

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

PhD Linguistics, The State University of New York at Buffalo, 2009
MA Linguistics, The State University of New York at Buffalo, 2005
BFA Packaging Design (*Magna Cum Laude*), Fashion Institute of Technology, SUNY, 1997

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor, University of Oregon, Department of Linguistics, Fall 2018-present

Curator of Linguistics, Smithsonian Institution, National Museum of Natural History, Department of Anthropology, 2010-2018.

Director, “Recovering Voices,” Smithsonian Institution, National Museum of Natural History, Department of Anthropology, 2014-2016. Core Curator, 2010 to 2018.

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS AND SPECIAL ISSUES

- 2016 **Pérez Báez, G.**, C. Rogers and J. E. Rosés Labrada (Eds.) *Latin American contexts for language documentation and revitalization*. Amsterdam: De Gruyter Mouton. <http://www.degruyter.com/viewbooktoc/product/457490>.
- 2011 O’Meara, C. K. and **G. Pérez Báez** (Eds.) Spatial frames of reference in languages of Mesoamerica. Special issue of *Language Sciences* 33.

JOURNAL ARTICLES

- 2018 Linguistic diversity, language vitality and the advancement of Linguistics as a science. *Acta Linguistica Hafniensia*, DOI: 10.1080/03740463.2018.1434730.
- 2016 **Pérez Báez, G.** and T. Kaufman. Verbal classification in Juchitán Zapotec. *Anthropological Linguistics* 58:3, pp. 217–257.
- 2016 Uchihara H. and **G. Pérez Báez**. Fortis/lenis, glides and vowels in Quiaviní Zapotec. *Glossa: a journal of general linguistics* 1(1): 27, pp. 1–24. <http://www.glossa-journal.org/articles/abstract/10.5334/gjgl.13/>.

- 2016 The interdisciplinary documentation of the flora of La Ventosa and associated lexicon and knowledge: A pilot for the National Ethnobotanical Herbarium Online. *Taxon* 10 Mar, pp. 5–6.
<http://www.ingentaconnect.com/content/iapt/tax/2016/00000065/00000002/art00058>.
- 2015 **Pérez Báez, G.**, V. Cata and J. J. Bueno Holle. Xneza Diidxazá: Retos en la escritura del zapoteco del Istmo vistos desde el texto Teria. *Tlalocan* XX, pp. 135–172. <https://revistas-filologicas.unam.mx/tlalocan/index.php/tl/article/view/241>.
- 2015 Bohnemeyer, J., K. T. Donelson, R. E. Tucker, E. Benedicto, A. Eggleston, C. K. O'Meara, A. Capistrán Garza, N. Hernández Green, M. de J. S. Hernández Gómez, S. Herrera Castro, E. Palancar, **G. Pérez Báez**, G. Polian, R. Romero Méndez. The contact diffusion of linguistic practices. *Language Dynamics and Change* 5, pp. 169–201.
- 2014 Determinants of language reproduction and shift in a transnational community. *International Journal of the Sociology of Language* 227, pp. 65–81.
- 2013 Family language policy in the diaspora community of speakers of San Lucas Quiaviní Zapotec. *Language Policy* 12, pp. 27–45.
- 2012 Bilingualism and schooling and their unexpected role in language maintenance in an immigrant community. *Anthropological Linguistics* 54:4, pp. 350–370.
- 2011 O'Meara, C. K. and **G. Pérez Báez**. Spatial frames of reference in Mesoamerican languages. In C. K. O'Meara and G. Pérez Báez (Eds.) *Spatial frames of reference in languages of Mesoamerica. Language Sciences* 33, pp. 837–852.
- 2011 Spatial frames of reference preferences in Juchitán Zapotec. In C. K. O'Meara and G. Pérez Báez (Eds.) *Spatial frames of reference in languages of Mesoamerica. Language Sciences* 33, pp. 943–960.

