

## CURRICULUM VITA

### DR. PETER HALLMAN

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#### Professional Experience

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- 2017-pres. Principle Investigator, “Arabic Degree Semantics”, Austrian Research Institute for Artificial Intelligence
- 2015-pres. Principle Investigator, “Parameters of Possession”, University of Vienna
- 2014-2017 Principle Investigator, “Divergence of Form and Meaning in Comparative Perspective”, University of Vienna
- 2012-2014 Principle Investigator, “Symmetries in the Grammar of Quantity and Degree”, University of Vienna
- 2011-2012 Visiting University Professor, Ludwig Maximilian University, Munich
- 2010-2011 Visiting University Professor, University of Vienna
- 2007-2010 Assistant Professor in Residence, UCLA, Los Angeles
- 2005-2007 Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Toronto
- 2004-2005 Richard H. Tomlinson Postdoctoral Fellow, McGill University, Montreal
- 2003-2004 Visiting Assistant Professor, McGill University, Montreal
- 2001-2003 Visiting Assistant Research Professor, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
- 2000-2001 Visiting Assistant Professor, University of North Texas, Denton

#### Degrees

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- 1997-2000 Ph.D., University of California at Los Angeles.
- 1994-1997 M.A., University of California at Los Angeles.
- 1988-1993 B.A. (Summa cum Laude), University of Minnesota.

#### Grants & Fellowships

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- 2017-pres. Austrian Science Fund Research Grant P30409-G30 *Arabic Degree Semantics* (€330,162.00)
- 2015-pres. Austrian Science Fund Research Grant P27384-G23 *Parameters of Possession* (€216,531.00)
- 2014-pres. Austrian Science Fund Research Grant P27236-G23 *Divergence of Form and Meaning in Comparative Perspective* (€262,568.25)
- 2012-2014 Austrian Science Fund Research Grant M1397-G23, Lisa Meitner Program, *Symmetries in the Grammar of Quantity and Degree* (€133,360.00)

2010	University of California Academic Senate Summer Research Program Award (\$6,000)
2009-2010	University of California Academic Senate Research Grant (\$1000)
2004-2005	Richard H. Tomlinson Postdoctoral Fellowship, McGill University
1999-2000	Dissertation Year Fellowship, UCLA
1995-1998	National Science Foundation Graduate Research Grant
1994-1995	Presidents Fellowship, UCLA
1992	Birkelo Scholarship, University of Minnesota

### **Journal Articles (refereed)**

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Hallman, Peter (to appear) “Double Object Constructions in Syrian Arabic,” *Syntax*.

Hallman, Peter (2016) “*All and Every* as Quantity Superlatives,” *Semantics and Linguistic Theory* 26:506-525. DOI 10.3765/salt.v26i0.3798

Hallman, Peter (2016) “Superlatives in Syrian Arabic,” *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory* 34:1281-1328. DOI 10.1007/s11049-016-9332-1

Hallman, Peter (2016). “Universal Quantification as Degree Modification in Arabic” *Glossa: A Journal of General Linguistics* 26:1–31. DOI 10.5334/gjgl.131

Hallman, Peter (2016) “The Universal Perfect in Syrian Arabic,” *Journal of Afroasiatic Languages and Linguistics* 8:76-100. DOI 10.1163/18776930-00801004

Hallman, Peter (2015) “The Arabic Imperfective,” *Journal of Afroasiatic Languages and Linguistics* 7:103-131. DOI 10.1163/18776930-00701004

Hallman, Peter (2015) “Syntactic Neutralization in Double Object Constructions,” *Linguistic Inquiry* 46:389-424. DOI 10.1162/ling\_a\_00187

Hallman, Peter (2013) “Predication and Movement in Passive,” *Lingua* 125:76-94.

Hallman, Peter (2011) “Verbal Complexes in Lebanese Arabic,” *Journal of Afroasiatic Languages and Linguistics*, 3:54-81. DOI 10.1163/187666311X562459

Hallman, Peter (2009) “Proportions in Time: Interactions of Quantification and Aspect,” *Natural Language Semantics* 17:29-61. DOI 10.1007/s11050-008-9038-y

Hallman, Peter (2004) “NP-Interpretation and the Structure of Predicates,” *Language* 80:707-747.

Hallman, Peter (2004) “Symmetry in Structure Building,” *Syntax* 7:1, 79-100.

### **Chapters in Books (refereed)**

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Hallman, Peter and Fared Al-Zamil Al-Suleem (2017) “Derived Predication and Topic Case in Classical Arabic,” In Stalmaszczyk, Piotr (ed.) *Topics in Predication Theory*, Peter Lang Academic Publishers, Pieterlen, Switzerland, pp. 241-265.

