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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Linguistics, University of California Santa Barbara, 2003 (Dissertation Title: *Manange Tone: Scenarios of Retention and Loss in Two Communities*)

M.A., English with Linguistics Concentration, Arizona State University, 1997 (Thesis Title: *Minimalism, Functional Categories and O'odham Word Order Patterns*)

B.A., English (Literature, with Philosophy minor), Keene State College, NH, 1992

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2008-continuing	Assistant Professor, Department of English, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
2005-2008	Lecturer, Linguistics and English Language, University of Manchester, England
2003-2005	Post-Doctoral Research Associate, Institut für Linguistik, Universität Leipzig, Germany
2000-2003	Temporary Instructor, Department of English Language and Literature, Department of Anthropology, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

RESEARCH/TEACHING INTERESTS

Languages/Cultural Areas

Sino-Tibetan (including Tibeto-Burman) languages, Indo-Aryan languages, “Indosphere/Sinosphere” areal linguistics, English, Uto-Aztecan languages

Topic Areas

Phonetics, phonology, typology, language & culture, language contact & maintenance/shift, endangered & minority languages, grammaticization, morpho syntax from a discourse-functional perspective, corpus linguistics and discourse analysis

SCHOLARSHIP AND RESEARCH

Publications

ARTICLES IN PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS

“Preliminary Notes on Gyalsumdo: An Undocumented Tibetan Variety in Manang District, Nepal.” (co-author Joseph Perry). *Himalayan Linguistics*, 10.1 1-19. 2011

“The Prosodic Hierarchy is not Universal.” (co-authors Balthasar Bickel and René Schiering). *Journal of Linguistics* 46 657-709. 2010.

“Syntactic Aspects of Nominalization in Five Tibeto-Burman Languages of the Himalayan Area.” (first authors Carol Genetti and Alec Coupe; co-authors Ellen Bartee, You-Jing Lin) *Linguistics of the Tibeto-Burman Area*. 31.2 97-143. 2009

“Phonological and Morphological Domains in Kyirong Tibetan.” (co-author T. Alan Hall). *Linguistics* 46.2 215-248. 2008

“Prosodic and Grammatical Domains in Limbu.” *Himalayan Linguistics Journal* 8 1-34 2007

“A Phonetic Analysis of Manange Segmental & Suprasegmental Properties.” *Linguistics of the Tibeto-Burman Area* 28.1 1-36. 2005

CHAPTERS IN EDITED, PEER-REVIEWED BOOKS

“Manange (South Asia): A Language Sketch.” *How Languages Work* (editor Carol Genetti). Cambridge University Press. 2011/To Appear

“The Distribution of Phonological Word Domains: A Probabilistic Typology.” (co-authors Balthasar Bickel and René Schiering). p. 47-75 in *Phonological Domains: Universals and Deviations* (editors Baris Kabak and Janet Grijzenhout). Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter. 2009

“Loanwords in Manange, a Tibeto-Burman Language of Nepal.” p. 447-470 in *Loanword Typology* (editors Martin Haspelmath and Uri Tadmor). Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter. 2009

“The Two Adjective Classes in Manange.” (first author Carol Genetti) p. 74-96 in R.M.W. *Adjective Classes* (editors Dixon and A. Y. Aikhenvald). London: Oxford. 2004 [a]

“A Grammar and Dictionary of the Manange Language.” p. 2-189 in *Tibeto-Burman Languages of Nepal: Manange and Sherpa* (editor Carol Genetti). Canberra: Pacific Linguistics. 2004 [b]

“Grammatical Borrowing in Manange.” p. 283-300 in *Grammatical Borrowing in Cross-Linguistic Perspective* (editors Yaron Matras and Jeanette Sakel). Berlin: Mouton. 2007 [a]

“Tone in Tibeto-Burman Languages: Typological and Sociolinguistic Approaches.” p. 67-90 in *New Trends in Typology: Young Typologists’ Contributions to Linguistic Theory* (editors Matti Miestamo and Bernhard Wälchli). Berlin: Mouton 2007 [b]

BOOK REVIEW

“A Review of Rabha (U.V. Joseph).” *Linguistics of the Tibeto-Burman Area*, 44.1 139-141. 2011

PAPER IN CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

“Negation Across Nar Discourse Genres.” *Proceedings of the 3rd Workshop on Language Documentation and Linguistic Typology* (editors Peter Austin, Oliver Bond, David Nathan and Lutz Martin). London: SOAS. 2011

