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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2019– **Professor**, Dept. of Linguistics, University of Pennsylvania, *and*
Associate Director of Research, MindCORE Center for the study of mind (2024-)
Director, Graduate Certificate Program in Language and Communication Sciences (2020–)
Psychology Graduate Group member (2020–)

EDUCATION

1998 **Ph.D. Linguistics**, University College London (advisor: D. Wilson)
Modality and the Semantics-Pragmatics Interface (published as a book by Elsevier, 2000)
1994 **M.A. Linguistics**, University College London (with distinction)
1992 **B.A. Classics and Linguistics**, University of Athens ('Excellent')

PRIOR APPOINTMENTS

2017–2019 **Associate Chair**, Dept. of Psychological and Brain Sciences, University of Delaware
2012–2017 **Director of Graduate Education**, Dept. of Psychological and Brain Sciences, University of Delaware
2015–2019 **Professor**, Dept. of Psychological and Brain Sciences *and* Dept. of Linguistics and Cognitive Science, University of Delaware (joint appointment)
2009–2015 **Associate Professor**, Dept. of Psychological and Brain Sciences *and* Dept. of Linguistics and Cognitive Science, University of Delaware
2004–2009 **Assistant Professor**, Dept. of Psychological and Brain Sciences *and* Dept. of Linguistics and Cognitive Science, University of Delaware
2002–2004 **Postdoctoral Researcher**, NIMH/National Research Service Award, Institute for Research in Cognitive Science, University of Pennsylvania (advisor: L. Gleitman)
1999–2002 **Postdoctoral Fellow**, IRCS, University of Pennsylvania (advisor: L. Gleitman)
1998–1999 **Postdoctoral Researcher**, Dept. of Linguistics, UC Berkeley

AWARDS AND HONORS

- Fellow, Cognitive Science Society, 2026–
- President, Cognitive Science Society, 2023-2024
- Fellow, Association for Psychological Science, 2019–
- Randolph Quirk Fellow, Queen Mary University of London, May 2019
- Mellon Fellow, University of Pennsylvania, 2022–2023
- U.S. National Committee for Psychological Science/International Union of Psychological Science, National Academy of Sciences, 2018–2025
- Young Scholars Award of the Francis Alison Society, University of Delaware, 2007 (highest University honor for junior faculty)
- Graduate Fellowship, A. G. Leventis Foundation, London, 1997–1998

- Graduate Fellowship, National Scholarships Foundation, Greece, 1993–97 (one of two awardees in Theoretical Linguistics nation-wide)
- Undergraduate award of academic excellence (awarded to top 3% in class of 350), National Scholarships Foundation, Greece, 1988, 1990, 1991, 1992

Best paper awards

- Inaugural Diversity and Social Inequality Award, Cognitive Science Society, 2021 (advisor)
- Finalist, Best Poster, International Workshop in Language Production, 2018 (advisor)
- Best Poster, 2nd Annual Penn State Undergraduate Exhibition in Hispanic and General Linguistics, 2015 (advisor)
- Peter Jusczyk Best Paper Award, *Language Learning and Development*, 2010 (advisor)
- Jean Berko-Gleason Award, Boston University Conference on Language Development, 2009 (advisor)
- Best paper sponsorship, 4th Conceptual Structure, Discourse and Language Conference, 1998 (student)
- Best paper sponsorship, 12th Sociolinguistics Symposium, 1998 (student)

Other early fellowships and awards

- **Graduate:** British Federation of Women Graduates, 1998; Newby Trust, London, 1997; Gilchrist Educational Trust, London, 1997
- **Undergraduate:** Research Fellow, Institute for Language and Speech Processing, Athens, Greece, 1992–93; Fellowship for Proficiency in German, Goethe Institute, Athens (best *Mittelstufe* exam), 1993

FUNDING

- MindCORE Novel Collaboration grant, "Quantity representations in language and cognition", PI: Anna Papafragou, 2022 ($5,000)
- NSF Grant BCS-2041171, "Event Structure in Language and Cognition", PI: Anna Papafragou, 05/01/2021-10/31/2024 ($481,610)
- NSF Grant BCS-2017086 (Special session, 2021 CUNY Human Sentence Processing Conference: 'Language Acquisition and Language Processing'), PI: John Trueswell, Anna Papafragou: Co-PI, 2020 ($48,862)
- UPenn Research Foundation, ELM Conference Organization Award, 2020, 2022 ($2,250; PI), 2026 ($4,900; collaborator)
- UD Institute for Global Studies, 2017 ($2,141)
- UD NSF-ADVANCE Institute Leadership Mini-Grant, 2016 ($1,730)
- UD General University Research Grant, "Conversational inference and the mechanisms of language processing", 2016 ($6,037)
- NSF Grant RII Track-2 FEC #1632849, "Neural networks underlying the integration of knowledge and perception" (multi-site grant, UD as lead institution), PI: Jared Medina, Anna Papafragou: Co-I, 9/1/2016-8/31/2020 ($6,000,000)
- NSF Grant BCS-0749870, "Evidential categories in language and cognition", PI: Anna Papafragou, 10/1/2010-3/31/2014, no-cost extension until 3/31/2016 ($239,999)
- UD Award for Global Research, Internships, and Performance, Office of Graduate and Professional Education, sponsor to graduate students M. Johanson and D. Skordos, 2010 ($6,200)
- NIH/NICHD Grant R01HD055498, "The interface between spatial cognition and language", PI: Anna Papafragou, co-PI: John Trueswell, 3/5/2008-2/28/2013, no-cost extension until 2/28/2014 ($1,331,261)
- NSF Grant BCS-0641105, "Mapping events onto language", PI: Anna Papafragou, co-PI: John Trueswell, 4/1/2007-3/31/2010, no-cost extension until 10/31/2012 ($375,000)
- UD Center for International Studies Faculty Fellowship, "Universality and variation in language and cognition", 2007 ($5,000)
- UD Research Foundation, "Mapping perception onto language", 2006–7 ($25,000)
- UNIDEL/Early Learning Center Small Grant, "Events in perception and language", 2006 ($6,400)
- UD International Research Award, "Cross-linguistic studies of event cognition", 2005 ($5,000)

- UD General University Research Grant, "Relationships between language and thought", 2005 ($6,000)
- NIMH/National Research Service Postdoctoral Award, "The acquisition of mental state verbs", #1F32MH65020, 2002–04 ($148,548)

PUBLICATIONS

h-index (2026): 49 (Google Scholar)

Books

2021 Papafragou, A., Trueswell, J.C., & Gleitman, L.R. (eds.), *The Oxford Handbook of the Mental Lexicon.* Oxford: Oxford University Press.

2000 Papafragou, A., *Modality: Issues in the Semantics-Pragmatics Interface.* Oxford: Elsevier.

Journal Papers

2027 Papafragou, A. & Ünal, E., Conceptual and linguistic representations. Invited paper in prep., *Annual Review of Developmental Psychology*.

2026 Lee, S., & Papafragou, A., Event-general concepts guide semantic generalizations during verb learning cross-linguistically. *Cognition.*

2026 Saratsli, D., & Papafragou, A., When hard words become easy: Mapping a single evidential meaning onto different forms. *Cognitive Science.*

2026 Lee, J., & Papafragou, A., Does disfluency affect social judgments and decisions? Evidence from spontaneous speech. *Cognition*.

2026 Trice, K., Saratsli, D., Papafragou, A., & Qi, Z., Pragmatics and social cognition in learning and remembering words. *Open Mind,* 10, 1432–146.

2026 Choe, J., & Papafragou, A., Children use speaker knowledge to learn novel subordinate vs. basic-level nouns. *Cognitive Psychology*.

2026 Lee, S., & Papafragou, A., Shared signatures of individuation across objects and events cross-linguistically. *Cognitive Science*.

2026 Chen, Y., Papafragou, A. & Trueswell, J., The Goal bias emerges during motion event perception and affects language production and memory. *Cognitive Science*.

2026 Lee, S., Ünal, E., & Papafragou, A., Event segmentation in language and cognition. *Cognitive Science*.

2026 Paron, M., & Papafragou, A., Children use an agent's goals to determine event culmination. *Journal of Cognition and Development,* 1-17.

2026 Chen, Y., Papafragou, A. & Trueswell, J., Linguistic encoding of transfer events in English and Mandarin Chinese speakers. *Glossa: Psycholinguistics*.

2026 Yuen, J., Lee, S., & Papafragou, A., Dwell times reveal effects of abstract event type on attention allocation. *Cognitive Science,* 50*,* e70169.

2026 Ji, Y., & Papafragou, A., Representation of event boundedness in English and Mandarin speakers. *Cognition,* 271, 106443.

2026 Choi, J., & Papafragou, A., Distributional signatures of superordinate nouns. *Language Acquisition*, 33, 83-103.

2025 Papafragou, A., & Grigoroglou, M., Pragmatic communication and theory of mind. *Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society B,* 380, 20230502.

2025 Kampa, A., Papafragou, A., & Jasinska, K., Scalar inference is supported by Theory of Mind and executive functions networks in adults and children. *Language, Cognition and Neuroscience,* 1-21.

2025 Trice, K., D. Saratsli, A. Papafragou & Qi, Z., The unforgettable "mel": Pragmatic inferences affect how children acquire and remember word meanings. *Developmental Science,* 28, e70013.

2024 Grigoroglou, M., Landau, B., & Papafragou, A., The *ins* and *outs* of spatial language: Pragmatics shapes early-developing, cross-linguistically robust encoding patterns. *Journal of Memory and Language,* 138, 104545.

2024 Yousif, S., Lee, S., Sherman, B., & Papafragou, A., Event representation at the scale of ordinary experience. *Cognition,* 249, 105833.

2024 Ji, Y., & Papafragou, A., Boundedness supports children's event representations. *Developmental Psychology,* 60(8), 1457–1473.

2024 Vurgun, U., Ji, Y., & Papafragou, A., Aspectual processing shifts visual event apprehension. *Cognitive Science,* 48(6), e13476.

2024 Ünal, E., Wilson, F., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., Asymmetries in encoding event roles: Evidence from perception and language. *Cognition,* 250, 105868.

2024 Lee, S., Ji, Y., & Papafragou, A., Signatures of individuation across objects and events. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: General,* 153(8), 1997–2012.

2024 Kampa, A., Richards, C., & Papafragou, A., Preschool children generate quantity inferences from both words and pictures. *Journal of Experimental Child Psychology,* 239, 105805.

2023 Gervits, F., Johanson, M., & Papafragou, A., Relevance and the role of labels in categorization. *Cognitive Science,* 47(12), e13395.

2023 Chen, Y., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., Sources and goals in memory and language: Fragility and robustness in event representation. *Journal of Memory and Language,* 135, 104475.

2023 Knowlton, T., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., Keeping quantifier meaning in mind: Connecting semantics, cognition, and pragmatics. *Cognitive Psychology,* 144, 101584.

2023 Choe, J., & Papafragou, A., The acquisition of subordinate nous as pragmatic inference. *Journal of Memory and Language,* 132, 104432.

2023 Kampa, A., & Papafragou, A., Children and adults apply pragmatic principles when interpreting non-linguistic symbols. *Journal of Memory and Language,* 131, 104429.

2023 Papafragou, A., & Ji, Y., Events and objects are similar cognitive entities. *Cognitive Psychology,* 143, 101573.

2023 Saratsli, D., & Papafragou, A., Pragmatic effects on semantic learnability: Insights from evidentiality. *Journal of Memory and Language,* 131, 104426.

2023 Beltrama, A., & Papafragou, A., Pragmatic violations affect social inferences about the speaker. *Glossa: Psycholinguistics,* 2(1).

2023 Ip, M., & Papafragou, A., The pragmatics of accents: The social costs and benefits of being a non-native speaker. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: Language, Memory and Cognition,* 49(9), 1505–1521.

2022 Mathis, A., & Papafragou, A., Agents' goals affect construal of event endpoints. *Journal of Memory and Language,* 157, 104373.

2022 Ji, Y., & Papafragou, A., Boundedness in event cognition: Viewers spontaneously represent the temporal texture of events. *Journal of Memory and Language*, 127, 104353.

2022 Do, M., Papafragou, A., & Trueswell, J., Encoding motion events during language production: Effects of audience design and conceptual salience. *Cognitive Science,* 46, e13077.

2021 Ünal, E., Richards, K., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., Representing Agents, Patients, Goals and Instruments in causative events: A cross-linguistic investigation of early language and cognition. *Developmental Science,* 26(6), e13116.

2021 Bunger, A., Skordos, D., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., How children attend to events before speaking: Cross-linguistic evidence from the motion domain. *Glossa,* 6(1), 28.

2021 Fairchild, S., & Papafragou, A., The role of executive function and theory of mind in pragmatic computations. *Cognitive Science,* 45, e12938.

2021 Ünal, E., Ji, Y., & Papafragou, A., From event representation to linguistic meaning. *Topics in Cognitive Science,* 13, 224-242.

2020 Do, M., Papafragou, A., & Trueswell, J., Cognitive and pragmatic factors in language production: Evidence from source-goal motion events. *Cognition,* 205, 104447.

2020 Ji, Y., & Papafragou, A., Midpoints, endpoints and the cognitive structure of events. *Language, Cognition and Neuroscience,* 35, 1465-1479.

2020 Ji, Y., & Papafragou, A., Is there an end in sight? Viewers' sensitivity to abstract event structure. *Cognition,* 197, 104197.

2020 Saratsli, D., Bartell, S., & Papafragou, A., Cross-linguistic frequency and the learnability of semantics: Artificial language learning studies on evidentiality. *Cognition,* 197, 104194.

2020 Skordos, D., Bunger, A., Richards, C., Selimis, S., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., Motion verbs and memory for motion events. *Cognitive Neuropsychology,* 37, 254-270.

2020 Fairchild, S., Mathis, A., & Papafragou, A., Pragmatics and social meaning: Understanding under-informativeness in native and non-native speakers. *Cognition,* 200, 104171.

2020 Kampa, A, & Papafragou, A., Four-year-olds incorporate speaker knowledge into pragmatic inference. *Developmental Science,* 23, e12920.

2020 Ünal, E., & Papafragou, A., Relations between language and cognition: Evidentiality and sources of knowledge. *Topics in Cognitive Science,* 12 (Special issue in honor of Lila Gleitman), 115-135.

2019 Fairchild, S., & Papafragou, A., Language and categorization in monolinguals and bilinguals. *Bilingualism: Language and Cognition,* 23, 618-630.

2019 Grigoroglou, M., & Papafragou, A., Children's (and adults') production adjustments to generic and particular listener needs. *Cognitive Science,* 43, e12790.

2019 Johanson, M., Selimis, S., & Papafragou, A., The Source-Goal asymmetry in spatial language: Language-general vs. language-specific aspects. *Language, Cognition and Neuroscience,* 34, 826-840.

2019 Grigoroglou, M., & Papafragou, A., Interactive contexts increase informativeness in children's referential communication. *Developmental Psychology,* 55, 951-966.

2019 Papafragou, A., & Grigoroglou, M. The role of conceptualization in language production: Evidence from event encoding. *Language, Cognition and Neuroscience,* 34, 1117-1128. (Special issue on language production.)

2019 Grigoroglou, M., Johanson, M., & Papafragou, A., Pragmatics and spatial language: The acquisition of *front* and *back*. *Developmental Psychology,* 55, 729-744.

2019 Ünal, E., & Papafragou, A., How children identify events from visual experience. *Language Learning and Development,* 15, 138-156.

2018 Fairchild, S., & Papafragou, A., Sins of omission are more likely to be forgiven in non-native speakers. *Cognition,* 181, 80-92.

2018 Papafragou, A., Friedberg, C., & Cohen, M., The role of speaker knowledge in children's pragmatic inferences. *Child Development,* 89, 1642-1656.

2018 Bosse, S., & Papafragou, A., Does language affect memory for object position? A cross-linguistic comparison. *Spatial Cognition and Computation,* 18, 285-314.

