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Employment

Professor (*Kyōju*) [tenured]. Department of English Language and Literature, Aoyama Gakuin University. 2015–present.

Mercator Fellow, CRC 1412 'Register,' Humboldt University. 2024–2029.

Mercator Fellow. 'Socially Relevant Pragmatic Inference' project Tübingen University. 2024-26.

Research Fellow, University of Stavanger Environmental Humanities. August–September 2023.

Head, Singularity Research Institute, Aoyama Gakuin University. 2018–2021.

Joint Researcher, Research Institute for Languages and Cultures of Asia and Africa, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies. 2015–2018.

Visiting Fellow, Graduate School of International Development, Nagoya University. 2015-2016.

Associate Professor (*Junkyōju*) [tenured]. Department of English Language and Literature, Aoyama Gakuin University. 2008-2015.

Assistant Professor (*Kōshi*). Department of English Language and Literature, Aoyama Gakuin University. 2006-2008.

Postdoctoral Researcher. Department of Language and Information Science, Osaka University /Japanese Society for the Promotion of Science. 2005-2006

Note: research activities and publication up through 2017 were carried out under the name Eric McCready.

Current Research Interests

Formal semantics, formal pragmatics, philosophy of language, aesthetics and conceptual art, experimental literature, environmental humanities, gender and LGBTQ+ issues, epistemology, game theory.

Education

Ph.D 2005, Linguistics, University of Texas at Austin

THESIS TITLE: "The Dynamics of Particles"

Supervisor: Nicholas Asher

M.A. 2002, Linguistics, University of Texas at Austin

THESIS TITLE: "Anaphora and Objects of Creation Events"

Supervisor: Nicholas Asher

B.A. 1996, Asian Studies and Japanese, University of Oregon

Certificate of Completion, 1995, Waseda University International Division

European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information, 2002, Trento, Italy

Academic Honors and Grants

SLICK Collective Project Support. Arts for the Future (AFF). Agency for Cultural Affairs, Japan (4,000,000 yen). 2023-2026.

Fraunhofer-Bessel Research Award. Alexander von Humboldt Foundation (award: 45,000 euros). 2020. (Research period: 2022-2023; visiting researcher at ZAS Berlin)

Project Member, *“More-Than-Human” Imagination and Narrative: Preliminary Research Towards Environmental Humanities at AGU*. Aoyama Gakuin University Research Unit (5,998,000 yen). 2022-2024.

Project Member, *Foundational Studies in Structure and Acquisition of Natural Language*. Core-to-Core Grant, Japan Foundation for the Promotion of Science. 2021-2026.

WAIFU Collective Project Support. Arts for the Future (AFF). Agency for Cultural Affairs, Japan (1,000,000 yen). 2021-2024.

Gender and Family: Art and Conceptual Engineering. SDGs Related Research Support Grant. Aoyama Gakuin University (300,000 yen). 2020.

Linguistic and Philosophical Aspects of (Trans)gender. Research Support and Strengthening Grant. Aoyama Gakuin University (500,000 yen). 2020.

Linguistic and Philosophical Aspects of Gender. SDGs Related Research Support Grant. Aoyama Gakuin University (300,000 yen). 2019.

Formal Approaches to Social Meaning: Semantic, Pragmatic and Philosophical Analysis of Social and Political Speech. Research Support and Strengthening Grant. Aoyama Gakuin University (300,000 yen). 2019.

AI and Humanity: The Shape of Things to Come. Tokyo Tokyo FESTIVAL Grant, Tokyo Arts Council (3,500,000 yen). 2019.

Research Grant Support Program Grant. Aoyama Gakuin University (500,000 yen). 2019-20.

Aoyama Gakuin University Research Excellence Prize. 2017.

Principal Investigator, *Computational Semantics and Pragmatics of Honorification and Particles in Asian Languages*, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (Kiban C #16K02640; 3,640,000 yen). 2016-2018.

Principal Investigator, *Semantics of Discourse Particles in East and Southeast Asian Languages*, Institute of Asian and African Studies, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies. (17 members) 2015-2017.

Co-investigator. City University of Hong Kong Strategic Research Grant (7004334) *The Compositional Semantics of Particles and Intonation: Empirical Investigations*. Principal Investigator: Yurie Hara.

Cooperative Researcher, *Ethno-Epistemology and Meta-Epistemological Research*, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science. Principal Investigator: Masaharu Mizumoto. 2014-2016.

Principal Investigator, *Computational Semantics and Pragmatics of Politeness Phenomena*, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (Kiban C #25370441; 4,680,000 yen). 2013-2015.

Cooperative Researcher, *Culture, Meaning and Epistemology*, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science. Principal Investigator: Masaharu Mizumoto. 2011-2013.

Co-investigator, Kyushu University Research Project 19401. Project Title: *Toward Realizing Language Understanding Systems*. Principal Investigator: Ayumi Ueyama. 2006-2007.

Grant-in-Aid, Japanese Society for the Promotion of Science. 2005-2007 (declined 2007).

Postdoctoral Fellowship for Foreign Researchers (#P05014), Japan Society for the Promotion of Science. 2005-2007 (declined 2007). For research at the Faculty of Languages and Cultures of Osaka University with Associate Professor Norihiro Ogata.

Travel Grant, Japanese Society for Artificial Intelligence. 2004.

Professional Development Awards, University of Texas at Austin, 2002-2003, 2003-2004.

Travel Grant, Department of Philosophy, University of Texas at Austin. 2002.

Publications

Books:

1. *Antinormative Interpretation*. Merve Verlag. To appear 2024.
2. *Signaling without Saying: The Semantics and Pragmatics of Dogwhistles*. Oxford University Press. With R. Henderson. To appear 2024.
3. *Elin to Midori: Jenda- to Atarashii Kazoku no Katachi [Elin and Midori: Gender and New Forms of Family]*. Temjin. With M. Morita. 2022.
4. *The Semantics and Pragmatics of Honorification: Register and Social Meaning*. Oxford University Press. 2019.
5. *Reliability in Pragmatics*. Oxford University Press. 2015.

