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### **EDUCATION**

2018 P.G. certificate in Higher Education Practice - Ulster University  
2016 PhD in Linguistics - University of Maryland, College Park  
dissertation: *The acquisition of adjunct control: grammar and processing*  
advisor: Jeffrey Lidz  
2011 M.A. in Linguistics - University of California, Los Angeles  
B.A. in Linguistics & Spanish and Cognitive Science, summa cum laude -  
University of California, Los Angeles

### **POSITIONS HELD**

2016-present Lecturer in Linguistics  
Ulster University School of Communication and Media

### **PUBLICATIONS**

**Gerard, J.** & Lidz, J. (in prep) Events in the acquisition of adjunct control.  
**Gerard, J.**, Lidz, J., Zuckerman, S., & Pinto, M. (2018) The acquisition of adjunct control is colored by the task. *Glossa: a journal of general linguistics*, 3(1), 75.  
doi: 10.5334/gjgl.547  
**Gerard, J.** & Lidz, J. (2018) Before and After the Acquisition of Adjunct Control. In the *Proceedings of the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development*. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press.  
**Gerard J.**, Lidz J., Zuckerman S. & Pinto M. (2017) Similarity-Based Interference and the Acquisition of Adjunct Control. *Frontiers in Psychology*. 8:1822.  
doi: 10.3389/fpsyg.2017.01822

### **PRESENTATIONS**

#### INVITED

*Errors, predictions, and continuity in grammar and processing*, Apr 18, 2018 at Utrecht University, for conference on Experimental Methods in Language Acquisition Research  
*Interference and control: the acquisition and processing of sentences with adjunct control*, May 19, 2017 at University of Amsterdam  
*Interference effects in the acquisition of adjunct control*, Dec 5, 2016 at University of Geneva

#### CONFERENCE

Gerard, J. (2019) Acquiring adjunct control without using it, talk to be given at DGFS 41 (Cross-linguistic variation in control phenomena). Bremen, Germany, Mar 6-8, 2019

- Gerard, J.** & Lidz, J. (2018) Ambiguity in the acquisition of adjunct control, talk given at Ambigo: Workshop on Ambiguity. Göttingen, Germany, Jul 4-5, 2018
- Gerard, J.** & Lidz, J. (2017) *Before and after the acquisition of adjunct control*, talk given at BUCLD 42. Boston, MA, Nov 3-5, 2017
- Huang, Y., Hsu, N., Leonard, E., **Gerard, J.**, Kowalski, A, & Novick, J. (2017) *Syntactic parsing with limited control: Effects on the kindergarten path*, poster at CUNY 30. Boston, MA, Mar 30-Apr 1, 2017
- Gerard, J.**, Lidz, J., Zuckerman, S., & Pinto, M. (2016) *Similarity-based interference in the acquisition of adjunct control*, talk given at BUCLD 41. Boston, MA, Nov 4-6, 2016
- Huang, Y., Hsu, N., **Gerard, J.**, Kowalski, A, & Novick, J. (2016) *Cognitive-control effects on the kindergarten path: Separating correlation from causation*, talk at BUCLD 41. Boston, MA, Nov 4-6, 2016
- Gerard, J.**, Lidz, J., Zuckerman, S., & Pinto, M. (2016) *Adjunct control in 3 and 4 year olds: effects of age and similarity-based interference*, talk given at GALANA 7. Champaign, IL, Sep 8-10, 2016
- Gerard, J.**, Lidz, J., Zuckerman, S., & Pinto, M. (2016) *Adjunct control interpretation in four year olds is colored by the task*, talk given at CUNY 29. Gainesville, FL, Mar 3-5, 2016
- Huang, Y., **Gerard, J.**, Hsu, N., Kowalski, A, & Novick, J. (2016) *Cognitive-control effects on the kindergarten path: Separating correlation from causation*, poster at CUNY 29. Gainesville, FL, Mar 3-5, 2016
- Gerard, J.** & Lidz, J. (2016) *No ambiguity in the acquisition of adjunct control*, poster presented at the 90<sup>th</sup> Annual LSA Meeting. Washington DC, Jan 7-10, 2016
- Gerard, J.** & Lidz, J. (2015) *Using passive sentences to rule out an agent account of adjunct control in 4-5 year olds*, poster presented at GALANA 6. College Park, MD, Feb 19-21, 2015
- Gerard, J.** & Lidz, J. (2015) *Using Principle C to rule out an attachment account of adjunct control in 4-5 year olds*, poster presented at the 89<sup>th</sup> Annual LSA Meeting. Portland, OR, Jan 8-11, 2015
- Gerard, J.** & Lidz, J. (2014) *4-5 year olds do not attach non-finite adjuncts too low*, poster presented at BUCLD 39. Boston, MA, Nov 7-9, 2014
- Gerard, J.** (2011) *Crosslinguistic Priming with Locative Prepositions*, Southern California Undergraduate Linguistics Conference, Apr 9, 2011