“Phonology and Fieldwork in Nepal: Problems and Potentials.” p. 33-44 in *Proceedings of the Conference on Language Documentation and Linguistic Theory*. Peter Austin, Oliver Bond and David Nathan, eds. London: SOAS. 2007

CHAPTER IN EDITED, NON-BLIND REVIEWED BOOK

“Language Documentation and Language Discovery in Nepal.” p. 23-32 in *Adventures in the Academy: Professors in the Land of Lincoln and Beyond*. (editors Larry LaFond, Charles Berger and Aldemaro Romero). Southern Illinois University Press. 2010

Manuscripts Submitted/Under Review/Under Revision

Wörterbücher zur Sprach- und Kommunikationswissenschaft [Dictionary of Linguistics and Communication Studies] (Phonetics and Phonology editor T. A. Hall and Bernd Pompino-Marschall). Approximately 40 entries, currently under review by lead editors. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter

“Nyeshangte.” (submitted in August 2010 to *Journal of the International Phonetic Association*, returned for revision and resubmission in October 2010)

“Stress Timed = Word-based? Testing a Hypothesis in Prosodic Phonology.” (first author René Schiering, co-author Balthasar Bickel) (submitted in July 2011 to *Sprachtypologie und Universalienforschung [Language Typology and Universals]*)

Works in Progress

“The Low-Back Vowels in SW Illinois English” (co-authors Larry LaFond and Laura Wehmer) (manuscript to be submitted for review in *American Speech*)

“What is a Word in Sino-Tibetan?” (co-author Carol Genetti) (manuscript to be submitted for review in either *Linguistics of the Tibeto-Burman Area* or *Linguistic Typology*)

“An Acoustic Analysis of Tone and Phonation in the Manang Dialect of Gurung (Tibeto-Burman, Nepal).” (manuscript to be submitted for review in *Journal of Phonetics*)

“An Acoustic Analysis of Tone and Phonation in Nar (Tibeto-Burman, Nepal).” (co-author Jill Lowery) (manuscript to be submitted for review in *Linguistics of the Tibeto-Burman Area*)

“A Grammar and Glossary of Nar-Phu (Tibeto-Burman, Nepal).” (to be submitted for review with co-author Michael Noonan as a monograph with Brill Publishers)

Juried Conference Presentations

“Negation Across Nar Discourse Genres.” (co-presenter Oliver Bond). Paper presented at the 3rd Workshop on Language Documentation and Linguistic Typology, London, England, Nov. 17-21.

“Going There and Mapping It: The Status of the COT/CAUGHT Vowels in Southwestern Illinois English.” (co-presenters Larry LaFond and Laura Wehmer). Paper presented at the American Dialect Society Midwest Region fall meeting, St. Louis, MO Nov. 3-6, 2011.

“Adventures in Describing Everything: The Variability of *-te* and *-ce* in Nar Discourse.” Paper presented at the University of Wisconsin Milwaukee 26th Linguistics Symposium (Endangered Languages), Wisconsin, WI, Oct. 20-22 2011

“Gurung (Tibeto-Burman) at the Tonogenetic Crossroads.” Paper presented at the 15th Mid-Continental Workshop on Phonology, Indiana University, Bloomington IN, October 10, 2009

“Omnisyllabicity and Hiatus in Sino-Tibetan.” Poster Presented at the 17th Annual Manchester Phonology Meeting, University of Manchester, England, May 30, 2009

“Tonal F₀ Variation in Manange (Tibeto-Burman, Nepal): A Case Study.” Paper presented at the 14th Mid-Continental Workshop on Phonology, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis MN, October 18, 2008

“Phonology and Fieldwork in Nepal: Problems and Potentials.” Conference on Language Documentation and Linguistic Theory: 75 Years of Linguistics at SOAS, 5 Years of the Endangered Languages Project, London, December, 2007

“The Production and Perception of Tone in Manang Gurung.” Workshop on Phonological Words in South and Southeast Asia, Leipzig, Germany, September 2007 (co-presenter David Hünlich).

