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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Broad: semantics, syntax, fieldwork

In semantics (narrow): attitude reports, veridicality and factivity, presupposition, polarity, sub-junctives, embedded questions, repetitives, aspect.

In syntax (narrow): complementation, accusative subjects and hyperraising, agreement, left branch extraction, scrambling, restructuring, datives/applicatives, ellipsis.

Language families: Algonquian (Passamaquoddy), Altaic (Turkic, Mongolic), Kartvelian, Slavic

EDUCATION

Linguistics PhD, Massachusetts Institute of Technology	EXPECTED 2022
Linguistics MA, Lomonosov Moscow State University (MSU)	JUNE 2017
Linguistics BA, Lomonosov Moscow State University (MSU)	JUNE 2015

OTHER EDUCATION

Web Summer School in Logic, Language, and Information (WeSSLLI)	JULY 2020
Kaufman Teaching Certificate Program	JUNE 2019
Crete Summer School in Linguistics, University of Crete	SUMMERS 2017-2018
The New York-St. Petersburg Institute of Linguistics, Cognition and Culture (NYI), St. Petersburg State University.	SUMMERS 2012-2016

PUBLICATIONS & PAPERS UNDER REVIEW

Factivity from pre-existence: Evidence from Barguzin Buryat. <i>Glossa: a journal of general linguistics</i> 5(1): 109. 1–35. DOI: https://doi.org/10.5334/gjgl.1196	2020
[with Colin Davis] Concealed Pied-Piping in Russian: Evidence from Parasitic Gaps, Late Merge, and ATB Configurations.	UNDER REVIEW
[in Russian] Nominalization strategies in Barguzin Buryat (“Strategiji nominalizacii v barguzinskom dialekte buryatskogo yazyka”). In <i>Ural-Altai Studies</i> №4 (31), 2018, P. 95-111.	2018
Passivization in the <i>-za</i> -converb construction in Barguzin Buryat: On the syntactic representation of voice. In <i>Voprosy Jazykoznanija</i> (“Topics in the study of language”), №3, 2018, P. 40-71.	2018
[in Russian] Two aspectual subsystems of Georgian (“Dve aspektual’nye podsistemy v gruzinskom yazyke”). In <i>Voprosy Jazykoznanija</i> (“Topics in the study of language”),	2017

№4, 2017, P. 74-100.

Passivization of matrix predicates in the light of ECM phenomena: the case of Buryat. 2017
In *Ural-Altai Studies* №3 (26), 2017, P. 117-126.

Book Chapters

[in Russian] Sentential arguments (“Sentencial’nye aktanty.”). A chapter in S.G. Tatevosov, T.I. Bondarenko, A.V. Podobryaev, and D.K. Privoznov (eds.) *Elements of the Buryat language in a typological perspective. Barguzin dialect. (Elementy Buryatskogo yazyka v tipologicheskom osveščanii: Barguzinskij dialekt)*. M. TO APPEAR

[with J. F. Bailyn.] Theoretical and empirical issues in Russian ellipsis. In J. van Craenenbroeck & T. Temmerman (eds.). *The Oxford Handbook of Ellipsis*. P. 988-1019. 2019

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

Peer-reviewed

[with Colin Davis] [Linearization asymmetries in Russian left branch extraction.](#) IN REVIEW
For Proceedings of the 28th Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics conference (FASL 28).

[Russian Datives Again: on the \(im\)possibility of the small clause analysis.](#) 2018
In Denisa Lenertová, Roland Meyer, Radek Šimík & Luka Szucsich (eds.), *Advances in formal Slavic linguistics 2016*, P. 25-51. Berlin: Language Science Press.

Not peer-reviewed

[with Itai Bassi] Composing CPs: evidence from disjunction and conjunction. TO APPEAR
In *Proceedings of the 30th Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference (SALT 30)*.

[with Colin Davis] Long-distance scrambling in Balkar and the nature of edges. In TO APPEAR
Proceedings of the 38th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL 38).

[with Stanislao Zompì] Spelling out Kartvelian number agreement. In TO APPEAR
Proceedings of the 38th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL 38).