BOOK CHAPTERS

- In press O'Meara, C. K., **G. Pérez Báez**, A. Eggleston and J. Bohnemeyer. (second round review). Space in languages of Mexico. In S. Wichmann (Ed.) *The Languages and Linguistics of Middle and Central America: A Comprehensive Guide*. The World of Linguistics. Amsterdam: de Gruyter Mouton.
- In press Bases verbales con consonante inicial dentro del sistema de valencia del diidxazá. *Estudios sobre lenguas otomangués y vecinas. Estudios en recuerdo de Fray Antonio de los Reyes*. Mexico City: Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México.
- In press Motivaciones para el uso del marco de referencia relativo en el zapoteco del Istmo. *Estudios de lenguas otomangués y vecinas en memoria de Thomas Smith-Stark*. Mexico City: Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México.
- 2018 **Pérez Báez, G.**, R. Vogel and E. Okura. Comparative analysis in language revitalization practices: Addressing the challenge. In Kenneth L. Rehg and Lyle Campbell (eds.) *Oxford Handbook of Endangered Languages*, pp. 466–489. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

- 2018 ‘Slowly, slowly said the jaguar’: Collaborations as a goal of linguistic field research over time. In Shannon Bischoff & Carmen Jany (Eds.) *Perspectives on Language and Linguistics: Community-Based Research*, pp. 112–131. Amsterdam: De Gruyter Mouton.
- 2018 Baldwin, D., L. Hinton and **G. Pérez Báez**. The Breath of Life Workshops and Institutes. In L. Hinton, L. Huss and G. Roche (eds.) *The Routledge Handbook of Language Revitalization*, pp. 188–196. New York: Taylor & Francis Group.
- 2016 Addressing the gap between community beliefs and priorities and researchers’ language maintenance interests. In **G. Pérez Báez**, C. Rogers and J. E. Rosés Labrada (Eds.) *Latin American contexts for language documentation and revitalization*, pp. 165–194. Amsterdam: De Gruyter Mouton.
- 2016 **Pérez Báez, G.**, C. Rogers and J. E. Rosés Labrada. Introduction. In G. Pérez Báez, C. Rogers and J. E. Rosés Labrada (Eds.) *Latin American contexts for language documentation and revitalization*, pp. 1–28. Amsterdam: De Gruyter Mouton.
- 2015 El sistema de merónimos en el zapoteco del Istmo. In I. J. Barreras Aguilar and G. López Cruzén (Eds.) *Investigaciones interdisciplinarias en Lingüística*, pp. 75–106. Hermosillo: Universidad de Sonora.
- 2015 Morphological valence-changing processes in Juchitán Zapotec. In N. Operstein and A. H. Sonnenschein (Eds.) *Valence Changes in Zapotec: Synchrony, diachrony, typology*, pp. 93–116. *Typological Studies in Language*, 110. Amsterdam: John Benjamins.
- 2012 Semantics of body part terms in Juchiteco locative descriptions. In B. Lillehaugen and A. H. Sonnenschein (Eds.) *Expressing Location in Zapotec*, pp. 117–136. *Native American Languages* 61. Munich: Lincom Europa.

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

- 2017 Tilbe, T., J. Bohnemeyer, **G. Pérez Báez**, and D. Gentner. Part-whole categorization is culture-specific. *Proceedings of the 39th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*, pp. 3332–3337. <https://mindmodeling.org/cogsci2017/papers/0629/index.html>.
- 2014 Bohnemeyer J., K. T. Donelson, R. E. Tucker, E. Benedicto, A. Capistrán Garza, A. Eggleston, N. Hernández Green, M. de J. S. Hernández Gómez, S. Herrera Castro, C. K. O’Meara, E. Palancar, **G. Pérez, Báez**, G. Polian, R. Romero Méndez. The cultural transmission of spatial cognition: evidence from a large-scale study. *Proceedings of the 36th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*, pp. 212–217. <https://mindmodeling.org/cogsci2014/papers/047/>
- 2012 Bohnemeyer, J., E. Benedicto, A. Capistrán Garza, K. T. Donelson, A. Eggleston, N. Hernández Green, M. de J. S. Hernández Gómez, Jesse S. Lovegren, C. K. O’Meara, E. Palancar, **G. Pérez Báez**, G. Polian, R. Romero Méndez and R. E. Tucker. Marcos de referencia en lenguas mesoamericanas: un análisis multivariante tipológico. *Proceedings of the Conference on Indigenous Languages of Latin America-V*. <http://www.ailla.utexas.org/site/events.html>.
- 2008 Language shift reversal for a nonstandardized language: San Lucas Quiavini

Zapotec. In *CLS 41: The Panels 2005, Proceedings from the Panels of the Forty-first Meeting of the Chicago Linguistic Society*, Vol. 41-2, pp. 81–93. Chicago: The Chicago Linguistic Society.

