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EDUCATION

2013-Present PhD candidate in Doctoral Program, Linguistics, University of Toronto, Toronto
Dissertation: Own Bias in Language Perception and Processing

2012-14 Master of Arts, University of Toronto, Toronto.
Thesis: Gay Speech in North American Television

2011 Bachelor of Arts, University of British Columbia, Vancouver. Honours Linguistics, Minor English, Emphasis Language.

2006 Japanese Language Proficiency Test Certificate, Level 4

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS & PUBLICATIONS

Blamire, E., Laturnus, R., & Perez-Leon, A. (2013). Profanity Across Gender and Age. *UBC's Undergraduate Journal of Sociology*.

Blamire, Emily. (2011). The ordering of preverb strings in Ktunaxa. In *Papers for ICSNL XLVI: The Forty-sixth International Conference on Salish and Neighbouring Languages:* Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, pp. 32-42. University of British Columbia Working Papers in Linguistics, v. 30.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

Super relevant: Intensification across online and in-person communication. Presentation at *From Quaint to Cool: 150 Years of Language Change*, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON. 2017.

Consonants and Vocal Attractiveness. Press conference for the *Acoustical Society of America* at the *Fifth Joint Meeting of the Acoustical Society of America and the Acoustical Society of Japan,* Honolulu, HI. Nov. 30, 2016.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND POSTERS

The analysis of awesomeØ: Rule-governed nonstandardness at the edge of the grammar. (with Marisa Brook). Poster presented at *New Ways of Analyzing Variation (NWAV) 47*, New York, NY. 2018.

Constraints on *awesome*: Rule breaking and following at the edge of the standard grammar. (with Marisa Brook). Presentation at *Change and Variation in Canada 10*, Winnipeg, MB. 2018.

A syntactic analysis of because x in English… because linguistics! Presentation at the *Canadian Linguistic Association Annual General Meeting*, Toronto, ON. 2017.

Using Internet language to decipher the actuation of linguistic change. (with S. A. Tagliamonte). Poster presentation at the *Linguistic Society of America Annual General Meeting*, Austin, TX. 2017.

The role of consonants in the perception of vocal attractiveness. Presentation at the *Fifth Joint Meeting of the Acoustical Society of America and the Acoustical Society of Japan,* Honolulu, HI. 2016.

-ness-less-ness: Zero-derived adjectival nominals in Internet forum data. (with M. Brook). Presentation at *New Ways of Analyzing Variation (NWAV) 44: Intersections*, Toronto, ON. 2015.

Gay Speech in North American Television. Presentation at *University of Toronto Linguistics Welcome Workshop*, Toronto, ON. 2014.

Perceptions of People who F***ing Swear. (with R. Laturnus and A. Perez-Leon). Presentation at the *Toronto Undergraduate Linguistics Conference*, Toronto, ON. 2012.

The Ordering of Preverb Strings in Ktunaxa. Presentation at the *Forty-sixth International Conference on Salish and Neighbouring Languages*, Vancouver, BC. 2011.

The Ordering of Preverb Strings in Ktunaxa. Presentation at the *Ninth Annual Harvard Undergraduate Linguistics Colloquium*, Cambridge, MA. 2011.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2018-2019 TA Trainer for new linguistic teaching assistants, U of T Department of Linguistics

May-June 2019 Course Instructor for LIN228 (Phonetics), U of T Department of Linguistics

May-June 2018 Course Instructor for LIN228 (Phonetics), U of T Department of Linguistics

May-June 2017 Course Instructor for LIN228 (Phonetics), U of T Department of Linguistics

2012-Present Teaching Assistant/Grader for various courses, U of T Department of Linguistics
  LIN100 - Introduction to Linguistics: Dec-Apr 2013, Dec-Apr 2014, May-June 2015
  LIN101 – Introduction to Linguistics - Sound Structure: Sept-Dec 2017
  LIN102 – Introduction to Linguistics – Sentence Structure and Meaning: Jan-Present 2019
  LIN200 - Intro to Language: Sept-Dec 2012, Summer 2013, Jan-April 2017
  LIN201 - Canadian English: Sept-Dec 2014
  LIN203 - English Words: Sept-Dec 2013, Summer 2014
  LIN205 - Advanced English Grammar (UTM): Jan-Apr 2015
  LIN228 - Phonetics: Sept-Dec 2015, Summer 2016, Sept-Dec 2016
  JLP315 – Language Acquisition (grader): Dec-Apr 2014
  LIN323 – Acoustic Phonetics (grader): Sept-Dec 2017, Sept-Dec 2018
  LIN351 - Sociolinguistic Patterns: Jan-Apr 2016, Jan-Apr 2017, Jan-Apr 2018
  LINAO2 - General Linguistics II – Applications in Linguistics (UTSC): Jan-Apr 2016
  PLIC55 – Psycholinguistics (grader): Jan-Present 2019

2010 Tutor for ENGL329, University of British Columbia

GUEST LECTURES

2017 Intensifiers online and in-person. Guest Lecture for *LING 202 – English Words*, Queen's University, Canada. May 20th, 2017.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2018	Head Research Assistant for Dr. Sali Tagliamonte on the LIN 351 International Course Module for the York Intensifier Project
2011	Research Assistant for Dr. Molly Babel, UBC Department of Linguistics
2011	Research Assistant for Dr. Martina Wiltschko, UBC Department of Linguistics

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Acoustical Society of America (ASA). (2016, November 29). Voice appeal: Men and women perceive consonants differently. *ScienceDaily*. www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2016/11/161129085016.htm

Hagi, S. (2017, March 27). The Rise of 'YouTube Voice' and Why Vloggers Want It to Stop. *Vice*. https://www.vice.com/en_ca/article/the-rise-of-youtube-voice-and-why-vloggers-want-it-to-stop

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

2018-Present	Graduate Student Outreach Committee
2016-Present	Graduate Student Social Committee
2015-Present	Mental Health Committee
Spring 2018	Graduate Student Representative for the UTSC CFL Director Search
May 2018	Linguistics exhibition committee for the *11th Annual Science Rendezvous*. Department of Linguistics, University of Toronto
2013-2018	Graduate Student Welcoming Committee (Chair, Sept 2015–Sept 2017)
Spring 2017	Linguistics exhibition committee for the *10th Annual Science Rendezvous*. Department of Linguistics, University of Toronto
Oct 2015-Feb 2016	Graduate Student Representative for the UTSC Psycholinguistics Hiring Committee

LANGUAGE KNOWLEDGE

English	native
Japanese	beginner-intermediate
German	beginner
French	beginner
Ktunaxa (Kootenay)	fieldwork

COMPUTER SKILLS

MS Excel, MS Office, Praat, Audacity, R, PsychoPy, E-Prime