Edited Volumes:

1. *Logic and Engineering of Natural Language Semantics: 19th International Conference*. Volume 14213 in Lecture Notes in Computer Science series. Springer. With D. Bekki and K. Mineshima. 2023.
2. *Discourse Particles in Asian Languages* (in two volumes). Routledge. Co-edited with H. Nomoto. 2023.
3. *Epistemology for the Rest of the World*. Oxford University Press. Co-edited with Masaharu Mizumoto and Stephen Stich. 2018.
4. *Formal Approaches to Semantics and Pragmatics: Japanese and Beyond*. Springer (*Studies in Linguistics and Philosophy* series). Co-edited with Katsuhiko Yabushita and Kei Yoshimoto. 2014.
5. *Proceedings of LENLS 2010*. Japanese Society for Artificial Intelligence. 2010.
6. *New Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence JSAI-isAI 2010 Workshops, LENLS, JURISIN, AMBN, ISS: Revised Selected Papers*. Lecture Notes in Computer Science, Vol. 6797; Lecture Notes in Artificial Intelligence series. 2011. Co-edited with T. Onoda and D. Bekki.
7. *New Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence: JSAI-isAI Workshops LENLS, JURISIN, KCSD, LLLL Revised Selected Papers*. Springer, LNAI series volume 6284. 2010. Co-edited with Y. Murakami and K. Nakakoji.

8. *Proceedings of TLS 8: Issues at the Semantics-Pragmatics Interface*, Cascadilla Press, Somerville MA. 2006. Co-edited with P. Denis, A. Palmer and B. Reese.
9. *Proceedings of LENLS 2006*. Japanese Society for Artificial Intelligence. 2006.

Manuscripts:

1. *Pronouns, Gender, and Harm*. To appear in *Harmful Speech and Contestation*. M. Popa-Wyatt, ed., Palgrave.
2. *Aesthetic Interpretation*. Under review.

Journal publications:

1. *Too Big to Bind? Pragmatics & Cognition* 30:1, pp. 212–216. 2023.
2. *Commitments: Binding and Being Bound*. 2023. *Zeitschrift für Sprachwissenschaft*.
<https://doi.org/10.1515/zfs-2023-2003>
3. *The Instability of Slurs*. *Grazer Philosophische Studien* 97: 63–85.. With C. Davis. 2020.
4. *Testing Epistemic Injustice*. *Investigationes Linguisticae* 41:86–104. .With G. Winterstein. 2019.
5. *Anaphoric Demonstratives and Mutual Knowledge*. *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory* 35:801-837. With D. Y. Oshima. 2016.
6. *Against Lexical Self-Reference*. *Linguistic Inquiry* 46(4):742–754. 2015.
7. *Reference and Linguistic Intuitions*. *Annals of the Japan Association for Philosophy of Science* 23:33-44. 2015.
8. *Expressives and Expressivity*. 2014. *Open Linguistics* 1:53-70.
9. *Formal Approaches to Particle Meaning*. 2012. *Language and Linguistics Compass* 6(12): 777-795.
10. *Emotive Equilibria*. 2012. *Linguistics and Philosophy* 35(3): 243-283.
11. *How to Coordinate on Pragmatic Content*. 2011. *Sprache und Datenverarbeitung* 2/1(2012): 137-149.
12. *Varieties of Conventional Implicature*. 2010. *Semantics and Pragmatics* 3(8):1-57.
13. *Classifiers Induce Conventional Implicatures*. 2009. *Journal of Cognitive Science* 10: 195-208.
14. *Expressives and Identity Conditions*. 2009. *Linguistic Inquiry* 40(2): 356-366. With C. Potts, A. Asudeh, L. Alonso-Ovalle, R. Bhatt, S. Cable, C. Davis, Y. Hara, A. Kratzer, T. Roeper and M. Walkow.
15. *What Man Does*. 2008. *Linguistics and Philosophy* 31(6): 671-724.
16. *Expressive Content and Logophoricity*. 2008. *Snippets* 18: 13-14.
17. *Unnatural Kinds*. 2008. *Journal of Pragmatics* 40(10): 1817-1822.
18. *Evidentiality, Modality and Probability*. 2007. *Linguistics and Philosophy* 30(2): 147-206. With N. Ogata.
19. *Adjectives, Comparison and Stereotypicality*. 2007. *Natural Language Semantics* 15(1): 35-63. With N. Ogata.
20. *Were, Would, Might and a Compositional Account of Counterfactuals*. 2007. *Journal of Semantics* 24(2): 93-129. With N. Asher.

21. *Discourse Structure and Logophoric Binding*. 2007. *Research on Language and Computation* 5(1): 37-48.
22. *Japanese Yo: Its Semantics and Pragmatics*. 2006. *Sprache und Datenverarbeitung* 30(1): 25-34.
23. *Created Objects, Coherence and Anaphora*. 2006. *Journal of Semantics* 23(3): 251-279.
24. *The Indefiniteness Effect*. 2005. *Snippets* 11: 11-12. With L. Wang.
25. *The Projection Problem of Nominal Appositives*. 2005. *Snippets* 10: 13-14. With L. Wang and B. Reese.