2018 Fairchild, S., Mathis, A., & Papafragou, A., Linguistic cues are privileged over non-linguistic cues in young children's categorization. *Cognitive Development,* 48, 167-175.

2018 Papafragou, A., Pragmatic development. (Introduction to special issue.) *Language Learning and Development,* 14.

2017 Papafragou, A., Fairchild, S., Cohen, M., & Friedberg, C., Learning words from speakers with false beliefs. *Journal of Child Language,* 44, 905-923.

2017 Papafragou, A., The representation of number: Origins and development. (Introduction to special issue.) *Language Learning and Development,* 13, 145-146.

2017 Landau, B., Johannes, K., Skordos, D., & Papafragou, A., Containment and support: Core and complexity in spatial language learning. *Cognitive Science,* 41, 748-779.

2016 Bunger, A., Skordos, D., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., How adults and children encode causative events cross-linguistically: Implications for language production and attention. *Language, Cognition and Neuroscience,* 31, 1015-1037.

2016 Ünal, E., & Papafragou, A., Interactions between language and mental representations. *Language Learning,* 66(3), 554-580 (Special issue on Linguistic Relativity.)

2016 Ünal, E., & Papafragou, A., Production-Comprehension asymmetries in language acquisition: Evidential morphology as a test case. *Journal of Memory and Language,* 89, 179-199.

2016 Johanson, M., & Papafragou, A., The role of labels and facts in children's and adults' categorization. *Journal of Experimental Child Psychology,* 144, 130-151.

2016 Ozturk, O., & Papafragou, A., The acquisition of evidentiality and source monitoring. *Language Learning and Development,* 12, 199-230.

2016 Skordos, D., & Papafragou, A., Children's derivation of scalar implicatures: alternatives and relevance. *Cognition,* 153, 8-16.

2016 Ünal, E., Pinto, A., Bunger, A., & Papafragou, A., Monitoring sources of event memories: A cross-linguistic investigation. *Journal of Memory and Language,* 87, 157-176.

2015 Ozturk, O., & Papafragou, A., The acquisition of epistemic modality: From semantic meaning to pragmatic interpretation. *Language Learning and Development,* 11, 191-214.

2014 Skordos, D., & Papafragou, A., Lexical, syntactic and semantic-geometric factors in the acquisition of motion predicates. *Developmental Psychology,* 50, 1985–1998.

2014 Johanson, M., & Papafragou, A., What does children's spatial language reveal about spatial concepts? Evidence from the use of containment expressions. *Cognitive Science,* 38, 1-30.

2013 Hafri, A., Papafragou, A., & Trueswell, J., Getting the gist of events: Recognition of two-participant actions from brief displays. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: General,* 142, 880-905.

2013 Bunger, A., Papafragou, A., & Trueswell, J., Event structure influences language production: Evidence from structural priming in motion event description. *Journal of Memory and Language,* 69, 299-323.

2012 Bunger, A., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., The relation between event apprehension and utterance formulation in children: Evidence from linguistic omissions. *Cognition,* 122, 135-149.

2011 Li, P., Abarbanell, L., Gleitman, L., & Papafragou, A., Spatial reasoning in Tenejapan Mayans. *Cognition,* 120, 33-53.

2011 Quinn, P., Doran, M., & Papafragou, A., Does changing the reference frame affect infant categorization of the spatial relation BETWEEN? *Journal of Experimental Child Psychology,* 109, 109-122.

2010 Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., Perceiving and remembering events cross-linguistically: Evidence from dual-task paradigms. *Journal of Memory and Language,* 63, 64-82.

2010 Papafragou, A., Source/goal asymmetries in motion representation: Implications for language production and comprehension. *Cognitive Science,* 34, 1064-1092.

2010 Papafragou, A., & Selimis, S., Lexical and structural biases in the acquisition of motion verbs. *Language Learning and Development,* 6, 87-115.

2010 Papafragou, A., & Selimis, S., Event categorisation and language: A cross-linguistic study of motion. *Language and Cognitive Processes,* 25, 224-260.

2008 Papafragou, A., Hulbert, J., & Trueswell, J., Does language guide event perception? Evidence from eye movements. *Cognition,* 108, 155-184.

2007 Papafragou, A., Cassidy, K., & Gleitman, L., When we think about *thinking*: The acquisition of belief verbs. *Cognition,* 105, 125-165.

2007 Papafragou, A., Li, P., Choi, Y., & Han, C., Evidentiality in language and cognition. *Cognition,* 103, 253-299.

2006 Papafragou, A., From scalar semantics to implicature: Children's interpretation of aspectuals. *Journal of Child Language,* 33, 721-757.

2006 Papafragou, A., Epistemic modality and truth conditions. *Lingua,* 116, 1688-1702.

2006 Hurewitz, F., Papafragou, A., Gleitman, L., & Gelman, R., Asymmetries in the acquisition of numbers and quantifiers. *Language Learning and Development,* 2, 77-96.

2006 Papafragou, A., & Schwarz, N., *Most* wanted. *Language Acquisition,* 13 (Special issue - The acquisition of quantification), 207-251.

2006 Papafragou, A., Massey, C., & Gleitman, L., When English proposes what Greek presupposes: The cross-linguistic encoding of motion events. *Cognition,* 98, B75-87.

2005 Gleitman, L., Cassidy, K., Nappa, R., Papafragou, A., & Trueswell, J., Hard words. *Language, Learning and Development,* 1, 23-64.

2004 Papafragou, A., & Tantalou, N., Children's computation of implicatures. *Language Acquisition,* 12, 71-82.

2003 Papafragou, A., & Musolino, J., Scalar implicatures: Experiments at the semantics-pragmatics interface. *Cognition,* 86, 253-282.

2002 Papafragou, A., Massey, C., & Gleitman, L., *Shake, rattle, 'n' roll:* The representation of motion in language and cognition. *Cognition,* 84, 189-219.

2002 Papafragou, A., Mindreading and verbal communication. *Mind and Language,* 17, 55-67.

2000 Papafragou, A., On speech-act modality. *Journal of Pragmatics,* 32, 519-538.

1998 Papafragou, A., The acquisition of modality: Implications for theories of semantic representation. *Mind and Language,* 13, 370-399.

1998 Papafragou, A., Inference and word meaning: The case of modal auxiliaries. *Lingua,* 105, 1-47.

1996 Papafragou, A., On metonymy. *Lingua,* 99, 169-195.

1996 Papafragou, A., Figurative language and the semantics-pragmatics distinction. *Language and Literature,* 5, 179-193.

Book Chapters and Reviews

2021 Grigoroglou, M., & Papafragou, A., Contributions of pragmatics to word learning and interpretation. In A. Papafragou, J. Trueswell & L. Gleitman, (eds.), *The Oxford Handbook of the Mental Lexicon*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

2019 Grigoroglou, M., & Papafragou, A., Annotated bibliography - Acquisition of Pragmatics. In *Oxford Bibliographies in Linguistics*. Online edition: Oxford University Press.

2019 Grigoroglou, M., & Papafragou, A., The development of pragmatic abilities. In K. Scott, R. Carston & B. Clark (eds.), *Relevance, Pragmatics and Interpretation*. Cambridge: CUP.

2018 Grigoroglou, M., & Papafragou, A., Spatial terms. In C. Cummins & N. Katsos (eds.), *Handbook of Experimental Semantics and Pragmatics*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

2018 Ünal, E., & Papafragou, A., The relation between language and mental state reasoning. In J. Proust & M. Fortier (eds.), *Interdisciplinary Approaches to Metacognitive Diversity.* Oxford: Oxford University Press.

2018 Ünal, E., & Papafragou, A., Evidentials, information sources and cognition. In A. Aikhenvald (ed.), *The Oxford Handbook of Evidentiality.* Oxford: Oxford University Press.

2017 Grigoroglou, M., & Papafragou, A., Acquisition of Pragmatics. In M. Aronoff (ed.), *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Linguistics.* Online edition: Oxford University Press.

2016 Papafragou, A., Relations between language and thought: Individuation and the count/mass distinction. In C. Lefebvre & H. Cohen (eds.), *Handbook of Categorization in Cognitive Science.* New York: Elsevier. Updated version of 2005 chapter.

2016 Papafragou, A., & Skordos, D., Scalar implicature. In J. Lidz, W. Snyder & J. Pater (eds.), *The Oxford Handbook of Developmental Linguistics*, 611-629. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

2015 Papafragou, A., The representation of events in language and cognition. In E. Margolis & S. Laurence (eds.), *The conceptual mind: New directions in the study of concepts*, 327-345. Cambridge, MA: MIT Press.

2014 Papafragou, A., Motion expression (development of). In P. Brooks, V. Kempe & G. Golson (eds.), *Encyclopedia of Language Development.* Thousand Oaks: Sage.

2013 Gleitman, L., & Papafragou, A., Relations between language and thought. In D. Reisberg (ed.), *The Oxford Handbook of Cognitive Psychology*. New York: Oxford University Press.

2012 Gleitman, L., & Papafragou, A., New perspectives on language and thought. In K. Holyoak & R. Morrison (eds.), *Oxford Handbook of Thinking and Reasoning*. New York: Oxford University Press. (updated version of 2005 chapter)

2011 Trueswell, J., Papafragou, A., & Choi, Y., Syntactic and referential processes: What develops? In E. Gibson & N. Perlmutter (eds.), *The processing and acquisition of reference*. Cambridge, MA: MIT Press.

2010 Papafragou, A., Language and thought. Opinion piece in *Atkinson and Hilgard's Introduction to Psychology.* Cengage Learning.

2010 Papafragou, A., Language. In B. Goldstein (ed.), *Encyclopedia of Perception*, 519-522*.* Thousand Oaks: Sage.

2007 Papafragou, A., Space and the language-cognition interface. In P. Carruthers, S. Laurence & S. Stich (eds.), *The innate mind, Vol.3: Foundations and the future.* Oxford: Oxford University Press.

2006 Papafragou, A., The representation of motion in language and thought. In*.* D. Goutsos, S. Koutsoulelou, A. Bakakou-Orfanou & E. Panaretou (eds.), *O kosmos ton keimenon: Meletes afieromenes ston kathigiti Georgio Babinioti* [= The world of texts. Studies dedicated to Prof. George Babiniotis]. Athens: Ellinika Grammata.

2005 Papafragou, A., Relations between language and thought: Individuation and the count/mass distinction. In C. Lefebvre & H. Cohen (eds.), *Handbook of Categorization in Cognitive Science*, 255-275*.* New York: Elsevier. *Updated version in 2016 edition.*

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2004 Papafragou, A., Review of R. Carston's "Thoughts and Utterances: The Pragmatics of Explicit Communication". *Lingua* 114, 621-628.

2002 Papafragou, A., Modality and theory of mind: Perspectives from language development and autism. In S. Barbiers, F. Beukema & W. van der Wurff (eds.), *Modality and its interaction with the verbal system*, 185-204. Amsterdam: Benjamins.

2001 Papafragou, A., Linking early linguistic and conceptual capacities: The role of theory of mind. In A. Cienki, B. Luka & M. Smith (eds.), *Conceptual and discourse factors in linguistic structure*, 169-184. Stanford: CSLI Publications.

1998 Papafragou, A., Modality and semantic underdeterminacy. In V. Rouchota & A. Jucker (eds.), *Recent developments within Relevance Theory*, 239-274. Amsterdam: Benjamins.

Conference Proceedings and Working Papers

2026 Lee, J., & Papafragou, A., Disfluency in spontaneous speech: Social attribution and behavioral consequences. *Proceedings from the 48th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2026 Huang, R., Chapman, I., & Papafragou, A., Informativeness guides the selection of basic-level and superordinate verbs. *Proceedings from the 48th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2025 Paron, M., & Papafragou, A., Children use an agent's goals to determine event culmination. *Proceedings from the 50th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development*. Cascadilla Press.

2025 Vurgun, U., Ji, Y., & Papafragou, A., Mapping between telicity and event representations. *Proceedings from the 47th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2025 Yuen, J., Lee, S., & Papafragou, A., Event boundedness affects attention allocation during online event processing. *Proceedings from the 47th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2025 Knowlton, T., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., The strength of conservativity: evidence from learnability experiments. *Proceedings from the Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America.*

2024 Vurgun, U., Ji, Y., & Papafragou, A., Detecting event construal shifts in aspectual coercion. *Proceedings from the 46th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*.

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2023 Chen, Y., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., The goal bias emerges early in motion event inspection and speech planning: Evidence from eye-movements. *Proceedings from the 45th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2023 Lee, S., Mangifesta, L., & Papafragou, A., Conceptual and linguistic factors affect entity processing and labeling. *Proceedings from the 45th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2023 Ongchoco, J., Knowlton, T., & Papafragou, A., Language shifts the representation of sounds in time: From auditory individuals to auditory ensembles. *Proceedings from the 45th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2022 Knowlton, T., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., New evidence for the unlearnability of non-conservative quantifiers. *Proceedings from the 23rd Amsterdam Colloquium*.

2022 Knowlton, T., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., A mentalistic semantics explains "each" and "every" quantifier use. *Proceedings from the 44th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2022 Chen, Y., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., The source-goal asymmetry in motion events: Sources are robustly encoded in memory but overlooked at test. *Proceedings from the 44th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2022 Ji, Y., & Papafragou, A., Viewers spontaneously represent event temporal structure. *Proceedings from the 44th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2022 Choe, J., & Papafragou, A., The acquisition of subordinate nouns as pragmatic inference: Semantic alternatives modulate subordinate meanings. *Proceedings from the 44th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2022 Ip, M., & Papafragou, A., Integrating non-native speaker identity in semantic and pragmatic processing. *Proceedings from the 44th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*.

2022 Ji, Y., & Papafragou, A., Events and objects are similar cognitive entities. *Proceedings from the 44th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2021 Ip, M., & Papafragou, A., Listeners evaluate native and non-native speakers differently (but not in the way you think.) *Proceedings from the 43rd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2021 Beltrama, A., & Papafragou, A., We are what we say: Pragmatic violations have social costs. *Proceedings from the 43rd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2021 Saratsli, D., & Papafragou, A., Pragmatic effects on the learnability of evidential systems. *Proceedings from the 45th Boston University Conference on Language Development*. Medford, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2020 Mathis, A., & Papafragou, A., Intentionality effects on event boundaries. *Proceedings from the 42nd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*.

2019 Saratsli, D., Bartell, S., & Papafragou, A., Are cross-linguistically frequent systems easier to learn? The case of evidentiality. *Proceedings from the 41st Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2019 Do, M., Papafragou, A., & Trueswell, J., The goal bias in memory and language: Explaining the asymmetry. *Proceedings from the 41st Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2018 Ji, Y., & Papafragou, A., Midpoints and endpoints in event perception. *Proceedings from the 40th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2017 Grigoroglou, M., Johanson, M., & Papafragou, A., Pragmatic aspects of spatial language acquisition and use across languages. *Proceedings from the 39th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2017 Ji, Y., & Papafragou, A., Viewers' sensitivity to abstract event structure. *Proceedings from the 39th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2017 Kampa, A., & Papafragou, A., Gricean epistemic reasoning in 4-year-olds. *Proceedings from the 39th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2016 Grigoroglou, M., & Papafragou, A. Are children flexible speakers? Effects of typicality and listener needs in children's event descriptions. *Proceedings from the 38th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2016 Gervits, F., Johanson, M., & Papafragou, A. Intentionality and the role of labels in categorization. *Proceedings from the 38th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2016 Fairchild, S., & Papafragou, A. Monolinguals' and bilinguals' use of language in forming novel object categories. *Proceedings from the 38th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2016 Grigoroglou, M., & Papafragou, A., Do children adjust their event descriptions to the needs of their addressees? *Proceedings from Workshop "Trends in Experimental Pragmatics-TiXPrag1".*

2015 Johannes, K., Wang, J., Papafragou, A., & Landau, B., Similarity and variation in the distribution of spatial expressions across three languages. *Proceedings from the 37th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.*

2014 Skordos, D., & Papafragou, A., Scalar inferences in 5-year-olds: the role of alternatives. *Proceedings from the 38th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development*. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2013 Unal, E., & Papafragou, A., Linguistic and conceptual representations of inference as a knowledge source. *Proceedings from the 37th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development*. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2012 Bunger, A., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., Information packaging for causative events: Cross-linguistic differences and implications for language production and attention. *Proceedings from the 36th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development*. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2011 Wilson, F., Papafragou, A., Bunger, A., & Trueswell, J., Rapid extraction of event participants in caused motion events. *Proceedings from the 33rd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*. Hillsdale, NJ: Erlbaum.

