

Margit Lia Bowler

CONTACT INFORMATION	3125 Campbell Hall, UCLA Los Angeles, CA 90095-1543	<i>Email:</i> margitbowler@gmail.com
EDUCATION	University of California, Los Angeles in Los Angeles, California Ph.D. in Linguistics expected December 2018. Australian National University in Canberra, Australia Studied linguistic fieldwork in 2011-2012 as a Fulbright scholar to Australia. Reed College in Portland, Oregon B.A. in Linguistics awarded May 2011.	
FELLOWSHIPS	UCLA Dissertation Year Fellowship Fellowship awarded to support doctoral students in completing their dissertation.	2016 - 2017
	National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship Fellowship awarded for graduate research, including fieldwork on the semantics and syntax of central Australian languages.	2013 - 2016
	Fulbright Postgraduate Scholarship to Australia Fulbright Postgraduate Scholarship to study Australian Aboriginal linguistics and conduct linguistic fieldwork on the Warlpiri language, at the Australian National University in Canberra, Australia. Supervised by Jane Simpson.	2011 - 2012
HONORS, GRANTS	Charles E. & Sue K. Young Graduate Student Award \$10,000 award recognizing exemplary academic achievement, research, and service to the campus and the community.	2017
	Peter Ladefoged Scholarship \$1,000 scholarship awarded for linguistic fieldwork on epistemic modality in Warlpiri.	2015
	UCLA Chancellor's Prize Summer Mentorship \$6,000 Chancellor's Prize Summer Mentorship awarded for linguistic fieldwork on the semantics of disjunction and modality in Warlpiri. Supervised by Yael Sharvit.	2013
	UCLA Chancellor's Prize \$5,000 Chancellor's Prize awarded in recognition of exceptional qualifications.	2012
	Lois Roth Endowment Travel Grant \$1,500 travel grant for linguistic fieldwork on quantification in Warlpiri.	2012
	Reed College Commendation Commendation for excellence in scholarship.	2010, 2011
	National Science Foundation Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) Grant <i>Center for Spoken Language Understanding at the Oregon Health & Science University</i> Improved automatic normalization techniques for large amounts of data collected using Amazon's Mechanical Turk (AMT). Supervised by Richard Sproat.	2010
INVITED PUBLICATIONS	Bowler, Margit & Ivan Kapitonov. In prep. "Quantification in Australian languages." In C. Bowern (ed.), <i>Oxford Handbook of Australian Languages</i> . Oxford University Press.	

Bowler, Margit. 2017. "Quantification in Warlpiri." In E. Keenan and D. Paperno (eds.), *Handbook of Quantifiers in Natural Language, Volume II*: 963-994. Springer.

Bowler, Margit. 2015. "Evaluative morphology in Warlpiri." In N. Grandi and L. Körtvélyessy (eds.), *The Handbook of Evaluative Morphology*: 438-447. Edinburgh University Press.

CONFERENCE
PROCEEDINGS

Bowler, Margit & John Gluckman. 2018. "Intensifying ideophones in three Luhya languages." In Elizabeth Bogal-Allbritten and Elizabeth Coppock (eds.), *Proceedings of The Semantics of African, Asian and Austronesian Languages (AAA)* 4: 31-47.

Bowler, Margit & Sözen Özkan. 2018. "Turkish *-mİş* does not contribute (English-type) present perfect." In Céleste Guillemot, et al. (eds.), *Proceedings of the 13th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics (WAFL 13)*: 115-126. MIT Working Papers in Linguistics.

Gluckman, John & Margit Bowler. 2016. "Expletive agreement, evidentiality, and modality in Looooli." In Mary Moroney, et al. (eds.), *Proceedings of Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT)* 26: 1063-1082.

Gluckman, John & Margit Bowler. 2016. "The anticausative alternation in Luragooli." In Doris Payne, et al. (eds.), *Diversity in African Languages: Selected Papers from the 46th Annual Conference on African Linguistics (ACAL)*: 271-289.

Bowler, Margit. 2016. "The status of degrees in Warlpiri." In Mira Grubic & Anne Mucha (eds.), *Proceedings of The Semantics of African, Asian and Austronesian Languages (AAA)* 2: 1-17.

Bowler, Margit. 2015. "'Might be something': Information protection in central Australia." In Ksenia Ershova, et al. (eds.), *Proceedings of Chicago Linguistic Society (CLS)* 51: 33-45.