- 2008 **Pérez Báez, G.** and J. Bohnemeyer. Object to path in Mesoamerica: semantic composition of locative and motion descriptions in Yucatec Maya and Juchitán Zapotec. In R. M. Ortiz Ciscomani (Ed.) *Memorias del IX Encuentro Internacional de Lingüística en el Noroeste*, Vol. 2 pp. 269–284. Hermosillo, Sonora: Editorial UniSon.
- 2006 Valoración sociolingüística de la vitalidad del zapoteco de San Lucas Quiavini. In M. del C. Morúa (Ed.) *Memorias del VIII Encuentro Internacional de Lingüística en el Noroeste*, Vol. 3, pp. 239–255. Hermosillo, Sonora: Editorial UniSon.

PUBLICATIONS IN PROGRESS

- O'Meara, C. K. and **G. Pérez Báez**. Morphosyntactic strategies in spatial description. (accepted) In Siddiqi, D. (ed.) *Routledge Handbook of North American Languages*. New York: Taylor & Francis Group.
- Pérez Báez, G.**, C. Vidaurri and J. Barreiro. (accepted) Indigenous Latino populations in the United States. (accepted) In I. Krupnik (Ed.) *Handbook of North American Indians, Vol. 1*. Smithsonian Scholarly Press.
- Isaac G. and **G. Pérez Báez**. Subverting the Salvage Paradigm: Indigenous Ontologies as Revitalization Methodology. (accepted) *Proceedings of the American Philosophical Society*.
- Comparison types in the semantic extension of Diidxazá body part terms. (second round review) *Cognitive Science*.
- Pérez Báez, G.** and T. Kaufman (compilers), with V. Cata, K. Velasco Gutierrez, R. López Cartas, R. G. López López, G. Morales Carranza, V. Orozco Trujillo, F. Sánchez López, P. Trujillo Vera, A. J. Reyes García and K. Riestenberg. *La Ventosa Diidxazá Lexico-Botanical Dictionary*. (first round review) *Dictionaria*.
- Pérez Báez, G.**, R. Vogel and John Uia Patolo. Global Survey of Revitalization Efforts: A mixed methods approach. (under review) *Language Documentation and Conservation*.
- Bohnemeyer, J., E. Benedicto, K. T. Donelson, A. Eggleston, C. K. O'Meara, R. E. Tucker, A. Capistrán Garza, N. Hernández Green, M. de J. S. Hernández Gómez, S. Herrera Castro, E. Palancar, **G. Pérez Báez**, G. Polian, R. Romero Méndez. The linguistic transmission of cognitive practices: Reference frames in and around Mesoamerica. (in preparation).
- Pérez Báez, G.** and T. Kaufman (compilers). *Diidxazá • Spanish • English Dictionary*. Database of some 12,000 lexical entries. (in preparation) *Dictionaria*.

NON-PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- 2015 **Pérez Báez, G.**, V. Cata, R. López Cartas, R. G. López López, G. Morales Carranza, V. Orozco Trujillo, A. Reyes García, K. Riestenberg, F. Sánchez López, P. Trujillo Vera and K. Velasco Gutiérrez. *Guie' Gu'xhi Stinu Guidxi Rialle Bi* (Representative plants of La Ventosa, Oaxaca).