2011 Bunger, A., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., The influence of conceptual structure on structural priming. *Proceedings from the 33rd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*. Hillsdale, NJ: Erlbaum.

2011 Johanson, M., & Papafragou, A., Effects of labels on children's category boundaries. *Proceedings from the 35th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development.* Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2010 Bosse, S., & Papafragou, A., Spatial position in language and visual memory: A cross-linguistic comparison. *Proceedings from the 32nd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*. Hillsdale, NJ: Erlbaum.

2010 Skordos, D., & Papafragou, A., Extracting paths and manners: Linguistic and conceptual biases in the acquisition of spatial language. *Proceedings from the 34th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development.* Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2010 Bunger, A., Trueswell, J., & Papafragou, A., Seeing and saying: The relation between event apprehension and utterance formulation in children. *Proceedings from the 34th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development.* Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2010 Johanson, M., & Papafragou, A., Universality and language specificity in the acquisition of path vocabulary. *Proceedings from the 34th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development.* Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2009 Johanson, M., Selimis, S., & Papafragou, A., Cross-linguistic biases in the semantics and acquisition of spatial language. *Proceedings from the 33rd Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development.* Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2009 Papafragou, A., & Selimis, S., On the acquisition of motion verbs cross-linguistically. *Proceedings from the 8th International Conference on Greek Linguistics.* Ioannina: University of Ioannina.

2008 Ozturk, O., & Papafragou, A., The acquisition of evidentiality and source monitoring. *Proceedings from the 32ndt Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development.* Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2007 Ozturk, O., & Papafragou, A., The acquisition of evidentiality in Turkish. *Proceedings from the 31st Annual Penn Linguistics Colloquium.* Department of Linguistics, University of Pennsylvania.

2007 Papafragou, A., & Selimis, S., Lexical and structural cues for acquiring motion verbs cross-linguistically. *Proceedings from the 31st Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development.* Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2007 Ozturk, O., & Papafragou, A., Children's acquisition of evidentiality. *Proceedings from the 31st Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development.* Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2007 Papafragou, A., & Ozturk, O., Children's acquisition of epistemic modality. *Proceedings from GALANA 2.* Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2006 Papafragou, A., & Ozturk, O., On the acquisition of modality. *Proceedings from the 30th Annual Penn Linguistics Colloquium.* Department of Linguistics, University of Pennsylvania.

2006 Papafragou, A., Massey, C. & Gleitman, L., Motion event conflation and clause structure. *Proceedings from the 39th Annual Meeting of the Chicago Linguistics Society.* Department of Linguistics, University of Chicago.

2006 Papafragou, A., and O. Ozturk, The acquisition of epistemic modality. *Proceedings of ISCA Workshop on Experimental Linguistics*, University of Athens.

2006 Papafragou, A., Spatial representations in language and thought. *Proceedings of ISCA Workshop on Experimental Linguistics*, University of Athens.

2005 Li, P., Abarbanell, L., & Papafragou, A., Spatial reasoning skills in Tenejapan Mayans. *Proceedings from the 27th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.* Hillsdale, NJ: Erlbaum.

2003 Papafragou, A., Aspectuality and scalar structure. *Proceedings from the 27th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development*. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2003 Papafragou, A., Aspectuality and scalar implicatures. *Proceedings from the 26th Annual Penn Linguistics Colloquium*. Department of Linguistics, University of Pennsylvania.

2003 Papafragou, A., Scalar implicatures in language acquisition: Some evidence from Modern Greek. *Proceedings from the 38th Annual Meeting of the Chicago Linguistics Society.* Department of Linguistics, University of Chicago.

2002 Papafragou, A., & Musolino, J., The pragmatics of number. *Proceedings from the 24th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*. Hillsdale, NJ: Erlbaum.

2002 Papafragou, A., & Li, P., Evidential morphology and theory of mind. *Proceedings from the 26th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development*. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2002 Papafragou, A., Massey, C., & Gleitman, L., Language and motion. *Proceedings from the 5th International Conference on Greek Linguistics*. Paris: L' Harmattan.

2002 Papafragou, A. and J. Musolino, Investigations in the acquisition of pragmatics. *Proceedings from the 5th International Conference on Greek Linguistics*. Paris: L' Harmattan.

2001 Papafragou, A., C. Massey and L. Gleitman, Motion events in language and cognition. *Proceedings from the 25th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development*. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2000 Papafragou, A., Children as mindreaders: The case of indirect speech acts. *Proceedings of the 1999 Child Language Seminar*. London: City University.

2000 Papafragou, A., Early communication: Beyond speech-act theory. *Proceedings from the 24th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development*. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

2000 Papafragou, A., Talking about the mind: A developmental perspective [In Greek]. *Studies in Greek Linguistics* 20. Thessaloniki: Kyriakidis Publishers.

1999 Papafragou, A., Relevance-theoretic remarks on modal predicates. *Proceedings of the 13th International Symposium of Theoretical and Applied Linguistics*. School of English, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.

1999 Papafragou, A., Metaphor and conceptual structure. *Proceedings of the 3rd International Conference on Greek Linguistics.* Athens: Ellinika Grammata Publishers.

1998 Papafragou, A., Modal verbs: Towards a unified semantics. *Proceedings of the 16th International Congress of Linguists*. Oxford: Elsevier Science.

1998 Papafragou, A., Kinds of modality [In Greek]. *Studies in Greek Linguistics* 18. Thessaloniki: Kyriakidis Publishers.

1998 Papafragou, A., Modality and metarepresentation. *Proceedings from the 22nd Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development.* Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.

1998 Papafragou, A., Experience and concept attainment: Some critical remarks. *University College London Working Papers in Linguistics* 10, 109-141.

1997 Papafragou, A., Modality in language development: A reconsideration of the evidence. *University College London Working Papers in Linguistics* 9, 77-105.

1997 Papafragou, A., The pragmatics of metonymy [In Greek]. *Studies in Greek Linguistics* 17. Thessaloniki: Kyriakidis Publishers.

1996 Papafragou, A., On generics. *University College London Working Papers in Linguistics* 8, 165-198.

1995 Papafragou, A., Metonymy and relevance. *University College London Working Papers in Linguistics* 7, 141-175.

TEACHING

University of Pennsylvania

- The Acquisition of Meaning (Ling 571), Spring 2021, Spring 2024, Fall 2025
- Language, Cognition and Culture (Ling 175), Fall 2020, Spring 2022, Spring 2023, Fall 2024, Spring 2027
- Language and Cognition (Ling 675 - Seminar), Spring 2020, Spring 2022, Fall 2024, Spring 2027
- Experiments in the Study of Meaning (Ling 455), Spring 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021, Fall 2022, Fall 2023, Spring 2025, Fall 2025
- Pragmatics Workshop (Ling 5960), Spring 2023

University of Delaware

- Language and Concepts (Psyc 667 - Seminar), Spring 2018
- Communication and Cognition (Psyc 467/667 - Seminar), Fall 2015, Fall 2018
- Language, Learning and Development (Psyc 667 – Seminar), Fall 2011
- Language and Space (Psyc 667 - Seminar), Fall 2008

- Language and Thought (Psyc 667 - Seminar), Spring 2006, Fall 2014
- Psychology of Language (Psyc 344), Fall 2005, Spring 2007, Spring 2008, Spring 2009, Spring 2012, Fall 2012, Spring 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Spring 2017, Fall 2017
- Cognition (Psyc 340), Fall 2004, Spring 2005

ADVISING AND MENTORING

University of Pennsylvania

Postdoctoral researchers

- S. Lee, 2022–2025; next position: Language Engineer, Amazon
- S. Yousif, 2022–2024; next position: Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill
- T. Knowlton, 2021–2024; next position: postdoctoral researcher, Department of Linguistics & Cognitive Science, University of Delaware
- M. Ip, 2019–2024; next position: postdoctoral researcher, Linguistic Data Consortium, University of Pennsylvania
- A. Beltrama, 2019–2024; next position: Temporary Assistant Professor in Semantics and Pragmatics, Rutgers University
- M. Do, 2018–2019; next position: Provost's Postdoctoral Fellow (and then Assistant Professor of Linguistics), University of Chicago

Ph.D. students (primary advisor)

- R. Huang, pragmatics and word learning, 2024–
- J. Choi, "Acquiring words beyond the basic level", 2020–2025; next position: Language Engineer, Amazon
- U.Vurgun, "From words to worlds: Lexical aspect and the flexibility of event cognition", 2019–2024; next position: postdoctoral researcher, UPenn Institute for Biomedical Informatics

M.A. students (thesis advisor)

- L. Mangifesta, "Linguistic and conceptual factors affecting entity construal in Korean" (2022)

Ph.D./M.A. students (various committees)

- A. Lavner, 2024– (Psychology Ph.D. committee); J. Lee, 2023–4 (Linguistics Ph.D. committee); C. Soh, 2024 (Linguistics Ph.D. proposal committee); C. Apgar, 2023- (Psychology Ph.D. committee); K. Li, 2021 (Linguistics M.A. independent study); R. Song, 2023 (Linguistics M.A. thesis committee); Y. Chen, 2024 (Linguistics qualifier advisor; Ph.D. proposal committee); V. Gomez, 2024 (Psychology Ph.D. committee); A. Kalomoiros, 2023 (Linguistics Ph.D. committee); A. C. Heredia, 2021 (Psychology first-year project committee); Y. White, 2020 (Ph.D. proposal committee)

Undergraduate honors theses

- O. Maltz, "Acquisition of basic level nouns" (2025)
- J. Yuen, "Effects of event structure on attention: A dwell time study" (2024; Millstein Family Undergraduate Research Grant, Penn Center for Undergraduate Research and Fellowships)
- J. Ongchoco, "Language Shifts the Representation of Sounds in Time: From Auditory Individuals to Auditory Ensembles" (2023; Robert J. Glushko Outstanding Undergraduate Award in Cognitive Science, UPenn, Phi Beta Kappa Thesis Prize)
- E. Goldman, "Investigating the Effect of Speaker Gender on Pragmatic Interpretations of Speech in Polite Contexts" (2020)

Undergraduate research assistants and independent studies

- Typically advised between 2 and 6 undergraduates per semester (2019-)

- Multiple advisees were MindCORE or Lila R. Gleitman Undergraduate Summer Fellows in Interdisciplinary Mind and Brain Studies, Benjamin Franklin scholars, and Center for Undergraduate Research fellows
- Lab alumni have gone on to graduate programs at Stanford University, Yale University, the University of Pennsylvania, research co-ordinator positions at NYU, UPenn and Temple and other competitive positions (Fullbright scholars)

University of Delaware

Postdoctoral researchers

- K. Harrigan, 2015–6; next position: Visiting Assistant Professor, College of William & Mary
- F. Wilson, 2010–2012; next position: Cambridge Assessment, University of Cambridge, UK
- A. Bunger, 2008–2013; next position: Visiting Assistant Professor, College of William & Mary

Ph.D. students (primary advisor)

- D. Saratsli, "Acquisition and processing of evidentiality", Dept. of Linguistics, 2021; next position, Language Engineer, Amazon
- A. Kampa, "The role of epistemic reasoning in pragmatic development", Dept. of Linguistics, 2021; next position, Customer Experience Researcher, Delta Insurance
- Y. Ji, "The internal temporal structure of events in language and cognition", Dept. of Linguistics, 2020; next position, Assistant Professor, School of Foreign Languages, Beijing Institute of Technology.
- S. Fairchild, "Speaker and listener effects on the processing of pragmatic meaning", Dept. of Psychological & Brain Sciences, 2018; next position, Core Human Factors, Philadelphia
- M. Grigoroglou, "Informativeness in children's event descriptions", Dept. of Linguistics, 2018; next position: postdoc and now Assistant Professor of Psycholinguistics, University of Toronto
- E. Ünal, "The language-cognition interface: evidence from the domain of evidentiality", Dept. of Psychological & Brain Sciences, 2016; next position: postdoc (now Senior Researcher), Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics/Radboud University
- D. Skordos, "Scalar implicatures in children: Alternatives and relevance", Dept. of Linguistics, 2014; next position: Visiting Assistant Professor, College of William & Mary, now Assistant Professor of Linguistics, University of Calgary
- M. Johanson, "The influence of labels and facts on categorization", Dept. of Psychology, 2012; next position: postdoc, School of Education, UD, now Senior Analyst, Thoughtwell
- O. Ozturk, "The acquisition of evidentiality and source monitoring", Dept. of Linguistics, 2008; next position: postdoc, Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics, now Lecturer in Speech and Language Therapy, Department of Human Communication Sciences, University of Sheffield, UK

Ph.D. students (Ph.D. committee member)

- A. Tran, 2017 (Psychology); S. Beighley, 2017 (Psychology); A. Ramirez, 2016 (Linguistics); H. Konishi, 2015 (Education); K. Gagnier, 2010 (Psychology); Y. Hara, 2006 (Linguistics); R. Pulverman, 2005 (Linguistics); L. Lakusta, 2005 (Cognitive Science, Johns Hopkins)

M.A. students (thesis advisor)

- A. Mathis, "Agents' goals affect event boundaries" (2019)
- F. Gervits, "The role of language in categorization" (2013)

Undergraduate honors theses

- J. Granieri, "The pragmatics of event descriptions" (2018)
- H. Schwarz, "Cognitive advantages of linguistic labels" (2017)
- M. Marquez, "Lexicalization biases in motion descriptions" (2013; McNair scholar)
- A. Pinto, "Cross-linguistic differences in source monitoring" (2012)
- S. Solomon, "The effects of linguistic categories on color perception" (2011; Sigma Xi Senior Thesis Award, Halsey McPhee Undergraduate Award)

- M. Cohen, "The development of pragmatics" (2007, Sigma Xi Senior Thesis Award, Halsey McPhee Undergraduate Award)

Undergraduate research assistants and independent studies

- Typically advised between 2 and 6 undergraduates per semester (2004-)
- Multiple advisees were UD Undergraduate Research Office Summer Fellows, UD Science and Engineering Scholars, NSF-REU mentees, and Delaware IDeA Network for Biomedical Research Excellence Summer Scholars
- Lab alumni have gone on to graduate programs at Duke University, University of Pennsylvania, University of Florida, Northwestern University, NYU, University of Illinois at Urbana -Champaign, University of Arizona, University of Maryland, CUNY, Penn State, UC Santa Barbara, among others, and to lab co-ordinator positions at Harvard and UPenn

External examining

- Ph.D. external examiner, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece (I. Dosi, 2016); University College London (J. Bowerman, 2021); Tilburg University (I. Hacimusaoglu, 2025)
- External honors examiner, Swarthmore College (2009, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018, 2020, 2024)

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

University of Pennsylvania

- Associate Director of Research, and Executive Committee member, MindCORE Center for Research, Outreach and Education, 2024–2027
- Director, Graduate Certificate Program in Language and Communication Sciences, 2020–
- MA Linguistics committee, 2025–
- School of Arts and Sciences Personnel Committee: Chair (1 year), Member (2 years)
- University Research Foundation, Natural Sciences Review Panel, 2022
- Pinkel Lecture Committee, 2020–2023
- Working Group for Linguistics Graduate Curriculum and Graduate Climate, 2021–2022
- Penn Fulbright Faculty Committee, 2020
- Faculty Advisory Board, MindCORE, 2020–
- MindCORE Seminar Committee, 2020–2021
- MindCORE Postdoc Selection Committee, 2020, 2021, 2025, 2026 (Chair)
- Linguistics Graduate Admissions Committee, 2019–2022
- Mentor for one junior Linguistics faculty, 2019–
- Integrated Language Sciences and Technology Postdoc Selection Committee, 2019
- Department of Linguistics Website Committee, 2019–2021