Book chapters (refereed):

1. *Honorifics, Grounds and Ideologies*. In *JSAI International Symposium on Artificial Intelligence*, pp. 188-197. Cham: Springer Nature Switzerland, 2021.
2. *A Unified Analysis of (Some) Discourse Particles in Japanese and Thai*. In *Discourse Particles in Asian Languages*, E. McCready, H. Nomoto and Y. Takubo, eds., Routledge. With U. Tawilapakul. 2023.
3. *Expressives*. In *Wiley Companion to Semantics*, D. Gutzmann, L. Matthewson, C. Meier, H. Rullmann and T.E. Zimmermann, eds., pp. 1-29, Wiley. 2021.
4. *Testimony, Trust and Evidentials*. In *Evidentials and Modals*, Chung-Min Lee and Jinho Park, eds., pp. 121-137, CRiSPI, Brill. 2020.
5. *Linguistic Strategies Against Epistemic Injustice*. In *Ethno-Epistemology: New Directions for Global Epistemology*, M. Mizumoto, J. Ganeri, and C. Goddard, eds., Routledge, pp. 114-129. 2020.
6. *Sentence-final Particles in Japanese*. *Handbook of Japanese Semantics and Pragmatics*, W. Jacobson and Y. Takubo, eds., Johns Benjamins, pp. 655-686. With C. Davis. 2020.
7. *Dog-whistles and the At-issue/not-at-issue Distinction*. In *Secondary Content: The linguistics of side issues*, ed. by D. Gutzmann and K. Turgay. Brill, pp. 191-210. With R. Henderson.
8. *Negotiating Epistemic Authority*. In Kurahashi S. et al. (eds), *New Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence (JSAI-isAI 2016 workshops, LENLS, HAT-MASH, AI-Biz, JURISIN and SKL revised selected papers)*, Berlin:Springer. With G. Winterstein.
9. *How Dogwhistles Work*. In *New Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence (JSAI-isAI Workshops, JURISIN, SKL, Ai-Biz, LENLS, AAA, SCIDOCA, kNeXI, Tsukuba, Tokyo, November 13-15, 2017, Revised Selected Papers, Lecture Notes in Artificial Intelligence 10838)*, S. Arai, K. Kojima, K. Mineshima, D. Bekki, K. Satoh, and Y. Ohta, eds., Springer. pp. 231-240. With R. Henderson.
10. *Particles of (un) expectedness: Cantonese wo and lo*. In *New Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence: JSAI-isAI 2015 Workshops, LENLS, JURISIN, AAA, HAT-MASH, TSDAA, ASD-HR, and SKL, Kanagawa, Japan, November 16-18, 2015, Revised Selected Papers*, pp. 27-40. 2017. With Y. Hara.
11. *Rational Belief and Evidence-Based Update*. In *Rationality: Constraints and Contexts*, pp. 243-258, T. W. Hung and T. J. Lane, eds., Elsevier. 2016.
12. *Quantification with Pejoratives*. In *Pejoration*, Rita Finkbeiner, Jörg Meibauer, and Heike Wiese (eds.), pp. 75-101. Amsterdam, Philadelphia: John Benjamins (Series "Linguistics Today"). With D. Gutzmann. 2016.
13. *Notes on perspective-sensitivity*. In *Donum Semanticum: Opera Linguistica Et Logica In Honorem Barbarae Partee A Discipulis Amicisque Rossicis Oblata*, P. Arkadiev, I. Kapitonov, Y. Lander, E. Rakhilina and S. Tatevosov (eds.), pp. 67-79. Moscow: Languages of Slavic Culture. With L. Bylinina and Y. Sudo.

14. *Syntax for Semantics: An Assessment*. In *In Untiring Pursuit of Better Alternatives*, H. Egashira, K. Kitahara, H. Nomura, M. Oishi, A. Saizen and S. Suzuki, eds., pp. 229–236. Tokyo: Kaitakusha. 2015.
15. *CI via DTS*. In *New Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence (JSAI-isAI 2014 Workshops, LENLS, JURISIN, and GABA, Kanagawa, Japan, October 27-28, 2014, Revised Selected Papers, Lecture Notes in Artificial Intelligence 9067*, pp.23-36, Springer. With D. Bekki.
16. *Using Descriptions*. In *Empirical Issues in Syntax and Semantics 10*, C. Piñon, ed., pp. 55–72. With D. Gutzmann. 2014.
17. *Discourse-Level Politeness and Implicature*. In *New Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence*, no. 8417 in *Lecture Notes in Computer Science*, Y. Nakano, K. Satoh and D. Bekki, eds., pages 69–81, Springer. With N. Asher. 2014.
18. *What is Evidence in Natural Language?*. In *Formal Semantics and Pragmatics: Japanese and Beyond*, E. McCready, K. Yabushita, K. Yoshimoto, eds., pages 155–180, Springer. 2014.
19. *Good Reasons*. In *Beyond Expressives: Explorations in Use-conditional Meaning*, H.-M. Gärtner and D. Gutzmann, eds., Brill, pages 201–229. With Y. Takahashi. 2013.
20. *Winning Strategies in Politeness*. In *New Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence*, no. 7856 in *Lecture Notes in Computer Science*, Y. Motomura, A. Butler and D. Bekki, eds., Springer, pages 87–95. With N. Asher and S. Paul. 2013.
21. *Evidential Universals*. In *Evidentials and Evidence*, T. Peterson and U. Sauerland (eds.), UBC Working Papers in Linguistics Volume 28, UBC, pages 105-128. 2010.
22. *Pronominal Features and Conventional Implicature*. In *Eigokenkyu no Jisedai ni Mukete: Current Studies for the Next Generation of English Linguistics and Philology: a Festschrift for Minoji Akimoto*, H. Yoshida, K. Nakazawa, S. Takeuchi, S. Tonoike, A. Kawabata, H. Nomura, S. Yamamoto, eds., Hituzi Syobo, pages 199-212. 2010.
23. *Japanese Particles: Dynamics vs. Utility*. In *Japanese/Korean Linguistics 16*, Y. Takubo, T. Kinuhata, S. Grzelak, and K. Nagai, eds., pages 466-480. CSLI Publications. 2009.
24. *A Compositional Account of Counterfactuals*. In *Meaning, Intentions, and Argumentation*, K. Korta and J. Garmendia, eds., CSLI Publications, pages 131-164. 2008. With N. Asher.
25. *Semantic Heterogeneity in Evidentials*. In *New Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence: JSAI 2007 Conference and Workshops Revised Selected Papers, Lecture Notes in Computer Science series 4914*, Ken Satoh, Akihiro Inokuchi, Katashi Nagao and Takahiro Kawamura, eds., Springer, pages 81-94. 2008.
26. *Reflexive Intransitives in Spanish and Event Semantics*, in *Event Structures in Linguistic Form and Interpretation*, Johannes Dölling and Tatjana Heyde-Zybatow, eds., Mouton de Gruyter, pages 223-244. 2008. With C. Nishida.
27. *Modals, Emotives, and Modal Subordination*. In *Recent Advances in the Syntax and Semantics of Tense, Aspect and Modality*, Louis de Saussure, Jacques Moeschler, and Genoveva Puskás, eds., Mouton de Gruyter, pages 11-46. 2007. With N. Asher.
28. *Sekkaku*. *Japanese/Korean Linguistics 15*, Naomi McGloin and Junko Mori, eds., pages 418-429, CSLI Publications. 2007.
29. *Aspects of the Indefiniteness Effect*. In *Lecture Notes in Artificial Intelligence 4384: JSAI Conference and Workshops, Revised Selected Papers*, T. Washio, K. Satoh, H. Takeda, and A. Inokuchi, eds., pages 162-176. 2007. With L. Wang.

