

KAITLYN OWENS

-Curriculum Vitae-

Contact Information

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Employment

- 2025-present **Indiana University-Bloomington, Department of Linguistics**
Research Assistant to Prof. Monica Nesbitt on NSF grant *CAREER: Building a phonological atlas of a multi-region language variety* (BCS-2441821)
- 2021-present **Indiana University-Bloomington, Department of French and Italian**
Associate Instructor of French
- 2019-2021 **Truman State University, Department of English and Linguistics**
Teaching/Research Assistant to Prof. Emily Long Olsen

Education

- **PhD in French Linguistics with PhD minor in General Linguistics**
Indiana University-Bloomington (Bloomington, IN)
Thesis: *Investigating the effects of language regard on production and phonological categorization: An experimental approach to sociophonetic and phonological variation*
Co-Supervised by Prof. Jeffrey Lamontagne and Prof. Monica Nesbitt
- 2023 **MA in French Linguistics**
Indiana University-Bloomington (Bloomington, IN)
- 2021 **BA in French with minors in English and Political Science**
Truman State University (Kirksville, MO)
- 2021 **BS in Linguistics**
Truman State University (Kirksville, MO)

Publications

Peer-reviewed journal articles

- Accepted **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Norms, personae, and identity: Musical genres as predictors of dialectal trait use in the albums of Québécois singers. *Canadian Journal of Linguistics*.
- Accepted **Owens, Kaitlyn** and David Tézil. Navigating prestige variants across multiple dimensions: Evidence from /r/ and /w/ variation in Haitian Creole. *Journal of Pidgin and Creole Linguistics*.
- 2025 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** 2025. Clusters and complex segments in Strict CV: Insights from Gascon and Languedocien. In Michela Russo & Shanti Ulfssbjorninn (eds.), *Romance minority languages: A challenge for linguistic theory*. Special issue of *Isogloss*. *Open Journal of Romance Linguistics* 11(3), 1–22. <https://doi.org/10.5565/rev/isogloss.419>.

Invited textbook chapters

- Accepted **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Issues in sourcing data from popular music. In Malcah Yaeger-Dror, Marianna Di Paolo, and Christopher Strelluf (eds.), *Sociophonetics: A student's guide*.

Peer-reviewed proceedings

- Accepted Lamontagne, Jeffrey, **Kaitlyn Owens**, Dav Rosychuk, and Anne-José Villeneuve. La diphtongaison en français québécois télévisé. *Les Actes du colloque Le français parlé dans les médias*.
- 2025 **Owens, Kaitlyn** and Jeffrey Lamontagne. 2025. Les voix migratoires : La variation phonologique dans la musique pop québécoise. In Luc Baronian and Sandrine Tailleux (eds), *Les français d'ici en mouvement*. Presses de l'Université Laval.
<https://www.pulaval.com/libreacces/9782766307487.pdf>

Other proceedings

- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn**. 2023. Re-evaluating the role of duration in Laurentian French high vowel laxing. *Proceedings of the Canadian Linguistic Association*. <https://cla-acl.ca/pdfs/actes-2023/Owens-CLA-2023.pdf>.
- 2023 Lamontagne, Jeffrey, **Kaitlyn Owens**, Dav Rosychuk, and Anne-José Villeneuve. 2023. /ʁ/ all lengthening consonants created equal in Québec French? *Proceedings of the Canadian Linguistic Association*. <https://cla-acl.ca/pdfs/actes-2023/Lamontagne-et-al-CLA-2023.pdf>.
- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn**. 2023. Musical genres exhibit distinct sociophonetic targets: An analysis of Quebec French. *Proceedings of the Linguistic Society of America (PLSA)* 8(1): 5490.
<https://doi.org/10.3765/plsa.v8i1.5490>.
- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn** and Jeffrey Lamontagne. 2023. Community and lifespan changes in music: Sociophonetic variation in Laurentian French. *Proceedings of the Linguistic Society of America (PLSA)* 8(1): 5531. <https://doi.org/10.3765/plsa.v8i1.5531>.

