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CURRENT POSITION

August 31st, 2018 – July 30th, 2019

Postdoctoral Research Associate

Department of Linguistics
University of Connecticut
Storrs CT, USA

EDUCATION

PhD in Linguistics

Department of Linguistics, Stony Brook University, 2015

Defended: May 18th, 2015

Dissertation Title: “Quantifier Scopepe and Scope Freezing in Russian”

Dissertation advisors: Richard K. Larson and John F. Bailyn

(maternity + extended sick leave: 2011 – 2013 academic years)

Linguistic Society of America Summer Institute

(Empirical Foundations of Language)

Stanford University, CA July 1 – July 27, 2007

MA in Linguistics

Stony Brook University, USA, 2006

MA (Summa cum laude) in English and French Philology

Chernivtsi National University, Chernivtsi, Ukraine, July 2004

Exchange Program

Course of Study: Psychology and French

University of Saskatchewan, SK, Canada, Sept. 2002 – Dec. 2002

**BA (Honors) in English Language and Literature
and Methodology of Foreign Language Teaching**

Chernivtsi National University, Chernivtsi, Ukraine, Sept. 1998 - July 2002

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Syntax, Syntax/Semantics Interface, Formal Semantics, Sentence Prosody, Comparative Syntax,
Translation Theory

Primary areas of specialization:

Russian & Ukrainian Syntax and Morphosyntax, Quantification, the Structure of Ditransitive VP,
Case Theory, Scrambling, Binding Theory, Ellipsis, Focus Theory

RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

Previous Positions

Postdoctoral Research Fellow (July 1st, 2017 – Sept. 30th 2018)
(Project: Parameters of Possession, PI Dr. Peter Hallman)
Linguistics Institute
University of Vienna
Vienna, Austria

Assistant Professor (February 2017 – June 2017)
Dept. of English Philology
Chernivtsi National University
Chernivtsi, Ukraine

Leading Specialist in Translations (February 2017 – June 2017)
Dept. of Information Policy and Communications
Chernivtsi National University
Chernivtsi, Ukraine

Visiting Scholar (September 2016 – August 2017)
Dept. of Linguistics
Stony Brook University
Stony Brook, NY, USA

Visiting Assistant Professor of Linguistics (August 2009 – June 2011)
Department of Linguistics
Reed College, Portland, OR, USA

Teaching Assistant, Instructor (August 2004 – May 2009)
Department of Linguistics
Stony Brook University
Stony Brook, New York, USA

EXTERNAL FUNDING, HONORS AND AWARDS

Departmental Nomination for the Mildred and Herbert Weisinger Dissertation Fellowship,
Stony Brook University, March 2015 (one university-wide fellowship awarded)

National Science Foundation Dissertation Research Improvement Grant
Award #: BCS-0921856 (PI Prof. John F. Bailyn) Stony Brook University, 2009-2011

Stillman Drake Fund, Reed College, fall 2010

Summer Scholarship Fund, Reed College, summer 2010

Conference Travel Grant for Faculty, Reed College, fall 2009, winter 2010

Departmental nomination for President's Award for Excellence in Teaching by a Graduate Student, Stony Brook University, Spring 2009

Full Tuition Scholarship, Graduate School, Stony Brook University, 2004 – 2009

Dept. of Linguistics Summer Research Fund, Stony Brook University, July 2009

Dean's Fellowship for Professional Activities, Stony Brook University, March 2009

Full Tuition Fellowship, Linguistic Society of America Summer Institute, Stanford University, July 2007

GSEU Professional Development Funds Award, Stony Brook University, 2006 – 2008

Research Access Program Award, Stony Brook University, 2006 – 2009

PUBLICATIONS

Larson, R.K., S. Antonyuk and L. Liu. 2018. Superiority and scope freezing. *Linguistic Inquiry*. https://doi.org/10.1162/ling_a_00300

Antonyuk, Svitlana (in press) Quantifier Scopep in Russian. *GLOSSA*

Antonyuk, Svitlana (forthcoming) The Puzzle of Russian Ditransitives. In *Dative structures in Romance and Beyond*. Eds. Ana Pineda and Jaume Mateu. *Open Generative Syntax series*

Antonyuk, Svitlana (accepted) Generative Linguistics: An Introduction. *Wiener Linguistische Gazette*

Antonyuk, Svitlana (in press) Embracing the Differences: the Three Classes of Russian Ditransitives. To be published in *Proceedings of Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics (FASL) 25*, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York.

Antonyuk, Svitlana (2017) Generative Linguistics: An Introduction. Науковий вісник Чернівецького Університету. Випуск 784. Германська філологія.