“Cluster Analysis of Phonological Word Domains.” The 7th Biennial Conference of the Association for Linguistic Typology (ALT 7), Paris, September, 2007 (co-presenters Balthasar Bickel and René Schiering)

“The Role of Sub-phonemic Detail in Explaining Phonological Change.” The Linguistic Association of Great Britain Annual Meeting, London, August 2007

“Are there Universal Principles Determining Prosodic Word Size?” The 15th Manchester Phonology Meeting, Manchester, U.K., May 2007 (co-presenters Balthasar Bickel and René Schiering)

“Cluster Analysis of Phonological Word Domains.” Workshop on Phonological Domains: Universals and Deviations, Siegen, Germany, February 2007 (co-presenters Balthasar Bickel and René Schiering)

“Cross-Linguistic Challenges for the Prosodic Hierarchy: Evidence from Word Domains.” The 14th Manchester Phonology Meeting, Manchester, U.K., May 2006 (co-presenters Balthasar Bickel and René Schiering)

“The Areal and Genealogical Dimensions of Hiatus.” Workshop on Areal Linguistics, Bielefeld Germany, February 2006

“Diversity in Phonological Word Domains: Testing the Prosodic Hierarchy Hypothesis.” 6th International Conference of the Association for Linguistic Typology, Padang, Sumatra, July 2005 (co-presenter Balthasar Bickel)

“Loanwords II: Verbs and Property Concepts in Manange.” Loanword Typology Workshop, IV, Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology, Leipzig Germany, February 2005

“Bipartite Stems and the Himalayan Enclave Hypothesis.” 2005 Linguistic Society of America Annual Meeting, Oakland, CA, January 2005

Invited Presentations

“Mapping Variation in Manang, Nepal.” Special Session of 17th Himalayan Linguistics Symposium, Kobe, Japan, September 7th, 2011

“Prosodic Words: Cross-Linguistic Challenges and Probabilistic Alternatives.” Colloquium Presentation, Department of Linguistics, Rice University, March 18, 2010

“Surface and Deep-Level Contact Effects in Manange (Sino-Tibetan, Nepal).” Seminar Presentation for Department of Languages, Literatures and Cultures, Illinois State University, Bloomington-Normal, April 1 2009

“Languages in Contact in Nepal: Manange, Gurung and Nepali.” Presentation for Students and Professors Exploring all Cultures (S.P.E.A.C.), Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, April 14 2009

“Loanwords in Manange (Bodish).” Centre for Nepal and Asian Studies, Tribhuvan University, Kathmandu Nepal, August 2008

“Languages in Contact in Nepal: Manange, Gurung and Nepali.” USEF-Nepal and Fulbright Alumni Association of Nepal, Kathmandu Nepal, August 2008

“How Low Can You Go? Contact Effects in Manange (Sino-Tibetan).” Department of Linguistics Seminar, University of the West of England, Bristol, February 2008

“Loanwords in Manange (Bodish): Additional Observations.” 9th Meeting of the Loanword Typology Project, Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology, Leipzig, Germany, November 2006

“Gurung (Tamu) in the Manang District, Nepal: Observations and Outstanding Questions.” Department of Linguistics Seminar, School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London, October 2006

“WALS in the Classroom.” Special Session on Undergraduate Instruction in Linguistics, The Linguistics Association of Great Britain Annual Meeting, Newcastle, U.K., August/September 2006

Invited Peer Reviews of Manuscript/Monograph Submissions

Peer Reviewer for forthcoming edited volume *Methods in Contemporary Linguistics*, published through de Gruyter Mouton (2011)

External Reviewer for a NSF Standard Grant (Linguistics) submission (2011)

Peer Reviewer for a special issue of *Himalayan Linguistics* (2011)

Panelist-Judge for Paṇini Award (Linguistic Typology, outstanding reference grammar 2011)

Peer reviewer for *Language and Linguistics* (2010)

Peer reviewer for *Language Variation and Change* (2010)

Peer reviewer for *Linguistics of the Tibeto-Burman Area* (2010, 2011)

External Reviewer for a NSF CAREER submission (2010)

Peer reviewer for a thematic issue on Dialects, published through Benjamins Press (2009)

Peer reviewer for Transactions of the *Philological Society* (twice in 2009)

Peer reviewer for a monograph submitted to Cambridge University Press (2009)

Peer reviewer for three thematic issues submitted to the annual volume on Northeast Indian Languages (2008, 2009, 2011)

Peer reviewer for *Studies in Language* (2008)

Peer reviewer for forthcoming edited volume: *New Contributions in Typology* (2008)