Submitted manuscripts

- Under revision **Owens, Kaitlyn** and Monica Nesbitt. Unraveling a chain shift: Northern Cities Shift apparent-time change and style shifting in Michigan. Submitted to *Language Variation and Change*, May 5, 2026.
- Under revision **Owens, Kaitlyn**. Language regard, style shifting, and language change in the Northern Cities Shift. Submitted to *American Speech*, June 2, 2026.
- Under review **Owens, Kaitlyn**. Incorporating social information and abstract linguistic knowledge in phonological representation: Evidence from production and perception of the Northern Cities Shift. Submitted to *Journal of Phonetics* July 7, 2026.

Awards and Funding

Research funding and grants

- 2025 Research Grant (\$1,000) for the project *Investigating the impact of language attitudes on how phonological representations are accessed: An analysis of /ʁ/ in Breton and Gascon* from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.
- 2025 College Academy for Research, Scholarship and Creative Activity (CARSCA) Grant (\$2,400) for the project *Unravelling the sound of Haiti: Phonological secrets behind the alternation of /r/ and /w/ in Haitian Creole* at the University of Alabama. In collaboration with David Tézil (PI).
- 2024 Research Grant (\$900) for the project *Relationships between abstract and surface phonological forms: A cross-dialectal study* from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.
- 2024 Albert Valdman Research Fund (\$400) for the project *Relationships between abstract and surface phonological forms: A cross-dialectal study* from the French Linguistics program in the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.

- 2023 Albert Valdman Research Fund (\$214) for the project *Investigating the link between intelligibility and attitudes in varieties of French* from the French Linguistics program in the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.
- 2020 Grant in Aid for Student Research (\$750) from the Office of Student Research at Truman State University.

Fellowships and awards

- 2026-2027 College of Arts and Sciences Dissertation Completion Fellowship (\$25,000) to provide financial support while conducting research and writing the dissertation. With this award the College recognizes the quality of past graduate work and expresses the confidence of the College and department in promise as a developing scholar.
- 2026 Isabel Piedmont-Smith Graduate Student Service Award (\$200) for service to their peers, the Department, the College, and/or the University above and beyond what is normally expected from students pursuing graduate study. Given by the Chair of the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.
- 2025 Weathers-Young Dissertation Fellowship (\$11,500) in the form of a teaching release for Spring 2025 from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.
- 2024 Summer fellowship (\$500) from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.
- 2024 Grace P. Young Graduate Award (\$500) for outstanding academic work as a student of French Linguistics. Given by the French Linguistics faculty of the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.
- 2024 Isabel Piedmont-Smith Graduate Student Service Award (\$150) for service to their peers, the Department, the College, and/or the University above and beyond what is normally expected from students pursuing graduate study. Given by the Chair of the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.
- 2023 John and Meta Dennis Fellowship (\$700) from the College of Arts and Sciences at Indiana University – Bloomington for a year of intensive online Occitan study through *Lo Collègi d'Occitania*.
- 2023 “Best student poster” award (250 CAD) recipient at the *Annual conference of the Canadian Linguistic Association*, May 31st-June 2nd, in Toronto, Ontario (Canada). Poster entitled *Re-evaluating the role of duration in Laurentian French high vowel laxing*.
- 2023 Albert Valdman grant (\$400) from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University to support summer studies in preparation for PhD exams.
- 2022 Summer grant (\$500) from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University-Bloomington to support summer studies in preparation for MA exams.
- 2021-2026 Associate Instructorship (tuition, health insurance, and stipend) from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.
- 2021-2022 Marjorie and Francis Gravit Fellowship (\$2,000; \$1,000 per semester) from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.

