4.20.
 M. Hammond, tr., *Homer: The Odyssey* (London 2000), *BMCR* 2001.08.39.

Conference Presentations & Invited Talks

- “Glossing Verbs in the Latin Lexicographers,” Latin Lexicography: Theory, Practice, and Influence from Republican Rome to the Carolingian Court, CXLIIIrd APA, January 2012.
 “Clitic Position Diagnoses Clausal Cohesion in Greek,” Colloque international de syntaxe grecque et latine, 26 November 2010.
 “Prosodic Phrasing, Discourse Pragmatics, and Second-Position Clitics in Greek,” CXLth APA, 7 January 2010.
 “Second-Position Clitics, Pragmatics, and Indo-European Syntax,” Workshop on the Pragmatics and Syntax of Early Indo-European Languages, 15 May 2009.
 “Exploiting Wackernagel’s Law: Clitic Position and Pragmatics,” Graduate Colloquium, UC Berkeley, 30 April 2009.
 “The Prosodic Basis of Wackernagel’s Law in Ancient Greek,” Annual meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, 8 January 2009, San Francisco.
 “Wackernagel’s Law in Greek: The Case of ἄν,” XXth West Coast Indo-European Conference, UCLA, 31 October 2008.
 “Wackernagel’s Law in Greek: The Case of ἄν,” XIIth Indogermanische Fachtagung, Salzburg, 24 September 2008.
 “The Dative of Agent in Classical Greek,” XIXth West Coast Indo-European Conference, UCLA, 2 November 2007.
 “Greek Loan Translation from the Near East: The Case of πομπάνωρ,” University of California, Berkeley, 6 October 2007.
 “Greek Loan Translation from the Near East: The Case of πομπάνωρ,” Venice International University, 19 September 2007.
 “Some Western Classics,” (in Chinese) Peking University, 6 March 2003.
 “Toward a New Evaluation of the Greek Perfect: Iambic, Elegiac, and Lyric Examples,” Amherst College, 19 November 2002.
 “Final Conjunctions in Sophocles,” Work-in-Progress graduate seminar, Corpus Christi College, Oxford, 26 April 2002.

Conference Panels Organized

- “A New Look at Greek Prosody,” co-organized with Dieter Gunkel (Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München), CXLIInd APA, 9 January 2011.

Fellowships and Awards

<i>APA/NEH TLL Post-Doctoral Fellowship</i>	2010-2012
<i>Chancellor’s Dissertation-Completion Fellowship</i>	2009-2010
<i>ACLS/Mellon Dissertation-Completion Fellowship</i> (alternate)	April 2009
<i>Dean’s Normative Time Fellowship</i>	2008-2009
<i>Brittan Fellowship</i> (epigraphical research in Greece)	June 2008
<i>Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award</i>	May 2007
<i>Venice International University Seminar Award</i>	November 2006, 2007
<i>The Berkeley Fellowship</i> (five years graduate study support)	2003-2008
<i>Fulbright Scholarship</i>	2002-2003
<i>Overseas Research Student Award</i>	2000-2002
<i>Evan Carroll Commager Fellowship</i>	2000-2002

<i>The Hutchins Prize</i>	May 2000
<i>The Ernest D. Daniels Latin Prize</i> (best Classics thesis)	May 2000
<i>Phi Beta Kappa</i>	May 2000
<i>The Floyd L. Moreland Scholarship</i>	April 2000
<i>Junior Crowell Prize</i>	May 1999
<i>Folger Shakespeare Library Fellowship</i>	January 1999

Teaching Experience

All courses taught at UC Berkeley unless otherwise noted.

<i>Historische Semantik</i> (LMU Munich)	Spring 2011
<i>Intensive Greek</i>	Summer 2006, 2009
<i>Introduction to Greek Civilization</i> (sole instructor)	Summer 2008
<i>Intermediate Latin: Cicero, De Amicitia</i>	Fall 2007
<i>Intensive Latin</i> (CUNY Latin/Greek Institute)	Summer 2003, 2004, 2007
<i>Greek Prose Composition</i>	Fall 2006
<i>Latin Prose Composition</i>	Spring 2006
<i>Introduction to Greek Civilization</i> (teaching assistant)	Fall 2005
<i>Upper Level Latin</i> (CUNY Latin/Greek Institute)	Summer 2005
<i>Beginning Latin</i> (Harvard)	Fall 2002
<i>Greek Syntax and Prose Composition</i> (Oxford)	Winter, Spring 2002
<i>Graduate Peer Tutor in Latin</i> (Oxford)	Spring 2002

Workshops

Linguistic Society of America Summer Institute, Berkeley	Summer 2009
Middle Iranian Seminar, Princeton	March 2008
Indo-European Summer School, Leiden	Summer 2006
Advanced Seminar on Greece, Rome, and the Near East, Venice	November 2006

Work Experience

<i>Graduate Student Papyrologist</i> , UC Berkeley	November 2003 - May 2006
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Edited Homeric and Hesiodic papyri in the Berkeley collection.

Languages

Modern: English (native); German (fluent); Hebrew (advanced); Mandarin Chinese (advanced); Spanish (proficient); reading knowledge of French and Italian.

Ancient: Advanced training in Greek, Latin, Sanskrit, Hittite, and Akkadian. Coursework in Avestan, Italic Dialects, Anatolian Dialects, Old Norse, Old English, Old Irish, Tocharian, Old Church Slavic, Gothic, Sumerian, Classical Chinese.

Professional Societies

American Philological Association
 Linguistic Society of America
 American Oriental Society
 The Philological Society

Professional Service

Anonymous reviewer for *Classical Antiquity*.

References

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