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Born: Chicago, IL, 23 January 1945

Academic training

1961-65	Swarthmore College (mathematics honors)	B.A. 1965
1965-69	M.I.T. (linguistics)	Ph.D. 1969

Thesis advisor: Noam Chomsky

Teaching

1969-70	UCLA	Lecturer
1971-73	Brandeis University	Assistant Professor
1973-78	Brandeis University	Associate Professor
1978-2006	Brandeis University	Professor
	(Chair of Linguistics Program, 1972-1981)	
	(Chair of Linguistics and Cognitive Science, 1981-1992, 2002-2006)	
2006-	Brandeis University	Professor Emeritus
2005-2017	Tufts University	Seth Merrin Professor of Humanities
	(Co-director, Center for Cognitive Studies)	
2018-	Tufts University	Seth Merrin Professor Emeritus

1969 (summer)	University of Illinois (LSA Linguistic Institute)
1974 (summer)	University of Massachusetts, Amherst (LSA Linguistic Institute)
1980 (summer)	University of New Mexico (LSA Linguistic Institute)
1987	University of Arizona (Visiting Professor)
1989 (summer)	University of Arizona (LSA Linguistic Institute)
1996 (summer)	Institute for Research in Cognitive Science, University of Pennsylvania
1999 (summer)	University of Illinois (LSA Linguistic Institute)
2003 (summer)	Michigan State University (Sapir Professor, LSA Linguistic Institute)

Research

1966 (summer)	Technical Operations, Inc., Burlington, MA
1967 (summer)	Brandeis University (under S. J. Keyser)
1969-1970	RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, CA (under Martin Kay)
1983-1984	Center for Advanced Studies in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford, CA
1999-2000	Wissenschaftskolleg zu Berlin, Berlin
2009	Sabbatical Visitor, Santa Fe Institute
2006-2012	External Faculty, Santa Fe Institute
2014-2016	Visiting scholar (one month each year), Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics, Nijmegen
2016-	Research Affiliate, Department of Brain and Cognitive Sciences, MIT

Research interests

Semantic/conceptual theory of natural language
Syntactic/lexical theory
Morphology
Cognition
Architecture and evolution of mind
Music cognition
Consciousness
Social cognition

Honors and Fellowships

Docteur honoris causa, Université du Québec à Montréal, 2010
Doctor honoris causa, National Music University Bucharest, 2011
Doctor honoris causa, Music Academy of Cluj-Napoca (Romania), 2011
Doctor of Humane Letters, The Ohio State University, 2012
Doctor philosophiae honoris causa, Tel Aviv University, 2013

The David E. Rumelhart Prize for Outstanding Contributions to the Theoretical Foundations of Human Cognition, Cognitive Science Society, 2014
Tufts University Distinguished Scholar Award, 2011
Jean Nicod Prize in Cognitive Philosophy, Institut Jean Nicod, Paris, 2003
Abington (PA) High School Hall of Fame, 1994
Gustave O. Arlt Award in the Humanities, from Council of Graduate Schools in the United States, for book *Semantic Interpretation in Generative Grammar*, 1974

Recipient of Festschrift: *Structures in the Mind: Essays on Language, Music, and Cognition in Honor of Ray Jackendoff*, ed. by Ida Toivonen, Piroska Csuri, and Emile van der Zee. Cambridge, MA: MIT Press, 2015

Special issue of *The Linguistic Review* on RJ's *Foundations of Language*, 2005
Special issue of *Cognitive Linguistics* on RJ's *Conceptual Semantics*, 1996

Symposium: *Autour de la Théorie Générative de la Musique Tonale de Fred Lerdahl et Ray Jackendoff*, Institut Recherche et Coordination Acoustique-Musique, Paris, 2008

Colloque: Musique Langage Cerveau, 25 ans après la Théorie Générative de la Musique Tonale de Lerdahl et Jackendoff, Dijon, 2008
Conference on Music, Language and the Brain, celebrating 25th anniversary of Lerdahl and Jackendoff's *Generative Theory of Tonal Music*, Tufts University, 2008
Special workshop on music and language in celebration of 25th anniversary of *Generative Theory of Tonal Music*, Poznan Linguistic Society, 2009