30. *The Dynamics of a Japanese Reflexive Pronoun*, in *New Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence 3609: JSAI 2003 and JSAI 2004 Conferences and Workshops, Revised Selected Papers*, A. Sakurai, K. Hasida and K. Nitta, eds., Springer Verlag, Berlin, pages 405-415. 2007.
31. *The Meaning of Japanese YO*, in *New Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence 4012: Joint JSAI 2005 Workshop Post-Proceedings*, T. Washio, A. Sakurai, S. Tojoo and M. Yokoo, eds., Springer Verlag, pp. 141-148. 2006.
32. *Information Dependency in Quantificational Subordination*, in *Where Semantics Meets Pragmatics: the Michigan Papers*, K. Turner and K. von Heusinger, eds., Elsevier Press, Oxford, pp. 267-304. 2006. With L. Wang and N. Asher.
33. *Conceptualizing Created Objects*, in *Studies in Language Sciences 5*, M. Nakayama, M. Minami, H. Morikawa, K. Nakamura and H. Sirai, eds., Kurosio Press, Tokyo. Pp. 137-146. 2005.

Conference proceedings:

1. *Constructive Interpretation and Text Transformations*. In *Proceedings of xCoAx 10 (10th Conference on Computation, Communication, Aesthetics & X)*.
2. *Dogwhistles: Persona and Ideology*. Proceedings of SALT 31, pp. 703-719. With R. Henderson. 2021.
3. *Honorifics, Grounds and Ideologies*. Proceedings of LENLS 18. 2021.
4. *Social Meaning in Repeated Interactions*. In *Proceedings of Probability and Meaning Conference (PaM 2020)*. pp. 69-72. Association for Computational Linguistics. 2020. With R. Henderson.
5. *Toward Functional, Agent-based Models of Dogwhistle Communication*. In *Proceedings of Probability and Meaning Conference (PaM 2020)*. pp. 73-77. Association for Computational Linguistics. 2020. With R. Henderson.
6. *Dogwhistles, Trust, and Ideology*. Proceedings of 22nd Amsterdam Colloquium, pp. 152-160. With R. Henderson. 2019.
7. *An Invocational Theory of Slurs*. In *Proceedings of LENLS14*. 2017. With C. Davis.
8. *How Dogwhistles Work*. In *Proceedings of LENLS14*. 2017. With R. Henderson.
9. *Negotiating Epistemic Authority*. In *Proceedings of LENLS13*. 2016. With G. Winterstein.
10. *Expressives in Questions*. In Mary Moroney, Carol-Rose Little, Jacob Collard, and Dan Burgdorf (eds.), *Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT) 26*, 753-772: LSA and CLC Publications. 2016. With C. Davis.
11. *Particles of (Un)expectedness: Cantonese Wo and Lo*. *Proceedings of LENLS12*, pp. 25-38. 2015. With Y. Hara.
12. *Honorific Composition in Glue*. *Proceedings of TLS 14*, K. Jerro and K Mesh, eds., pp. 2-17. With K. Kudo and K. Kusumoto. 2015.
13. *A Semantics for Honorifics with Reference to Thai*. *Proceedings of PACLIC 28*, W. Aroonmanakun, P. Boonkwan, and T. Supnithi, eds, Chulalongkorn University. pp. 513-521. 2014.
14. *Anaphoric demonstratives and the interlocutors' mutual knowledge: The cases of Japanese and English*. *Proceedings of PACLIC 28*, , W. Aroonmanakun, P. Boonkwan, and T. Supnithi, eds, Chulalongkorn University.. With D. Y. Oshima. pp. 214-223. 2014.
15. *Japanese Honorification: Compositionality and Expressivity*. *Proceedings of FAJL 7*, MITWPL, S. Kawahara and M. Igarashi, eds., pp. 265-276. With D. Bekki and N. Watanabe. 2014.

