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## **EMPLOYMENT**

- 2022- **Postdoctoral Research Fellow**, *National University of Singapore*, Singapore. Project: *"History and syntax of the languages of Borneo"* PIs: Michael Yoshitaka Erlewine and Zheng Shen
- 2021 Adjunct Assistant Professor, UT-Arlington, Arlington, TX.
- 2021 Annotator, Prairies to Woodlands Indigenous Language Revitalization Circle, Manitoba, CN [remote].
   Project: Turtle Mountain Michif Dictionary
- 2020 Postdoctoral Associate, UT-Arlington, Arlington, TX.

### **EDUCATION**

- 2015-2020 **Ph.D. Linguistics**, University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, TX. Dissertation: On the syntax of West Kalimantan: Asymmetries and A'-movement in Malayic and Land Dayak languages Chair: Dr. Joseph Sabbagh
- 2013-2015 M.A. Linguistics, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA. Emphasis: TESL
- 2009-2013 B.A. Linguistics and International Studies, *Iowa State University*, Ames, IA.

## **PUBLICATIONS / MANUSCRIPTS**

submitted	Morphosyntactic	variation in the	e Kendayan-Salako	branch.
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- under review (with Michael Yoshitaka Erlewine). Voice and extraction in Malayic.
  - accepted Voice in Land Dayak languages. Oceanic Linguistics.
  - to appear (with Charlotte Hemmings, Louise Ping Liang, and Alexander D. Smith) Borneo. In *Languages and Linguistics of Island South East Asia and the Pacific*, ed. by Ellen Smith-Dennis and Bill Palmer. de Gruyter Mouton.

- 2024 (with Alexander D. Smith and Michael Yoshitaka Erlewine) Voice and pronominal forms in Kayan (Uma Nyaving). *Journal of the Southeast Asian Linguistics Society*, 17(1), 81-104.
- 2023 (with Alexander D. Smith) The position of Mali, Beaye, and Ba'aje in Land Dayak (Austronesian) and what that means for Proto-Land-Dayak reconstruction. *Journal of Southeast Asian Linguistics Society* 16(2): 1-9.
- 2020 A presentational construction in Indonesian. *Selected Papers of AFLA 25* in the *Journal of Southeast Asian Linguistics (JSEALS)* 60-79.

### **PRESENTATIONS (INVITED)**

- 2023 Exploring Linguistic Ph.D. programs and research methodology. Universitas Katolik Santo Agustinus Hippo, Ngabang, West Kalimantan, Indonesia.
- 2021 Typological perspectives on the nasal prefix. International Symposium on Malay/Indonesian Linguistics (ISMIL) & International Symposium on the Languages of Java (ISLOJ), virtual.
- 2019 Language, culture, and linguistics in Indonesia. STKIP Pamane Talino (Sekolah Tinggi Keguruan Dan Ilmu Pendidikan), Ngabang, West Kalimantan, Indonesia.

## **PRESENTATIONS (REFEREED)**

2024 *The nasal prefix and the loss of verbal morphology in Kendayan-Salako languages.* To be presented at the 16<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Austronesian Linguistics (ICAL), Manila, Philippines.

*Not Indonesian-type, not Philippine-type, but something else: Voice in Land Dayak languages.* To be presented at the International Symposium on Bornean Linguistics (ISBL), Singapore.

(with Michael Yoshitaka Erlewine) *The Malayic verbal phase and cyclic linearization*. Presented at the North East Linguistics Society (NELS 54), Cambridge, Massachusetts.

2023 (with Joanito Agli Lopo, David Moeljadi, Samuel Cahyawijaya, Alham Fikri Aji and June Jacob) *Penyusunan korpus paralel bahasa Indonesia-bahasa Melayu Ambon, Melayu Kupang, Beaye, dan Uab Meto* [Building a Parallel Corpus of Indonesian–Ambon Malay, Kupang Malay, Beaye, and Uab Meto]. Presented at Makalah Kongres Bahasa Indonesia, Jakarta, Indonesia.