President, Society for Philosophy and Psychology, 1990-91
President, Linguistic Society of America, 2003

Fellow of American Association for the Advancement of Science, 1999
Fellow of American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2000
Fellow of Linguistic Society of America, 2005
Fellow of Cognitive Science Society, 2010

Fellowship, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, 1983-84
Hubert Humphrey Fellowship at Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, Beer Sheva, Israel, 1988 (2-week residency)
Fellowship, Wissenschaftskolleg zu Berlin, 1999-2000
Sage Distinguished Visiting Fellow, UC Santa Barbara, 2010
George A. Miller Visiting Professor, University of Illinois, 2002
Walker-Ames Visiting Professor, University of Washington, 2003
Edward Sapir Professorship, LSA Linguistic Institute, 2003

Grants

NEH Fellowship for Independent Study and Research, 1978
Guggenheim Fellowship, 1993-94
Co-Principal Investigator (with Jane Grimshaw), "Information Structure of a Natural Language Lexicon," NSF Information Sciences Division, 1982-1984 (\$154,000)
Co-Principal Investigator (with Jane Grimshaw), "Syntactic and Semantic Information in a Natural Language Lexicon," NSF Information Sciences Division, 1985-1987 (\$260,000)
Co-Principal Investigator (with Jane Grimshaw), "Conceptual Structure and Argument Structure in a Natural Language Lexicon," NSF Programs in Linguistics and in Knowledge Models and Cognitive Systems, 1988-1992 (\$304,000)
Co-Principal Investigator (with James Pustejovsky), "Lexical and Nonlexical Contributions to Sentence Meaning," NSF Program in Knowledge Models and Cognitive Systems, 1993-1997 (\$302,000)
Co-Principal Investigator (Edgar Zurif, PI; James Pustejovsky, Co-PI), "Sentence semantics: Normal processes and lesion effects," NIH DC 03660, 2000-2004 (\$1,331,974)
Tufts Collaborates Grant (PI; Ariel Goldberg, co-PI) "Structure of an Emerging Village Sign Language in Turkey," 2015-2016 (\$15,000)

Other professional activities

Interview with Pello Salaburu in *Jakin* (Spain), 1981
Interview with Liesbeth Koenen in *NRC Handelsblad* (Netherlands), 1990

Interview with Hannu Reime, broadcast on Finnish radio, 1991
Interview with John Goldsmith, in Geoffrey J. Huck and John Goldsmith, *Ideology and Linguistic Theory*, University of Chicago Press, 1995
Interview with Ad Bergsma in *Psychologie* (Netherlands), December 1998
Interview with Birgit Dahlheimer on Austrian radio, June 2001
Interviews with David Inge on WILL-AM (NPR, Urbana); with Reggie Bryant on WHAT-AM (Philadelphia); with David Schechtman on KVON-FM (San Francisco), 2002
Interview with Kathleen Dunn on Wisconsin Public Radio, 2003
Interview on lexical semantics, *ReVEL* 11/20. 147-154, 2013
Interview with Julien Musolino, 2017
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R9U5zee32jg&feature=youtu.be>

Clarinet soloist with Boston Pops Orchestra, 1980 (nationwide radio broadcast)

Executive Committee, Society for Philosophy and Psychology (1985-92); President-Elect (1989-90), President (1990-91)
Executive Committee, Linguistic Society of America (1996-99, 2002-2005); Vice-President/President-Elect, 2002; President, 2003
Nominating Committee, Section Z, American Association for the Advancement of Science (2001-2004)
Editorial boards of *Quaderni di Semantica* (1980-86), *Music Perception* (1983-2005), *Language* 1985-87), *Cognitive Science* (1985-2005), *Consciousness and Cognition* (1991-97), *Studia Linguistica* (1992-), *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory* (1996-2007), *Spatial Cognition and Computation* (1998-2007), *Trends in Cognitive Sciences* (1998-), *English Linguistics* (2001-), *European Review of Philosophy* (2004-)
Outside reviewer for NSF, NEH, Canada Research Council, *Linguistic Inquiry*, *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory*, Bunting Institute, *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, MIT Press, Univ. of Chicago Press, Routledge, *Science*, *Journal of East Asian Linguistics*, *Cognition*, *Pragmatics and Cognition*, *Journal of Pidgin and Creole Languages*, *Perspectives on Science, Linguistics and Philosophy*, Oxford University Press, Cambridge University Press, *Language and Cognitive Processes*, *Journal of Germanic Linguistics*, *Mind and Language*, *Studies in Language*, *Journal of Music Theory*