[From think to remember: how CPs and NPs combine with attitudes in Buryat.](#) 2019
In Katherine Blake, Forrest Davis, Kaelyn Lamp, and Joseph Rhyne (eds.) *Proceedings of the 29th Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference (SALT 29)*. P. 509-528.

[with Colin Davis] Parasitic gaps diagnose concealed pied-piping in Russian. 2019
In *Proceedings of The 49th Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society (NELS 49)*. Vol. 1. P. 145-158.

Combining CPs by Restrict: Evidence from Buryat. In T. Bondarenko, C. Davis, J. Colley, and D. Privoznov (eds.) *Proceedings of the 14th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics (WAFL 14)*, MIT Working Papers in Linguistics. #90, P. 29-36. 2019

Voice restructuring in Buryat. In Céleste Guillemot, Tomoyuki Yoshida and Seunghun J. Lee Ciscel (eds.) *Proceedings of the 13th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics (WAFL 13)*, MIT Working Papers in Linguistics, #88, 2018. P. 101-114. 2018

Subject marking and scrambling effects in Balkar nominalizations. In Faruk Akkuş, İsa Kerem Bayırlı, Deniz Özyıldız (eds.) *Proceedings of the first workshop on Turkish, Turkic, and the languages of Turkey (Tu+1)*, Graduate Linguistics Student Association, University of Massachusetts. 2018. P. 27-42. 2018

- ECM in Buryat and the optionality of movement. In Leyla Zidani-Eroğlu, Matthew Ciscel, and Elena Koulidobrova (eds.) *Proceedings of the 12th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics (WAFL 12)*, MIT Working Papers in Linguistics, #83, 2017. P. 31-42. 2017
- Constructions with two objects again: Georgian and Russian - vs - English. In M.B. Konoshenko, E.A. Lyutikova, and A.V. Zimmerling (eds.) *Proceedings of Typology of Morphosyntactic Parameters*, Vol. 3 (2016), MSPU, Moscow. P. 28-55. 2016
- [*in Russian*] Ditransitive verbs and applicative constructions with transitive verbs in Georgian (“Bitransitivnye glagoly i applicativnye konstrukzii ot perexodnyx glagolov v gruzinskom yazyke”). In E.A. Lyutikova, A.V. Zimmerling, and M.B. Konoshenko (eds.) *Proceedings of Typology of Morphosyntactic Parameters*, Vol. 2 (2015), MSPU, Moscow. P. 26-47. 2015

OTHER MANUSCRIPTS

- Feature gluttony for Algonquian: agreement in Passamaquoddy. 2020
Generals Paper (Committee: S. Iatridou, D. Fox, A. Albright). MIT.
- Factivity alternation due to semantic composition: *think* and *remember* in Barguzin Buryat. 2019
Generals Paper (Committee: S. Iatridou, D. Fox, A. Albright). MIT.
- [*in Russian*] Repetitives in constructions with dative arguments (“Repetitivny v konstrukcijax s dativnymi argumentami”). MA thesis (under supervision of Sergei Tatevosov), Lomonosov Moscow State University, 2017. 2017

EDITING

- [with S.G. Tatevosov, A.V. Podobryaev, and D.K. Privoznov] Elements of the Buryat language in a typological view. Barguzin dialect. (Elementy Buryatskogo yazyka v tipologicheskom osveščenii: Barguzinskij dialekt). M. TO APPEAR
- [with C. Davis, J. Colley, and D. Privoznov] *Proceedings of the 14th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics (WAFL 14)*, MIT Working Papers in Linguistics. 2019