Travel Funding

- 2026 Student Travel Award (\$1,000) from the American Dialect Society to attend the *American Dialect Society 2026 Annual Meeting*.
- 2026 Graduate student travel grant (\$250) from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University to attend *Linguistic Society of America 2026 Annual Meeting*.
- 2025 Graduate student travel grant (\$1,050) from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University to attend *The 188th Meeting of the Acoustical Society of America*.
- 2025 CAHI Graduate Conference Travel Award (\$500) from the College Arts & Humanities

2024	Institute (CAHI) to attend the <i>Annual conference of the Canadian Linguistic Association</i> . Graduate student travel grant (\$1,092) from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University to attend the <i>Linguistic Society of America 2025 Annual Meeting</i> .
2024	Graduate student travel grant (\$1,200) from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University to attend <i>Les français d'ici 2024</i> .
2023	Graduate student travel grant (\$1,100) from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University to attend the <i>Linguistic Society of America 2024 Annual Meeting</i> .
2023	Graduate student travel grant (\$900) from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University to attend the <i>Annual conference of the Canadian Linguistic Association</i> .
2022	Graduate student travel grant (\$1,195) from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University to attend the <i>Linguistic Society of America 2023 Annual Meeting</i> .
2022	Graduate student travel grant (\$800) from the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University to attend <i>Les français d'ici 2022</i> .

Conference Presentations

Talks

2026	Owens, Kaitlyn . Issues in sourcing data from popular music. Talk in special session “Best Practices in Sociophonetics” (organized by Malcah Yaeger-Dror, Marianna Di Paolo, and Christopher Strelluf), <i>New Ways of Analyzing Variation (NWA V) 54</i> . October 22-24 in Montréal, Québec.
2026	Lamontagne, Jeffrey and Kaitlyn Owens . Weight for your cue: The perception of prominence in Laurentian French. <i>2026 Annual conference of the Canadian Linguistic Association</i> . June 17-19 in Calgary, Alberta.
2026	Owens, Kaitlyn and Monica Nesbitt. Negative evaluation as a precursor to chain shift reversal: An apparent-time study of the Northern Cities Shift in Michigan English. <i>American Dialect Society Annual Meeting</i> . January 8-11 in New Orleans, Louisiana.
2026	Owens, Kaitlyn . Language ideology as a predictor of sociophonetic variation: Evidence from /ʎ/ in Breton. <i>Linguistic Society of America Annual Meeting</i> . January 8-11 in New Orleans, Louisiana.
2025	Owens, Kaitlyn . Phonemic representations in variable communities: Individual grammar formation in native and non-native Breton speakers. <i>New Ways of Analyzing Variation (NWA V) 53</i> . November 5-7 in Ann Arbor, Michigan.
2025	Lamontagne, Jeffrey, Kaitlyn Owens , and Jane Gilbert. Perceptibility of prominence in French: Weight, cue weighting or “stress deafness”. <i>30th Mid-Continental Phonetics and Phonology Conference</i> . October 10-11 in Bloomington, Indiana.
2025	Owens, Kaitlyn . Variable grammars in language revitalization: A long-term priming study of /ʎ/ in Breton. <i>30th Mid-Continental Phonetics and Phonology Conference</i> . October 10-11 in Bloomington, Indiana.
2025	Owens, Kaitlyn and Monica Nesbitt. Undoing a chain shift: The impact of attitudes on Northern Cities Shift reversal. <i>2025 Annual conference of the Canadian Linguistic Association</i> . June 3-5 in Montréal, Québec.
2025	Owens, Kaitlyn . Old variants and new speakers: The influence of attitudes on Breton /ʎ/ production. <i>Department of French and Italian 2025 Graduate Conference</i> . April 4-5 in Bloomington, Indiana.
2025	Tézil, David and Kaitlyn Owens . Lexifier distance conditions phonological variation between /r/ and /w/ in Haitian Creole. <i>Linguistic Society of America Annual Meeting</i> . January 9-12 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