University of Delaware

- Unidel Distinguished Graduate Scholars Awards Committee, Spring 2018
- Social Psychology Search Committee, Dept. of Psychological & Brain Sciences, 2017-8
- Associate Chair and P&T Committee Chair, Dept. of Psychological & Brain Sciences, 2017-2019
- Mentor for two junior faculty in Psychology (2016-2019) and Linguistics (2017-2019)
- Committee on Hiring Directions in Biomedical Imaging, Brain Imaging, Neuroscience, and Neural Engineering, College of Arts and Sciences, Fall 2016
- Neuroscience Search Committee, Dept. of Psychological & Brain Sciences, Fall 2015
- Provost's Review Committee for Responsibility Based Budgeting, Fall 2013-Spring 2014
- Provost Search Committee, Fall 2012-Spring 2013
- Director of Graduate Education, Dept. of Psychological & Brain Sciences, 2012-2017
- Advisory Committee, Dept. of Psychological & Brain Sciences, 2012-2019

- Steering Committee, Interdepartmental Cognitive Science Ph.D. certificate, Fall 2012-2019
- Graduate Group, Dept. of Linguistics & Cognitive Science, Fall 2004-2019
- Early Learning Center Program Council, Fall 2006-2019
- Cross-departmental Cognitive Science Steering Committee, Fall 2005-2019
- Cognitive Psychology Area Director, Spring 2010-Summer 2012
- Psychology Graduate Committee, Spring 2010-2017
- Cognitive Neuroscience Search Committee, Dept. of Psychology, Fall 2011
- Committee for Creation of Graduate Certificate in Cognitive Science, Fall 2010
- Psychology Executive Committee, Spring 2010
- Undergraduate Committee, Spring 2010
- Cognitive Psychology Brown Bag talks co-ordinator, Spring 2009
- Speaker at UD Research Office Workshop, January 2009
- Committee for Website Redesign, Dept. of Psychology, Fall 2008
- Developmental Neuroscience Initiative, Dept. of Psychology, Fall 2008
- Behavioral Neuroscience Search Committee, Dept. of Psychology, Fall 2008
- Psycholinguistics/Computational Linguistics Search Committee, Dept. of Linguistics, Spring 2007
- Review Committee for Chair of Psychology, Fall 2006
- Search Committee for Cognitive Psychology, Dept. of Psychology, Fall 2005
- Undergraduate Committee, Dept. of Psychology, Spring 2004-Fall 2005
- Selection Committee for International Travel Awards, Spring 2005
- Theoretical Linguistics Search Committee, Dept. of Linguistics, Fall 2004

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Leadership in Professional Societies

- Cognitive Science Society
  - President (2023–2024; President-Elect, 2022–2023, Past President, 2024–2025)
  - Executive Committee Member (2022–2025)
  - Governing Board Member (2017–2025)
  - Founder and Chair, Strategic Plan Committee (2024)
  - Founder and Chair, Higher Education Committee (2024–2025)
  - Founder and Chair, Mentorship Committee (2024–2025)
  - Co-founder & Chair, Selection Committee, Lila R. Gleitman Prize (2025; member, 2023)
  - Founder & Chair, Conference Committee (2019–2022; member 2022–2025)
  - Chair, Fellows Committee (2022–2023; member, 2020–2022)
- Vice President, Society for Language Development (2022–2025)
- Member of U.S. National Committee for Psychological Science/International Union of Psychological Science, National Academy of Sciences (2018–2025)
  - Planning Committee Member and Session Chair, Workshop on Internationalizing Psychological Science, National Academies of Science, leading to NAS report (2021)

Editorial Boards and Activities

- Associate Editor, *Cognition* (2026–), *Language Learning and Development* (2021–)
- Editorial Board, *Journal of Memory and Language* (2023–), *Semantics and Pragmatics* (2018–), *Language Acquisition* (2011–), *Yearbook of Linguistic Variation* (2006–), *Pragmatics and Cognition* (2021–), *Child Development* (2007–2015), 'Language Faculty and Beyond' book series, Benjamins (2007–)
- Guest Editor, Special issues of *Language Learning and Development* on 'Number: Origins and Development' (2017), 'Pragmatic Development' (2018), and 'Understanding Other Minds' (2020)

- Journal article reviewer for *Science; PNAS; Psychological Science; Trends in Cognitive Science; WIREs Cognitive Science; Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society B; Child Development*; *Developmental Psychology; Journal of Experimental Child Psychology; Cognition*; *Cognitive Science; Journal of Experimental Psychology: General; Journal of Experimental Psychology: Learning, Memory, and Cognition; Language; Language and Cognitive Processes; Language Learning and Development; Language and Cognition; Journal of Linguistics*; *Linguistics; Linguistics and Philosophy*; *Mind and Language; Glossa; Cognitive Development; Autism Research Review; Brain Research; International Journal of Language and Communication Disorders; Journal of Speech, Language and Hearing Research*
- Book/book chapter reviewer for Benjamins, OUP, MIT Press, Mouton, Wiley-Blackwell

Grant Review Boards and Activities

- Senior Panelist, NSF Merit Review Board, Linguistics Program (3-year term)
- Ad hoc panelist, Language and Communication (LCOM) study section, NIH (2018)
- Research Proposal reviewer for NSF (programs: Linguistics; Developmental Sciences; Anthropology); NIH (Social Psychology, Personality and Interpersonal Processes Study Section); ESRC (UK); Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Canada; European Research Council; Leverhulme Trust (UK); French National Research Agency; National Research Council of Romania; Czech Science Foundation; Israel Science Foundation; Italian Ministry of Health; Cyprus Research Foundation; Greek Ministry of Education; Leuven University; University of Cyprus; San Diego State University

Program Reviews

- Department of Cognitive Science, Johns Hopkins University (2017)
- Department of Philosophy, Pedagogy and Psychology, University of Athens, Greece (2013)
- NSF IGERT program 'Language and Communication Sciences', Institute for Research in Cognitive Science, University of Pennsylvania (2006–2011)

Major Conferences Organization

- Co-Founder and Co-Chair, Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM) Conference series, UPenn (2020, 2022; 2024, 2026); Senior Co-Editor of *ELM Proceedings* published by the Linguistic Society of America (2021–2026) and eScholarship (2026-)
- Chair, Organizing & Program Committee, Cognitive Science Society Annual Meeting (2016)
- Co-Organizer and Co-Chair: SALT, UPenn (2027); MACSIM Conference on Meaning, UPenn (2023), UD (2015); 35th CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, UPenn (2021); Annual Meeting of Concepts, Actions, and Objects, Rovereto, Italy (2019)
- Organizer, Society for Language Development Symposium (2012-2015, 2017-2018)
- Organizing or Program Committee: XPrag-Italy (2024); International Pragmatics Conference (2023); International Association for the Study of Child Language Conference (2020); Mutual Knowledge Workshop (2021); ESSLLI Workshop on Semantic Universals (2020); Conference on Modality and Evidentiality (2020); International Conference on Thinking (2021); CHRONOS (2017); SALT (2011, 2016, 2017, 2020, 2025); Sinn und Bedeutung (2015, 2017, 2018, 2020, 2021, 2024); NELS (2021); Beyond Meaning Conference (2016); Utterance Interpretation and Cognitive Models (2015); Cognitive Science Society Meeting (2011–2013, 2017–2026); West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (2012); LSA Annual Meeting (2009–2011); joint meeting of Society for Philosophy and Psychology and European Society for Philosophy and Psychology (2010); Workshop on Experimental Linguistics, Greece (2006, 2008); Association for Computational Linguistics-SIGSEM Workshop on Prepositions (2005)
- Standing Program Committee Member, Linguistic Society of America Annual Meeting (2009–2012)
- Conference Symposium Organizer: 50th BUCLD anniversary (2025); Cognitive Science Society Meeting (2005, 2023, 2024); Biennial Meetings of the Society for Research in Child Development: (2009, 2011, 2019); UPenn-Tübingen Workshop on Linguistic Interfaces (2002)
- Reviewer: Linguistic Society of America Meeting (2006, 2007); International Association for the Study of Child Language (2013); LSA Institute (2011); SRCD (2012); Boston University Conference on Language Development (2004–); Society for Philosophy and Psychology (2009); Generative Approaches to

Language Acquisition – North America (2004, 2010, 2012); WCCFL (2004, 2006, 2011); Penn Linguistics Colloquium (2001–2012, 2019–); Cognitive Science Society Conference (2000, 2002, 2005, 2015); ESSLI (2002); WECOL (2007); AmLAP (2012); CUNY (2012, 2014, 2021)

Professional Memberships

Linguistic Society of America (lifetime member); Association for Psychological Science (lifetime member); Society for Philosophy and Psychology (lifetime member); American Association for the Advancement of Science; Society for Language Development; Cognitive Science Society

Select Outreach and Mentoring Activities

- NestLing professional development for graduate students, "Grants and fellowships" (2025)
- Panelist, "Navigating the Promotion Process at PENN", Penn Faculty Pathways Program (2025)
- Interviewed for 'Beyond the CV' series, Penn MindCORE (2023)
- Faculty host, Penn LENS program for Summer Research Experience for high schoolers (2022, 2023)
- Finalist, 5-minute Linguist competition for presenting research to the general public, Linguistic Society of America, 2022, 2020 (advisor)
- Grant Writing Panel, Penn MindCORE (2022)
- Mentor for DivE In, Penn MindCORE's diversity preview weekend (2021)
- Pop-up Mentoring Events: BUCLD (2019), ELM (2020, 2022)
- Earlier outreach: 5th USA Science & Engineering Festival, Washington, D.C. (2018); Delaware Institute for Excellence in Early Childhood, Staff Brownbag (2017); AAAS Family Science Days, AAAS Annual Meeting, Boston (2017); STEM Education partner, Delaware Children's Museum (2016–); The Ultimate Block Party (Science Party for Families), Baltimore (2013); Science Fairs, Early Learning Center, UD (2005–2016)

LANGUAGES

Greek (native speaker); French (excellent; *Diplôme d'Études Françaises II*); German (very good; *Kleines Deutsches Sprachdiplom*); Classical Greek, Latin (excellent)

TALKS

Invited and Plenary Talks

2027 Acquiring social meaning. Social Meaning and Grammar Workshop, University of Zurich, 16-17 February.

2027 Core concepts in event representation. Logic and Cognitive Science Initiative, NC State, 28 January.

2026 Dynamic events in mind and language. Donald G. Doehring Memorial Lecture, McGill University, 13 November.

2026 Dynamic events in mind and language. Cognitive Science colloquium, Northwestern University, 13 October.

2026 Dynamic events in mind and language. Cognitive Science colloquium, Central European University, Vienna, 9 September.

2026 Language and the structure of thought. 39th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, MIT, 26-28 March.

2026 Pragmatics and 'basic concepts'. Language and Cognition Talk Series, Harvard University, 24 March.

2026 Dynamic events in mind and language. Cognitive Science colloquium, York University, Canada, 4 March.

2025 How the human mind represents events. Department of Psychological and Brain Sciences Colloquium, Johns Hopkins University, 9 April.

2025 How the human mind represents events. Cognitive Science Colloquium, University of Maryland, 6 February.

2024 Events in language and mind. Center for the Cognitive Science of Language, Beijing Language and Culture University, China, 19-20 October.

2024 Events in language and mind. Department of Linguistics, NYU, 4 October.

2024 Events in language and mind. Rutgers Center for Cognitive Science Colloquium, 24 September.

2024 Events and objects in mind and language. Cognitive Research Seminar, Department of Psychology, Princeton University, 18 September.

2024 Events and objects in mind and language. Processing and Evaluating Event Representations Workshop, Cornell University, 29 March.

2024 Events in mind and language. UPenn Psychology Colloquium, 26 February.

2023 The development of scalar implicatures: New questions and methods. "Experimental Pragmatics: Bridging Theory and Praxis" online workshop, 10 November.

2023 Informativeness in language production. Linguistics colloquium, The Ohio State University, 27 October.

2023 Events and scalar structure. Workshop on 'Gradability and measurement across domains', Rutgers University, 21 October.

2023 Pragmatics, learnability and natural concepts. International Pragmatics Association (IPrA) Conference Plenary speaker, Université Libre de Bruxelles, Belgium, 9-14 July.

2022 The architecture of events. Society for Language Development Symposium on Event representations in language, learning, and memory, Boston University, 3 November.

2022 Informativeness in language production and acquisition. Linguistics Colloquium Series, University of Connecticut, 7 October.

2022 Pragmatics and cognition cross-linguistically. Experimental Pragmatics (XPRAG) conference, Pavia, Italy, 22-23 September.

2022 Informativeness and pragmatic development. University of Oslo, 9 March.

2022 Representing events in language and cognition. Psycholinguistics seminar series, University of Athens, Greece, 17 February.

2022 Representing events in language and cognition. Linguistics Colloquium series, Michigan State University, 10 February.

2022 Representing events in language and cognition. Department of German Language and Literature, University of Cologne, Germany, 2 February.

2021 Invited discussant, Abralin ao Vivo talk on event representation by J. Zacks, 13 December.

2021 Representing events in language and cognition. Linguistics Colloquium series, University of Southern Carolina, 29 October.

2021 Acquiring spatial language and spatial concepts. PINA Colloquium, Potsdam, 27 October.

2021 Representing events. Boston College Psycholinguistics seminar, 5 October.

2021 Language and event representation. CEU Summer School in Object and Event Cognition, Budapest, 17 July.

2021 Representing events in language and cognition. School of Psychology Colloquium Series, University of New South Wales, 18 June.

2021 Informativeness in language production and acquisition. Distinguished Speakers in Language Science Colloquium Series, Saarland University, 10 June.

2021 Event representations in language and cognition. Harold Schlosberg Colloquium, Department of Cognitive, Linguistic, and Psychological Sciences, Brown University, 31 March.

2021 Representing events in language and cognition. Linguistics Colloquium series, University of Southern California, 26 March.

2021 Event representations in language and cognition. Linguistics Colloquium series, University College London, 3 March.

2021 Event representations in language and cognition. Linguistics Colloquium series, University of Chicago, 21 January.

2019 Motion in language and cognition. Workshop on Measurement in Linguistic Studies, Athena Research and Innovation Center, Athens, Greece, 18 December.

2019 Evidence and information in language and cognition. Workshop on Endless Possibilities, University of Maryland, 27 September.

2019 Events in language and cognition. Cognitive Science colloquium, University of Maryland, 26 September.

2019 Events in language and cognition (3-lectures). Queen Mary University of London, 6-8 May.

2019 Relations between language and thought. Department of Linguistics, Queen Mary University of London, 9 May.

2019 Mapping events onto language. 12th Annual Meeting of Concepts, Actions, and Objects: Functional and Neural Perspectives, Rovereto, Italy, 2-4 May.

2019 How language encodes events. Integrated Language Science and Technology Seminar, University of Pennsylvania, 26 April.

2018 From conceptual representation to linguistic meaning. 10th International Workshop on Language Production, Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics, Nijmegen, Holland, 2-4 July.

2017 Learning to talk about events. Workshop on Events, Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics, Nijmegen, Holland, 27-28 October.

2017 Evidentiality: Semantics and cognition. Workshop on the emergence of features, University of Tromso, Norway, 8-10 October.

2017 Evidence and information in language and thought. 38th International TABU Dag Meeting, University of Groningen, Holland, 22-23 June.

2017 Pragmatics, cognition and development. 9th Annual Graduate Student Conference of the Illinois Language and Linguistics Society, University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign, 31 March-1 April.

2017 Origins of knowledge and the language-cognition interface. Linguistics Lecture Series, University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign, 30 March.

2017 Evidentiality and the language-cognition interface. Department of Cognitive Science Colloquium, Johns Hopkins University, 9 March.

2017 Evidence and communication in a cross-linguistic context. Department of Linguistics & Cognitive Science Colloquium, University of Delaware, 24 February.