16. *CI via DTS*. *Proceedings of LENLS 11*, K. Mineshima, ed., pp. 110–123. JSAI. With D. Bekki. 2014.
17. *Honorific Denotations*. *Proceedings of LENLS 11*, K. Mineshima, ed., pp. 152–165. JSAI. 2014.
18. *Discourse-Level Politeness and Implicature*. *Proceedings of LENLS10*, JSAI. With N. Asher. 2013.
19. *Winning Strategies in Politeness*. *Proceedings of LENLS 9*, JSAI, A. Butler, ed., pp. 87-97. With N. Asher. 2012.
20. *Classification without Assertion*. *Proceedings of FAJL 5*, MITWPL, M. Tucker, A. Thompson, O. Northrup, R. Bennett, eds., pp. 141-144. 2012.
21. *Operating on Presuppositions: Sekkaku Revisited*. *Proceedings of FAJL 5*, MITWPL, M. Tucker, A. Thompson, O. Northrup, R. Bennett, eds., pp. 155-166. With Y. Sudo. 2012.
22. *Quantification in East Asian Languages*. *Proceedings of International Conference of Cognitive Science 2008*. 2008.
23. *Evidentials, Knowledge and Belief*. *Proceedings of LENLS2008*, pp.156-167, Y. Nakayama. ed. Japanese Society for Artificial Intelligence.
24. *Particles, Coherence and Modality*. *Proceedings of Sinn und Bedeutung 12*, Atle Grønn, ed., Oslo: Department of Literature, Area Studies and European Languages, University of Oslo, pp. 430-441. 2008.
25. *Discourse Anaphora and Progressivized Verbs of Creation*, in *Proceedings of CLS 39*, Chicago Linguistics Society, Chicago IL, pp. 270-287. 2007.
26. *Semantic Heterogeneity in Evidentials*. *Proceedings of LENLS2007*, Kei Yoshimoto, ed., pp. XXX, Japanese Society for Artificial Intelligence. 2007.
27. *Context Shifting in Questions and Elsewhere*, *Proceedings of Sinn und Bedeutung 11*, E. Puig-Waldmüller (ed.), Barcelona: Universitat Pompeu Fabra, pp. 433-447, 2007.
28. *Binding Across Questions*. In *Proceedings of LENLS2006*, Eric McCready, ed. Japanese Society for Artificial Intelligence. With L. Wang, 2006.
29. *Nominal Appositives in Context*, in *Proceedings of WECOL 2004*. M.T. Martinez, A. Alcazar, and R.M. Hernandez, eds., pp. 411-423. 2006. With B. Reese and L. Wang.
30. *English Sentence-Initial Man*. *Proceedings of Sinn und Bedeutung 10*. ZASPIL–ZAS Papers in Linguistics, vol. 44, C. Ebert and C. Endriss, eds., pp. 211-223. 2006.
31. *Intuiting the Truth about Definite Descriptions*. In *Proceedings of Second Conference on Experience and Truth*. With L. Wang. 2005.
32. *Maximality and Plurality*. In *Proceedings of LENLS 2005*, N. Ogata and K. Yabusita, eds. pp. XXXX. With L. Wang. Japanese Society for Artificial Intelligence. 2005
33. *The Dynamics of YO*. In *Proceedings of LENLS 2005*, N. Ogata and K. Yabusita, eds. p XXX. Japanese Society for Artificial Intelligence. 2005.
34. *Modal Subordination in Japanese: Dynamics and Evidentiality*, in *Penn Working Papers in Linguistics 12.1: Proceedings of the 29th Annual Penn Linguistics Colloquium*, A. Eilam, T. Scheffler, and J. Tauberer, eds., pp. 237-249. 2006. With N. Asher.
35. *On the Semantics and Pragmatics of the Japanese Particle Yo*. In *Proceedings of Formal and Computational Approaches to Discourse and Other Particles*, L. Alonso and H. Zeevat, eds. pp XXX. 2005.

36. *Two Japanese Adverbials and Expressive Content*, in *Proceedings of SALT 14*, K. Watanabe and R. Young, eds., CLC, Ithaca, pp. 163-178. 2004.
37. *Toward a Dynamic Account of Japanese Zibun*, in *Proceedings of the International Workshop on Logic and Engineering of Natural Language Semantics*, Norihiro Ogata (ed.). pp XXX. Japanese Society for Artificial Intelligence. 2004.
38. *Extracting and Using Discourse Structure to Resolve Anaphoric Dependencies: Combining Logico-Semantic and Statistical Approaches*, in *Proceedings of TALN 2004*. pp. XXX. 2004. With N. Asher, P. Denis, J. Kuhn, E. Larson, A. Palmer, B. Reese, and L. Wang.
39. *Anaphora and (Un)finished Objects*, in *Proceedings of WCCFL 22*, G. Garding and M. Tsujimura, eds. Cascadilla Press, Somerville MA. pp 328-341. 2003.

Other publications:

1. *Nonclassical Kaeriten*. In *Neon Zine 1*. With Y. Ishikawa.
2. *The Plants Are My Family Too, And Yours*. *FAMILY PHOTO* zine for Koishikawa Botanical Festival. 2023.
3. *To My Communities*. Text for zine catalog for Adrian Alarcón LOVE exhibition, Berlin. 2022.
4. *Love Letter*. For *Red Awareness/In Bloom* exhibition, AKTA Gallery, Tokyo. (To appear in a catalog for the exhibition)
5. *Shintai ni Mi wo Awaseru*. Interview with Zheng Bo for IWAKAN magazine (UN)NATURAL issue. 2022.
6. *I'm a Trans Woman Suing the Japanese Government. If I Win, I'll Be in the Country's First Same-Sex Marriage*, Novara Media, June 21, 2021.
7. *The Form of Family*. *FAMILY MOVE* zine. With M. Morita and E. Ottosson. 2021.
8. *On Opening Yourself*. IWAKAN Magazine, Volume 2. 2021.
9. *A transgender woman caught in the system finds help from the community*, in *Japan Times*, October 19 2020.
10. *Being 'othered' in Japan is not the same as oppression*, in *Japan Times*, June 29, 2020.
11. *Japanese law needs to catch up with the realities of trans life*, in *Japan Times*, February 16, 2019.
12. *Introduction*. Introduction to volume of papers *Formal Semantics and Pragmatics: Japanese and Beyond*, Springer. With K. Yabushita and K. Yoshimoto.
13. *Reference and Linguistic Intuitions*, *Thought Currents* 85: 61-75, English Literary Society of Aoyama Gakuin University (working papers volume). 2012.

Presentations (Since 2015)

All presentations by me unless otherwise noted.

1. 2023. *Aesthetic Interpretation*. Linguistic Aspects of Fictionality (DGfS Workshop). University of Cologne. March 10.
2. 2023. *Embodiment, Language, and the Nonhuman*. Critical Misanthropy. University of Amsterdam. 25 January. With E. Ottosson.