Bowler, Margit. 2014. "Conjunction and disjunction in a language without 'and.'" In Todd Snider, et al. (eds.), *Proceedings of Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT)* 24: 137-155.

Rouhizadeh, Masoud, Margit Bowler, Richard Sproat & Bob Coyne. 2011. "Collecting semantic data from Amazon's Mechanical Turk for a lexical knowledge resource in a text to picture generating system." *9th International Conference on Computational Semantics*: 380-384.

Rouhizadeh, Masoud, Margit Bowler, Richard Sproat, & Bob Coyne. 2010. "Data collection and normalization for the scenario-based lexical knowledge resource of a text-to-scene conversion system." *2010 Fifth International Workshop on Semantic Media Adaptation and Personalization*: 25-30.

EDITED
PUBLICATIONS

Bowler, Margit, Phil Duncan, Travis Major, & Harold Torrence. In prep. *Papers in Honor of Russell Schuh*. UCLA Working Papers in Linguistics.

Ponsonnet, Maïa, Loan Dao, & Margit Bowler (eds). 2012. *Proceedings of the 42nd Australian Linguistic Society Conference – 2011*, Australian National University, Canberra, ACT, 5-6 December 2011. Canberra, ACT: Australian Linguistic Society.

WARLPIRI
LANGUAGE
MATERIALS

Ormay Nangala Gallagher, Margit Bowler, & Wendy Baarda. 2014. *Kuyu yumurru-kurlu* 'Mammals.' Bilingual Resources Development Unit, Yuendumu School. Yuendumu, NT, Australia.

Tess Napaljarri Ross, Margit Bowler, & Wendy Baarda. 2013. *Miyi Yurntumu-wana* 'Bush foods around Yuendumu.' Bilingual Resources Development Unit, Yuendumu School. Yuendumu, NT, Australia.

Contributor. 2013. *Ngurrju-maninja-kurlangu yapa nyurnu-kurlangu* 'Bush medicines for sick people.' Bilingual Resources Development Unit, Yuendumu School. Yuendumu, NT, Australia.

TALKS

"An aspectual proposal for evidentiality." June 28, 2018. *The Semantics of African, Asian and Austronesian Languages (AAA) 5*, University of Konstanz.

"Towards a typology of quantification in Australian languages" (with Ivan Kapitonov). February 21, 2018. American Indian Seminar, UCLA.

"(Tense), aspect, and evidentiality in Tatar." January 23, 2018. Semantics Tea, UCLA.

"Intensifying ideophones in three Luhya languages" (with John Gluckman), June 11, 2017. *The Semantics of African, Asian and Austronesian Languages (AAA) 4*, University of Gothenburg.

"Indirect evidentiality in Turkish past tense" (with Sözen Özkan), May 27, 2017. *Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics (WAFL) 13*, International Christian University.

"(In)definite Turkic tenses," May 26, 2017. *Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics (WAFL) 13*, International Christian University. Poster.

"Intensifying ideophones in three Luhya languages" (with John Gluckman), April 2, 2017. *Annual Conference on African Linguistics (ACAL) 48*, Indiana University.

"A typological study of modality in Luhya languages" (with John Gluckman, Maurice Sifuna, Kelvin Alulu, and Michael Diercks), April 1, 2017. *Annual Conference on African Linguistics (ACAL) 48*, Indiana University.

"Modality in Luhya: A typological study" (with John Gluckman, Maurice Sifuna, and Michael Diercks), January 6, 2017. *Linguistic Society of America 2017 Annual Meeting*, Austin, TX. Poster.

"(In)definite' Tatar tenses," November 29, 2016. American Indian Seminar, UCLA.

"Expletive agreement, evidentiality, and modality in Logooli" (with John Gluckman), March 25 2016. *Annual Conference on African Linguistics (ACAL) 47*, University of California, Berkeley.

"Existential quantification in Luragooli: distribution and semantics of *ku*" (with John Gluckman), August 23, 2015. *World Congress of African Linguistics (WOCAL) 8*, Kyoto University.

"Degrees and modification in Warlpiri," June 5, 2015. *The Semantics of African, Asian and Austronesian Languages (AAA) 2*, University of Potsdam.

"'Might be something': Information protection in central Australia," April 24, 2015. *Chicago Linguistic Society (CLS) 51*, University of Chicago.