- 2025 Morgan, Madison and **Kaitlyn Owens**. Dying languages do not always show phonological simplification or convergence: Evidence from nasal vowel phonemes in Frenchville French. *Linguistic Society of America Annual Meeting*. January 9-12 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- 2024 **Owens, Kaitlyn** and Monica Nesbitt. Changing boundaries: Evidence from Northern Cities Shift categorical perception in Michigan. *New Ways of Analyzing Variation (NWA)* 52. November 7-9 in Miami, Florida.
- 2024 Tézil, David and **Kaitlyn Owens**. Distance from the lexifier as a predictor of variation in creoles: Evidence from /r/ and /w/ alternation in Haitian Creole. *New Ways of Analyzing Variation (NWA)* 52. November 7-9 in Miami, Florida.
- 2024 **Owens, Kaitlyn**. Now playing: A corpus of Quebec French music designed for sociolinguistic research. *16th International American Association for Corpus Linguistics Conference*. September 13-15 in Eugene, Oregon.
- 2024 **Owens, Kaitlyn**. Est-ce qu'on comprend les personnes qu'on n'aime pas?: Le lien entre les attitudes et l'intelligibilité en français laurentien. *Les français d'ici 2024*. June 10-12 in Shippagan, New Brunswick.
- 2024 Lamontagne, Jeffrey, **Kaitlyn Owens**, Dav Rosychuk, and Anne-José Villeneuve. Notre registre quand on enregistre: La diphtongaison en français québécois télévisé. *Le français parlé dans les médias : pratiques langagières non standardisées, attitudes et représentations dans les formats médiatiques oraux associés au divertissement* at 91^{ème} Congrès ACFAS. May 13-15 in Ottawa, Ontario.
- 2024 **Owens, Kaitlyn**, Monica Nesbitt, and Jeffrey Lamontagne. Dialect attitudes influence perceptions of intelligibility in varieties of French. *Linguistic Society of America Annual Meeting*. January 4-7 in New York City, New York.
- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn**, Monica Nesbitt, and Jeffrey Lamontagne. Investigating the link between intelligibility and attitudes towards varieties of French. *New Ways of Analyzing Variation (NWA)* 51. October 13-15 in New York City, New York.
- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn**. Dans un autre monde : Dialectal trait accommodation across Céline Dion's music career. *Change and Variation in Canada 12*. June 3-4 in Toronto, Ontario.
- 2023 Lamontagne, Jeffrey, **Kaitlyn Owens**, Dav Rosychuk, and Anne-José Villeneuve. /ʁ/ all lengthening consonants created equal in Québec French? *Annual conference of the Canadian Linguistic Association*. May 31-June 2 in Toronto, Ontario.
- 2023 Lamontagne, Jeffrey, Dav Rosychuk, **Kaitlyn Owens**, and Anne-José Villeneuve. Au-delà de la morphosyntaxe, la variation phonique en français québécois soutenu. *Décrire le français montréalais au 21^e siècle : enjeux théoriques et méthodologiques* colloquium at 90^e Congrès ACFAS. May 11-12 in Montréal, Québec.
- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn** and Jeffrey Lamontagne. L'influence de la stigmatisation dialectale sur la musique Québécoise. 90^e Congrès ACFAS. May 8-12 in Montréal, Québec.
- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn**. Laxed standards: Coarticulatory effects on high vowel laxing in Québec French. *Department of French and Italian 2023 Graduate Conference*. March 31-April 1 in Bloomington, Indiana.
- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn**. Language-internal evidence for resisting contact-induced change in Gascon and Languedocien. 47th Penn Linguistics Conference. March 18-19 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn** and Alexandra O'Neil. The role of perception in isiZulu loanwords: A case study of English s-clusters. 15th Annual Meeting of Illinois Language and Linguistics Society. March 3-4 in Urbana, Illinois.

- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Keep your voice down: Support for a typology of affrication from Quebec French. *15th Annual Meeting of Illinois Language and Linguistics Society*. March 3-4 in Urbana, Illinois.
- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Doesn't everyone want to be popular?: Variable affrication in Quebec French music. *Sociolinguistics Symposium 2023*. March 2-3 in Urbana, Illinois.
- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Musical genres exhibit distinct sociophonetic targets in Quebec French. *Linguistic Society of America Annual Meeting*. January 5-8 in Denver, Colorado.
- 2022 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** In the right place at the right time: Effects of codas on laxing in Quebec French. *27th Mid-Continental Phonetics and Phonology Conference*. October 7-8 in St. Louis, Missouri.
- 2022 **Owens, Kaitlyn** and Jeffrey Lamontagne. Sa muse s'amuse : La modération de traits laurentiens dans la musique de Roxane Bruneau. *Les français d'ici 2022*. June 15-17 in Chicoutimi, Québec.
- 2021 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Une comparaison linguistique de *Le Petit Prince* par Antoine de Saint-Exupéry en français et en occitan. *Truman State University's 34th Annual Undergraduate Student Research Conference*. April 22 in Kirksville, Missouri.