Peer reviewer for thematic issue on reduplication in *Morphology* (2008)

Teaching-Related Scholarship (Peer-Reviewed)

“WALS in the University Classroom: A Review.” (co-author Oliver Bond) *Linguistic Typology* 13.1 183-193. 2009

Grant Submissions

EXTERNAL

“CAREER: Documenting the Languages of Manang, Nepal for Local and International Impact.” National Science Foundation, CAREER grant (\$730,000 UNDER REVIEW)

“Nar and Phu (Tibeto-Burman, Nepal): Field Research for an Audio-Visual Archive of Comparative Lexical and Text Material.” Endangered Languages Documentation Small Grant, 2010-2011 (\$15,702, FUNDED, 2010-2011)

“Documenting the Languages of Manang, Nepal for Local and International Impact.” National Science Foundation, Documenting Endangered Languages 2010 (\$357,000 NOT FUNDED, MID-PRIORITY RANKING)

“Documenting the Languages of Manang, Nepal for Local and International Impact.” National Science Foundation, Documenting Endangered Languages 2009 (\$450,000 NOT FUNDED, REVISE AND RESUBMIT RECOMMENDED)

“Exploring Deep-Level Contact Effects in Phonology.” Summer Stipend Fellowship, National Endowment for the Humanities, 2008 (\$6,000, NOT FUNDED, 'VERY-GOOD' RANKING)

Arts and Humanities Research Council Research Fieldwork Grant, United Kingdom, 2007 (\$800,000, NOT FUNDED, A+ RANKING)

British Academy Research Fieldwork Grant, 2006 (\$10,000, FUNDED)

SIUE-INTERNAL

“Establishing an Official Center of Interdisciplinary Research and Informatics Scholarship.” Seed Grants for Transitional and Exploratory Projects (co-applicant Jessica DeSpain, \$9,666, FUNDED, 2012-2013)

“Phonation Types and Laryngeal Classes in the Indic Languages.” Vaughnie Lindsay New Investigator's Grant (\$12,200, FUNDED, July 2011-June 2012)

“Dialect Variation in Southwestern Illinois.” Seed Grants for Transitional and Exploratory Projects (\$15,000, FUNDED, 2010-2011)

“The Sounds of Manang-Gurung.” Summer Research Fellowship (\$4,000, FUNDED, 2008-2009)

Curriculum Development Funding

“Expanding Interdisciplinary Connections in the Teaching of Linguistics at SIUE: Two New Courses.” Excellence in Undergraduate Education Grant for new course development and Linguistics Minor changes. (\$5,000 2009-2010 FUNDED)

“Creating an Interdisciplinary Minor in Informatics Scholarship.” Excellence in Undergraduate Education Grant for new minor curriculum research and development (co-applicants Jessica DeSpain and Matthew S.S. Johnson). (\$10,300 2011-2012 FUNDED)

Centre for Excellence in Enquiry-Based Learning, Teaching Grant, University of Manchester, 2007 (\$6,000, FUNDED)

Awarded four Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities research assistantships (AY’s 2010-2012, \$1,000 for each)

Editorial Experience

Co-editor of a special issue in memory of Michael Noonan and David Watters, *Himalayan Linguistics*, 10.1 2011

Co-editor for Special volume on Theory and Typology of Word Domains in *Linguistics*, 46.2 2008

Professional Memberships and Related Research Activities

Editorial Board Member, *Linguistics of the Tibeto-Burman Area*

Member, Association for *Linguistic Typology*

Member, *Linguistic Society of America*

Member, *Linguistic Society of Nepal*

Member, *Society for the Study of Indigenous Languages of the Americas*

Member, *Linguistic Association of Great Britain*

Member/Archivist, *Manchester Phonology Meeting*

Other Research-Related Activities

Co-Founder (with Jessica DeSpain) of the Interdisciplinary Research and Informatics Scholarship Center (IRIS) at SIUE (<http://www.siu.edu/iris/> and <http://siueiris.com/>)

Digital Innovations/Outputs

Web-page/Blog: Nar-Phu (<http://siuenarphu.blogspot.com/>)

Web-page/Blog: Illinois Dialects (<http://illinoisdialects.com/>)

Web-page/Blog: IRIS Center (<http://www.siu.edu/iris/> and <http://siueiris.com/>)