- 2015 *Cuaderno de lectoescritura del zapoteco del Istmo.*
- 2011 **Pérez Báez, G.** and T. Kaufman. Clases verbales en diidxa za (zapoteco de Juchitán/del Istmo). *Proceedings of the Conference on Indigenous Languages of Latin America-V.*
http://www.ailla.utexas.org/site/cilla5/PerezBaez_Kaufman_CILLA_V.pdf.
- 2011 Bohnemeyer, J., E. Benedicto, A. Capistrán Garza, K. T. Donelson, A. Eggleston, N. Hernández Green, M. de J. S. Hernández Gómez, J. S. Lovegren, C. K. O'Meara, E. Palancar, **G. Pérez Báez**, G. Polian, R. Romero Méndez, and R. E. Tucker. Marcos de referencia en lenguas mesoamericanas: un análisis multivariante tipológico. *Proceedings of the Conference on Indigenous Languages of Latin America-V.*
https://www.ailla.utexas.org/sites/default/files/documents/Bohnemeyer_et_al_CILLA_V.pdf.
- 2011 The impact of written telecommunications technology on the world's linguistic diversity. *AnthroNotes* Volume 32 No. 2, pp. 34–37.
- 2008 Editor. Manuscript. *MesoSpace: Spatial language and cognition in Mesoamerica. 2008 Field Manual.* University at Buffalo - SUNY
<http://www.acsu.buffalo.edu/~jb77/MesoSpaceManual2008.pdf>.

GRANTS AND AWARDS

- 2018 Co-PI and co-author. National Endowment for the Humanities. Project: National Breath of Life 2.0: Creating a 'Second Breath' for Indigenous Language Revitalization (BoL 2.0). Award # HAA-261218: \$311,641.
- 2017 PI and author. Smithsonian Institution Scholarly Studies Program. Project: Lexical documentation as knowledge documentation: towards the completion of the analytical Diidxazá Dictionary. \$61,900.
- 2017 Co-PI and co-author. National Science Foundation Documenting Endangered Languages Program. Project: National Breath of Life Archival Institute for Indigenous Languages. Award # 1561167: \$182,406. Sub-award to Smithsonian: \$27,795.35.
- 2016 PI and co-author. National Science Foundation Cultural Anthropology Program. Project: Re-aligning Archival Practice and Anthropological Needs: Improving Data Discovery at the National Anthropological Archives. Award # 1627066: \$295,611.
- 2016 PI and co-author. Smithsonian's National Museum of Natural History Small Grant. Project: Determination of botanical specimens from the Documentation and Revitalization of the Language and Traditional Ecological Knowledge of the Isthmus Zapotec Community. \$4,960.
- 2014 Subawardee. National Science Foundation Documenting Endangered Languages Program. Project: National Breath of Life Archival Institute for Indigenous Languages. Award # 1360675: \$167,650. Sub-award: \$60,303.

- 2013 PI and author. Level Two Grand Challenges, Smithsonian Consortia. Project: Documentation and Revitalization of the Language and Traditional Ecological Knowledge of the Isthmus Zapotec Community. \$99,296.00, supplements of \$7,315.40 and \$11,500.
- 2012 Co-author. National Science Foundation Documenting Endangered Languages Program. Project: Archiving the T. Kaufman Collection. Award # 1157867: \$245,752.
- 2012 PI and co-author. Smithsonian Institution Scholarly Studies Program. Project: Comparative Study of Tone Phenomena in Zapotec Languages. \$47,300.
- 2011 Co-PI and co-author. Level Two Grand Challenges, Smithsonian Consortia. Project: Recovering Voices. \$99,097.80.
- 2011 PI and author. Smithsonian's National Museum of Natural History Small Grant. Project: Ethnobotany in the Juchiteco community of La Ventosa, Oaxaca, Mexico. \$4,950.
- 2011 PI and author. Endangered Language Fund. Project: Oral Histories of the San Lucas Quiaviní Community. \$2,758.
- 2010 Co-PI and co-author. National Museum of Natural History Web Advisory Group. Project: Recovering Voices Video Podcasts series. \$10,000.
- 2008 PI and author. Ford Foundation Diversity Fellowship Honorable Mention. Dissertation program. National Research Council of the National Academies.
- 2007 Mark Diamond Research Fund. Graduate Student Association. The State University of New York at Buffalo. \$1,887.54.
- 2006 College of Arts and Sciences Dissertation Fellowship. The State University of New York at Buffalo. \$4,000 .
- 2007 Linguistic Society of America Annual Meeting travel grant, Committee on Ethnic Diversity in Linguistics. \$500.
- 2007 The Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas Annual Meeting travel grant. \$200.
- 2002-2006 Arthur A. Schomburg Fellowship. The State University of New York at Buffalo. \$10,000 per year.
- 2004 Summer Research Grant, Department of Linguistics. The State University of New York at Buffalo. \$400.