Posters

- 2025 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Sticking with tradition: The role of attitudes on Breton phonological feature use. *Annual conference of the Canadian Linguistic Association*. June 3-5 in Montréal, Québec.
- 2025 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Do speakers' beliefs about language impact the variants they produce?: Investigating style shifting in the Northern Cities Shift. *188th Meeting of the Acoustical Society of America*. May 19-23 in New Orleans, Louisiana.
- 2025 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Both phonetic and morphosyntactic variables exhibit gradient stylistic effects. *Linguistic Society of America Annual Meeting*. January 9-12 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- 2024 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Investigating the impact of language regard on language change: Evidence from the Northern Cities shift in Michigan English. *29th Mid-Continental Phonetics and Phonology Conference*. October 4-5 in Urbana, Illinois.
- 2024 Morgan, Madison and **Kaitlyn Owens.** Phoneme transmission in obsolescent language communities: Evidence from Frenchville. *29th Mid-Continental Phonetics and Phonology Conference*. October 4-5 in Urbana, Illinois.
- 2024 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Musical genres as registers: Future tense selection in Laurentian French. *Annual conference of the Canadian Linguistic Association*. June 17-19 in Ottawa, Ontario.
- 2024 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Losing ground?: Towards a description of palatal lateral variation in Breton. *186th Meeting of the Acoustical Society of America*. May 13-17 in Ottawa, Ontario.
- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Simplifying complexities: Analyzing palatal lateral change in Occitan as coda simplification. *Annual Meeting on Phonology (AMP)*. October 20-22. [virtual]
- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Solving complex problems: Analyzing palatal lateral change in Occitan. *28th Mid-Continental Phonetics and Phonology Conference*. October 20-21 in West Lafayette, Indiana.
- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Re-evaluating the role of duration in Laurentian French high vowel laxing. *Annual conference of the Canadian Linguistic Association*. May 31-June 2 in Toronto, Ontario.
- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn.** Duration impedes loss of the palatal lateral in Languedocien as compared to Gascon. *184th Meeting of the Acoustical Society of America*. May 8-12 in Chicago, Illinois.

- 2023 **Owens, Kaitlyn** and Jeffrey Lamontagne. Community and lifespan changes in music: Sociophonetic variation in Quebec French. *Linguistic Society of America Annual Meeting*. January 5-8 in Denver, Colorado.

Invited Presentations

Colloquiums

- 2026 Trajectoire des voyelles en français haïtien : Une étude corrélationnelle avec les substrats régionaux du français. Université Paris Nanterre & MoDyCo UMR 7114 CNRS. March 10. (with Prof. David Tézil, University of Alabama).
- 2025 Why do they sound like that?: The impact of language attitudes on language variation and change. Truman State University. March 28.
- 2025 Distance from the lexifier as a predictor of variation in creoles: Evidence from /r/ and /w/ alternation in Haitian Creole. *Romance Linguistics Colloquium* at the University of Cologne. January 28. (with David Tézil).
- 2023 Rhotic variation in Haitian Creole. *Linguistic Speaker Series* at the University of Alabama, November 3. (with David Tézil).
- 2022 Genre influence on trait moderation in the songs of Quebecois musicians. *Department of French and Italian Student-Faculty Forum* at Indiana University, January 28.