Visiting Committee, Department of Linguistics and Philosophy, MIT, 1979-1989

Visiting Committee, Department of Linguistics, Harvard, 1986-1991

Evaluation Committee, Cognitive Science Program, SUNY Buffalo, 1994

Academic Program Review Committee, Cognitive Science Program, University of Arizona, 1996

Scientific Advisory Board, Language in Interaction consortium (Netherlands), 2015-

Consultant to McDonnell Foundation Panel on Cognitive Neuroscience, 1988

Consultant to Nancy Lurie Marks Family Foundation, 1998

Consultant, Macmillan Encyclopedia of Cognitive Science, 1999

Consultant, Equinox Films, 2001

Invited lectures

Series

Summer School, Norwegian National Graduate School in Linguistics, Svalbard, 2019 (5 lectures)
Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, 2017 (5 lectures)
The Patten Lectures, Indiana University, 2011 (2 public lectures, 2 colloquia, 4 classes, 2 discussions)
Sage Center for the Study of Mind, UC Santa Barbara, 2010 (4 lectures)
Walker-Ames Lectures, University of Washington, 2003 (6 lectures and 2 discussions)
Jean Nicod Lectures, Institut Jean Nicod, Paris, 2003 (4 lectures)
Harvard University Linguistics Department, 2002 (4 lectures)
George A. Miller Visiting Professor, University of Illinois, 2002 (7 lectures)
University of Leipzig/Max Planck Institute of Cognitive Neuroscience, 2000 (4 lectures)
Fall School in Syntax and Semantics, NTNU, Trondheim, Norway, 1999 (3 lectures)
Numazu (Japan) Linguistic Seminar, 1996 (8 lectures)
Summer School on Language and Understanding, University of San Marino, 1995 (5 lectures)
Ottawa-Carleton Joint Cognitive Science Distinguished Lecture Series, 1994 (3 lectures)
International Colloquium on Cognitive Science, University of the Basque Country, San Sebastian, 1993 (3 lectures)
The Nijmegen Lectures, University of Nijmegen/Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics, 1989 (2 lectures and 4 workshops)
Visiting Professor, University of Ottawa, winter 1982 (10 lectures)
Distinguished Visiting Lecturer, Sophia University, Tokyo, fall 1980 (7 lectures)
Canadian Linguistic Institute, Montreal, summer 1977 (3 lectures)

Single lectures

Invited talk, Architecture of Cognitive Systems, MIT, 2019
Invited talk, Workshop on semantic knowledge and semantic processing, Center for Cognitive Neuroscience, Dartmouth, 2019
Keynote, Slavic Cognitive Linguistics Association, Harvard, 2019
Inauguration of Linguistics Lab, Erlangen, Germany, 2019
Keynote, Grote Taaldag, Utrecht, 2018
Invited talk, Workshop at CUNY Sentence Processing Conference, 2017
Invited talk, Symposium: Taking the *langue* view, Yale, 2017
Workshop on emerging sign languages, Radcliffe Institute, 2017
Invited talk, Meaning in Flux, Yale, 2017
Invited talk, Resolving Conflicts Across Borders, Dubrovnik, 2017
Plenary, Olomouc Linguistics Colloquium, Olomouc, Czech Republic, 2016 (remote)
CARTA Symposium, UCSD, 2015
Keynote, SMART Cognitive Science conference, Amsterdam, 2015
Workshop: Emerging Sign Languages and the Big Picture (co-organizer), Tufts, 2015
Workshop: The Music/Language Connection, NYU, 2015
Keynote, Mediterranean Morphology Meeting, University of Haifa, 2015
American International Morphology Meeting, UMass Amherst, 2015
Keynote, Colloque du Syntax et Semantique à Paris, 2015
Keynote, Council of Scientific Society Presidents, Washington, 2015
Rumelhart Prize lecture, Cognitive Science Society, Quebec City, 2014