2017 Evidence and communication in a cross-linguistic context. 2nd International Conference on Communication and Cognition, Fribourg, Switzerland, 8-10 February.

2016 Event structure in language and thought. Language and Cognition talk series, Harvard University, 8 November.

2016 Evidentiality and the language-cognition interface. Department of Linguistics Colloquium, UCLA, 30 September.

2016 Conversational inference and pragmatic development. Workshop on Intentions in Communication. Center for the Study of Mind in Nature, Oslo, 25-26 August.

2016 Event categories in cognition and language. Linguistic Association of Canada and the United States (LACUS) Meeting, Halifax, Nova Scotia, 2-5 August.

2016 Experimental approaches to evidentiality. CHRONOS conference. Normandie University, UCBN, France, 15-17 June.

2016 Evidentiality and cognition. Common Ground seminar series, University of Pennsylvania, 20 April.

2015 Evidentiality across languages. Workshop on Expressive Language, University of Connecticut, 19-20 November.

2015 Events in language and cognition. Cognitive Science Colloquium, Northwestern University, 6 October.

2015 Encoding evidence: cross-linguistic and developmental perspectives. Pre-conference symposium on Cultural Diversity in Social Learning, Cognitive Development Society Meeting, Columbus, 8 October.

2015 Evidentiality and the language-cognition interface. Department of Linguistics Colloquium, University of British Columbia, 27 April.

2015 Cross-linguistic diversity and human cognition. Language and the Interface conference, Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, 24-26 April.

2014 Encoding events in language and cognition. MACSIM (Mid-Atlantic Colloquium of Studies in Meaning), Rutgers University, 18 October.

2014 Events in language and cognition. Workshop on language processing, Princeton University, 11-12 October.

2014 Information sources in language and thought. Conference on 'Metacognitive diversity: An Interdisciplinary Approach', École Normale Supérieure, Paris, 24-26 September.

2014 Language and event representations. Department of Linguistics Colloquium, University of Connecticut, 2 May.

2014 Interactions between language and thought. 50th Annual Philosophy Conference ('Inner speech'), University of Cincinnati, 27-29 March.

2014 Interactions between language and thought. Social Psychology Brownbag, Department of Psychology, University of Delaware, 26 March.

2014 Language and event cognition. GURT Panel on Linguistic Relativity, Georgetown University, 13-16 March.

2014 Events in language and thought. Jackman Institute Public Lecture Series, University of Toronto, 7 March.

2014 The acquisition of evidentiality. Psycholinguistics group, University of Toronto, 7 March.

2013 Representations of events: Bridging linguistic and non-linguistic concepts. Logic and Cognitive Science Initiative Conference on Concepts, NC State University, 20-21 September.

2012 Linguistic and nonlinguistic representations of events. Tufts Cognitive Science Conference on 'Language and Representation' (Inaugural event for PhD in Cognitive Science), 14-16 September.

2012 Space in language and cognition. Clinical Psychology brownbag, University of Delaware, 29 February.

2011 Word meaning and pragmatic interpretation. Penn Linguistics Colloquium, 18 March.

2011 Eye movements as a window onto event representation. Cognitive Science colloquium, University of Delaware, 11 February.

2011 Spatial language and spatial representation. Cognitive Science colloquium, Penn State University, January 14.

2010 How children bridge the gap between word meaning and speaker meaning. 'Linguistic Interfaces' conference, University of Ulster, N. Ireland, 2-4 December.

2010 Space in language and cognition. Distinguished Scholar speaker series, Institute for Cognitive Science colloquium, University of Colorado at Boulder, 8 October.

2010 Relations between semantics and cognition: The case of evidentiality. Dept. of Linguistics colloquium, University of Colorado at Boulder, 7 October.

2010 Evidentiality in language and cognition. Symposium on Semantics and Cognition, Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Portland, 11 August.

2010 Language acquisition and the semantics-pragmatics distinction. 20th Conference on Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT), University of British Columbia/Simon Fraser University, 28 April – 1 May.

2010 Space in language and thought. Cognitive Science Colloquium, SUNY- Buffalo, 21 April.

2010 Space in language and thought. Cognitive Science Colloquium, University of Arizona, 13 March.

2009 Spatial representations in language and cognition: Eye tracking evidence. Temple University/SILC Spatial Intelligence lecture series, 30 June.

2009 Space in language and cognition. Mayfest Workshop, University of Maryland, 7-8 May.

2008 Space in language and cognition. Social Psychology Brown Bag, University of Delaware, 19 November.

2008 Cross-linguistic perspectives on verb representations. Workshop on 'Verb Concepts: Cognitive Science Perspectives on Verb Representation and Processing', Concordia University, Montreal, 3-4 October.

2008 Space in language and cognition. Symposium on 'Language and Space', 16th Annual Meeting of the European Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Utrecht University, 26-28 June.

2008 Epistemic assessments in language and cognition. Workshop on 'Cross-cultural uniformity and diversity in epistemic assessments', University of Toronto, 17 May.

2008 Space in language and thought. Department of Linguistics and Cognitive Science colloquium, University of Delaware, 9 May.

2008 Acquiring meaning. Department of Linguistics, Stanford University, 26 April.

2007 Spatial language and cognition. Department of Linguistics, University of Athens, 27 November.

2007 The acquisition of word meaning. Johns Hopkins University, Psycholinguistics Seminar, 17 November.

2006 Invited discussant, Workshop on Theory of Mind. AHRC Project, Sheffield University, 20-22 October.

2006 Spatial representations in language and thought. ISCA Workshop on Experimental Linguistics, University of Athens, 28-30 August.

2006 Spatial categories in thought and language. Center for Cognitive Science, University of Minnesota, 20 April.

2006 Word learning and inference. Brain and Language lecture series, UPenn, 5 April.

2006 Space in thought and language. Dept. of Psychology Colloquium series, Lehigh University, 31 March.

2005 Evidential categories in language and cognition. (Papafragou, A. & P. Li). Symposium on Communication as Source of Information, SRCD Meeting, Atlanta, 7-10 April.

2005 Word meaning and inference. Symposium on 'Word Learning and the Semantics-Pragmatics Interface', SRCD Meeting, Atlanta, 7-10 April.

2005 Word learning and inference. Conference on Experimental Pragmatics, University of Cambridge, April.

2005 Pragmatics and word learning. Landau Lab talk, Johns Hopkins University, April.

2005 Spatial categories in language and thought. Brain and Language lectures, University of Pennsylvania, 16 February.

2005 (Mostly on) the psycholinguistics of *most*. Symposium on 'Most', Linguistic Society of America Annual Meeting, San Francisco, 6-9 January.

2004 From word meaning to inference. "Language and thought" workshop, Harvard University, 7 November.

2004 Invited discussant, Workshop on Innateness. Sheffield University, 2-4 April.

2004 Language and conceptual organization. Dept. of Psychology, University of Delaware, 17 March.

2003 Thought before language. Lunchtime symposium, 'Language development and linguistic relativity', 28th Annual BU Conference on Language Development, 30 October-2 November.

2003 The acquisition of mental state terms. Dept. of Linguistics & Center for Mind and Brain, UC Davis, 25 February.

2002 Issues in the pragmatics of modality. Copenhagen Modality Symposium, Copenhagen Business School, Denmark, 28-31 August.

2002 Language acquisition at the semantics-pragmatics interface. Dept. of Linguistics Colloquium series, University of Delaware, May.

2002 Scalar inferences in language acquisition. Dept. of Linguistics, CNL talk series, University of Maryland, May.

2002 Scalar implicatures in language acquisition. Penn-Tübingen Workshop, University of Pennsylvania, April.

2002 Language and motion. Dept. of Psychology, Temple University, February.

2001 Motion and language. Dept. of Psychology Colloquium series, Bryn Mawr College, March.

2001 From words to thoughts? Linguistic relativity and language acquisition. Dept. of Linguistics, Georgetown University, February.

2000 Motion predicates and the language-cognition interface. Penn-Tübingen Workshop on Linguistic Data Structures, University of Tübingen, 19-20 December.

2000 Verbal communication and theory of mind. Discussant, *Mind and Language* Millennial Workshop on Pragmatics and Cognitive Science, University of Oxford, 29 September-1 October.

2000 Talking and thinking about motion. Computational Linguistics Group, University of Pennsylvania, May.

1999 *Relevance*: Theory and applications. Discourse and Computation Seminar, IRCS, University of Pennsylvania, December.

1999 Pragmatics and relevance. Dept. of Linguistics, University of Athens, June.

1999 Language and theory of mind. Dept. of Methodology, History and Theory of Science (Cognitive Science lecture series), University of Athens, March.

1999 Issues in the acquisition of modality. Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics, Nijmegen, February.

1998 Theories and modules. Categories and Concepts Seminar, Dept. of Psychology, UC Berkeley, November.

1998 Epistemic modality and theory of mind. Dept. of Psychology, UC Berkeley, November.

Invited Teaching Lectures

2026 Language and thought. Penn MindCore Undergraduate Summer Seminar, July.

2022 Relations between language and cognition. Penn MindCore Undergraduate Summer Seminar, June.

2020 Relations between language and cognition. Penn MindCore Undergraduate Summer Seminar, June.

2019 Language and thought. Penn Undergraduate Summer Workshop in Interdisciplinary Mind and Brain Studies, June.

2018 Language and event representation (week-long lecture series). LOT Summer School in Linguistics, University of Groningen, Holland, 25-29 June.

2018 Language and thought. 2nd Annual Undergraduate Summer Workshop in Cognitive and Brain Sciences, University of Delaware, June.

2017 Language and thought. 1st Annual Undergraduate Summer Workshop in Cognitive and Brain Sciences, University of Delaware, June.

2016 Work, life, and how to balance it all. Women and Cognitive Science panel, Cognitive Science Society Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, August.

2011 Language and thought. 14th Annual IRCS/CCN Undergraduate Summer Workshop in Cognitive Science and Cognitive Neuroscience, University of Pennsylvania, June.

2011 Professional Development Workshop, Center for Language Sciences, Penn State University, January.

2009 Language and theory of mind. 12th Annual IRCS/CCN Undergraduate Summer Workshop in Cognitive Science and Cognitive Neuroscience, University of Pennsylvania, June.

2009 Events in language and thought. Graduate seminar in Cognitive Neuroscience of Language, University of Maryland, April.

2008 Space in language and thought. 11th Annual IRCS/CCN Undergraduate Summer Workshop in Cognitive Science and Cognitive Neuroscience, University of Pennsylvania, June.

2006 Language and space. 9th Annual IRCS/CCN Undergraduate Summer Workshop in Cognitive Science and Cognitive Neuroscience, University of Pennsylvania, June.

2006 Neuroscience of language. Graduate seminar in Neuroscience, Dept. of Psychology, University of Delaware, April.

2004 Scalars: semantics, pragmatics and acquisition. Graduate seminar in Psycholinguistics, Dept. of Linguistics, University of Delaware, October.

2004 Concepts and categories. 7th Annual IRCS/CCN Undergraduate Summer Workshop in Cognitive Science and Cognitive Neuroscience, University of Pennsylvania, June.

2004 Quantifiers and beyond. *Formal semantics and cognitive science*, Dept. of Linguistics, University of Pennsylvania, April.

2003 On categorization in cognitive sciences. 1st Graduate Summer School in Cognitive Sciences, Institute of Cognitive Sciences, University of Quebec, Montreal, 1-15 July.

2003 Some puzzles in word learning. 6th Annual IRCS/CCN Undergraduate Summer Workshop in Cognitive Science and Cognitive Neuroscience, University of Pennsylvania, 9-21 June.

2003 The pragmatics of quantification. *Formal semantics and cognitive science*, Dept. of Linguistics, University of Pennsylvania, April.

2002 Puzzles in word learning. 5th Annual IRCS/CCN Undergraduate Summer Workshop in Cognitive Science and Cognitive Neuroscience, University of Pennsylvania, 3-21 June.

2002 From lexical semantics to utterance interpretation. PhD seminar in Linguistics, Copenhagen Business School, August.

2001 Language and thought. *The meaning of language*, Dept. of Linguistics, University of Pennsylvania, November.

2001 Language and thought. PhD seminar, Dept. of Linguistics, University of Athens, May.

Regular Conference Presentations

(talks unless otherwise indicated)

2026 Disfluency in spontaneous speech: Social attribution and behavioral consequences. (Lee, J., & A. Papafragou) 48th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Rio, 26-29 July. (poster)

2026 Informativeness guides the selection of basic-level and superordinate verbs. (Huang, R., I. Chapman, & A. Papafragou) 48th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Rio, 26-29 July. (poster)

2026 Bare plurals in context: Evidence from adult interpretation. (Huang, R., & A. Papafragou) 48th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Rio, 26-29 July. (poster)

2026 Meaning in context: Adults' understanding of English bare plurals. (Huang, R., & A. Papafragou) Experiments in Linguistic Meaning 4, UPenn, 10-12 June. (poster)

2026 Informativeness and the distinction between 'basic-level' vs. superordinate verbs. (Huang, R., & A. Papafragou) Experiments in Linguistic Meaning 4, UPenn, 10-12 June. (poster)

2026 Speech disfluency guides social choices through inferred readiness. (Lee, J., & A. Papafragou) Experiments in Linguistic Meaning 4, UPenn, 10-12 June. (poster)

2026 Meaning in context: Adults' understanding of English bare plurals. (Huang, R., & A. Papafragou) 39th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, MIT, 26-28 March. (poster)

2026 Informativeness and the distinction between 'basic-level' vs. superordinate verbs. (Huang, R., I. Chapman, & A. Papafragou) 39th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, MIT, 26-28 March. (poster)

2026 The social cost of disfluency: From social attribution to future decision. (Lee, J., & A. Papafragou) 39th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, MIT, 26-28 March. (poster)

2026 When *um* means nothing – and everything: Disfluency judgments across minds and modalities. (Lee, J., & A. Papafragou) 39th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, MIT, 26-28 March. (poster)

2025 Word learning, pragmatics and natural concepts. Paper in symposium on Semantics and Cognition for 50th BUCLD Anniversary. 50th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development, 7-9 November.

2025 Children use an agent's goals to determine event culmination. (Paron, M., & A. Papafragou) 50th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development, 7-9 November. (poster)

2025 Children sensitivity to informativeness in superordinate vs. basic-level nouns. (Choe, J., & A. Papafragou) 50th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development, 7-9 November. (poster)

2025 Children use speaker knowledge to learn novel subordinate vs. basic-level nouns. (Maltz, O., Choe, J., & A. Papafragou) 50th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development, 7-9 November. (poster)

2025 Meaning in Context: Children's Understanding of English Plurals. (Huang, R., & A. Papafragou) 11th MACSIM, Johns Hopkins University, 11 October.

2025 Rethinking "disfluency": Social interpretation in spontaneous speech. (Lee, J., & A.Papafragou) 11th Experimental Pragmatics Conference (XPrag), University of Cambridge, 17-19 September.

2025 Mapping between telicity and event representations. (Vurgun, U., Y. Ji, & A. Papafragou) 47th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society. (poster)

2025 Event boundedness affects attention allocation during online event processing. (Yuen, J., S. Lee, & A. Papafragou) 47th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society. (poster)

2025 Children's sensitivity to informativeness in naming: basic-level vs. superordinate nouns. (Choe, J., & A. Papafragou) 38th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Maryland, 27-29 March.

2025 Children use an agent's goals to determine event culmination. (Paron, M., & A. Papafragou) 38th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Maryland, 27-29 March. (poster)

2025 (A)telic Diversity: Evidence from a Novel Meaning Categorization Task. (Vurgin, U., Y. Ji, & A. Papafragou) 38th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Maryland, 27-29 March. (poster)

2025 Social evaluation of disfluency in naturalistic speech. (Lee, J., & A. Papafragou). 98th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Philadelphia, 9-12 January.

2025 The strength of conservativity: evidence from learnability experiments. (Knowlton, T., J. Trueswell, & A. Papafragou). 98th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Philadelphia, 9-12 January.