Guest lectures

- 2025 Language in the classroom: Introduction to sociolinguistics for language educators. *Language and Learning* (EDUC-L239), Prof. Mel Lynch-Kimery. Indiana University-Bloomington, November 17.
- 2025 Language attitudes towards phonological variation found in North American English. *Introduction to Sociolinguistics* (LING-L315), Prof. Amalia Robinson. Indiana University-Bloomington, November 12.
- 2025 Introduction to Government Phonology and Strict CV. *Introduction to French Phonology* (FRIT-F576), Prof. Jeffrey Lamontagne. Indiana University-Bloomington, October 30.
- 2025 Phonetic variation across North American English. *Wordsmiths and Worldbuilders* (FRIT-F226), Prof. Jeffrey Lamontagne. Indiana University-Bloomington, October 30.
- 2025 The evolution of Central Gallo-Romance: French, Gascon, and Languedocien. *Structure and History of the Romance Languages* (LING315), Prof. Katie VanDyne. Truman State University, March 28.
- 2025 Sociolinguistic variation in Haitian Creole. *Sociolinguistics* (LING324), Prof. Emily Long Olsen. Truman State University, March 27.
- 2025 Language maintenance/revitalization and the new speaker phenomenon. *Endangered Languages* (LING 205), Prof. Emily Long Olsen. Truman State University, March 27.
- 2025 Looking to the future: Morphosyntactic variation in the music of Québécois singers. *Introduction to French Morphology* (FRIT-F579), Prof. Jeffrey Lamontagne. Indiana University, January 29.
- 2024 Palatal lateral gliding and word-final cluster reduction in two varieties of Occitan. *Introduction to French Linguistics* (FRIT-F402), Prof. Jeffrey Lamontagne. Indiana University, December 10.
- 2024 Does a lawyer ask for a sock or a sack?: Exploring style-shifting in the NCS. *Advanced Sociolinguistics* (LING-L620), Prof. Monica Nesbitt. Indiana University, September 17.
- 2022 From /gɪæd/ to [gɪæd student]: Navigating the graduate school decision making process. *Linguistics Mid-Major Seminar* (LING398), Prof. Emily Long Olsen. Truman State University, September 20.

Teaching

Indiana University-Bloomington*Sole instructor*

FRIT-F100	Elementary French I (FA21)
FRIT-F115	Accelerated Elementary French (FA22)
FRIT-F150	Elementary French II (SP22; SU22, online)
FRIT-F200	Intermediate French I (SP23; SP24)
FRIT-F250	Intermediate French II (FA23, FA24)
FRIT-F491	Elementary French for Graduate Students (SU25, online)
FRIT-F492	Readings in French for Graduate Students (SU23, online)

Course supervisor

FRIT-F152	Beginning French Conversation II (SP25; FA25; SP26; FA26)
FRIT-F202	Intermediate French Conversation (SP25; FA25; SP26; FA26)
FRIT-F252	Intermediate French Conversation II (SP25; FA25; SP26; FA26)
FRIT-X471	French Teaching Internship (SP25; FA25; SP26; FA26)

Teaching practicum

FRIT-F401	Change and Variation in French (SP26, with Prof. Kevin Rottet)
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Course design / development

FRIT-F115	Accelerated Elementary French (FA22)
FRIT-F150	Elementary French II (SU22, online)
FRIT-F491	Elementary French for Graduate Students (SU25, online)
FRIT-F492	Readings in French for Graduate Students (SU23, online)

Truman State University*Teaching assistant*

LING 238	Introduction to Linguistics (FA19; SP21)
LING 250	English Linguistics for the Classroom (FA19; FA20)
LING 308	Principles of Second Language Teaching (FA20)
LING 324	Sociolinguistics (SP20)
LING 412	Teaching ESL/EFL (SP21)

Other Professional Experience

2026	Tenure dossier consultant and preparer for two Assistant Professors at Indiana University-Bloomington.
2025	Data analysis and statistics consultant for <i>Sociophonetic variation in Appalachian English</i> , an undergraduate thesis by Allison Thomas in the Department of Linguistics at Princeton University.
2025	Data analysis and statistics consultant for <i>Plural formation in Yeshivish English</i> , an undergraduate thesis by Fruma Krakowski in the Department of Linguistics at Princeton University.
2023-2026	Lab manager for Prof. Jeffrey Lamontagne's lab <i>Patterns and Trends in Sociolinguistic Norms (PTSN)</i> at Indiana University.
2020	Peer-tutor for Prof. Audrey Vigui�r's FREN 221 Intermediate French II class at Truman State University.