(with Michael Yoshitaka Erlewine) *The Malayic verbal phase and cyclic linearization*. Presented at the 30th Annual Meeting of the Austronesian Formal Linguistics Association (AFLA), Lund, Sweden.

(with Alexander D. Smith and Michael Yoshitaka Erlewine) *Pronoun-voice interaction in Uma Nyaving Kayan*. Presented at the 15th International Austronesian and Papuan Languages and Linguistics Conference (APLL), Olomouc, Czech Republic.

*What is the role of (s)udah? Insights from Jakarta Indonesian.* Presented at the Workshop on 'already' markers, iamitives, and related expressions, virtual.

*What is the role of (s)udah? Insights from Jakarta Indonesian.* Presented at the 26th International Symposium on Malay and Indonesian Linguistics, Honolulu, Hawai'i.

(with Alexander D. Smith and Michael Yoshitaka Erlewine) *Voice and pronominal forms in Uma Nyaving Kayan.* Presented at the 32nd Annual Meeting of the Southeast Asian Lingustics Society, Chiang Mai, Thailand.

- 2022 Variation in Case licensing in five Malayic languages. Presented at the 96th Annual Meeting of the Linguistics Society of America (LSA), Washington, D.C.
- 2021 On the semantics of (u)dah in Jakarta Indonesian. Presented at the 15th International Conference on Austronesian Linguistics (15-ICAL), Olomouc, Czech Republic.
- 2020 A tale of new (nasal) prefixes: Evidence from Desa, a Malayic language of West Kalimantan. Presented at the the 27th Annual Meeting of the Austronesian Formal Linguistics Association, Singapore.

A reanalysis of the Austronesian nasal prefix: Evidence from Desa, a Malayic language of West Kalimantan. Presented at the 38th Meeting of the West Coast Conference in Formal Linguistics (WCCFL), Vancouver, British Columbia.

(with Alexander D. Smith) *Insights into phonological reconstruction from the documentation of previously undescribed languages: Mali and Beaye.* Presented at the 94th Annual Meeting of the Linguistics Society of America (LSA), New Orleans.

2019 Some restrictions of verb-initial ber-V-nya in Indonesian. Presented at the 23rd International Symposium on Malay/Indonesian Linguistics (ISMIL), Banyuwangi, Java.

*Wh-strategies in Malayic and Land Dayak languages of West Kalimantan.* Presented as a part of the Bill Davies Memorial Panel at the 7th International Symposium on the Languages of Java, Banyuwangi, Java.

*The role of underdocumented languages in syntactic analysis.* Presented at the Spotlight Student Research Forum, Arlington, TX.

*Language contact in West Kalimantan: The case of Mali.* Presented at the 28th Annual Meeting of the Southeast Asian Linguistics Society (SEALS), Kaohsiung, Taiwan.

*A presentational construction in Indonesian.* Presented at the 25th Annual Meeting of the Austronesian Linguistics Association (AFLA), Taipei, Taiwan.

A preliminary report on five Dayak languages of West Borneo. Poster presented at the Spotlight Research Forum, Arlington, TX.

## **GRANTS AND AWARDS**

- 2020 Summer Dissertation Fellowship, Office of Graduate Studies (UTA). (\$7,000)
- 2019 Dean's Travel Award, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences (UTA). (\$200)

Linguistics and TESOL Alumni Grant (\$350)

The Jerold A. Edmondson Research Endowment in Linguistics (\$3,500) *For fieldwork in West Kalimantan* 

The Wright Accolades Endowment, *COLA (UTA)* (\$1,000) For research and collaborative projects between advisors and students (with Joey Sabbagh)

2018 The Jerold A. Edmondson Research Endowment in Linguistics (\$3,550) For fieldwork in West Kalimantan

Departmental support (~\$2,800) For fieldwork in West Kalimantan

Dean's Excellence Award for Best Poster (\$200) A prelminary report on five Dayak languages of West Borneo'

Dean's Excellence Travel Award, COLA (\$1,100)

2017 The Jerold A. Edmondson Research Endowment in Linguistics (\$2,800) For fieldwork in West Kalimantan

Departmental support (~\$3,000) For the LSA Summer Institute at the University of Kentucky