PUBLIC TALKS

PLENARY TALKS

- 2018 “Iniciativas y proyectos de revitalización en Hispanoamérica.” Congreso Internacional “Contacto, Documentación Y Revitalización De Lenguas En Desplazamiento En Hispanoamérica: Desafíos En La Diversidad II”, Universidad de Costa Rica, February 26-28.

- 2017 “Datos empíricos sobre las necesidades puntuales en la revitalización e investigación de lenguas.” Congreso Internacional de Estudios sobre Lenguas Indígenas, Universidad Autónoma de Querétaro, November 15-17.
- 2017 “Understanding the goals of language revitalization practitioners: Preliminary results from the Global Survey of Revitalization Efforts.” Symposium on American Indian Languages, Rochester Institute of Technology, April 7.
- 2016 “Complementarity between meronymy and frame of reference use in Diidxa Za: perspectives from an endangered language.” Geographic grounding: Place, direction and landscape in the grammars of the world, Københavns Universitet, May 30-31.
- 2012 “El potencial de los acervos lingüísticos para efectos de la revitalización lingüística.” 1er. Coloquio sobre documentación y archivos de lenguas, Mexico City, November 21-23.

INVITED TALKS AND PANELS

- 2018 “Linguistic diversity, language endangerment and revitalization in Latin America”, Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, April 2.
- 2017 “Lexical documentation How much is too much, how much is too little?” Challenges of electronic dictionary publication 2.0 Workshop, Universität Leipzig, Germany, March 30-31.
- 2016 “Recovering Voices. Research, collections and archives for language and knowledge revitalization.” Native American Heritage Month, Library of Congress, Washington, DC, November 17.
- 2016 “Recovering Voices.” Collections, Collaborations & Connections Symposium: The American Folklife Center at Forty, Washington, DC, September 12-13.
- 2016 “The interface between meronymy and spatial frames of reference use in Diidxa Za (Isthmus Zapotec).” Laboratoire Dynamique du Langage, Centre national de la recherche scientifique, Lyon, France, June 10.
- 2016 “Types of comparison in the semantic extension of body part terms as spatial relators in Diidxa Za.” Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics and the Centre for Language Studies, Radboud University. Nijmegen, Holland, April 6.
- 2016 “Body-part derived meronyms in Diidxa Za: a Structure Mapping Theory approach.” Cognition and Language Lab, Northwestern University, March 10.
- 2015 “Programa de retención de la investigación del Proyecto léxico-botánico en La Ventosa, Oaxaca.” Coloquio Internacional de Lenguas en Peligro y Tecnologías de la Información, Universidad Autónoma de Querétaro, Mexico, December 4-5.
- 2015 “Recovering Voices.” Coloquio Internacional de Lenguas en Peligro y Tecnologías de la Información, Universidad Autónoma de Querétaro, Mexico, December 4-5.
- 2015 “Recovering Voices: Research, collections and archives in collaboration with communities revitalizing their Native languages.” International Conference of