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Inverse in Passamaquoddy as the spell-out of Feature Gluttony. EXPECTED: JANUARY 2021
Poster at the LSA 2021 Annual Meeting (virtual).
- [with Colin Davis] What cross-clausal scrambling in Balkar reveals about phase edges. TALK AT THE LSA 2021 ANNUAL MEETING (VIRTUAL). EXPECTED: JANUARY 2021
- Two paths to *explain*. TALK AT THE BRUSSELS CONFERENCE ON GENERATIVE LINGUISTICS 13 (BCGL 13): THE SYNTAX AND SEMANTICS OF CLAUSAL COMPLEMENTATION. CRISSP (VIRTUAL PRESENTATION). DECEMBER 2020
- [with Itai Bassi] Composing CPs: evidence from disjunction and conjunction. AUGUST 2020
Talk at the 30th Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference (SALT 30). Cornell University (virtual presentation).
- [with Itai Bassi] In favor of identity semantics of clausal embedding: EVIDENCE FROM RUSSIAN. TALK AT THE FORMAL APPROACHES TO SLAVIC LINGUISTICS (FASL) 29. THE UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON (VIRTUAL PRESENTATION). MAY 2020

Feature gluttony for Algonquian: inverse in Passamaquoddy. Talk at <i>the Chicago Linguistics Society 56 (CLS 56)</i> . The University of Chicago.	CANCELLED DUE TO COVID-19 PANDEMIC
Hyperraising and Logical Form: evidence from Buryat. Poster presentation at <i>the 43rd Generative Linguistics in the Old World (GLOW)</i> conference. The Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (virtual presentation).	APRIL 2020
[with Stanislaw Zompí] Leftover Agreement: Spelling out Kartvelian number. Talk at <i>the 43rd Generative Linguistics in the Old World (GLOW)</i> conference. The Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (virtual presentation).	APRIL 2020
[with Colin Davis] Long-distance scrambling in Balkar and the nature of edges. Talk at <i>the 38th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL 38)</i> . University of British Columbia.	MARCH 2020
[with Stanislaw Zompí] Leftover Agreement: Spelling out Kartvelian number. Poster presentation at <i>the 38th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL 38)</i> . University of British Columbia.	MARCH 2020
[not peer-reviewed] Inverse in Passamaquoddy as Feature Gluttony. Talk at the ECO-5 Workshop (syntax workshop among the graduate students of UMass, MIT, Harvard, UConn, and UMD). Harvard University.	FEBRUARY 2020
[with Colin Davis] A Linearization Explanation for Asymmetries in Russian Scrambling. Poster presentation at <i>the 94th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America (LSA)</i> . New Orleans.	JAN. 2020
[with Stanislaw Zompí] Leftover Agreement across Kartvelian languages. Poster presentation at <i>the 94th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America (LSA)</i> . New Orleans.	JAN. 2020
[with Stanislaw Zompí] A new account of Kartvelian number agreement. Poster presentation at the workshop <i>Linguistics Theory, Meet Languages of the Caucasus!</i> The 3rd Crete Summer School of Linguistics.	JULY 2019
From <i>think to remember</i> : how CPs and NPs combine with attitudes in Buryat. Poster presentation at <i>Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT) 29</i> , University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA).	MAY 2019
[with Colin Davis] Linearization asymmetries in Russian left branch extraction. Talk at <i>the 55th Meeting of the Chicago Linguistic Society (CLS)</i> , The University of Chicago, Illinois.	MAY 2019
[with Colin Davis] Linearization asymmetries in Russian left branch extraction. Talk at <i>the Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics (FASL) 28</i> , Stony Brook University, NY.	MAY 2019
[with Colin Davis] Parasitic gaps diagnose concealed pied-piping in Russian. Talk at <i>the Linguistics Society of America (LSA) 93rd Annual Meeting</i> , New York NY.	JAN. 2019
Combining CPs by Restrict: evidence from Buryat. Alternate talk at <i>the 14th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics (WAFL 14)</i> , MIT.	OCT. 2018
[with Colin Davis] Parasitic gaps diagnose concealed pied-piping in Russian. Talk at <i>the 49th Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society (NELS 49)</i> , Cornell University.	OCT. 2018