3. 2022. *Constructive Interpretation and Text Transformation*. 10th Conference on Computation, Communication, Aesthetics & X (xCoAx). Coimbra. July 9.
4. 2022. *Dogwhistles, Unmasking, and Polarization*. SALT 32, UNAM. June 10. With R. Henderson.
5. 2021. *Honorifics, Grounds and Ideologies*. LENLS 18, Keio University. November 15.
6. 2021. *Pattern as Narrative: The Structure of Botanical Stories*. ANEST Workshop *Narrating Nature*, Taiwan. July 2. With E. Ottosson.
7. 2021. *Families, Borders, and Cisheteronormativity*. A World in Revolution: Feminist Politics in Times of Social Uprisings. June 10. London School of Economics (online). With M. Morita, I. Nakao, and E. Ottosson.
8. 2020. *Social Meaning in Repeated Interactions*. Probability and Meaning. October 15. Gothenburg University (online). With R. Henderson. (poster)
9. 2020. *Towards functional, agent-based models of dogwhistle communication*. Probability and Meaning. October 15. Gothenburg University (online). With R. Henderson. (poster)
10. 2019. *Dogwhistles, Trust and Ideology*. Amsterdam Colloquium. December 19. With R. Henderson.
11. 2019. *Dogwhistles, Trust and Ideology*. LENLS 16. Keio University, Tokyo, Japan. November 11. With R. Henderson.
12. 2019. *Slurs are Invocations*. Meaning and Reality in Social Context, Academia Sinica, Taipei. January 15-16. With C. Davis.
13. 2018. *Slurs as Invocations* July 5, CIL, Cape Town. With C. Davis. Presented by C. Davis.
14. 2018. *A Corpus Based Analysis of the Gendered Use of Cantonese Sentence Final Particles*. NWAV-AP5. February 2. With G. Winterstein, R. Lai and Z. Luk.
15. 2017. *A Corpus Based Analysis of the Gendered Use of Cantonese Sentence Final Particles*. 22nd International Conference on Yue Dialects, Education University of Hong Kong. December 8. With G. Winterstein, R. Lai and Z. Luk. (Presented by G. Winterstein and R. Lai)
16. 2017. *Authority and Gendered Speech: Cantonese Particles and Sajiao*. CSSP, University of Paris 7, November 24. With G. Winterstein, R. Lai and Z. Luk. (Presented by G. Winterstein)
17. 2017. *An Invocational Theory of Slurs*. LENLS 14. Tsukuba University, November 14. With C. Davis.
18. 2017. *How Dogwhistles Work*. LENLS 14. Tsukuba University, November 14. With R. Henderson.
19. 2017. *Combining Grammar and Context in Expressive Meaning*. GLOW in Asia IX, National University of Singapore, February 22. With C. Davis. (Poster)
20. 2016. *Convention and Inference in Japanese Antihonorification*. ICAL2016, Ho Chi Minh City, December 15. With C. Davis.
21. 2016. *Negotiating Epistemic Authority*. LENLS 13. With G. Winterstein.
22. 2016. *Expressives are Not Presuppositions: Evidence from Expressive WH-Expressions*. New Ideas in Semantics and Modeling. Paris 7 Diderot, September 8. With C. Davis.
23. 2016. *The Semantics of Expressive and Presuppositional Features in Wh-Expressions*. TALK 2016. Keio University. August 7. With C. Davis.

24. 2016. *Expressives and Alternatives*. SALT 26. University of Texas at Austin. May 12. With C. Davis. (poster)
25. 2015. *Sentence-final Wo₃ and Lo₁: A Default-Logic Analysis of the (Un)expectedness*. 20th International Conference on Yue Dialects, City University of Hong Kong, December 11. With Y. Hara. (Presented by Y. Hara)
26. 2015. *Particles of (Un)expectedness: Cantonese Wo and Lo* LENLS 12, Ochanomizu University. November 15. With Y. Hara.
27. 2015. *Perspective-sensitive anaphora: The case of Japanese 'zibun'..* Semantics and Philosophy in Europe. With L. Bylinina and Y. Sudo. (Presented by L. Bylinina)
28. 2015. *Perspective-sensitive anaphora: The case of Japanese 'zibun'.* Pronouns: Syntax, Semantics, Processing (PSSP). Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia. June 16-19, 2015. With L. Bylinina and Y. Sudo. (Presented by L. Bylinina)
29. 2015. *Unexpectedness and Gricean Cooperativity: A Default Logic Approach*. TEAL 10, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies. June 14. With Y. Hara. (Poster)
30. 2015. *A Unified Analysis of (Some) Discourse Particles in Japanese and Thai*. TEAL 10, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies. June 13. With U. Tawilapakul.
31. 2015. *Particles, Issues and Intonation: Analyzing the Thai Particle na*. The Semantics of African, Asian and Austronesian Languages 2. University of Potsdam. June 5. With U. Tawilapakul. (Presented by U. Tawilapakul)
32. 2015. *On the Semantics of Pragmatic Particles*. SEALS 2015, Payap University. May 28.
33. 2015. *Cantonese Wo: Expression of Unexpectedness*. PACLING 2015, Bali. With Y. Hara. May 19-21. (Poster; presented by Y. Hara)
34. 2015. *Discourse even vs. attitude even*. SALT 25, Stanford. With P. Elliott and Y. Sudo. (Poster; presented by N. Asher)

Invited Academic Talks (Since 2015)

1. 2024. *Toward a Semantics and Pragmatics of Spellcasting*. Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona. February 16.
2. 2023. *Recruiting Affect in Counterspeech*. Issues in Contemporary Semantics and Ontology VI. University of Buenos Aires. October 19.
3. 2023. *Mathematical Modeling as Imaginative Tool in the More-than-human*. ANEST Workshop on Teaching Through and With Environmental Storytelling. National Taiwan Normal University. October 14.
4. 2023. *Veils within Veils*. Workshop on Semantics of Hidden Meanings at 14th Tbilisi Symposium on Logic, Language and Computation (Tbilisi 2023). September 21.
5. 2023. *Meaning beyond Truth Conditions: Expressives, Personas, Affect*. University of Oslo. September 8.
6. 2023. *Spellcasting, Speech Acts and the World*. University of Stavanger. September 5.
7. 2023. *Making Sense of Literature*. Semantics Workshop. Osaka University. August 28.