### **ARCHIVAL COLLECTIONS**

2023 *Languages of West Kalimantan*. Kaipuleohone Digital Language Archive. <<u>https://hdl.handle.net/10125/104691</u>>

Languages included: Desa, Beaye, Ba'aje [additonal languages currently being added] Type: Elicitation, narratives Data: 30 hours of audio recording with transcription (with Alexander D. Smith and Michael Yoshitaka Erlewine) *Biatah Elicitation Sessions*. Kaipuleohone Digital Language Archive. <<u>https://hdl.handle.net/10125/104690</u>>

Type: Elicitation Data: 15 hours of audio and video recordings with transcription [updated monthly]

(with Alexander D. Smith and Michael Yoshitaka Erlewine) *Uma Nyaving Kayan Elicitation Sessions*. Kaipuleohone Digital Language Archive. <<u>https://hdl.handle.net/10125/104786</u>>

Type: Elicitation Data: 7 hours of audio and video recordings with transcription [updated monthly]

### **FIELDWORK**

- 2023- Landak Regency, West Kalimantan, Indonesia. Malayic: Ahe, Bangape, Belangin Land Dayak: Beaye, Ba'aje, Banyaduq, Bekidoh
- 2022- Borneo (virtual sessions). Kayanic: Uma Nyaving Kayan Land Dayak: Bidayuh Biatah
- 2017-2019 Sanggau and Landak Regencies, West Kalimantan, Indonesia.
  Malayic: Ahe, Ope, Desa, Balangin, Banana
  Land Dayak: Mali, Ribun, Ba'aje, Beaye, Benyadu, Bekidoh, Bekati, Beai
  - 2017 Ada, OK. Muskogean: Chickasaw with Colleen Fitzgerald

Arlington, TX. [field methods course] Nilotic: Dinka

2015 Iowa City, IA. [field methods course] Malayo-Polynesian: Javanese

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

### THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT ARLINGTON. FALL 2015-FALL 2021.

#### AS INSTRUCTOR OF RECORD:

ELI ITA Graduate. Effective communication for international teaching assistants.LING 2371 Undergraduate. Language in multicultural USA.LING 2301 Undergraduate. Introduction to the study of human languages.

#### AS TEACHING ASSISTANT:

LING 3311Undergraduate. Introduction to linguistic science.LING 4345Undergraduate. Semantics.LING 3340Undergraduate. Syntax I.LING 4304Undergraduate. Syntax II.

### UNIVERSITY OF IOWA. FALL 2013-SPRING 2015.

AS INSTRUCTOR OF RECORD:

ESL:4100 Undergraduate. ESL Academic Oral Skills. EDTL:4418 Adult education. Intermediate English. *free course offered to non-students* 

AS TEACHING ASSISTANT:

LING:1010 Undergraduate. Language and society.

### **SERVICE TO THE FIELD**

### JOURNAL AND ABSTRACT REVIEWS

Journals: Glossa (2019)

Conferences: Linguistics Society of America (*LSA*) (2021, 2022); Austronesian Formal Linguistics Association (*AFLA*) (2021, 2023); North East Linguistics Society (*NELS*) (2023); West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (*WCCFL*) (2021, 2022, 2023, 2024)

#### COMMUNITY

Resources on Equity and Inclusion in Linguistics (REIL) as part of the Committee on Gender Equity in Linguistics (COGEL), [https://genderinlinguistics.com/reil/], 2020 part of a team that created guidelines for conference organizers to host more equitable and inclusive conferences in linguistics

Pop-Up Mentoring (PUMP) as part of COGEL, 2021 *mentor for Ph.D. student* 

Skype-A-Scientist, 2019 presented about linguistics to a 5<sup>th</sup> grade classroom in Pennslyvania

## SKILLS AND SOFTWARE

### LANGUAGE SKILLS

Native. American English

Conversational. French Bahasa Indonesia (used as lingua franca)

### TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE

Software.

Office, FLEx, ELAN, Saymore, Praat, AntConc, Photoshop HTML, CSS, PHP

Coding.