- Indigenous Archives, Libraries, and Museums. Washington, DC, September 9-12.
- 2015 Endangered Languages Catalog (ELCat) Workshop, University of Hawaii, Manoa, February 23-24.
- 2014 “Towards a reconstruction of the underlying tone of the potential prefix in Proto-Zapotec.” Laboratoire Dynamique du Langage, Centre national de la recherche scientifique, Lyon, France, October 24.
- 2014 “Méthodologie collaborative pour la documentation linguistique et ethnobotanique.” Laboratoire structure et dynamique du langage, Centre national de la recherche scientifique, Paris, July 3.
- 2013 “El impacto de la migración en la vitalidad de las lenguas indígenas: el caso de San Lucas Quiavini.” Biblioteca de investigación Juan de Córdova, Oaxaca City, August 8.
- 2012 “Relevance of community profiles in the context of community disinterest for language revitalization.” A symposium in honor of Wolfgang Wölck. SUNY Buffalo, September 22.
- 2012 “Recovering Voices: Using the collections.” Symposium on Language Revitalization in the 21st Century: Going Global Staying Local, CUNY, May 31-June 1.
- 2012 “The relevance of language choices negotiated by parents and children for the survival of an endangered language.” The Bowen Center’s Thursdays Professional Lectures, March 15.
- 2012 “Linguistic diversity within the Latino population in the United States: Indigenous languages, migration and language endangerment.” Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures, CUNY, February 22.
- 2011 “Meet Juchiteco.” Endangered Languages and Knowledge, Dillon Ripley Center, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC, November 30.
- 2011 “Alternativas para la documentación lingüística.” Centro de estudios y desarrollo de las lenguas indígenas de Oaxaca, Tlacoahuaya, Mexico, July 7.
- 2011 “Meet an endangered language: Dïdxazá.” Endangered Languages Week, Endangered Languages Documentation Program, School of Oriental and African Studies, London, England, May 12.
- 2011 “Recovering Voices: Documenting and sustaining endangered languages and knowledge.” Administration for Native Americans Grantee Conference, Washington, DC, January 19.

SELECTED CONFERENCE ACTIVITY

- Coloquio de lenguas otomangues y vecinas**, Oaxaca City, Mexico
 VIII, April 19-22, 2018.
 VII, April 7-10, 2016.
 VI, April 24-27, 2014.
 IV, April 16-18, 2012.

Conference on Indigenous Languages of Latin America, University of Texas at Austin
VII, October 29-31, 2015.

V, October 6-8, 2013.

International Conference on Language Documentation and Conservation, University
of Hawai'i at Mānoa

5th, March 2-5, 2017

4th, February 26-March 1, 2015.

3rd, February 28-March 1, 2013.

2nd, February 11-13, 2011.

Linguistic Society of America

Anaheim, CA, January 4-7, 2007

Washington DC, January 6-10, 2016.

Austin, TX, January 6, 2017.

The Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas

Austin, TX, January 7, 2017.

Boston, MA, January 3-6, 2013.

Portland, OR, January 5-8, 2012.

Pittsburgh, PA, January 7-10, 2011.

Baltimore, MD, January 7-10, 2010.

San Francisco, CA, January 8-11, 2009.

International Cognitive Linguistics Conference 14, Tartu, Estonia, July 10-14, 2017.

**First International Conference on Revitalization of Indigenous and Minoritized
Languages**, Barcelona, Spain, April, 19-21, 2017.

Coloquio Internacional de Lenguas en Peligro y Tecnologías de la Información,

Universidad Autónoma de Querétaro, Mexico, December 4-5, 2015.

International Conference of Indigenous Archives, Libraries, and Museums,

Washington, DC, September 9-12, 2015.

New York State Association for Bilingual Education, White Plains, NY, March 12-14,
2015.

VIth International Congress of Ethnobotany, Cordoba, Spain, November 17-21, 2014.

1st International CUA Conference on Endangered Languages, Ardahan, Turkey,

October 13-17, 2014.

International Conference on Mesoamerican Linguistics, Fullerton, CA, February 22,
2013.

Meronymy across Languages: Lexicalization, Semantics, Morphosyntax symposium,

Mexico City, September 27-28, 2013.

Encuentro Internacional de Lingüística en el Noroeste, Sonora, Mexico, November 17-
19, 2010.

Conference on Endangered Languages and Cultures of Native America, Salt Lake
City, UT, April 9-10, 2010.

STUDENT ADVISING

PHD SUPERVISION

Dr. Daisy Bernal, Universidad Veracruzana. 2015. Dissertation: *Uso y funciones del zapoteco en*

Los Angeles, California. El caso de migrantes de Lozoga'.