8. 2023. *On Ideological Arguments*. Berlin Workshop on Speech and Harm. Technische Universität Berlin. July 27.
9. 2023. *Varieties of Register*. Humboldt Universität zu Berlin. June 19.
10. 2023. *Embodied Interpretation and the Nonhuman in Formal Semantics and Pragmatics*. AGU Environmental Humanities Forum. Aoyama Gakuin University. June 10.
11. 2023. *Aesthetic Interpretation*. ZAS Berlin. March 16.
12. 2023. *Aesthetic Interpretation*. Barcelona. Pompeu Fabra University. February 16.
13. 2022. *Interpreting for Aesthetics*. University of Erlangen-Nuremberg. February 1.
14. 2022. *Aesthetic Interpretation*. University of Buenos Aires. November 30.
15. 2022. *Affect and Aesthetic Interpretation*. University of Bochum. November 16.
16. 2022. *Honorifics, Gender and Inference in Japanese*. University of Lund. October 3.
17. 2022. *Expressive Semantics and Honorification*. Genoa. XPRAG workshop on negative expressives. September 22.
18. 2022. *Interpreting Literary Texts*. Tübingen. Workshop on multiple addressing. July 15.
19. 2022. *Dogwhistles: Ideology, Vigilance, and Unmasking*. Gothenburg University. June 1.
20. 2022. *Dogwhistles: Ideology, Vigilance, and Unmasking*. University of Stuttgart. May 17.
21. 2022. *Semantics and Pragmatics of Aesthetic Speech*. Utrecht University. May 12.
22. 2022. *Trust in Semantics and Pragmatics*. ZAS Berlin. May 5.
23. 2022. *Aesthetic Interpretation*. Workshop on Non-cooperative Communication. Université de Paris. April 12.
24. 2022. *Commitments, and How to Avoid Them*. 22nd Szklarska Poreba Workshop on Semantics and Pragmatics, Szklarska Poreba, Poland. March 4.
25. 2022. *Binding and Being Bound*. Deutschen Gesellschaft für Sprachwissenschaft (German Linguistics Society). Plenary lecture. Tübingen. February 25.
26. 2021. *Pattern as Narrative: The Structure of Botanical Stories*. AGU Environmental Humanities Forum. Aoyama Gakuin University. July 27. With E. Ottosson.
27. 2021. *Jendā to Renai to Kazoku no Katachi [Gender and Love and the Form of Family]*. Tokyo University of the Arts. June 18. With M. Morita.
28. 2021. *Dogwhistles: Persona and Ideology*. Semantics and Linguistic Theory 31. Brown University. May 8.
29. 2021. *Dogwhistles: Personas, Enrichment and Trust*. University of Tübingen. April 16.
30. 2021. *Invocations, Slurs, and Social Meaning*. University of Edinburgh. March 18.
31. 2021. *Enriching Dogwhistles and Ideologies*. Oppressive Speech, Societies & Norms. ZAS, Berlin. February 18.
32. 2021. *Signaling without Saying: The semantics and pragmatics of dogwhistles*. Queen Mary University London. February 17. With R. Henderson.

33. 2021. *Dogwhistles, Ideologies and Vigilance*. University of Edinburgh. February 9.
34. 2021. *Signaling without Saying: The semantics and pragmatics of dogwhistles*. Ohio State University. February 3.
35. 2021. *Signaling without Saying: The semantics and pragmatics of dogwhistles*. Stanford University. With R. Henderson. January 28.
36. 2020. *Dogwhistles, Trust and Ideology*. Gothenburg University. March 4.
37. 2020. *Charity, Novelty and Normativity*. 5th Annual IAMSCU Research University Symposium, Aoyama Gakuin University. January 11.
38. 2019. *Ideology, Reliability, Trust*. Ryukoku University, Osaka. October 26.
39. 2019. *WAIFU: A Safer Space*. SOUND:GENDER:FEMINISM:ACTIVISM-TOKYO. Tokyo University of the Arts, October 5.
40. 2019. *Trust, Ideology and Social Meaning*. Integrating Approaches to Social Meaning 2, European Summer School on Logic, Language and Information 2019, Riga, Latvia.
41. 2019. *Pronouns, Semantics and Social Knowledge*. Current Topics in Asian Linguistics. UNITY Kobe, July 27.
42. 2019. *Bad Evidence*. Expressing Evidence. University of Konstanz. June 8.
43. 2019. *Signaling without Saying: the Semantics and Pragmatics of Dogwhistles*. City University of Hong Kong. April 26. With R. Henderson.
44. 2019. *Slurs and Perlocutionary Goals*. Structures Formelles du Langage, Paris. March 25.
45. 2019. *Slurs and Perlocutionary Goals*. Social Meaning 2019. ZAS Berlin. March 21.
46. 2018. *Social Knowledge and Semantic Content*. Seoul Linguistics Forum, Seoul National University. December 8.
47. 2018. *Honorification, Social Norms and Politeness*. September 6. University of Leiden.
48. 2018. *Honorification, Social Norms and Politeness*. September 4. Universität Köln.
49. 2018. *Honorification and Social Norms*. Workshop on Semantics and Pragmatics. Mie University. August 10.
50. 2018. *Social Norms, Defaults and Honorification*. Sociolinguistic, Psycholinguistic and Formal Perspectives on Meaning. Paris 7. June 28.
51. 2018. *Honorification and Social Role*. Department of Linguistics, NUS, Singapore. April 5.
52. 2018. *Epistemic Injustice and Language*. Department of Philosophy, NUS, Singapore. April 4.
53. 2017. *Honorifics: Register and Invocation*. August 29, Workshop on Register, ZAS Berlin.
54. 2017. *Introduction to Social Meaning*. IASM Workshop, ESSLI 2017, University of Toulouse. July 24. With C. Davis and G. Winterstein.
55. 2017. *Dog-whistles and Social Meanings*. Hokusei Gakuin University. July 8. With R. Henderson.
56. 2017. *Dog-whistles and Rational Communication*. Nagoya Gakuin University. June 10. With R. Henderson.