- [with Colin Davis] Parasitic gaps and covert pied-piping in Russian left branch extraction. Talk at *the Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics (FASL) 27*, Stanford University. MAY 2018
- Results, Repetitives and Datives: towards an account of the crosslinguistic variation. Poster presentation at the workshop *Endpoints, scales, and results in the decomposition of verbal predicates (ENDPOINTS 2018)*, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin. JAN. 2018
- Voice restructuring in Buryat. Talk at *the 13th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics (WAFL 13)*, International Christian University (Tokyo, Japan). MAY 2017
- Russian applicatives and the lexical decomposition. Talk at *the Formal Approaches to Russian Linguistics 2017 (FARL)*, Faculty of Philology, Lomonosov Moscow State University and the Institute for Modern Linguistic Research, Moscow State University for Education. MAR. 2017
- Russian Datives Again: on the (im)possibility of the small clause analysis. Talk at *the 12th European Conference on Formal Description of Slavic Languages (FDSL)*, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin. DEC. 2016
- Constructions with two objects again: Georgian and Russian –vs– English. (“Konstrukzii s dvumya dopolneniyami opjat’: gruzinsky i russky - vs - anglijsky”). Talk at *the 6th Conference in the series “Typology of Morphosyntactic Parameters”*, Moscow State University of Education & The Institute of Linguistics, Russian Academy of Sciences. OCT. 2016
- ECM in Buryat and the optionality of movement. Talk at *the 12th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics (WAFL 12)*, Central Connecticut State University. MAY 2016
- Subject marking and scrambling effects in Balkar nominalizations. Poster presentation at *the Tu+1 Workshop on Turkish, Turkic and the languages of Turkey*, University of Massachusetts Amherst. Nov. 2015
- Ditransitive verbs and applicative constructions with transitive verbs in Georgian. (“Bitransitivnye glagoly i applicativnye konstrukzii ot perexodnyx glagolov v gruzinskom yazyke”). Talk at *the 5th Conference in the series “Typology of Morphosyntactic Parameters”*, Sholokhov Moscow State University for the Humanities & The Institute of Linguistics, Russian Academy of Sciences. OCT. 2015
- Accusative subjects in Buryat. (“Akkuzativnye podležaščije v buryatskom yazyke”). Talk at *the 4th Conference in the series “Typology of Morphosyntactic Parameters”*, Sholokhov Moscow State University for the Humanities & The Institute of Linguistics, Russian Academy of Sciences. OCT. 2014
- The Georgian masdar. Poster at *the 11th Conference on Typology and Grammar for Young Scholars*, Institute for Linguistic Studies, Russian Academy of Sciences. Nov. 2014
- [with Marina Ermolaeva] Two types of nominalizations in Balkar. Talk at *the Societas Linguistica Europea 2014 (SLE 2014)*, Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznań. SEPT. 2014

AWARDS & GRANTS

Grants

Department-internal (MIT) grants

MIT Noam Chomsky Graduate Fellowship in Linguistics	2020-2021
Funding award for outstanding progress in the MIT linguistics PhD program	ACADEMIC YEAR
MIT Ken Hale Fund - Funding for fieldwork on Balkar [with Colin Davis].	AUG. 2019
MIT Ken Hale Fund - Funding for fieldwork on Buryat [with Colin Davis].	AUG. 2018
MIT Ken Hale Fund - Funding for fieldwork on Georgian [with Colin Davis].	JAN. 2018

Russian Grants (RSF, RFBR, RFH)

<i>Four grammar descriptions of languages of Russia as a multilingual country.</i> (“Četyre grammatičeskix opisaniya yazykov Rossii kak mnogoyazyčnogo gosudarstva”). Supported by Russian Science Foundation (grant #16-18-02081); [with Lomonosov Moscow State University research group].	2016-2018
<i>The semantics-syntax interface in Uralic and Altaic languages.</i> (“Semantiko-sintaksičesky interfeis v ural’skix i altajskix yazykax”). Supported by Russian Foundation for Basic Research (grant #16-06-00536); [with Lomonosov Moscow State University research group].	2016-2018
<i>Expeditions for documenting Uralic and Altaic languages.</i> (“Ekspeditsiya po sboru dannyx ural’skix i altajskix yazykov”). Supported by Russian Foundation for Humanities (grants #15-04-18038, #16-04-18037); [with Lomonosov Moscow State University research group].	2015-2016
<i>Syntax and semantics of verbs in aspectual systems of the derivational type.</i> (“Sintaksis i semantika glagola v vidovyx sistemax derivacionnogo tipa”). Supported by Russian Foundation for Basic Research (grant #14-06-00435); [with Moscow State University research group].	2014-2016