Antonyuk, Svitlana (2017) How QP Scope Can Weigh in on a Long-Time Debate: the Puzzle of Russian Ditransitives. In *A Pesky Set: Papers for David Pesetsky*. Eds. Claire Halpert, Hadas Kotek, Coppe van Urk. *Massachusetts Institute of Technology Working Papers in Linguistics (MITWPL) special volume*, CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform, 566p

Antonyuk, Svitlana (2015) Russian Scope Freezing: Novel Evidence and Account. *Proceedings of Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics 24*, NYU, New York, NY

Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana and Roksolana Mykhaylyk (2013) Prosodic Effects in Word Order: Evidence from Ukrainian. *Proceedings of North East Linguistic Society (NELS) 40*, MIT, Cambridge, MA

Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana (2011) Why Prosody Matters. An extended 4-page abstract of the presentation, Linguistic Society of America, Annual Meeting, Pittsburg

Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana and John F. Bailyn (2011) Scope Freezing, Economy and Weak Crossover. An extended 4-page abstract of the presentation, Linguistic Society of America, Annual Meeting, Pittsburg

Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana (2010) Russian Loanword Phonology: A Phonetic Account. In: *Formal Studies of Slavic Linguistics*, ed. A. Smirnova, V. Mihaliček and L. Ressue, 23-54. Cambridge Scholars Publishing.

Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana (2009) Long-Distance Scrambling, VP Ellipsis, and Scope Economy in Russian. U. Penn Working Papers in Linguistics 15.1: Proceedings of *Penn Linguistic Colloquium 32*, ed. L. MacKenzie, 1-9. <http://repository.upenn.edu/pwpl/vol15/iss1/2>

Antonyuk, Svitlana (2006) The Scope of Quantifier Phrases in Russian: A QR Analysis. *Linguistics in the Big Apple* (online proceedings of SUNY/CUNY/NYU/Yale).

UNDER REVIEW

Antonyuk, Svitlana and Roksolana Mykhaylyk (under revision) Scope Freezing and Object Shift in Ukrainian: does Superiority Matter? Remark. *SYNTAX*

MANUSCRIPTS

Antonuk, Svitlana (in preparation) invited book review of the second edition of the Wiley Blackwell Companion to Syntax (eds, Everaert and Van Riemsdijk), to be published in *Acta Linguistica Academica*, a Journal of General Linguistics.

Antonyuk, Svitlana (in progress) On the Syntax of Discourse-Driven Movements: Realization of Givenness and Focus in (O)VS Word Orders. Research paper.

Antonyuk, Svitlana (in progress) Psych Verb Alternations in (East) Slavic. Research Paper.

Antonyuk, Svitlana and Richard Larson (in progress) On the Interaction between QP Scope and Information Structure. Research paper.

Antonyuk, Svitlana (in preparation) Predicative Possession in Ukrainian and Russian (working title). Research Paper.

Larson, Richard and Svitlana Antonyuk (in preparation) On Scope Principles (working title). Remarks and Reply.

Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana (2010/2012) Scope Freezing, Scrambling and QR in Russian. Unpublished manuscript, Stony Brook University.

Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana and John Bailyn (2008) Backward Anaphora in Russian: A Binding-Theoretic Approach. Unpublished manuscript, Stony Brook University.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Antonyuk, Svitlana. 2018. Information Structure - QP Scope Interaction Patterns: Some Novel Insights into IS-Driven Movement and the Mechanisms of Scope Freezing. To be presented at the “Information Structure Workshop 2018: Form and Interpretation”, July 20th 2018, held as part of the 23rd International Lexical-Functional Grammar Conference, hosted by University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria.

Antonyuk, Svitlana and Peter Hallman. 2018. On the Syntax of U-Possessor Phrases in Ukrainian and Russian. Possession Workshop (Possessive relations: interpretation, syntax and argument structure) held at DGfS 2018: 40th Annual Conference of the German Linguistic Society, 7 - 9 March, University of Stuttgart

Antonyuk, Svitlana. 2018. Unergativity: New Insights from Ditransitives. Workshop “Unergative predicates. Architecture and Variation”, University of the Basque Country, January 18-19, 2018, Bilbao, Spain

Antonyuk, Svitlana. 2017. The Puzzle of Russian Ditransitives. *International Workshop: Dative Structures and Beyond*. Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Spain

Antonyuk, Svitlana and Richard Larson. 2016. Scope Freezing in PP Dative Constructions? Formal Description of Slavic Languages 12 (FDSL), Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany

Antonyuk, Svitlana. 2016. Embracing the Differences: The Three Classes of Russian Ditransitives. 25th Annual Conference on Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics (FASL), Cornell University, Ithaca, NY

Antonyuk, Svitlana and Roksolana Mykhaylyk. 2016. Specificity Movement and Scope in Ukrainian: New Arguments Against Bruening (2001). 25th Annual Conference on Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics (FASL), Cornell University, Ithaca, NY

Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana. 2015. Against the QR Parameter: New Evidence from Russian Scope Freezing. 24th Annual Conference on Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics (FASL), New York University, New York, NY