Keynote, HPSG conference, Buffalo, 2014
 SMART Lecture, University of Amsterdam, 2013
 Norman Johnson lecture, Wheaton College, 2013
 Workshop: Sociolinguistics in Dialogue with Parallel Architecture, Freiburg, Germany, 2013
 Workshop on philosophy of semantics, Arché Research Centre, University of St. Andrews, Scotland, 2013
 Workshop on Complex Sentences, Types of Embedding, and Recursivity, University of Konstanz, 2012
 Workshop on Formal Linguistics and the Measurement of Grammatical Complexity, University of Washington, 2012
 Keynote, Linguistics Colloquium 2012, University of North Carolina, 2012
 Plenary, Sociolinguistics Symposium 19, Freie Universität, Berlin, 2012
 Keynote, Symposium in honor of Geert Booij, University of Leiden, 2012
 Co-organizer and speaker, Conference on Language and Representation, Tufts, 2012
 Keynote, Boston University Conference on Language Development, 2012
 Cognitive Theory and the Arts Series, Harvard Humanities Center, 2012
 Symposium on music and language, Music Academy of Cluj-Napoca, Romania, 2011
 MIT Ling50 (50th anniversary of MIT Linguistics Program), 2011
 Donders Lecture, University of Nijmegen and Max Planck Institute, 2010
 Workshop on language and valence, Max Planck Institute, Nijmegen, 2010
 Conference on Law and Neuroscience, UC Santa Barbara, 2010
 Opening keynote, 15th International Conference on Lexical-Functional Grammar, Carleton University, Ottawa, 2010
 Opening keynote, Summer School on Origins of Language, Université du Québec à Montréal, 2010
 Society of Aphasia XI, University of Potsdam, 2010
 Cognitive Science of Morality and its Policy Implications, Tufts University (co-organizer), 2010
 Workshop: Co-evolution of behavior and institutions, Santa Fe Institute, 2009
 Workshop: Mechanisms of linguistic change, Santa Fe Institute, 2009
 Foundations and Frontiers of SFI Science, Santa Fe Institute, 2009
 Workshop on Computational Approaches to Narrative, MIT, 2009
 Symposium: Autour de la Théorie Générative de la Musique Tonale de Fred Lerdahl et Ray Jackendoff, Institut Recherche et Coordination Acoustique-Musique, Paris, 2008
 Colloque: Musique Langage Cerveau, 25 ans après la Théorie Générative de la Musique Tonale de Lerdahl et Jackendoff, Dijon, 2008
 Plenary, Twenty-Sixth European Workshop on Cognitive Neuropsychology, Bressanone, Italy, 2008
 Santa Fe Institute Public Lecture Series, 2008
 Santa Fe Institute Workshop on Integrative Models of Language Change, 2008
 Workshop on Social Cognition, MIT/ONR, 2008
 Workshop on semiproductivity (co-organizer and speaker), Tufts, 2008
 Conference on visual cognition and memory, Tufts, 2008
 Conference on Music, Language, and the Mind, celebrating 25th anniversary of Lerdahl and Jackendoff's *Generative Theory of Tonal Music*, Tufts, 2008 (2 talks and concert)
 Symposium: Is Morality Universal, and Should the Law Care? Brooklyn Law School, 2008
 Linguistic Society of America plenary, annual meeting, 2007