2025 Conceptual and linguistic factors affect how learners name entities with non-canonical structure. (Lee, S., Paron, M., & A. Papafragou). 98th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Philadelphia, 9-12 January.

2025 Conceptions of individuation in objects and events are shared across languages. (Lee, S., & A. Papafragou). 98th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Philadelphia, 9-12 January.

2025 Children's sensitivity to informativeness in naming: basic-level vs. superordinate nouns. (Choe, J., & A. Papafragou). 98th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Philadelphia, 9-12 January.

2024 (Im)possible determiners and their learnability. (Knowlton, T., J. Trueswell, & A. Papafragou). 49th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 7-9 November. (poster)

2024 Generalization of verb lexicalization biases reveals cross-domain event primitives crosslinguistically. (Lee, S., & A. Papafragou). 49th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 7-9 November. (poster)

2024 Object-event correspondences across languages. (Lee, S., & A. Papafragou.) 46th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Rotterdam, 24-27 July.

2024 Do cross-linguistic differences influence event perception? (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou). 46th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Rotterdam, 24-27 July.

2024 Detecting event construal shifts in aspectual coercion. (Vurgun, U., Y. Ji & A. Papafragou). 46th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Rotterdam, 24-27 July.

2024 Forming event units in language and cognition: A cross-linguistic investigation. (Lee, S., E. Ünal, & A. Papafragou). 46th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Rotterdam, 24-27 July. (poster)

2024 Event-general conceptual categories organize verb semantics and acquisition cross-linguistically. (Lee, S., & A. Papafragou). 46th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Rotterdam, 24-27 July. (poster)

2024 The strength of a universal. (Knowlton, T., J. Trueswell, & A. Papafragou). 46th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Rotterdam, 24-27 July. (poster)

2024 Aspectual coercion: A new method to probe aspectual commitments. (Vurgun, U., Y. Ji & A. Papafragou). Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM) 3, University of Pennsylvania, 12-14 June.

2024 Conceptual signatures of atomicity across languages. (Lee, S., & A. Papafragou). Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM) 3, University of Pennsylvania, 12-14 June. (poster)

2024 Cross-domain event primitives are reflected in motion verb learning across languages. (Lee, S., & A. Papafragou). Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM) 3, University of Pennsylvania, 12-14 June. (poster)

2024 Debunking the stigma of "disfluency": Interpolation in naturalistic speech perception. (Lee, J., & A. Papafragou). 37th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Michigan, 15-18 May.

2024 Aspectual coercion: A new method to probe aspectual commitments. (Vurgun, U., Y. Ji & A. Papafragou). 37th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Michigan, 15-18 May. (poster)

2024 Cross-event lexical features are accessed in verb lexicalization. (Lee, S., & A. Papafragou). 37th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Michigan, 15-18 May. (poster)

2024 The acquisition of superordinates. (Choi, J., & A. Papafragou). 11th MACSIM meeting, University of Maryland, 6 April.

2024 Coercion and event interpretation. (Vurgun, U., Y. Ji., & A. Papafragou). 11th MACSIM meeting, University of Maryland, 6 April. (poster)

2024 Interpolation in naturalistic speech perception. (Lee, J., & A. Papafragou). 11th MACSIM meeting, University of Maryland, 6 April. (poster)

2024 Coercion processing and aspectual costs. (Vurgun, U., Y. Ji & A. Papafragou). 11th MACSIM meeting, University of Maryland, 6 April. (poster)

2024 Acquisition of verb lexicalization biases across spontaneous and caused motion. (Lee, S., & A. Papafragou). 98th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, 4-7 January, New York.

2023 Distributional signatures of superordinate nouns. (Choi, J., & A. Papafragou). 47th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 2-5 November. (poster)

2023 Pragmatic underpinnings of the basic-level bias. (Choi, J., & A. Papafragou). 47th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 2-5 November. (poster)

2023 The goal bias emerges early in motion event inspection and speech planning. (Chen, Y., A. Papafragou & J. Trueswell). 45th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Sydney, 26-29 July.

2023 The Ins and Outs of spatial language. (Papafragou, A., M. Grigoroglou & B. Landau). Symposium 'Space in Context', 45th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Sydney, 26-29 July.

2023 Structural signatures of individual object and event units. (Lee, S., Y. Ji & A. Papafragou). 45th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Sydney, 26-29 July. (poster)

2023 Event units in language and cognition. (Lee, S., A. Pintado-Urbanc, A. Papafragou & E. Ünal). 45th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Sydney, 26-29 July. (poster)

2023 Conceptual and linguistic factors affect entity processing and labeling. (Lee, S., L. Mangifesta, & A. Papafragou). 45th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Sydney, 26-29 July. (poster)

2023 Cognitive signatures of aspectual coercion. (Vurgun, U., Y. Ji & A. Papafragou). 45th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Sydney, 26-29 July. (poster)

2023 Language shifts the representation of sounds in time: From auditory individuals to auditory ensembles. (Ongchoco, J., T. Knowlton & A. Papafragou). 45th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Sydney, 26-29 July. (poster)

2023 How does having a foreign accent affect the listener's response? (Ip, M., & A. Papafragou). Workshop on Language, Stereotypes, and Social Cognition, University of Pennsylvania, 22-23 May.

2023 No advantage of pragmatic inference for vocabulary retention in children with autism. (Trice, K., A. Papafragou, & Z. Qi). Meetings of Language in Autism, Durham, NC, 9-11 March.

2023 Aspectual processing and event perception. (Vurgun, U., Y. Ji & A. Papafragou). 36th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Pittsburgh, 9-12 March.

2023 Linguistic and cognitive event units across languages. (Lee, S., A. Pintado-Urbanc, A. Papafragou & E. Ünal). 36th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Pittsburgh, 9-12 March.

2023 Labeling novel entities in mass-count and classifier languages. (Lee, S., L. Mangifesta, Y. Ji & A. Papafragou). 36th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Pittsburgh, 9-12 March. (poster)

2023 Discourse effects on the acquisition of subordinate nouns. (Choe, J., & A. Papafragou). 36th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Pittsburgh, 9-12 March. (poster)

2023 The goal bias emerges early in motion event inspection and speech planning: Evidence from eye-movements. (Chen, Y., A. Papafragou & J. Trueswell). 36th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Pittsburgh, 9-12 March. (poster)

2023 Conceptual underpinnings of linguistic atomicity. (Lee, S., Y. Ji & A. Papafragou). 97th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Denver, 5-8 January.

2023 Linguistic and non-linguistic factors support entity construal and word learning. (Lee, S., Y. Ji & A. Papafragou). 97th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Denver, 5-8 January.

2023 Segmenting events in language and cognition. (Lee, S., A. Pintado-Urbanc, A. Papafragou & E. Ünal). 97th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Denver, 5-8 January.

2023 Non-conservative quantifiers are unlearnable. (Knowlton, T., J. Trueswell & A. Papafragou). 97th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Denver, 5-8 January.

2023 Aspectual framing of events shifts online event apprehension. (U. Vurgun, Y. Ji & A. Papafragou). 97th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Denver, 5-8 January. (poster)

2022 New evidence for the unlearnability of non-conservative quantifiers. (Knowlton, T., J. Trueswell & A. Papafragou). 23rd Amsterdam Colloquium, University of Amsterdam, 19-21 December.

2022 Differentiating universal quantifiers by differentiating their domains. (Gomes, V., T. Knowlton, A. Papafragou, & J. Trueswell). 47th Boston University Conference on Language Development, November 3-6.

2022 Lexical alternatives and the acquisition of subordinate nouns. (Choi, J., & A. Papafragou). 47th Boston University Conference on Language Development, November 3-6.

2022 Non-conservative quantifiers are unlearnable. (Knowlton, T., J. Trueswell & A. Papafragou). 47th Boston University Conference on Language Development, November 3-6. (poster)

2022 Conceptual and linguistic factors affecting entity construal. (Lee, S., Y. Ji & A. Papafragou). 47th Boston University Conference on Language Development, November 3-6. (poster)

2022 A mentalistic semantics explains “each” and “every” quantifier use. (Knowlton, T., J. Trueswell, & A. Papafragou) 44th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Toronto, 27-30 July.

2022 Linguistic aspect constrains event apprehension. (Vurgun, U., Y. Ji, & A. Papafragou). 44th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Toronto, 27-30 July. (poster)

2022 The Source-Goal asymmetry in motion events: Sources are robustly encoded in memory but overlooked at test. (Chen, Y., A. Papafragou, & J. Trueswell) 44th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Toronto, 27-30 July. (poster)

2022 Viewers Spontaneously Represent Event Temporal Structure. (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou) 44th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Toronto, 27-30 July. (poster)

2022 The acquisition of subordinate nouns as pragmatic inference: Semantic alternatives modulate subordinate meanings. (Choe, J., & A. Papafragou). 44th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Toronto, 27-30 July. (poster)

2022 Integrating Non-Native Speaker Identity in Semantic and Pragmatic Processing. (Ip, M., & A. Papafragou) 44th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Toronto, 27-30 July. (poster)

2022 Events and Objects Are Similar Cognitive Entities. (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou) 44th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Toronto, 27-30 July. (poster)

2022 Event representations across languages, talk at Symposium on ‘Universality and Diversity in Event Cognition and Language’, 44th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Toronto, 27-30 July.

2022 Language affects event representations. (Vurgun, U., Y. Ji, & A. Papafragou). Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM) 2, University of Pennsylvania, 18-21 May.

2022 Source-Goal asymmetry in motion events: Sources are robustly encoded in memory but overlooked at test. (Chen, Y., A. Papafragou, & J. Trueswell) Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM) 2, University of Pennsylvania, 18-21 May.

2022 Conceptual Foundations of Telicity. (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou). Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM) 2, University of Pennsylvania, 18-21 May. (poster)

2022 Psycho-semantic representations explain “each” and “every” quantifier use. (Knowlton, T., J. Trueswell, & A. Papafragou) Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM) 2, University of Pennsylvania, 18-21 May. (poster)

2022 Beyond the basic level: Levels of informativeness and the acquisition of subordinate nouns. (Choe, J., & A. Papafragou) Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM) 2, University of Pennsylvania, 18-21 May. (poster)

2022 Acquiring evidentials: mapping meanings onto forms. (Saratsli, D., & A. Papafragou) Experiments in Linguistic Meaning (ELM) 2, University of Pennsylvania, 18-21 May. (poster)

2022 When 'hard words' become easy: Learning evidential meanings across different forms. (Saratsli, D., & A. Papafragou) 35th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, 24-26 March.

2022 Conceptual Foundations of Aspect: Spontaneous Representation of Boundedness in Event Perception. (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou) 35th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, 24-26 March. (poster)

2022 Individuation in Language and Cognition: Similarities Between Objects and Events. (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou) 35th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, 24-26 March. (poster)

2022 Source-Goal asymmetry in motion events: Sources are robustly encoded in memory but overlooked at test. (Chen, Y., A. Papafragou, & J. Trueswell) 35th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, 24-26 March. (poster)

2022 Psycho-semantic representations explain "each" and "every" quantifier use. (Knowlton, T., J. Trueswell, & A. Papafragou) 35th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, 24-26 March. (poster)

2022 Beyond the basic level: Levels of informativeness and the acquisition of subordinate nouns. (Choe, J., & A. Papafragou) 35th Annual Conference on Human Sentence Processing, 24-26 March. (poster)

2022 Acquiring evidentials: mapping meanings onto forms. (Saratsli, D., & A. Papafragou) 96th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, DC/virtual, 7-10 January.

2022 Encoding transfer events. (Chen, Y., A. Papafragou & J. Trueswell) 96th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, DC/virtual, 7-10 January.

2022 Is pragmatic (goal) information used in children's computation of event culmination? (Mathis, A., & A. Papafragou) 96th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, DC/virtual, 7-10 January.

2022 Boundedness in event cognition: Viewers spontaneously represent the temporal texture of events. (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou), 5-minute Linguist session, 96th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, DC/virtual, 7-10 January.

2022 Boundedness in event cognition. (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou) 4th International Workshop on Syntactic Cartography & First International Forum on Language and Brain, Beijing, 29 October-3 November.

2021 Pragmatic inference and social cognition in acquiring (and remembering) word meanings. (Trice, K., D. Saratsli, A. Papafragou & Z. Qi) 46th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 4-7 November.

2021 Mapping evidential meanings onto different forms. (Saratsli, D., & A. Papafragou) 46th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 4-7 November. (poster)

2021 Acquiring 'hard' spatial prepositions: The case of 'between'. (Skordos, D., M. Johanson, & A. Papafragou) 46th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 4-7 November. (poster)

2021 Do children use pragmatic (goal) information to compute event culmination? (Mathis, A.& A. Papafragou) 46th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 4-7 November. (poster)

2021 A cross-linguistic bias in motion path encoding. (Grigoroglou, M., M. Johanson & A. Papafragou) 46th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 4-7 November.(poster)

2021 Listeners evaluate native and non-native speakers differently (but not in the way you think.) (Ip, M., & A. Papafragou) 43rd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Vienna, 26-29 July.

2021 Pragmatic bias and the learnability of semantic distinctions. (Saratsli, D., & A. Papafragou) 43rd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Vienna, 26-29 July. (poster)

2021 We are what we say: Pragmatic violations have social costs. (Beltrama, A., & A. Papafragou) 43rd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Vienna, 26-29 July. (poster)

2021 Speaker adjustments to addressees during language production. (Grigoroglou, M., & A. Papafragou) Conference on Mutual Knowledge (MK40), 25-26 June, London.

2021 From conversation to impression formation. Bridging pragmatic and social inferences. (Beltrama, A., & A. Papafragou) Meeting of the Society for Philosophy and Psychology. (poster)

2021 Children are sensitive to the internal temporal profiles of events. (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou) XII Dubrovnik Conference on Cognitive Science, Dubrovnik, 18-21 May.

2021 The social benefits of being a non-native speaker. (Ip, M., & A. Papafragou) 34th Annual CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, UPenn, 4-6 March. (poster)

2021 The social cost of maxims violation: Pragmatic behavior informs speaker evaluation. (Beltrama, A., & A. Papafragou) 34th Annual CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, UPenn, 4-6 March. (poster)

2021 Pragmatic effects on the acquisition of novel evidentials. (Saratsli, D., & A. Papafragou) 95th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, San Francsisco/virtual, 7-10 January. (poster)

2021 The role of social cognition in word learning: Meaning retention and pragmatic inferences. (Saratsli, D., A. Papafragou & Z. Qi) 95th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, San Francsisco/virtual, 7-10 January.

2021 Socio-pragmatic meaning from non-native speech signals. (Ip, M., & A. Papafragou) 95th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, San Francsisco/virtual, 7-10 January. (poster)

2021 The social cost of violating maxims: How pragmatic reasoning informs speaker evaluation. (Beltrama, A. &, A. Papafragou) 95th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, San Francsisco/virtual, 7-10 January.

2020 Pragmatic effects on the learnability of evidential systems. (Saratsli, D., & A. Papafragou) 45th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 5-8 November.

2020 Social cognition and pragmatic inference in word learning. (Qi, Z., Saratsli, D., & A. Papafragou) 45th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 5-8 November. (poster)

2020 Unable or unwilling? Being under-informative is interpreted differently for native and non-native speakers. (Fairchild, S., A. Mathis, & A. Papafragou) 1st Conference on Experiments in Linguistic Meaning, University of Pennsylvania, 16-18 September.

2020 Agents' goals affect placement of event endpoints. (Mathis, A. & A. Papafragou) 1st Conference on Experiments in Linguistic Meaning, University of Pennsylvania, 16-18 September. (poster)

2020 The role of executive function and theory of mind in pragmatic computations. (Fairchild, S. & A. Papafragou) 1st Conference on Experiments in Linguistic Meaning, University of Pennsylvania, 16-18 September. (poster)

2020 Expressing the unseen: Learning to encode inference as an information source. (Saratsli, D. & A. Papafragou) 1st Annual Conference on Experiments in Linguistic Meaning, University of Pennsylvania, 16-18 September. (poster)

2020 Intentionality effects on event boundaries. (Mathis, A., & A. Papafragou) 42nd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Toronto, 25-27 July.