John F. Bailyn, Svitlana Antonyuk-Yudina and Tanya Scott. 2012. What WCO and Scope in Russian Ditransitives Mean for the Theory of Superiority. 21st Annual Conference on Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN

- Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana and Roksolana Mykhaylyk. 2010. On the Interaction of Prosody and Scrambling in Ukrainian. LSA Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD
- Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana and Roksolana Mykhaylyk. 2009. Prosodic Effects in Word Order: Evidence from Ukrainian. 40th Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society (general session), MIT, Cambridge, MA
- Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana. 2009. Prosodic Description of Scopally Ambiguous Sentences in Russian. 18th Annual Conference on Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
- Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana and John F. Baily. 2008. Backwards Pronominalization in Russian: A Syntactic Account. 17th Annual Conference on Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics, Yale University, New Haven, CT
- Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana. 2008. Long-Distance Scrambling, VP-Ellipsis and Scope Economy in Russian. Penn Linguistics Colloquium 32, Philadelphia, PA
- Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana and John F. Baily. 2007. A Binding-Theory Approach to Backward Pronominalization in Russian. Annual Conference of the American Association of Teachers of Slavic and East European Languages, Chicago, IL
- Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana. 2007. Russian Loanword Phonology: A Phonetic Account. Invited Presentation. 5th Graduate Colloquium on Slavic Linguistics, Columbus, OH
- Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana. 2007. Russian Loanword Phonology: A Phonetic Account. 2nd Congress of the Slavic Linguistic Society. Centre for General Linguistics, Typology and Universals Research (ZAS), Berlin, Germany
- Antonyuk, Svitlana. 2006. Reconstruction for Scope and Weak Crossover Effect in Russian: Evidence for the QR Analysis. 8th Annual SUNY/CUNY/NYU mini-conference, SUNY Stony Brook, NY
- Antonyuk, Svitlana. 2006. Scope of Quantified NPs in Russian: A Case for Movement Analysis. The First Conference of the Slavic Linguistic Society, Bloomington, IN

POSTERS

- Antonyuk, Svitlana. 2018. Unaccusativity and Thematic Hierarchy in Russian Ditransitives. Workshop on Argument Structure and Linguistic Processing held during the 28th Colloquium on Generative Grammar at Universitat Rovira i Virgili, Tarragona, May 31st – June 1st 2018.
- Antonyuk-Yudina, Svitlana. 2008. To The Discussion of Quantifier Scope in Russian. 17th Annual Workshop on Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics, Yale, New Haven, CT

INVITED TALKS

- Date TBD. On the Interaction between Quantification and Information Structure: Evidence from Object Shift, QP Scope and OVS in Ukrainian and Russian. Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, New York.
- May 22nd, 2018. On Scope Freezing in Russian and Its Implications for the Argument Structure of Ditransitives. Research Institute for Linguistics, Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest, Hungary.
- May 22nd, 2018. Information structure can tell us something about what Scope Freezing is, but mostly about what it isn't. Department of English Linguistics, ELTE, Budapest, Hungary.
- April 3rd, 2017. Quantifier Scope in Russian and Slavic. Seminar. Stony Brook University
- April 5th, 2017. Scope and Focus. Browbag talk, joint with Richard Larson. Stony Brook University.
- April 5th, 2017. Quantifier Scope in Russian Ditransitives. Seminar. Stony Brook University.
- April 29th, 2009. Russian Covert Movement. Reed College, Portland, Oregon.
- February 24th, 2009. On QR and Scrambling in Russian: A Unification Attempt. CUNY Syntax Supper. CUNY Graduate Center, NY
- November 14th, 2008. On the Prosodic Realization of Doubly Quantified Sentences in Russian. NYU Brown Bag, NYU, NY

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

INSTRUCTOR

LIN 6520, Problems in Syntax: Argument Structure Alternations
University of Connecticut, Sept. 2018 – Dec. 2018

Conversation (English)
Chernivtsi National University, February 2017 – June 2017

LIN 312, The Structure of Slavic (phonology, morphology and syntax of Slavic)
Reed College, Jan. 2011 – May 2011

LIN 352, Phonetics, Phonology and Pragmatics of Prosody
Reed College, Sept. 2010 – Dec. 2010

LIN 211, Introduction to Linguistic Analysis (co-taught with Matt Pearson)
Reed College, Sept. 2009 – Dec. 2009, Sept. 2010 – Dec. 2010

LIN 320, Articulatory and Acoustic Phonetics
Reed College, Jan. 2010 – May 2010, Jan. 2011 – May 2011

LIN 321, Phonology
Reed College, Jan. 2010 – May 2010

LIN 341, Formal Semantics (taught as a graduate-level course)
Reed College, Jan. 2010 – May 2010, Jan. 2011 – May 2011