Hallman, Peter (2017) “Participles in Syrian Arabic” In Ouali, Hamid (ed.) *Perspectives on Arabic Linguistics*. John Benjamins Publishing Company, Amsterdam, pp. 153-179. DOI 10.1075/sal.5.07hal

Hallman, Peter (2002) "Passive in English and Arabic," in Sabrina Benjaballa, ed., *Morphology 2000*, John Benjamins Publishing Company, Amsterdam, pp. 149-160.

Hallman, Peter (1999) "On Locality and Discontinuity: Agreement as Across the Board Movement," in Abbas Benmamoun, ed., *Perspectives on Arabic Linguistics XII*, 45-82, John Benjamins Publishing Company, Amsterdam.

Hallman, Peter (1997) "Reiterative Syntax," in James R. Black and Virginia Motapanyane, eds., *Clitics, Pronouns and Movement*, 87-131, John Benjamins Publishing Company, Amsterdam.

### **Papers in Handbooks, Proceedings and Working Papers**

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Hallman, Peter (2017) "Arabic Semantics," in Abbas Benmamoun and Reem Bassiouney (eds.) *Handbook of Arabic Linguistics*. Routledge, London.

Hallman, Peter and Dalina Kallulli (2013) "Introduction to the Special Issue *Passive: Components and Composition*," *Lingua* 125:1-6.

Hallman, Peter (2012) "Prospects for a Syntactic Theory of Conservativity" in Graf, Thomas, Denis Paperno, Anna Szabolcsi and Jos Tellings (eds.) *Theories of Everything. In Honor of Ed Keenan*. UCLA Working Papers in Linguistics, vol. 17, pp. 103-108.

Hallman, Peter (2009) "Quantifier," entry in Kees Versteegh, ed., *Encyclopedia of Arabic Language and Linguistics*, vol. 4, 14-20, Brill Academic Publishers, Leiden.

Hallman, Peter (2006) "On a Categorical Distinction between Stative and Eventive Verbs," in Christopher Davis, Amy Rose Deal and Youri Zabbal, eds., *Proceedings of the 36th Annual Meeting of the North Eastern Linguistics Society*, 315-328, GLSA, Amherst, Mass.

Hallman, Peter (2007) "Interface Linguistics," entry in Kees Versteegh, ed., *Encyclopedia of Arabic Language and Linguistics*, vol. 2, 365-372, Brill Academic Publishers, Leiden.

Hallman, Peter (2004) "Constituency and Agency in VP," in Benjamin Schmeiser, Vineeta Chand, Ann Kelleher and Angelo Rodriguez, eds., *Proceedings of the 23rd West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics*, 304-317, Cascadilla Press, Somerville, Mass.

Hallman, Peter (2000) "Verb-Final as a Subcase of Verb-Second," in M. Hirotni, A. Coetzee, N. Hall and J.-Y. Kim, eds., *Proceedings of the 30th Annual Meeting of the North Eastern Linguistics Society*, GLSA, Amherst, Mass.

Hallman, Peter (2000) "The Structure of Agreement Failure in Lebanese Arabic," in Roger Billerey, ed., *Proceedings of the 19th West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics*, 178-190, Cascadilla Press, Somerville, Mass.

Hallman, Peter (1999) "Arabic Word Syntax," in Luca Storto, ed., *Syntax at Sunset 2: UCLA Working Papers in Linguistics*, vol. 3, 59-95, Department of Linguistics, UCLA, Los Angeles.

Hallman, Peter (1996) "German Complex Complementizers," in Edward Garrett and Felicia Lee, eds., *Syntax at Sunset: UCLA Working Papers in Syntax and Semantics*, vol. 1, 89-108, Department of Linguistics, UCLA, Los Angeles.

Hallman, Peter (1996) "Is Inflectional Syntax a Morphology Licensing System or a Feature Licensing System?" in Florian Menz and Martin Prinzhorn, eds., *Wiener Linguistische Gazette*, vol. 57-59, 101-120, Linguistics Institute of the University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria.

### **Edited Volumes**

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Hallman, Peter and Dalina Kallulli (2013) *Passive: Components and Composition*, *Lingua Special Issue*, vol. 125, ISSN 0024-3841

### **Invited Talks**

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"Double Object Constructions in Syrian Arabic," University of Geneva, Switzerland, Feb. 28, 2017.

"Quantity Superlatives in Arabic," Workshop on Quantity Superlatives, University of Gothenburg, Sweden, September 13-14, 2016.