Conference “Building Meaning from Language”, Tufts, 2007 (speaker and organizing committee)
 Authors@Google, 2007
 Plenary, International Conference on Complex Systems, Boston, 2007
 Boston Society for Cognitive Science, Inaugural lecture, 2007
 Commentator on Symposium, “Linguistic Structure and Connectionist Models: How Good is the Fit?”, Linguistic Society of America annual meeting, Albuquerque, 2006
 Symposium on Language and the Brain, Society for Cognitive Neuroscience, San Francisco, 2006
 Conference “Language and the Mind” [sic], University of Amsterdam, 2006
 Second Biennial Conference on Cognitive Science, St. Petersburg, 2006
 Workshop on Linguistics in Education (co-organizer), Tufts University, 2006
 Linguistics in the 21st Century: Perspectives and Challenges, University of Georgia, 2006
 Plenary lecture, Chicago Linguistics Society, University of Chicago, 2005
 Plenary lecture, International Association for the Study of Child Language, Berlin, 2005
 Alice V. and Dave H. Morris International Symposium on The Evolution of Language, SUNY Stony Brook, 2005
 Presidential Address, Linguistic Society of America, Boston, 2004
 Benjamin and Anne A. Pinkel Endowed Lecture, University of Pennsylvania, 2004
 Keynote lecture, Workshop on Computational Lexical Semantics, HLT/NAACL, Boston, 2004
 Keynote lecture, Symposium on The Architecture of the Language Faculty, Centre for Human Communication, University College London, 2004
 Plenary lecture, Western Conference on Linguistics, USC, 2004
 IGERT Workshop on Cognitive Science of Language, Johns Hopkins University, 2003
 Keynote lecture, Harvard University Undergraduate Linguistics Conference, 2003
 Symbolic Systems Distinguished Lecture, Stanford University, 2003
 Edward Sapir Lecture, LSA Linguistics Institute, Michigan State University, 2003
 Keynote lecture, Michigan Linguistics Society, 2003
 Plenary lecture, Fourth International Conference on the Evolution of Language, Harvard, 2002
 Wissenschaftskolleg zu Berlin/Einstein Forum, 2002
 Plenary lecture, Conference on Linguistic Universals, Madrid, 2002
 Plenary lecture, International Conference on Linguistic Theory, Athens, 2002
 Plenary lecture, Association for the Scientific Study of Consciousness –6, Barcelona, 2002
 Plenary lecture, Linguistic Society of America, Washington, 2001
 AAAS Symposium on Cognitive Precursors of Language, San Francisco, 2001
 Keynote lecture, First International Conference on Social Cognitive Neuroscience, Los Angeles, 2001
 Workshop on Evolution and Learning of Language, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, 2001
 Origins of Cooperation and Communication, Steyr, Austria, 2000
 Sigma Xi Lecture, Swarthmore College, 2000
 Workshop on Constructions, Urbana, 1999
 Plenary lecture, German Cognitive Science Society, Bielefeld, 1999
 Conference on Origins of Language, Akademie der Wissenschaften, Berlin, 1999
 Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Minneapolis, 1998
 Keynote lecture, "Storage and Computation in Linguistics," Utrecht, 1998
 Plenary lecture, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Sprachwissenschaft, Düsseldorf, 1997
 First John Macnamara Memorial Lecture, McGill University, 1997
 Plenary lecture, XVI International Congress of Linguists, Paris, 1997

"Apples and Origins II," New Hampshire Humanities Council Lecture Series on the Mind, 1995 and 1996

Euroconference "Disorders of Semantic Memory," SISSA, Trieste, 1996

Workshop "Future Developments in Linguistic Theory," Max Planck Institute, Nijmegen, 1996 (Co-organizer)

Plenary lecture, "The Growing Mind" (Piaget Centennial), Geneva, 1996

LARS '95: Second Language Acquisition and Cognitive Science, Utrecht, 1995

Colloque de Syntax et Semantique de Paris, 1995

Workshop on Constraint-Based Theories of Grammar, University of Chicago, 1995 (Co-organizer)

Conference on Phrase Structure and Argument Structure, Indiana University, 1994

Workshop on Language and Spatial Cognition, University of Arizona, 1994

Keynote speaker, Linguistic Association of Great Britain, University of Salford, 1994

Distinguished Lecturer Series: Interdisciplinary Seminar on the Foundations of Consciousness, Ohio State University, 1994

NSF-MIT Workshop on the Lexicon, 1994

Stiftungsgastprofessor Lecture Series, Goethe-Universität, Frankfurt, 1994

Final Plenary Lecture, First International Institute for Cognitive Science, SUNY Buffalo, 1994

Keynote Speaker, Academy of Aphasia, Boston, 1994

University of Arizona Social and Behavioral Sciences Distinguished Lecturer Series, 1993

Conference "Multiple Worlds" on language and spatial cognition, Cognitive Anthropology Group, Max Planck Institute, Nijmegen, 1993