## HONORS & GRANTS

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| 2017-2018 | Ulster University pump-priming fund, <i>What is specifically linguistic in linguistic competence?</i> (with Lynda Kennedy, Christina Sevdali, Jacopo Romoli, and Raffaella Folli), £22,300 |
| 2016-2017 | NSF Doctoral Dissertation Research Grant (BCS-1551662), <i>Similarity-based interference and the acquisition of adjunct control</i> , \$16,781   |
| 2016      | UMD Graduate Research Appreciation Day first place oral presentation, \$450  |
| 2016      | UMD College of Arts and Humanities Student Travel Award, \$350   |
| 2014      | UMD Jacob K Goldhaber Travel Award, \$250  |
| 2010-2011 | Undergraduate Research Scholars Program, UCLA Psychology, \$5,000  |
| 2010-2011 | Departmental Scholar Program, UCLA Linguistics   |
| 2010-2011 | Departmental Honors, UCLA Psychology   |
| 2007-2011 | UCLA College Honors Program  |

## **TEACHING & ADVISING**

### TEACHING

Ulster University (Instructor)

- CMM 125 Children's Language - Fall 2016, 2017, 2018
- CMM 375 Language Acquisition- Fall 2016, 2017, 2018
- CMM 378 Research Methods in Linguistics - Spring 2017, 2018, 2019
- CMM 735 Language Acquisition (MSc) - Spring 2017, Fall 2017, 2018
- CMM 538 Dissertation project (coordinator) - 2017/2018, 2018/2019

University of Maryland (teaching assistant)

- LING 200 Introduction to Linguistics (Spring 2015)
- LING 311 Syntax I (Spring 2014)
- LING 200 Introduction to Linguistics (Spring 2013)
- LING 240 Language and Mind (Fall 2012)

### ADVISING

Ulster University

- Primary advisor: Sofja Volkova (PhD expected 2019)
- PhD committee: Susan Logue (PhD expected 2019)
- PhD committee: Victoria Singer (PhD expected 2020)
- Supervisor for MSc and BSc dissertations

University of Maryland

- mentor for undergraduate research assistants, 2014-2016

## **SERVICE**

### REVIEWING

- Language Acquisition*
- Journal of Child Language*
- Language Learning and Development*
- Journal of Memory and Language*
- Glossa: a journal of general linguistics*
- Boston University Conference on Language Development*

Ulster University

- Course director for MSc Linguistics and TESOL, 2018 -
- Acting course director for MSc English Language and Linguistics, Fall 2018
- Organizer for seminar series in Linguistics, Fall 2018
- Nuffield research placement supervisor for high school students, 2017 -

University of Maryland

- GALANA 6 conference committee
- Co-Leader of Workshop on Extralinguistic Contributors to Language Acquisition
- Linguistics Department Colloquium Committee
- Linguistics Graduate Student Association representative
- Mayfest committee

IGERT Language Science Day Committee  
Language Science High School Outreach

UCLA

Southern California Undergraduate Linguistics Conference committee  
Society of Bruin Linguists (Vice President 2010-2011)

**LANGUAGES**

English (native), Spanish (intermediate), German (introductory)

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