Dr. Eve Okura, The University of Hawai'i at Mānoa. 2016. Dissertation: *A language nest handbook.*

Pedro Cardona, Universidad Autónoma de Querétaro, in progress. Dissertation: *Desarrollo de un modelo comunitario de documentación lingüística para el registro de la variación dialectal del Zapoteco del Istmo de Tehuantepec.*

Randi Tucker, SUNY Buffalo, in progress. Dissertation: *Spatial language and cognition in Diidxa za (Isthmus Zapotec).*

MENTORSHIP

Post-doctoral Smithsonian Fellows:

Kate Riestenberg
Javier Carrera Rubio
León García Garagarza

Pre-doctoral Smithsonian Fellows:

Juan José Bueno Holle, University of Chicago
Haley de Korne, University of Pennsylvania
Shane Dillingham, University of Maryland

Graduate Smithsonian Fellows:

Justin Spence, University of California, Berkeley
Hiroto Uchihara, The State University of New York at Buffalo

Graduate and undergraduate students:

Mentored over 30 students through research-based projects and internships to date

SYNERGISTIC ACTIVITIES

Co-Director, “National Breath of Life Archival Institute for Indigenous Languages”, 2015, 2017 and upcoming 2019 and 2020.

CONFERENCE EVENT ORGANIZATION

Co-chair, Special Session: “The Relevance of Language Documentation to the Field of Linguistics: Case studies based on the Terrence Kaufman Collections at the Archive of the Indigenous Languages of Latin America,” The Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas Annual Meeting in Austin, TX, January 5-8, 2017.

Co-chair, Special Session: “Latin American Contexts for Language Documentation and Revitalization,” The Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas Annual Meeting in Boston, MA, January 3-6, 2013.

Co-chair, Special Session: “Spatial frames of reference in languages of Mesoamerica,” The Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas Annual Meeting of, Baltimore, MD, January 7-10, 2010.

Chair, Niagara Linguistic Society 2005 Conference Organizing Committee, SUNY Buffalo.

Visiting Research Scholar, Research Institute for the Study of Language in an Urban Society,

The Graduate Center, CUNY, 2006 to 2009.

SERVICE

UNESCO EXPERT CONSULTANT

- International Expert Meeting “World Atlas of Languages,” February 12-14, 2018.
- International Meeting on the 2019 International year of Indigenous Languages, December 11-12 2017.
- International Expert Meeting “World Atlas of Languages: Development of a Global Survey Instrument for Language Data Collection,” June 28-30, 2017.
- International Expert Meeting “Improving Access to Multilingual Cyberspace,” November 19-20, 2015.
- International Expert Meeting “Improving Access to Multilingual Cyberspace,” October 28-29, 2014.
- Guidelines on Language Policies: a tool for language assessment and planning Expert Group Meeting, May 30-June 1, 2011.
- Atlas of the World’s Languages in Danger, 3rd edition, July 2011 to present.

ADVISORY/ACADEMIC BOARDS

- Coloquio de Lenguas Otomangues y Vecinas
- International Conference on Language Documentation and Conservation
- Language Documentation and Description
- International Centre for Language Revitalisation, Auckland University of Technology

PEER REVIEW

- Asociación Mexicana de Lingüística Aplicada*
- Centro de Estudios Superiores en Antropología Social*
- Endangered Languages Documentation Program*
- Instituto Nacional de Antropología e Historia*
- International Conference on Language Documentation and Conservation*
- International Journal of American Linguistics*
- International Journal of the Sociology of Language*
- Language Approaches to Endangered Languages*
- Language Documentation and Description*
- National Endowment for the Arts*
- National Science Foundation Documenting Endangered Languages Program*
- Sintagma: Revista de Lingüística*
- Smithsonian Institution Scholarly Press*
- Smithsonian Networks*
- The Nature Conservancy*
- The Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas*
- Tlalocan*
- Diaspora*
- Indigenous and Minority Education*
- Transactions of the Philological Society*

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Member, Linguistic Society of America, 2007 to present; Committee on Endangered Languages and Their Preservation, 2009 to present.

Member, The Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas, 2007 to present; Member at Large, Executive Committee, 2014-2017.

Secretary, Graduate Linguistic Association, The State University of New York at Buffalo, September 2001 to 2004.

LANGUAGES

Spanish, Native

English and French, United Nations Language Proficiency Certificate

Diidxazá (Isthmus Zapotec, Juchitán Zapotec) and San Lucas Quiaviní Zapotec, research languages