D. O. Hebb Lecture, McGill University, 1992

2nd Tilburg Conference on Idioms, 1992

Keynote speaker, Eastern States Conference on Linguistics, Buffalo, 1992

Congress 'Infolotie,' sponsored by BSO/beheer, Amsterdam, 1991

Jean Piaget Society, Philadelphia, 1991

Presidential Address, Society for Philosophy and Psychology, San Francisco, 1991

Keynote speaker, Eastern States Conference on Linguistics, Baltimore, 1991

Conference on Music Perception, Ohio State University, 1990

Conference on Consciousness and the Human Brain, Bellagio, 1990

Boston University Child Language Conference, 1990

Keynote Speaker, Annual Conference of Generative Linguists of the Old World, Utrecht, 1989

Groningen Round Table, 1989

Conference on Lexical Semantics, University of Arizona, 1989

UCLA Conference on Syntactic Theory, 1988

Keynote speaker, Fourth Annual Israeli Conference on Theoretical Linguistics, 1988

Cooper Foundation Lecture and Concert, Swarthmore College, 1988

Conference on Julian Jaynes (Harvard), 1988

Conference on the Computer and the Brain, Arizona State University, 1987

Conference on Mental Representation, University of British Columbia/Simon Fraser University, 1986

Keynote speaker, University of Syracuse Conference on Language and Communication, 1985

Stanford Metrics Conference, 1984

MacArthur Foundation Workshop on Consciousness, 1984

Forum Lecture, LSA Linguistic Institute (UCLA), 1983

Princeton Conference on Linguistic Theory and Psychological Reality, 1982

Sloan/McGill University Conference on Semantics and Psychology, 1982

Sloan/UC Irvine Conference on Spatial Cognition, 1981
Sloan/UC Irvine Conference on Similarities and Differences among Cognitive Capacities, 1980
IBM (Yorktown Heights) Distinguished Lectures on Language, 1979
Accademia Filarmonica (Rome) Conference on Language and Music, 1977
UC Irvine Workshop on Formal Syntax, 1976
IRCAM (Paris) Seminar on Music and Linguistics, 1975
MIT Faculty Workshop on Language and Cognition, 1975-76
Texas Conference on Theory of Grammar, 1972
2nd, 3rd, and 4th LaJolla Conferences on Linguistic Theory, 1968, 1969, 1970

Departmental colloquia

Bar-Ilan University, Barnard College, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, Boston College, Boston University Medical School, Boston University, Boston VA Hospital, Brown, Chicago, Columbia, Cornell, CUNY Graduate Center, Dartmouth College, Eastman School of Music, Georgetown, Goethe-Universität (Frankfurt), Harvard Graduate School of Education, Harvard Law School, Harvard Medical School, Harvard University, Hebrew University, Humboldt University (Berlin), IBM Watson Research Center, Indiana University, Johns Hopkins, Kyoto University, Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics (Nijmegen), McGill, Michigan State, Minsk State Linguistic University (Belarus), MIT, New York Academy of Sciences, Northwestern, NYU, Ohio State University, Ohio University, Penn State, Princeton, Rutgers, Salk Institute, Santa Fe Institute, School of Oriental and African Studies (London), Scuola Normale Superiore (Pisa), Southeastern Connecticut State University, Stanford University, SUNY at Buffalo, SUNY Stony Brook, Swarthmore, Tel Aviv University, Tokyo University, Tufts, UC Berkeley, UC Irvine, UC Santa Cruz, UC Santa Barbara, UCLA, UCSD, UMass Amherst, Université du Québec à Montréal, University College London, University of Arizona, University of British Columbia, University of Bucharest, University of Colorado, University of Connecticut, University of Copenhagen, University of Delaware, University of Essex (Colchester, UK), University of Gothenburg, University of Haifa, University of Illinois, University of Iowa, University of Köln, University of Lund, University of Maryland, University of Michigan, University of Pennsylvania, University of Pittsburgh, University of Rochester, University of South Carolina, University of Torino, University of Toronto, University of Utrecht, University of Washington, University of Wisconsin, University of Zagreb, USC, Vassar College, Washington and Lee University, Yale, York University