"Morphosyntactic Division of Labor in the Arabic Perfect," Syntax of the Arabic Varieties Workshop, Geneva, August 28-29, 2015.

"The Temporal Nature of the State/Event Distinction," GLOW Workshop on Events and States, Paris, April 18, 2015.

"Insights into Predicate Structure from the Arabic Active Participles," 29th Arabic Linguistic Symposium, Milwaukee, April 9-11, 2015.

"The Temporal Foundations of the Aspectual Classes," Journée d'Études Ontologie et Typologie des Etats, CNRS/Université Paris 8, Paris, France. October 6, 2014.

"Superlatives in Syrian Arabic", Guest Lecture, AMIDEAST, Rabat, Morocco. July 1, 2013.

"Die Zeitwahrnehmung in der Differenzierung von Zuständen und Ereignissen" [The Perception of Time in the Differentiation of States and Events], Linguistics Colloquium, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität, Munich, Germany, June 29, 2011.

"Generativity in the Medieval Arabic Grammatical Tradition", Guest Lecture, Friends of Linguistics at the University of Toronto (FLAUT) Speaker Series, University of Toronto, Ontario, Canada. January 18, 2007.

"What are Theta Roles Assigned to, Exactly?" Linguistics Colloquium, University of Toronto, Ontario, Canada. January 13, 2006.

"Keeping Things in Proportion: Interactions of Proportionality and Cumulativity." Linguistics Colloquium, University of Toronto, Ontario, Canada. November 25, 2005.

"Scope, Case and Linking in Double Object Constructions." Linguistics Colloquium, McGill University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada. March 15, 2005.

"The Temporal Significance of *Do-So* and its Consequences for Subject Licensing." Linguistics Undergraduate Colloquium Series, Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada. November 14, 2003.

“A-Movement and Definiteness in Null Subject Languages.” Linguistics Colloquium, McGill University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada. May 9, 2003

“Arabic and the Universality of the Mapping Hypothesis.” Linguistics Colloquium, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA. March 7, 2003.

“Verb Movement and Asymmetric Coordination in West Germanic.” Linguistics Colloquium, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI. March 21, 2002.

“On Certain Inversion Phenomena in the Germanic Languages.” Verb-Second Workshop, Holland Institute of Linguistics (HIL), University of Amsterdam, the Netherlands. January 28, 1998.

### **Conference Presentations**

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“Existential and Universal Perfect in Syrian Arabic,” Generative Linguistics in the Old World (GLOW) 40, Leiden, the Netherlands. March 14-18, 2017.

“Active Result State Adjectival Participles in Syrian Arabic,” Workshop on Aspect and Argument Structure of Adjectives and Participles (WAASAP) 3, Lille, France. June 13-14, 2016.

“The German Double Object Alternation and its Consequences for the Treatment of ‘Inherent’ Case,” Germanic Linguistics Annual Conference, Reykjavik, Iceland. May 20-22, 2016.

“*All* and *Every* as Quantity Superlatives” (Poster) Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT) 26, Austin, Texas. May 12-15, 2016.

“Dative Recipients in French, Maltese and Arabic” with Maris Camilleri (Poster), Workshop on Arabic and Romance Linguistics, Stony Brook University, New York, April 3, 2016.

“The Arabic Perfect.” 41. Österreichische Linguistiktagung, Workshop Grammatiktheorie, Vienna, Austria. Dec. 6-8, 2014.

“Comparative and Superlative in Syrian Arabic.” International Conference on Linguistics - Petra I, Petra, Jordan. Nov. 19-21, 2013.

“Agreement as Differential Subject Marking.” Societas Linguistica Europaea 46th Annual Meeting, Split, Croatia. Sept. 18-21, 2013.

“The Structure of Superlatives in Syrian Arabic.” 6th International Arabic Linguistics Symposium, Ifrane, Morocco. June 26-28, 2013.

“Verbal Complexes in Lebanese Arabic.” BAALL’s First Conference on Afroasiatic Linguistics, Paris France. Nov. 25-27, 2010.

“On the Interaction of Specificity and Modification.” Specificity from Theoretical and Empirical Points of View, Stuttgart, Germany. Aug. 31-Sept. 2, 2010.

“On Two Modes of Externalization.” Morphological Voice and its Grammatical Interfaces: Theoretical Modeling and Psycholinguistic Validation, Vienna, Austria. June 25-27, 2010.

“On the Duration of States.” 9th International Conference on Tense, Aspect and Modality (Chronos9), Paris, France. Sept. 2-4, 2009.

“Definiteness in Inuktitut.” First Annual Meeting of California Universities Semantics and Pragmatics (CUSP), Los Angeles, CA. May 23-24, 2009.