2020 Pragmatics and event structure: A closer look at their interaction in language production. (Do, M., A. Papafragou, & J. Trueswell) 33rd Annual CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, UMass-Amherst, 19-21 March. (poster)

2020 The role of executive function and theory of mind in pragmatic computations. (Fairchild, S., & A. Papafragou) 33rd Annual CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, UMass-Amherst, 19-21 March.

2020 Agents' goals affect placement of event endpoints. (Mathis, A., & A. Papafragou) 33rd Annual CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, UMass-Amherst, 19-21 March. (poster)

2020 Unable or unwilling? Being under-informative is interpreted differently for native and non-native speakers. (Fairchild, S., A. Mathis, & A. Papafragou) 33rd Annual CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, UMass-Amherst, 19-21 March. (poster)

2019 Preschool children generate pragmatic inferences from both words and pictures. (Richards, C., A. Kampa, & A. Papafragou) 44th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 7-10 November.

2019 Neural generation of scalar implicatures in preschool children and adults. (Kampa, A., B. Zinszer, A. Papafragou & K. Jasinska) 44th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 7-10 November.

2019 Children are sensitive to the internal temporal profiles of events. (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou) 44th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 7-10 November.

2019 The goal bias in memory and language: Explaining the asymmetry. (Do, M., A. Papafragou, & J. Trueswell) 41st Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Montreal, 25-27 July.

2019 Beyond words: Quantity reasoning in non-linguistic communication. Invited symposium on Beyond Number: Towards a unified view of dimensional reasoning in perception, cognition and language. 41st Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Montreal, 25-27 July.

2019 Are cross-linguistically frequent semantic systems easier to learn? The case of evidentiality. (Saratsli, D., S. Bartell, & A. Papafragou) 41st Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Montreal, 25-27 July. (poster)

2019 Do children extend pragmatic principles to non-linguistic communication? (Kampa, A., Richards, C., & A. Papafragou) 41st Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Montreal, 25-27 July. (poster)

2019 Boundedness in event and object cognition. (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou) 41st Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Montreal, 25-27 July. (poster)

2019 Do verbal labels enhance detection of visual targets? (Richards, C., J. Hoffman, T. Vickery, & A. Papafragou) 41st Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Montreal, 25-27 July. (poster)

2019 Artificial language learning and the learnability of semantic distinctions: the case of evidentiality. (Saratsli, D., S. Bartell, & A. Papafragou) 8th Mid-Atlantic Colloquium of Studies in Meaning (MACSIM), NYU, April 6.

2019 Scalar implicature development in 4- and 5-year-olds is supported by language and executive function networks. (Kampa, A., K. Jasinska, & A. Papafragou) 8th MACSIM, NYU, April 6. (poster)

2019 Midpoints and endpoints in event cognition. (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou) 8th MACSIM, NYU, April 6. (poster)

2019 Discourse effects on the source-goal asymmetry. (Do, M., A. Papafragou, & J. Trueswell) 32nd Annual CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, Boulder, March 29-31.

2019 Pragmatic inferences shape spatial language acquisition. (Grigoroglou, M., & A. Papafragou) SRCD Biennial Meeting, Baltimore, March 21-23. (poster)

2019 Scalar implicature derivation in 4- and 5-year-olds is supported by language and executive function networks. (Kampa, A., K. Jasinska, & A. Papafragou) SRCD Biennial Meeting, Baltimore, March 21-23. (poster)

2019 Acquiring evidential systems: Evidence from an artificial language learning experiment. (Saratsli, D., S. Bartell, & A. Papafragou) Symposium talk at SRCD Biennial Meeting, Baltimore, March 21-23.

2019 Do children extend pragmatic principles to non-linguistic symbols? (Kampa, A., & A. Papafragou) Symposium talk at SRCD Biennial Meeting, Baltimore, March 21-23.

2018 The learnability of semantic distinctions: Insights from an artificial language learning experiment on evidentiality. (Saratsli, D., S. Bartell, & A. Papafragou) 43rd Boston University Conference on Language Development, 2-4 November.

2018 Beyond words: Children apply the principle of informativeness to non-linguistic symbols. (Kampa, A., & A. Papafragou) 43rd Boston University Conference on Language Development, 2-4 November.

2018 Midpoints and endpoints in event perception. (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou) 40th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Madison, 25-29 July. (poster)

2018 Events and language. (Papafragou, A.) Symposium on Predictive Events, 40th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Madison, 25-29 July.

2018 Can children extend pragmatic principles to non-linguistic scalar inferences? (Kampa, A., & A. Papafragou) Workshop on Scalar Implicatures, Siena, Italy, 10-11 July.

2018 Adaptations to listeners during children's spontaneous production. (Grigoroglou, M., & A. Papafragou) 10th International Workshop on Language Production, Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics, Nijmegen, Holland, 2-4 July. (poster)

2017 Rapid and spontaneous encoding of event structure from visual scenes: Implications for language acquisition. (Hafri, A., B. Strickland, A. Papafragou, & J. Trueswell) Talk at invited 'Events' symposium, 42nd Boston University Conference on Language Development, 3-5 November.

2017 Epistemic reasoning during conversational inference. (Kampa, A., & A. Papafragou) 42nd Boston University Conference on Language Development, 3-5 November. (poster)

2017 Children's sensitivity to abstract event structure. (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou) 42nd Boston University Conference on Language Development, 3-5 November. (poster)

2017 Speaker adjustments in spontaneous event descriptions. (Grigoroglou, M., & A. Papafragou) 42nd Boston University Conference on Language Development, 3-5 November. (poster)

2017 Viewers' sensitivity to abstract event structure. (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou) 39th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, London, 26-29 July.

2017 Gricean epistemic reasoning in 4-year-olds. (Kampa, A., & A. Papafragou) 39th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, London, 26-29 July. (poster)

2017 Endpoints and midpoints in event perception. (Ji, Y., & A. Papafragou) 39th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, London, 26-29 July. (poster)

2017 Pragmatic aspects of spatial language acquisition and use across languages. (Grigoroglou, M., M. Johanson, & A. Papafragou) 39th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, London, 26-29 July. (poster)

2017 How children map event participants onto language. (Ünal, E., J. Trueswell, & A. Papafragou) Part of Symposium 'Encoding events in language and cognition', 14th International Congress for the Study of Child Language, Lyon, 17-21 July.

2017 Automaticity and specificity of attentional capture by language. (Rogers L., S. Fairchild, A. Papafragou, & T.Vickery) 17th Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, St. Petersburg, Florida, 19-24 May. (poster)

2017 Pragmatic inferences and speaker knowledge. (Papafragou, A., C. Friedberg, & M. L. Cohen) Symposium on "Pragmatic implicature as social inference'. SRCD Biennial Meeting, Austin, 6-8 April.

2017 Children's adjustments of informativeness during language production. (Grigoroglou, M., & A. Papafragou) Georgetown University Roundtable in Linguistics, 10-12 March.

2016 Listeners tolerate pragmatic infelicities from non-native speakers. (Fairchild, S. & A. Papafragou) 57th Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Boston, 17-20 November. (poster).

2016 Universal and language-specific aspects in spatial language development: Revisiting the topological-projective asymmetry. (Johanson, M., M. Grigoroglou & A. Papafragou) 41st Boston University Conference on Language Development, 4-6 November.

2016 Informativeness and listeners' needs in children's event descriptions. (Grigoroglou, M., & A. Papafragou) 41st Boston University Conference on Language Development, 4-6 November (poster).

2016 Children's informativeness in event descriptions. (Grigoroglou, M., & A. Papafragou) 6th Mid- Atlantic Colloquium of Studies in Meaning, NYU, 1 October (poster).

2016 Are children flexible speakers? Effects of typicality and listener needs in children's event descriptions. (Grigoroglou, M., & A. Papafragou) 38th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Philadelphia, 10-13 August. (poster)

2016 Intentionality and the role of labels in categorization. (Gervits, F., M. Johanson, & A. Papafragou) 38th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Philadelphia, 10-13 August. (poster)

2016 Monolinguals' and bilinguals' use of language in forming novel object categories. (Fairchild, S., & A. Papafragou) 38th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Philadelphia, 10-13 August. (poster)

2016 Flexible expectations of speaker informativeness shape pragmatic inference. (Fairchild, S., & A. Papafragou) 40th Annual Penn Linguistics Conference, 18-20 March.

2016 Foreign accent affects pragmatic inference. (Fairchild, S., & A. Papafragou) 29th Annual CUNY Sentence Processing Conference, Gainesville, Florida, 3-5 March (poster).

2016 Event role identification in language and cognition. (Ünal, E., J. Trueswell, & A. Papafragou) Workshop on Events in Language and Cognition, Gainesville, Florida, 3 March (poster).

2016 Do children adjust their event descriptions to the needs of their addressees? (Grigoroglou, M., & A. Papafragou) "Trends in Experimental Pragmatics" Workshop, Berlin, 16-18 January.

2015 Pragmatic factors in the acquisition of spatial language. (Grigoroglou, M., M. Johanson, & A. Papafragou) 5th Mid-Atlantic Colloquium of Studies in Meaning, University of Delaware, 3 October.

2015 Verbal labels facilitate categorization of dissimilar objects. (Fairchild, S. & A. Papafragou) 56th Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Chicago, 19-22 November (poster).

2015 The acquisition of front and back: Conceptual vs. pragmatic factors. (Grigoroglou, M., M. Johanson & A. Papafragou) 40th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 13-15 November.

2015 Cross-linguistic variation and the learnability of semantic systems. (Bartell, S., & A. Papafragou) 40th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 13-15 November.

2015 The relation between evidentiality and source monitoring. (Ünal, E., & A. Papafragou) Biennial Meeting of the Cognitive Development Society, Columbus, 9-11 October (poster).

2015 The relationship between linguistic and conceptual event roles: A cross-linguistic investigation. (Ünal, E., F. Wilson, J. Trueswell & A. Papafragou) Biennial Meeting of the Cognitive Development Society, Columbus, 9-11 October (poster).

2015 Similarity and variation in the distribution of spatial expressions across three languages. (Johannes, K., J., Wang, A. Papafragou, & B. Landau) Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, 23-25 July, Pasadena (poster).

2015 Pragmatic inference in children: reasoning about scalar alternatives. (Skordos, D., & A. Papafragou). Symposium on "Mechanisms of pragmatic development in language comprehension". SRCD Biennial Meeting, 19-21 March, Philadelphia.

2015 When children fail to use syntax to learn novel prepositions. (Skordos, D., M. Johanson & A. Papafragou) SRCD Biennial Meeting, 19 – 21 March, Philadelphia (poster).

2015 Spatial language universals and cross-linguistic encoding. (Grigoroglou, M., M. Johanson, & A. Papafragou) SRCD Biennial Meeting, 19-21 March, Philadelphia (poster).

2015 Conceptual factors in the acquisition of evidentiality. (Ünal, E., & A. Papafragou) SRCD Biennial Meeting, 19-21 March, Philadelphia (poster).

2014 Homologies between language and event cognition. (Wilson, F., E. Ünal, J. Trueswell & A. Papafragou) 39th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 7-9 November.

2014 Linking conversational inferences to the speaker's knowledge state. (Papafragou, A., C. Friedberg & M. Cohen) 39th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 7-9 November.

2014 Production-comprehension asymmetries in language acquisition: The case of evidential morphology. (Ünal, E. & A. Papafragou) 38th Boston University Conference on Language Development, 7-9 November.

2014 Developmental and linguistic influences on the cross-linguistic encoding of causative events. (Bunger, A., D. Skordos, J. Trueswell & A. Papafragou) 13th International Conference of the Association for the Study of Child Language, Amsterdam, 19-24 July (talk at symposium).

2014 The acquisition of evidentiality. (Ünal, E. & A. Papafragou) 13th International Conference of the Association for the Study of Child Language, Amsterdam, 19-24 July (poster).

2013 The ins and outs of spatial language: Places, paths and negative spatial prepositions. (Papafragou, A., J. Viau & B. Landau) 38th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development, Boston, 1-3 November.

2013 Scalar inferences in 5-year-olds: the role of alternatives. (Skordos, D. & A. Papafragou) 38th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development, Boston, 1-3 November.

2013 Perception and inference as sources of knowledge in oneself and others. (Ünal, E. & A.Papafragou) Biennial Meeting of the Cognitive Development Society, Memphis, 18-19 October (poster).

2013 Children's evaluation of inference as a source of knowledge in themselves and others. (Ünal, E. & A. Papafragou) 25th APS Annual Convention, Washington, DC, 23-26 May (poster).

2013 Monitoring sources of event memories: Does native language play a role? (Ünal, E., A. Pinto, A. Bunger & A. Papafragou) 25th APS Annual Convention, Washington, DC, 23-26 May (poster).

2013 Complexities in mapping spatial terms onto spatial referents: The case of 'between'. (Skordos, D., M. Johanson & A. Papafragou) Biennial Meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Seattle, 18-20 April (poster).

2013 Categorization in preschoolers: The influence of labels and facts. (Johanson, M. & A. Papafragou) Biennial Meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Seattle, 18-20 April (poster).

2013 Implicit contrast to the stronger alternative improves scalar implicature generation in 5-year-old children. (Skordos, D. & A. Papafragou). Budapest CEU Conference on Cognitive Development, 10-12 January. (poster)

2013 Cross-linguistic differences in event description and inspection in preschool speakers of English and Greek. (Bunger, A., D. Skordos, J. Trueswell & A.Papafragou). 87th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Boston, 3-6 January.

2012 Categorization in children: The role of labels and facts. (Johanson, M. & A. Papafragou) Cognitive Science Ph.D. inaugural conference, Tufts University, 14-16 September (poster).

2012 Getting the gist of events: Rapid identification of two-participant actions. (Hafri, A., A. Papafragou & J. Trueswell) 53rd Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Minneapolis, 15-18 November (poster).

2012 Linguistic and conceptual representations of inference as a knowledge source. (Unal, E. & A. Papafragou) 37th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development, 2-4 November.

2011 Information packaging for causative events: Cross-linguistic differences and implications for language production and attention. (Bunger, A., J. Trueswell & A.Papafragou) 36th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development, 4-6 November.

2011 Lexical alternatives improve 5-year-olds' ability to compute scalar implicatures. (Skordos, D. & A. Papafragou) 36th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development, 4-6 November (poster).

2011 The development of spatial language: Asymmetries between Containment and Support. (Viau, J., B. Landau & A. Papafragou.) 36th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development, 4-6 November (poster).

2011 Mapping event participants to linguistic structure (Wilson, F., A. Papafragou & J.Trueswell). Structuring the Argument: A Multidisciplinary Workshop on the Mental Representation of Verbal Argument Structure, 5-7 September, Paris (poster).

2011 Rapid extraction of event participants in caused motion events (Wilson, F., A. Papafragou, A. Bunger & J.Trueswell). 33rd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, 21-23 July (poster).

2011 The influence of conceptual structure on structural priming. (Bunger, A., J. Trueswell & A. Papafragou, A.). 33rd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, 21-23 July (poster).

2011 Rapid extraction of event participants in caused motion events. (Wilson, F., A. Papafragou, A. Bunger & J. Trueswell) Society for Philosophy and Psychology Meeting, Montreal, 6-10 July.

2011 The gist of events: Implications for language production and scene description. (Hafri, A., A. Papafragou & J. Trueswell) CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing. Stanford, 24-26 March (poster).

2011 Event apprehension during utterance preparation in children: Evidence from English and Greek. (Bunger, A., J. Trueswell & A. Papafragou) Biennial Meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Montreal, 31 March-3 April.

2011 The influence of conceptual structure on syntactic priming. (Bunger, A., A. Papafragou & J.Trueswell) 85th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Pittsburg, 6-9 January.

2011 Do children use labels to discern category boundaries? (Johanson, M. & A. Papafragou,) 85th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Pittsburg, 6-9 January.

2010 Effects of labels on children's category boundaries (Johanson, M. & A. Papafragou) 35th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development, 6-9 November.