Professional Development

- 2022 Workshop on inclusive writing in French and Italian at Indiana University.
- 2021 Workshop on *R* for linguistic research. Organized and conducted by Prof. Jeffrey Lamontagne at Indiana University.
- 2019 Corpus preparation and documentation for fieldwork on the Kachok language. Under the direction of Prof. Emily Long Olsen at Truman State University.
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Service

Committee membership

- 2025-2026 Graduate student member on the Community and Belonging Committee in the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.
- 2023-2024 French linguistics representative as part of the Graduate Student Organization in the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.

Workshops

- 2025 Designing sociolinguistic experiments: A case study of /*ʎ*/ in Breton. *Department of French and Italian Student-Faculty Forum* at Indiana University, September 29.
- 2023 Introduction to PsychoPy for sociolinguistic experiments. *Sociolinguistic Discussion Group* at Indiana University, September 8.
- 2023 Sharing is caring: Fostering a sense of community in the L2 classroom. *Indiana University Foreign/Second Language Share Fair*. April 7 in Bloomington, Indiana. (with Nicholas Noé).
- 2022 Jazzing up grammar: Introducing syntactic forms through music. *Indiana University Foreign/Second Language Share Fair*. April 8 in Bloomington, Indiana.

Mentoring

- 2026 Graduate student presenter and co-organizer of a mentoring event for undergraduate students as part of the *Student Faculty Forum* in the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.
- 2024-present Peer-mentor to MA student Mosei Matundura in French Linguistics, Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.
- 2023-present Peer-mentor to PhD student Madison Morgan in French Linguistics, Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.

Event organization

- 2025 Co-organizer of the *Mid-Continental Phonetics and Phonology Conference* at Indiana University-Bloomington. October 10-11 in Bloomington, Indiana.
- 2024 Organizer of the *Methods Colloquium* presented by the faculty of the French Linguistics program at Indiana University-Bloomington. March 23 in Bloomington, Indiana.
- 2024 Co-organizer of the Graduate Student Professionalization Workshop in the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University. March 2 in Bloomington, Indiana.
- 2023 Assistant organizer the Department of French and Italian Open house for undergraduate students
- 2022 Chair of the Communications Team for the Fall 2022 *Indiana University Foreign/Second Language Share Fair*.

Departmental program outreach

2025	Volunteer for the Department of French and Italian's career night at Indiana University, February 7.
2023	Presenter on Occitan for the French Club Regional Language Festival at Indiana University, March 20.
2023	Guest presenter to Ms. Katie Pletcher's French 3 and AP French classes at Troy Buchanan High School, February 27 and 28 on Zoom in Troy, Missouri.
2022-2023	Program representative for undergraduate French programs in the Global and International Studies Building for the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.
2021-2023	Program representative at First Thursdays for the Department of French and Italian at Indiana University.

Other service

2025	Session chair for <i>Department of French and Italian 2025 Graduate Conference</i> . April 4-5 in Bloomington, Indiana.
2025	Speaker for a grad school Q&A session for the Linguistics program at Truman State University. March 27 in Kirksville, Missouri.
2024-present	Reviewer for the <i>Indiana University Linguistics Club Working Papers</i> .
2023	Session chair for <i>Department of French and Italian 2023 Graduate Conference</i> . March 31-April 1 in Bloomington, Indiana.

Memberships

- Acoustical Society of America
- American Dialect Society
- Canadian Linguistic Association
- Linguistic Society of America
- Société Guilhem IX (Association for Occitan studies)

Languages and Skills

Natural Languages: English (native), French (fluent), Occitan (intermediate), Breton (coursework), Old French (coursework), German (reading knowledge), Old Occitan (reading knowledge)

Skills: *Praat* (advanced), *R* (advanced), *PsychoPy* (intermediate), *Python* (intermediate), *MATLAB* (beginner), *Montreal Forced Aligner* (beginner)