Publications

Books

- The Texture of the Lexicon: Relational Morphology and the Parallel Architecture* (with Jenny Audring). Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2020.
- A User's Guide to Thought and Meaning*, Oxford University Press, 2012. Croatian translation, Institut za Hrvatski Jezik i Jezikoslovlje, 2016; Arabic translation by Saudi linguist Hamza Almozainy. Amman, Jordan, Dar Konoz Almarifah, 2018. Japanese translation, Iwanami Shoten, 2019.
- Meaning and the Lexicon: The Parallel Architecture 1975-2010*, Oxford University Press, 2010.
- Language, Consciousness, Culture: Essays on Mental Structure*, MIT Press, 2007
- Simpler Syntax* (with Peter Culicover), Oxford University Press, 2005
- Foundations of Language: Brain, Meaning, Grammar, Evolution*, Oxford University Press, 2002 (Japanese translation, Iwanami Shoten, 2006; Spanish translation, Fondo de Cultura Económica, 2010)
- The Architecture of the Language Faculty*, MIT Press, 1997
- Patterns in the Mind: Language and Human Nature*, Harvester Wheatsheaf, 1993 (Europe); Basic Books, 1994 (USA) (Natural Science Book Club selection, May 1994) Dutch translation, Het Spectrum, 1996; Italian translation, Il Mulino, 1998; Korean translation, Thaeaksa, 2000; Japanese translation, Iwanami Shoten, 2004
- Languages of the Mind*, Bradford/MIT Press, 1992
- Semantic Structures*, MIT Press, 1990. Korean translation, Hanshin Publishing Co., 2000
- Consciousness and the Computational Mind*, Bradford/MIT Press, 1987. Italian translation, Il Mulino, 1990; Spanish translation, Visor, 1998
- Semantics and Cognition*, MIT Press, 1983. Italian translation, Il Mulino, 1989
- A Generative Theory of Tonal Music* (with Fred Lerdahl), MIT Press, 1982. Spanish translation, Ediciones Akal, 2003; Romanian translation, Arpeggione, 2011
- X-Bar Syntax: A Study of Phrase Structure*, MIT Press, 1977
- Semantic Interpretation in Generative Grammar*, MIT Press, 1972

Edited volumes

- Verb-Particle Explorations* (co-edited with Nicole Dehé, Andrew McIntyre, and Silke Urban), Mouton de Gruyter, 2002
- Language, Logic, and Concepts: Essays in Memory of John Macnamara* (co-edited with Paul Bloom and Karen Wynn), Bradford/MIT Press, 1999

Recordings

- Cadenza! American Duos for Clarinet or Bass Horn and Piano* (with John McDonald, piano): works by Aaron Copland, Elliott Carter, Arthur Berger, Yehudi Wyner, and John McDonald. Albany, NY: Albany Records, 2015
- Romanian Music for Clarinet and Piano* (with Valentina Sandu-Dediu, piano): works by Marțian Negrea, Stefan Niculescu, Constantin Silvestri, and Dan Dediu. Bucharest: Editura Muzicala, 2002; Albany, NY: Albany Records, 2003

Articles

Unpublished

- a. Genesis of a theory of language: From thematic roles (source) to the Parallel Architecture (goal)
- b. Lexical semantics, to appear in *Oxford Handbook of the Mental Lexicon*, ed. John Trueswell, Anna Papafragou, Lila Gleitman
- c. Relational Morphology: A cousin of Construction Grammar, to appear in *Frontiers in Psychology, Language Sciences* (with Jenny Audring)
- d. Prediction as re-activation: A linguistically and psychologically plausible theory of language processing (with Falk Huettig and Jenny Audring)
- e. Parentheticals in the Parallel Architecture (with Peter Culicover)

In press

- a. Structural Cues for Symmetry, Asymmetry and Non-symmetry in Central Taurus Sign Language (Rabia Ergin, Ann Senghas, Lila Gleitman, RJ)
- b. Conceptual Semantics and its implications for philosophy of language, in *Handbook of Philosophy of Language*, ed. Piotr Stalmaszczyk