2010 The role of information structure during syntactic priming (Bunger, A., A. Papafragou & J. Trueswell) Annual Conference on Architectures and Mechanisms for Language Processing, University of York, 6-8 September.

2010 Spatial position in language and visual memory: A cross-linguistic comparison (Bosse, S. & A. Papafragou) 32nd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Portland, 12-14 August.

2010 Why it's hard to think outside the box: A new asymmetry in the use of locative prepositions (Papafragou, A., J. Viau & B. Landau) 84th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Baltimore, 7-10 January.

2010 Event apprehension for language production in children (Bunger, A., J. Trueswell & A. Papafragou) 84th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Baltimore, 7-10 January.

2009 Extracting paths and manners: Linguistic and conceptual biases in the acquisition of spatial language (Skordos, D. & A. Papafragou) 34th Annual Boston University on Language Development, 6-8 November.

2009 Seeing and saying: The relation between event apprehension and utterance formulation in children (Bunger, A., J. Trueswell & A. Papafragou) 34th Annual Boston University on Language Development, 6-8 November.

2009 Universality and language specificity in the acquisition of path vocabulary (Johanson, M. & A. Papafragou) 34th Annual Boston University on Language Development, 6-8 November.

2009 The acquisition of motion vocabulary (Johanson, M., S. Selimis & A. Papafragou) 9th International Conference on Greek Linguistics, University of Chicago, 29 October-1 November.

2009 What you see is not what you get: Event apprehension and utterance formulation in children and adults (Bunger, A., A. Papafragou & J. Trueswell) Annual Conference on Architectures and Mechanisms for Language Processing (AMLaP), Barcelona, 7-9 September.

2009 Cross-linguistic differences in event perception: Evidence from dual tasks (Papafragou, A. & J. Trueswell) 35th Annual Meeting of the Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Indiana University, 12-14 June.

2009 Positional verbs and memory for location: A comparison of English and German (Bosse, S. & A. Papafragou) Workshop on 'Language acquisition and interfaces of cognitive-linguistic modules', University of Iowa, 30 April-2 May (poster).

2009 Evidentiality in language acquisition. (Ozturk, O. & A. Papafragou) Workshop on 'Language acquisition and interfaces of cognitive-linguistic modules', University of Iowa, 30 April-2 May.

2009 The semantics and acquisition of containment terms: Cross-linguistic evidence (Papafragou, A., M. Johanson & S. Selimis) Paper Symposium on 'Spatial language and cognition: Cross-linguistic and developmental perspectives', SRCD Meeting, Denver, 2-4 April.

2009 Evidentiality and the Language-Cognition Interface. (Ozturk, O. & A. Papafragou) 19th Colloquium on Generative Grammar, University of the Basque Country, 1-3 April (poster).

2009 Perceiving and remembering events: Are there cross-linguistic differences? (Trueswell, J. & A. Papafragou) 22nd Annual Meeting of the CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, UC Davis, 26-28 March (poster).

2009 Over-extension patterns in spatial language: The case of containment. (Johanson, M., S. Selimis & A. Papafragou) 83rd Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, San Francisco, 8-11 January.

2008 In a manner of speaking, thinking and seeing: Attention allocation during event perception. (Trueswell, J. & A. Papafragou) 49th Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Chicago, 13-16 November.

2008 Cross-linguistic biases in the semantics and acquisition of spatial language. (Johanson, M., S. Selimis & A. Papafragou) 33rdnd Annual Boston University on Language Development, 30 October-2 November.

2008 Children's understanding of the link between speaker knowledge and utterance content. (Papafragou, A.) Conference on Utterance Interpretation and Cognitive Models 2, Brussels, 19-21 July.

2008 Evidentiality and source monitoring in Turkish. (Ozturk, O. & A. Papafragou). 32nd Annual Penn Linguistics Colloquium, UPenn, 22-24 February.

2008 Source-goal asymmetries in language acquisition and memory. (Papafragou, A.) 82nd Annual LSA Meeting, Chicago, 3-5 January.

2008 Source monitoring and the acquisition of evidentiality. (Ozturk, O. & A. Papafragou). 82nd Annual LSA Meeting, Chicago, 3-5 January.

2007 The acquisition of evidentiality in Turkish. (Ozturk, O. & A. Papafragou). 32nd Annual Boston University on Language Development, 2-4 November.

2007 Spatial asymmetries in language and memory. (Papafragou, A.) 32nd Annual Boston University on Language Development, 2-4 November.

2007 The acquisition of evidentiality and source monitoring. (Ozturk, O. & A. Papafragou). 4th Hopkins Workshop on Language (HOWL), 12-14 October (poster).

2007 On the cross-linguistic acquisition of motion verbs. (Papafragou, A. & S. Selimis). 8th International Conference on Greek Linguistics, Ioannina, Greece, 29 August - 1 September.

2007 The acquisition of evidentiality in Turkish. (Ozturk, O. & A. Papafragou). 31st Annual Penn Linguistics Colloquium, UPenn, 23-25 February.

2007 How do you know? Evidentiality in Turkish (Ozturk, O. & A. Papafragou). 81st Annual LSA Meeting, Anaheim, 4-7 January.

2007 Modality and the development of the semantics-pragmatics interface (Papafragou, A. & O. Ozturk). 81st Annual LSA Meeting, Anaheim, 4-7 January.

2006 Lexical and structural cues for acquiring motion verbs cross-linguistically (Papafragou, A. & S. Selimis). 31st Annual Boston University on Language Development, 3-5 November.

2006 Evidentiality and theory of mind (Ozturk, O. & A. Papafragou). 31st Annual Boston University on Language Development, 3-5 November (poster).

2006 The acquisition of modality (Papafragou, A. & O. Ozturk). ISCA Workshop on Experimental Linguistics, University of Athens, 28-30 August.

2006 Children's acquisition of epistemic modality (Papafragou, A. & O. Ozturk). GALANA 2, McGill University, Canada, 17-19 August.

2006 Mapping event perception onto language: Evidence from eye movements (Papafragou, A., J. Hulbert & J. Trueswell). 19th Annual CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, New York, 21-23 March (poster).

2006 Children's comprehension of epistemic modality. (Papafragou, A. & O. Ozturk) 30th Annual Penn Linguistics Colloquium, UPenn, 24-26 February.

2006 Mapping event perception onto language: Evidence from eye movements (Papafragou, A., J. Trueswell & J. Hulbert). 80th Annual LSA Meeting, Albuquerque, 5-8 January.

2005 The acquisition of evidentiality in Korean (Li, P., A. Papafragou, C. Han & Y. Choi). XI International Congress on Child Language, Berlin, 26-29 July.

2005 Spatial language and reasoning in Tseltal Mayan (Abarbanell, L., P. Li & A. Papafragou) XI International Congress on Child Language, Berlin, 26-29 July.

2005 Spatial reasoning in Tenejapan Mayans. (Abarbanell, L., P. Li & A. Papafragou). 27th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Italy, 21-24 July (poster).

2005 Event representation in language and cognition (Papafragou, A.) 27th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Italy, 21-24 July.

2005 Spatial language and reasoning in Tseltal Mayan (Abarbanell, L., P. Li & A. Papafragou). 17th APS Annual Convention, Los Angeles, 26-29 May.

2005 Spatial language and reasoning in Tseltal (Abarbanell, L., P. Li & A. Papafragou). 79th Annual LSA Meeting, Oakland, 6-10 January.

2004 Learning evidential morphology (Li, P., A. Papafragou, C. Han & Y. Choi). 29th Annual Boston University on Language Development, 4-6 November.

2004 How children acquire mental verbs (Papafragou, A., K. Cassidy, L. Gleitman & J. Hulbert). 29th Annual Boston University on Language Development, 4-6 November.

2004 From event cognition to language production (Papafragou, A., C. Massey & L. Gleitman). 17th Annual CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, Maryland, 25-27 March (poster).

2004 The acquisition of evidentiality (Papafragou, A., P. Li & Ch. Han). 78th Annual LSA Meeting, Boston, 8-11 January.

2004 'Most' wanted (Papafragou, A. & N. Schwarz). 78th Annual LSA Meeting, Boston, 8-11 January.

2003 Observational and syntactic support for the acquisition of mental verbs (Cassidy, K., A. Papafragou & L. Gleitman). 28th Annual BU Conference on Language Development, Boston, 30 October - 2 November.

2003 The kinematics of motion (Papafragou, A., C. Massey & L. Gleitman). 6th International Conference on Greek Linguistics, Crete, 18-20 September.

2003 Contextual scales and pragmatic inference (Papafragou, A. & N. Tantalou). 6th International Conference on Greek Linguistics, Crete, 18-20 September.

2003 Lexical meaning and pragmatic inference: A view from language acquisition. (Papafragou, A.) International Pragmatics Association Meeting, Toronto, 13-18 July.

2003 Aspectuality, scalar implicature and the semantics-pragmatics interface. (Papafragou, A.) Workshop on Polarity, Scalar Phenomena and Implicature, Milan, 18-20 June.

2003 Motion event structure and clause conflation (Papafragou, A, C. Massey & L. Gleitman). 39th Annual Meeting of the Chicago Linguistics Society, University of Chicago, 10-12 April.

2003 Learning mental predicates (Cassidy, K., A. Papafragou & L. Gleitman. 39th Annual Meeting of the Chicago Linguistics Society, University of Chicago, 10-12 April.

2003 Aspectual semantics and conversational inference. (Papafragou, A.) 16th Annual CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, MIT, 27-29 March (poster).

2003 Context and scalar inference (Papafragou, A. & N. Tantalou). 27th Annual Penn Linguistics Colloquium, 21-23 February.

2003 Children's comprehension of scalar expressions. (Papafragou, A.) Georgetown University Roundtable in Linguistics, 13-15 February.

2003 The semantics and pragmatics of evidentiality in child language (Papafragou, A., P. Li & S. Yang). Georgetown University Roundtable in Linguistics, 13-15 February.

2003 Aspectuality and conversational implicature. (Papafragou, A.) 77th Annual LSA Meeting, Atlanta, 2-5 January.

2003 Number/quantifier asymmetries in language acquisition. (Papafragou, A., F. Hurewitz, L. Gleitman & R. Gelman) 77th Annual LSA Meeting, Atlanta, 2-5 January.

2002 Aspectuality and scalar structure. (Papafragou, A.) 27th Annual BU Conference on Language Development, Boston, 1-3 November.

2002 The acquisition of numbers and quantifiers. (Hurewitz, F., A. Papafragou, L. Gleitman & R. Gelman) 27th Annual BU Conference on Language Development, Boston, 1-3 November.

2002 The pragmatics of number (Papafragou, A. & J. Musolino). 24th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, George Mason University, 8-10 August (poster).

2002 Language acquisition at the semantics-pragmatics interface (Musolino, J. & A. Papafragou). IXth International Conference for the Study of Child Language, University of Wisconsin- Madison, 16-21 July.

2002 Scalar inferences and telicity in language acquisition. (Papafragou, A.) 5th Chronos Colloquium on Tense, Aspect and Modality, Groningen, 19-21 June.

2002 Scalar inferences: Developing abilities at the Semantics-Pragmatics interface (Papafragou, A., & J. Musolino). International Conference on 'Reviewing Linguistic Thought: Perspectives into the 21st Century', Athens, 21-24 May.

2002 The kinematics of motion (Papafragou, A., C. Massey & L. Gleitman). International Conference 'Reviewing Linguistic Thought: Perspectives into the 21st Century', Athens, 21-24 May.

2002 The acquisition of evidentiality in Korean (Papafragou A, P. Li & S. Yang). 38th Annual Meeting of the Chicago Linguistics Society, University of Chicago, 25-27 April.

2002 Scalar implicatures in language acquisition: Some evidence from Modern Greek. (Papafragou, A.) 38th Annual Meeting of the Chicago Linguistics Society, University of Chicago, 25-27 April.

2002 The computation of scalar implicatures during language comprehension: A developmental perspective (Papafragou, A. & J. Musolino). 15th Annual CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, New York, 21-23 March (poster).

2002 Quantity implicatures in child language. (Papafragou, A.) 26th Annual Penn Linguistics Colloquium, 1-3 March.

2002 The acquisition of scalar implicatures (Papafragou, A. & J. Musolino). 75th Annual LSA Meeting, San Francisco, 3-6 January.

2001 Evidential morphology and theory of mind (Papafragou, A. & P. Li). 26th Annual BU Conference on Language Development, Boston, 2-4 November.

2001 Language and motion (Papafragou, A., C. Massey & L. Gleitman). 5th International Conference on Greek Linguistics, Paris, 13-15 September.

2001 Investigations in the acquisition of pragmatics (Papafragou, A. & J. Musolino). 5th International Conference on Greek Linguistics, Paris, 13-15 September.

2001 Cross-linguistic encoding of motion: Are there nonlinguistic implications? (Papafragou, A., C. Massey & L. Gleitman). 14th Annual CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing, University of Pennsylvania, 15-17 March (poster).

2001 Language and conceptual representation: A cross-linguistic study of motion (Papafragou, A., C. Massey & L. Gleitman). 25th Penn Linguistics Colloquium (Special Session: Empirical Data and Linguistic Theory), 3-4 March.

2000 Motion events in language and cognition (Papafragou, A., C. Massey & L. Gleitman). 25th Annual BU Conference on Language Development, 3-5 November.

2000 *Shake, rattle, 'n' roll.* (Papafragou, A.) P-IRCS Fest, IRCS, University of Pennsylvania, May.

1999 Early communication: Beyond speech-act theory. (Papafragou, A.) 24th Annual BU Conference on Language Development, 5-7 November.

1999 Children as mindreaders: The case of indirect speech acts. (Papafragou, A.) Child Language Seminar, City University, London, 2-4 September.

1999 'Can you pass the salt?' Some developmental remarks. (Papafragou, A.) LAGB Autumn Meeting, University of York, 7-9 September.

1999 Remarks on the semantics and pragmatics of modality. (Papafragou, A.) 13th International Symposium of Theoretical and Applied Linguistics, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, 22-24 April.

1999 Talking about the mind: A developmental perspective. (Papafragou, A.) 20th Annual Meeting of the Department of Linguistics, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, 23-25 April.

1998 Metaphor and cognition. (Papafragou, A.) 4th Conference on Conceptual Structure, Discourse, and Language, Emory University, Atlanta, 10-12 October.

1998 Another look at short-circuited implicatures. (Papafragou, A.) LAGB Spring Meeting, University of Lancaster, 14-16 April.

1998 Conventionality, standardisation and politeness. (Papafragou, A.) 12th Sociolinguistics Symposium, Institute of Education, London, 26-28 March.

1997 Modality and metarepresentation. (Papafragou, A.) 22nd Annual BU Conference on Language Development, 7-9 November.

1997 Metaphor and conceptual structure. (Papafragou, A.) 3rd International Conference on Greek Linguistics, University of Athens, 25-27 September.

1997 Modal expressions in early child language. (Papafragou, A.) LAGB Autumn Meeting, University of Hertfordshire, 4-6 September.

1997 Modal verbs: Towards a unitary semantics. (Papafragou, A.) 16th International Congress of Linguists, Paris, 20-25 July.

1997 Kinds of modality [In Greek]. (Papafragou, A.) 18th Annual Meeting of the Department of Linguistics, University of Thessaloniki, Greece, 2-4 May.

1996 Indirect requests: A Relevance-theoretic reappraisal. (Papafragou, A.) LAGB Autumn Meeting, University of Cardiff, 7-9 September.

1996 Modality and the semantics/pragmatics interface. (Papafragou, A.) 5th International Pragmatics Conference (panel: Relevance Theory: Some basic distinctions), Mexico City, 4-9 July.

1996 The pragmatics of metonymy [In Greek]. (Papafragou, A.) 17th Annual Meeting of the Department of Linguistics, University of Thessaloniki, Greece, 22-24 April.

1995 The comprehension of metonymy. (Papafragou, A.) LAGB Autumn Meeting, University of Essex, 17-19 September. 40