"The status of degrees (and adjectives) in Warlpiri," March 7, 2015. *Australian Languages Workshop (ALW) 14*, Australian National University.

"A brief sketch of Maragoli" (with John Gluckman), July 22, 2014. American Indian Seminar, UCLA.

"Conjunction and disjunction in a language without *and*," June 13, 2014. *The Semantics of African, Asian and Austronesian Languages (AAA) 1*, University of Tübingen.

"Conjunction and disjunction in a language without *and*," May 31, 2014. *Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT) 24*, NYU.

“Negation in Momostenango K’iche’: a look at *ma(n)* and *ta(j)*,” April 22, 2014. American Indian Seminar, UCLA.

“Majority rules effects in Warlpiri vowel harmony,” September 9, 2013. *Central Australian Linguistics Circle*. Alice Springs, Australia.

“A- and D-quantification in Warlpiri,” January 29, 2013. American Indian Seminar, UCLA.

“Evaluative morphology in Warlpiri,” December 4, 2012. American Indian Seminar, UCLA.

“Quantification in the Warlpiri language,” June 30, 2012. *2nd Annual Postgraduate Conference on Linguistics and Applied Linguistics*, University of Auckland.

GUEST
LECTURES,
INVITED
TALKS

“Linguistic fieldwork and language documentation,” February 28, 2018. Linguistics 1, UCLA.

“The status of degrees in Warlpiri,” November 4, 2015. Stanford Fieldwork Group, Stanford University.

“Linguistic fieldwork and language documentation,” March 4, 2014. Linguistics 1, UCLA.

“Light Warlpiri in context,” March 11, 2014. Linguistics 130, UCLA.

TEACHING

TA, Introduction to Language (Ling 1) (online course) with Phil Duncan *Summer 2018*

TA, Bilingualism and Second Language Acquisition (Ling C140) with Victoria Mateu *Winter 2018*

TA, American Indigenous Linguistics (Ling 114) with Pam Munro *Fall 2017*

Primary instructor, Linguistic Field Methods (Ling 160), on Mongolian (co-taught with Travis Major) *Summer 2017*

Primary instructor, Linguistic Field Methods (Ling 160), on Tatar (co-taught with Travis Major) *Summer 2016*

TA, Semantics I (Ling 120C) with Kristen Greer *Winter 2016*

TA, Introduction to Linguistic Analysis (Ling 20) with Bruce Hayes *Fall 2015*

TA, Introduction to Language (Ling 1) (online course) with Russell Schuh *Summer 2015*

ACADEMIC
SERVICE

Leader of UCLA Semantics Tea reading group *2015 - 2018*

Editor, *Ufahamu* (journal of the African Activist Association, UCLA) *2016 - 2018*

UCLA linguistics department Colloquium Committee *2015 - 2018*

Co-organizer, 3rd Workshop on Turkish, Turkic, and the Languages of Turkey (Tu+3) *2017*

Vice President, UCLA Graduate Linguistics Circle *2014*

Student member of faculty search committee for fieldwork linguist, UCLA *2013 - 2014*

Abstract reviewer: West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL)
Conference on Central Asian Languages and Linguistics (ConCALL)

PROFESSIONAL
MEMBERSHIPS

Australian Research Council Centre of Excellence for the Dynamics of Language (research affiliate)

Association of Contemporary African Linguistics

Linguistic Society of America

Society of Woman Geographers

FIELDWORK LANGUAGES	Warlpiri (Pama-Nyungan, Australia) Tatar (Turkic, Russia) Llogoori/Luragooli/Maragoli (Bantu, Kenya) Mongolian (Mongolic, Mongolia) K'iche' (Mayan, Guatemala) Warta Thundai (Papua New Guinea) Alekano (Papua New Guinea) Amdo Tibetan (Sino-Tibetan, Tibet)	Feb. 2012 - present (17 months total in the field) June 2016 - present March 2014 - present June 2017 - August 2017 September 2013 - July 2014 January 2012 December 2011 September 2010 - December 2010
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LANGUAGES	English Native Speaker Warlpiri Advanced German Advanced Russian Intermediate
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TECHNICAL PROFICIENCY	Microsoft Office: Word, Excel, PowerPoint LaTeX, TextWrangler/BBEdit Praat, CLAN
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