“Incorporation of Null Arguments in Inuktitut.” Linguistic Society of America (LSA) Annual Meeting, Anaheim, CA. January 4-7, 2007.

“On Transitivity and Causativity in Arabic and English.” Linguistics Society of America (LSA) Annual Meeting, Albuquerque, NM. January 5-8, 2006.

“A Categorical Distinction between Stative and Eventive Verbs.” North Eastern Linguistics Society Annual Conference (NELS 36), University of Massachusetts, Amherst. October 28-30, 2005.

“Constituency and Agency in VP.” West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL 23), Davis, CA. April 23-25, 2004.

“A Pragmatic Analysis of Presuppositionality.” Linguistics Society of America (LSA) Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia. January 2-5, 2003.

“Stage- and Individual-Level Objects and Complex Predicates.” Michigan Linguistics Society (MLS) Annual Meeting, Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan. October 19, 2002.

“Two Truth Conditions for the English Progressive.” Sinn und Bedeutung (SuB7), Universität Konstanz, Konstanz, Germany. October 3-5, 2002.

“The Logical Form of Existential-*There* Constructions.” Linguistic Society of America (LSA) Annual Meeting, Washington, DC. January 4-7, 2001.

“Passive Morphology in Classical and Lebanese Arabic and English.” Ninth International Morphology Meeting, Vienna, Austria. February 25-27, 2000.

“The Structure of Agreement Failure in Lebanese Arabic.” West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL 19), Los Angeles, CA. February 5-7, 2000.

“Quantified Objects as Underlying Subjects.” Linguistic Society of America (LSA) Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL. January 6-9, 2000.

“Verb Final as a Subcase of Verb Second” (Poster). North Eastern Linguistics Society Annual Conference (NELS 30), Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ. October 22-24, 1999.

“Principled Concordance.” Twelfth Annual Symposium on Arabic Linguistics, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL. March 6-8, 1998.

“A Unified Account of Parallel and Asymmetric Verb Second.” Tagung der Generativen Germanistik des Süden (GGS), Institute of Linguistics, University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria. May 8-10, 1997.

“The Position of German Main Verbs is Invariant.” Germanic Linguistics Third Annual Conference (GLAC 3), UCLA, Los Angeles, CA. April 25-27, 1997.

## **Other Presentations**

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“On the Duration of States.” Syntax and Semantics Seminar, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, Oct. 9, 2009.

“The Definiteness Hierarchy in Syntax: A Reply to Aissen (2003).” Syntax and Semantics Seminar, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, April 10, 2009.

“Scope and Referential Opacity in Inuktitut.” Syntax and Semantics Seminar, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, Oct. 10, 2008.

“Definiteness in Inuktitut.” American Indian Seminar, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, Oct. 7, 2008.

“Quantifier-Aspect Interactions in the English Progressive.” Syntax and Semantics Seminar, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, April 4, 2008.

“On the Relation between Numeral and Predicate Modifiers.” Workshop on Determiners and Classifiers, University of Toronto, June 5, 2007.

“A Proposal on Partitivity in Finnish.” Syntax/Semantics Project Meeting, University of Toronto, April 13, 2007.

“Overt and Covert Objects in Inuktitut.” Project Meeting: Object Omission and Transitivity in Child Language, University of Toronto, March, 2007.

“Causatives in Arabic and their Participles.” McGill Syntax Project Meeting, March 3, 2005.

“What Asymmetric Coordination Says about Verb Placement in German.” McGill Syntax Project Meeting, October 21, 2003.

“A Remnant Movement Analysis of Some Properties of the English Auxiliary System.” Syntax Support Group, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI. March 8, 2002.

“Morphological Cues of Valency in Arabic and their Syntactic Basis.” Linguistics Colloquium, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI. October 5, 2001.

“The Syntactic Function of Arity Changing Morphology.” Linguistics Colloquium, University of North Texas, Denton, TX. March 26, 2001.

“Eventiveness, Existentiality and Intensionality.” Linguistics Colloquium, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA. January 26, 2001.

“The Morphosyntax of Passivization.” Ling Lunch Series, MIT, Cambridge, MA. November 16, 2000.

“Predicate Decomposition: the Morphosyntax of Passive in Arabic and English.” Syntax and Semantics Seminar, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA. June 2, 2000.

“No Autonomous Morphology.” Syntax and Semantics Seminar, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA. November 27, 1998.

“Semantic Decomposition of Templatic Morphology in Arabic.” Vrije Universiteit, Amsterdam, the Netherlands. January 29, 1998.

“Verb Placement and Negation in English and French.” Rijksuniversiteit Leiden, the Netherlands. January 27, 1998.