57. 2017. *Cantonese Gendered Discourse Sentence Final Particles and SaJiao*. LingLunch of LLF, Université Paris Diderot, Paris, May 22. With G. Winterstein, R. Lai and Z. Luk. (Presented by G. Winterstein)
58. 2017. *Dog-whistles and the at-issue/non-at-issue distinction*. DGfS Workshop on Secondary Information and Linguistic Encoding. March 10. With R. Henderson.
59. 2017. *Dog-whistles and the at-issue/non-at-issue distinction*. 18th Szklarska Poreba Workshop on Semantics and Pragmatics, Szklarska Poreba, Poland. March 5. With R. Henderson.
60. 2017. *Linguistic manipulation of epistemic authority*. Keio University, February 17. With G. Winterstein.
61. 2016. *Negotiating Epistemic Authority via Expressive Content*. Plenary talk, ICAL2016, Nguyen Tat Thanh University, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, December 16.
62. 2016. *Toward a Formal Analysis of Some Thai Particles*. Particles Workshop, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies, December 3.
63. 2016. *Credibility and Social Meanings*. Hong Kong Institute of Education. October 17. With G. Winterstein.
64. 2016. *Credibility and Social Meaning*. Workshop on Meaning and Optimality in Interaction. University of Paris 7: Diderot, Paris. September 9. With G. Winterstein.
65. 2016. *Conventional and Nonconventional Content in Expressives*. Ryukyu University, Asian Semantics Society 3. July 31. With C. Davis.
66. 2016. *Expressives in Questions*. Nagoya University. March 26. With C. Davis.
67. 2016. *Questions and (Anti)honorifics in Japanese*. Hong Kong Institute of Education. March 2. With C. Davis.
68. 2016. *Sentence-final Particles and Coherence*. Particles Research Group, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies. January 9.
69. 2015. *Expressivity and Translation*. Nagoya University. December 5.
70. 2015. *Honorification in Formal Semantics*. LENLS12 Workshop on Politeness, Ochanomizu University. November 15.
71. 2015. *Toward a Formal Account of Honorification*. Department of Linguistics, Chulalongkorn University. November 9.
72. 2015. *Epistemics, Evidentials and Perspective*. Lecture in *Semantics of Perspective-Sensitivity*, ESLLI 2015, Barcelona. August 13.
73. 2015. *Pragmatic Particles and Questions Under Discussion*. Tokyo University of Foreign Studies. July 4.
74. 2015. *Semantics of Pragmatic Particles in East and Southeast Asian Languages*. Tokyo University of Foreign Studies. July 4.
75. 2015. *Against Lexical Self-reference*. Semantics Research Group, University of the Ryukyus. June 20-21.
76. 2015. *The Semantics and Pragmatics of Honorification*. WAFL 11 [Keynote]. University of York, June.
77. 2015. *A Default-Logic Analysis of the Unexpectedness Expressed by the Cantonese Wo3*. Japan/Korea Workshop in Syntax and Semantics. Kyoto University. May 10. With Y. Hara.
78. 2015. *Unexpectedness and Gricean Cooperativity: A Default Logic Approach*. Semantics Research Group, Keio University. April 7. With Y. Hara.

79. 2015. *Toward Particle Universals*. Bangkok Workshop on the Semantics of Discourse Particles. Thammasat University. March 28.
80. 2015. *Cantonese Wo: Expression of Unexpectedness*. Bangkok Workshop on the Semantics of Discourse Particles. Thammasat University. March 28. With Y. Hara.
81. 2015. *Honorifics: Meaning and Use*. University of Delaware. March 17.
82. 2015. *Particles and Issue Manipulation*. Cornell University Semantics Group. March 13
83. 2015. *The Semantics and Pragmatics of Honorification*. Cornell University. March 12. [Colloquium]

Artistic Research and Exhibitions

1. 2023. *FAMILY PHOTO*. In *Koishikawa Botanical Festival*, Tokyo. November 3–5. With M. Morita and E. Ottosson (MOM collective).
2. 2023. Member of working group creating site-specific conceptual art piece. Wittenberge, Germany. Funded by Rechercheförderung of Fonds DaKü.
3. 2022. *FAMILY MOVE (MOM + I)*. In *WEST PRIDE*, Gothenburg. June 9–21. With M. Morita and E. Ottosson (MOM collective) and Ippei Nakao.
4. 2021. *FAMILY MOVE (MOM + I)*. In *Where is a space for us?* group exhibition, Tokyo University of the Arts, June 1–20. With M. Morita and E. Ottosson (MOM collective) and Ippei Nakao.
5. 2019. *The Shape of Things to Come: Technology, AI and the Human*. Organizer of exhibition including 8 artists and incorporating a workshop on soft robotics and LARP in addition to several lectures by AI researchers. November 16–December 15. Aoyama Gakuin University.

Service (Since 2015)

Chair, Logic and Engineering of Natural Language Semantics workshop, 2023, Osaka University, Japan. November 17–19.

Co-organizer, *Berlin Workshop on Speech and Harm*, Technische Universität Berlin. July 27, 2023.

Co-chair, Logic and Engineering of Natural Language Semantics workshop, 2016–2022, Tokyo, Japan.

Advisory Board, *Elements in Semantics* series, Cambridge University Press.

Associate Editor, *Semantics & Pragmatics*. May 2021—present.

Co-organizer, Workshop *Integrating Approaches to Social Meaning 2*, European Summer School on Logic, Language and Information 2019, Riga, Latvia. With C. Davis and G. Winterstein.

Co-organizer, Workshop *Integrating Approaches to Social Meaning*, European Summer School on Logic, Language and Information 2017, Toulouse, France. With C. Davis and G. Winterstein.

Program Chair, LENLS 2015, Tokyo, Japan.

Reviewing for various journals, conferences, book publishers, and funding agencies.