2019

- a. Relational Morphology in the Parallel Architecture (with Jenny Audring). In J. Audring and F. Masini (eds.), *The Oxford Handbook of Morphological Theory*, 390-408 Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- b. Ellipsis in Simpler Syntax (with Peter Culicover). In J. van Croenenbroek and T. Temmerman (eds.), *The Oxford Handbook of Ellipsis*, 162-187. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- c. The Parallel Architecture (RJ and Jenny Audring). In A. Kertész, E. Moravcsik, and C. Rákosi (eds.), *Current Approaches to Syntax*, 215-240. Berlin/Boston, Mouton de Gruyter.
- d. Simpler Syntax (Peter Culicover and RJ). In A. Kertész, E. Moravcsik, and C. Rákosi (eds.), *Current Approaches to Syntax*, 97-122. Berlin/Boston, Mouton de Gruyter.
- e. Mental representations for language. In Peter Hagoort (ed.), *Human Language*, 7-20. Cambridge, MA: MIT Press.

2018

- a. Representations and Rules, in Bryce Huebner (ed.), *The Philosophy of Daniel Dennett*, 92-126. New York: Oxford University Press.
- b. Morphology and memory: Toward an integrated theory (with Jenny Audring), *Topics in Cognitive Science*, special issue in honor of Lila Gleitman, DOI: 10.1111/tops.12334
- c. The development of argument structure in Central Taurus Sign Language (Rabia Ergin, Irit Meir, Deniz Ilkbaşaran, Carol Padden, RJ) *Sign Language Studies* 18, 612-639
- d. Formalist modeling and psychological reality (Commentary on C. Yang, A formalist perspective on language acquisition) (Eva Wittenberg and RJ). *Linguistic Approaches to Bilingualism* 8: 787-791. <https://doi.org/10.1075/lab.18077.wit>

2017

- a. Multiword constructions in the grammar (with Peter Culicover and Jenny Audring). *Topics in Cognitive Science*, 9, 552-568. doi: 10.1111/tops.12255
- b. *Menscheln, kibbelen, sparkele*: Verbal diminutives between grammar and lexicon (Jenny Audring, Geert Booij, and RJ), *Linguistics in the Netherlands 2017*, 1-15. DOI 10.1075/avt.34.01.aud
- c. Case assignment and argument realization in nominals (Anastasia Smirnova and RJ), *Language* 93, 877-911

2016

- a. English noun-noun compounds in Conceptual Semantics (revised version of 2009b), in Pius ten Hacken (ed.), *The Semantics of Compounding*, Cambridge University Press, 15-37.
- b. Linear grammar as a possible steppingstone in the evolution of language (with Eva Wittenberg), in W. T. Fitch (ed.), Special issue of *Psychonomic Review and Bulletin* on language evolution. Online doi:10.3758/s13423-016-1073-y
- c. Morphological schemas: Theoretical and psycholinguistic issues (with Jenny Audring), *The Mental Lexicon* 11, 467-493. doi 10.1075/ml.11.3.06.jac

2015

- a. In Defense of Theory, *Cognitive Science* (special issue in commemoration of RJ's Rumelhart prize), 1-28. ISSN: 0364-0213 print / 1551-6709 online

2014

- a. When events change their nature: The neurocognitive mechanisms underlying aspectual coercion. (Martin Paczynski, RJ, Gina Kuperberg). *Journal of Cognitive Neuroscience* 26, 1905-1917
- b. The difference between "giving a rose" and "giving a kiss": Sustained neural activity to the light verb construction (Eva Wittenberg, Martin Paczynski, Heike Wiese, RJ, Gina Kuperberg), *Journal of Memory and Language* 73: 31-42
- c. The Processing and Representation of Light Verb Constructions. (Eva Wittenberg, RJ, Gina Kuperberg, Martin Paczynski, Jesse Snedeker & Heike Wiese) In: Bachrach, A., Roy, I. and Stockall, L. (eds.). *Structuring the Argument*. John Benjamins, 61-80.
- d. The grammar of visual narrative: Neural evidence for constituent structure in sequential image comprehension (Neil Cohn, RJ, Phillip Holcomb and Gina Kuperberg) *Neuropsychologia* 64: 63-70.
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