“On Certain Inversion Phenomena in the Germanic Languages.” Syntax and Semantics Seminar, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA. January 23, 1998.

“The Position of German Main Verbs is Invariant.” Syntax and Semantics Seminar, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA. February 28, 1997.

“The Syntax of Complex Complementizers.” Syntax and Semantics Seminar, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA. May 10, 1996.

### **Memberships on PhD and Evaluation Committees**

Isabelle Charneval, UCLA: “*Propre*: a Flexible Intensifier Counterpart to *Meme* in Possessive DPs”, MA committee 2007-2008.

Heather Burnett, UCLA: “Formal Approaches to Semantic Microvariation: Adverbial Quantifiers in European and Québec French”, MA committee 2007-2008.

Tanya Slavin, University of Toronto: “Relating Event Arguments: A Semantic Analysis of the Preverb *Ishi-* in Oji-Cree” Evaluation committee, 2007-2008.

Chigusa Morita, McGill University: “Where are Quantifiers Interpreted?” Evaluation committee, 2003 - 2005.

Yuhko Kayama, McGill University: “L2 Acquisition of Japanese Relative Clauses”. Evaluation committee, 2003 - 2005.

Mizuki Mazzotta, McGill University: “Acquisition of Japanese Complementizers by English Speaking L2 Learners”. Evaluation committee, 2003 - 2004.

Rose Letsholo, University of Michigan: “Syntactic Domains in Ikalanga”. Dissertation committee, 2001 - 2003.

### **Memberships in Professional Organizations**

Since 1997 Linguistic Society of America  
Since 2003 American Association for the Advancement of Science  
Since 2013 Vienna Linguistics Society (Wiener Linguistische Gesellschaft)

### **Other Professional Activities**

2017 Reviewer: *Canadian Journal of Linguistics, Perspectives on Arabic Linguistics, Folia Linguistica, Glossa, Studies in Language*  
Scientific Committee: *SinFonIJA X* and *Resolving Conflicts across Borders (RCAB)*

2016 Reviewer: *Canadian Journal of Linguistics, Natural Language and Linguistic Theory, Perspectives on Arabic Linguistics, Folia Linguistica*

2015 Reviewer: *Linguistic Inquiry, Lingua, Studia Linguistica, Annual of Afroasiatic Linguistics*  
Scientific Committee: *GLOW 39*, Göttingen, Germany

2014 Reviewer: *Lingua, Pragmatics, Linguistic Review, Perspectives on Arabic Linguistics, Syntax-Semantics Interface*  
Scientific Committee, *GLOW 38*, Paris, France

2013 Scientific Committee, *Sinn und Bedeutung 18 (SuB)*, Vitoria-Gasteiz, Spain

2012 Organizing Committee: *SinFonIJA 5*, Vienna, Austria



- 2011 Session Chair: *SinFonIJA 5*, Vienna Austria  
 Reviewer: *Linguistics and Philosophy, International Journal of American Linguistics*
- 2010 Reviewer: *Linguistics and Philosophy*  
 Scientific Committee: *Generative Linguistics in the Old World 34 (GLOW)*, Vienna, Austria  
 Session Chair: *Morphological Voice and its Grammatical Interfaces*, Vienna, Austria)
- 2009 Reviewer: *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory, Language*  
 Scientific Committee: *Sinn und Bedeutung 14 (SuB)*, Vienna, Austria
- 2008 Reviewer: *Linguistic Inquiry, Natural Language and Linguistic Theory*  
 Scientific Committee: *North Eastern Linguistics Society 39 (NELS)*, Ithaca, NY  
 Session chair: *West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics (WCCFL)*, Los Angeles, CA
- 2007 Reviewer: *Syntax*
- 2006 Reviewer: *Syntax, Linguistic Inquiry, Proceedings of FASL 15 (Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics, May 2006, Toronto, Canada)*  
 Scientific Committee: *International Conference on East Asian Languages (November 2006, Toronto, Canada)*.  
 Session chair: *International Conference on East Asian Languages (November 2006, Toronto, Canada)*.
- 2003 Scientific Committee: *North Eastern Linguistics Society 34 (NELS)*, Stony Brook, NY  
 Commissioned consulting: provided an affidavit on pragmatic vs. semantic implicature to a civil court

## University Service

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- 2009-2010 Admissions committee member (UCLA)  
 2008-2009 Fellowships committee member (UCLA)  
 2007-2008 Admissions committee member (UCLA)  
 2006-2007 Liaison professor for the working papers committee (University of Toronto).  
 2001-2003 Colloquium committee chair (University of Michigan)