Online Handout Archive: Manchester Phonology Meeting

(http://www.siu.edu/~khildeb/mfm_archive.html)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

Regular Teaching

Discourse Analysis (two sections, Post-graduate)

Seminar in Second Language Acquisition (Spring 2012, Anticipated, Post-graduate)

Principles of Linguistics (multiple sections, Post-graduate and Undergraduate)

Semantics and Pragmatics (two sections, Post-graduate and Undergraduate)

Phonological Theory (multiple sections, Post-graduate and Undergraduate)

Morphological Analysis (two sections, Undergraduate)

New Courses Developed

ENG 370 Morphological Analysis (Ran in 2008, 2010)

ENG 418 Language Endangerment and Language Death (Spring 2012, Anticipated)

ENG 417 Language and Ethnicity (AY 2012/2013, Anticipated)

M.A. Thesis/Examination Supervision

Luciene Souza Farias: “‘Gem’ or ‘Jam’?: Perception and Production of American English Vowel Contrasts by Brazilian Portuguese ESL Speakers” (anticipated graduation May 2011)

Jenna Tucker: “Welcome to English Class?: The Perceptions and Functions of Intonation in the ESL Classroom.” (anticipated graduation May 2011)

Steven Heizer: “Perception and Production of Obstruent Aspiration in ESL Speakers of Mexican Spanish.” (completed May 2010)

M.A. Exit Exams (Spring 2009-2011)

Undergraduate and Other Supervision

Supervisor, Two M.A.-level Independent Studies (Spring 2010)

Supervisor, One Undergraduate-level Independent Study (Fall 2010)

Teaching at the University of Manchester

Regular Teaching

Undergraduate General Phonetics (Spring Semesters 2006-2008)

Graduate-Level Phonetics and Phonology (Fall Semesters 2005-2007)

Undergraduate and Graduate-Level Typology (Fall Semesters 2005-2007)

Undergraduate and Graduate-Level Language Endangerment and Death (Fall Semesters 2005-2007)

Ph. D. Supervision

Mercy Akrofi Ansah, Aspects of Lete Grammar (2006-2008)

M.A. Supervision

Eman Karshoff, Thesis Title: *Sonority Sequencing in Typological Perspective* (2006-2007)

Michael Camenzuli-Chetcuti, Thesis Title: *Language Use in Botswana* (2005-2007)

Undergraduate Supervision

Supervisor for Eight B.A. Dissertations (2005-2007)

SERVICE AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

Departmental-Level and School/University-Level Experience at SIUE

COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS/PARTICIPATION

Member, Ad-hoc committee on Promotion and Tenure By-Law Revision (Spring 2010)

Chair, TESL-LING committee, (Fall 2010-)

Member, English Department executive committee, (Fall 2010-)

Member, English Department curriculum committee (Fall 2009-)

Member, Ad-hoc committee on student evaluation reform (Fall 2009)

Linguistics minor advisor, (Fall 2008-)

Member and Director, TESL-LING committee, (Fall 2008-)

Member, LING/TESL and Rhet-Composition hiring committees (2010-2011)

Co-director of two Interdisciplinary Roundtables (Fall 2009 and Spring 2010)

CAS Curriculum Committee (Fall 2009- ongoing)
CAS Spring Colloquium Steering Committee (Fall 2009)
Participant, Internal Program Review (Speech and Language Pathology, Fall 2010)
Advisor, Nepalese Student Association (Sagarmatha, Fall 2009-2011)
Participant, Internal Program Review (Speech Communication, Fall 2009)

Service and Experience at the University of Manchester

Admissions Officer, 2007-2008
Departmental Colloquium/Seminar Coordinator, 2006-2007
Liaison between Linguistics and English Language and the John Rylands University Library, 2005-2007
Liaison between Linguistics and English Language and the Instructional Technology Unit, 2005-2007
External Interviewer for Post-doctoral Researcher, School for Oriental and African Studies, November 2005
External Interviewer for Lecturer, School for Oriental and African Studies, December 2006
Internal Interviewer for a Lecturer Position at the School of Languages, Linguistics and Cultures, The University of Manchester, January 2007

Community Service

Dialogue with Senior Citizens (Presentation on SW Illinois Dialects, April 2011)
I have co-presented in several community venues on the SW Illinois Dialects Project (2011)
Dialogue with Senior Citizens (Presentation on Nepal, October 2009)