LIN 312, Advanced Syntax (seminar on Quantifier Raising and Scrambling)
Reed College, Sept. 2009 – Dec. 2009

ESL 192 (Composition)

Stony Brook University, Jan. 2009 – May 2009

Articulatory and Acoustic Phonetics (4 credits intensive summer course)

Stony Brook University, July – August 2008

Writing 101

Stony Brook University, Sept. 2005 – May 2006

ESL 591 (Graduate course, Aural/Oral)

Stony Brook University, Jan. 2005 – May 2005

TEACHING ASSISTANT**Articulatory and Acoustic Phonetics**, TA to Prof. Marie Huffman

Stony Brook University, Sept. 2008 – Dec. 2008

Language and Meaning, TA to Prof. Richard Larson

Stony Brook University, Jan. 2008 – May 2008

Undergraduate Syntax, TA to Prof. Daniel Finer

Stony Brook University, Sept. 2007 – Dec. 2007

Introduction to Linguistics, TA to Prof. Alice Harris

Stony Brook University, Jan. 2007 – May 2007

Articulatory and Acoustic Phonetics, TA to Prof. Marie Huffman

Stony Brook University, Sept. 2006 – Dec. 2006

Literacy Development, TA to Prof. Joy Jansen

Stony Brook University, Sept. 2004 – Dec. 2004

LANGUAGE TEACHER

Advanced Conversational English (with focus on social, political, race and gender issues currently relevant in the US), Invited Lecturer, *Paporot* Business Hub, Chernivtsi, Ukraine
February-March 2017

Advanced Conversational English (with focus on social, political, race and gender issues currently relevant in the US), Invited Lecturer, *Horizont* Business Hub, Chernivtsi, Ukraine,
October-December 2015

ESL (all levels), Advanced Russian, Russian for Heritage Speakers (all levels).

SchoolPlus Sunday enrichment school, Stony Brook, Feb. 2004 – May 2007

English as a Foreign Language (all levels), Ukrainian as a Foreign Language (begin).

ASAP Center for Foreign Languages, Chernivtsi, Ukraine, July 2003 – July 2004

UNDERGRADUATE THESIS ADVISING

- Laura Sard. **Pharyngealization in French Loanwords in Moroccan Arabic Loanword Phonology.** Reed College, Sept. 2010 – May 2011
- Anna Seymour. **A Phonetic Investigation of Female Pop Singing in America.** Reed College, Sept. 2010 – May 2011
- Rachel Mossey. **Gendered Socialization in America: Standardization of Taboo Words by Young Adults.** Reed College, Sept. 2010 – May 2011
- Robin Steitz. **Prosodic Description of Schizophrenic Speech.** Reed College, Sept. 2010 – May 2011
- Katherine Wu. **Linguistic Relativity and Japanese Film Structure.** Reed College, Sept. 2010 – May 2011
- Jordan Frand. **The Construction of a Terrorist Attack: A Discourse Analysis of Media Representations of 9/11 and 11-M.** Reed College, Sept. 2009 – May 2010
- Hilary McMahan. **An Application of Piercian Semiotics to Whorfian and Neo-Whorfian Linguistic Relativity.** Reed College, Sept. 2009 – May 2010
- Amy Vaughan. **We Are Legion: The Linguistic Construction of Community on the Internet.** Reed College, Sept. 2009 – May 2010

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Reviewer** for *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory*, *SYNTAX*, *Linguistic Inquiry*, *MITWPL*, *FDSL 12.5*, *FDSL 12*, *FDSL 11*, *FASL 19*, *FASL 16*
- Academic Advisor** to 20 undergraduate students, Reed College, Sept. 2010 – May 2011
- First Reader** for 5 Undergraduate Theses, Dept. of Linguistics, Reed College, Sept. 2010 – May 2011
- Abstract Reviewer**, SUNY/Yale/NYU/CUNY (SYNC) Linguistics Conference, 2009, 2010.
- Committee Member** for 5 Undergraduate Thesis Defenses, Dept. of Linguistics, Reed College, Sept. 2009 – May 2010
- Abstract Reviewer**, CUNY/SUNY/NYU Linguistics Conference, 2008
- Organizing Committee Member**, FASL 16, Stony Brook University Feb. 2007 – May 2007
- Linguistic Colloquium Co-organizer**, Linguistics Dept., SUNY Stony Brook Spring 2006

LANGUAGES

- English** (near-native)
- Ukrainian** (native)
- Russian** (native)
- French** (advanced)
- German** (upper intermediate)
- Japanese** (familiarity through linguistic work)

REFERENCES

Richard K. Larson, Professor, Chair (PhD thesis co-advisor)
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Marie K. Huffman, Associate Professor (Phonetics/Phonology Qualifying Paper Advisor)
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Matt Pearson, Professor (Dept. Chair during my time at Reed College)
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