Scholarships

MIT Presidential Fellowship - 1st year graduate student funding award.	MAR. 2017
A scholarship within the Integrated Research Training Group of the Collaborative Research Center SFB 732 (“Incremental Specification in Context”), University of Stuttgart, for research “Argument structure and argument realization”, aligned to the projects B1 and B6 and the supervisor Prof. Artemis Alexiadou.	NOV. 2014

TEACHING

Teacher’s Assistant

Introduction to Linguistics. An undergraduate course at MIT. Instructor: David Pesetsky (MIT).	SPRING 2020
Field Methods in Linguistics. An undergraduate course at MIT. Instructor: Adam Albright (MIT).	FALL 2018
Introduction to Syntax. A course at the 2nd Crete Summer School of Linguistics. Instructor: Sabine Iatridou (MIT).	JULY 2018

Introduction to formal Semantics. A course at NY-St. Petersburg Institute of Linguistics, Cognition and Culture (NYI). Instructor: Sergei Tatevosov (Lomonosov Moscow State University). JULY 2016

Introduction to formal Semantics. A course at NY-St. Petersburg Institute of Linguistics, Cognition and Culture (NYI). Instructors: Philippe Schlenker (Institut Jean-Nicod & Ecole Normale Supérieure & NYU) & Sergei Tatevosov (Lomonosov Moscow State University). JULY 2015

Instructor

[with Andrey Zavgorodny] Introduction to the generative syntax. Seminar for schoolchildren at the Department of Structural and Applied Linguistics, Lomonosov Moscow State University. FALL 2013, SPRING 2014

SERVICE & MEMBERSHIPS

Reviewing

Ad-hoc reviewer for:

- o *Linguistic Inquiry*
- o *Glossa*
- o *Syntax*
- o *Snippets*
- o *Journal of Slavic Linguistics*
- o *Proceedings of the Workshop on Turkic and Languages in Contact with Turkic (Tu+4)*
- o *Proceedings of the 28th Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics (FASL 28)*

Conference organization

Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics 30 (FASL 30). Co-organizer. EXPECTED: 2021
TripleA 6, a workshop series for semantic fieldworkers. Co-organizer. 2019
Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics 14 (WAFL 14). Co-organizer. 2018

Department-internal service

Linguistics Community & Equity Committee Member. SINCE SUMMER 2020
Passamaquoddy Workshop Organizer. SINCE FALL 2019
MIT LF reading group (LFRG) Co-organizer. SPRING 2018 — FALL 2019
MIT Fieldwork Reading Group (FWRD) Co-organizer. FALL 2018

Memberships

Linguistics Society of America SINCE 2018

FIELDWORK EXPERIENCE

Azeri (Turkic). Elicitations during the class “Topics in the Grammar of a less Familiar Language” (24.942) at MIT. SPRING 2020

Balkar (Turkic). As a member of the Lomonosov Moscow State University Altaic expedition (chair: Sergei Tatevosov (MSU)). Verhnyaya Balkaria, The Kabardino-Balkar Republic, Russia. AUGUST 2013 & AUGUST 2019

Barguzin Buryat (Mongolic). As a member of the Lomonosov Moscow State University Altaic expedition (chair: Sergei Tatevosov (MSU)). Baraghan, Republic of Buryatia, Russia. AUG. OF 2014-2018

Georgian (Kartvelian). Tbilisi, Georgia. JAN. OF 2015, 2017-2018

Javanese (Austronesian). Elicitations during the class “Topics in the Grammar of a less Familiar Language” (24.942) at MIT. SPRING 2019

Passamaquoddy (Algonquian). Fieldwork in Indian Township & Pleasant Point (Maine, USA) with MIT group (chair: Norvin Richards) in January. Virtual elicitations over Zoom in Summer & Fall 2020. 2020

Wolof (Niger-Congo). TA for the undergraduate Field Methods in Linguistics class (24.909) at MIT. FALL 2018

LANGUAGES & SKILLS

Russian	NATIVE
English	FLUENT
ℒ _{TEX}	FLUENT
German	READING KNOWLEDGE