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Curriculum Vitae

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Education

2022–pres. Post-doctoral position
Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology – Germany

2015–2022 Ph.D. in Linguistics
The University of Texas at Austin – USA

2011–2013 M.A. in Linguistics
Universidad de Sonora – México

2005–2011 B.A. in Letters (concentration: Linguistics)
Universidad Nacional del Nordeste – Argentina

2005–2010 Spanish and Hispanic Literature Teaching
Universidad Nacional del Nordeste – Argentina

Publications

Peer reviewed

- to appear
- a. Juárez, Cristian. Wordhood and constituency in Mocoví (Guaycuruan, Argentina). In Tallman, Adam, Sandra Auderset & Hiroto Uchihara. *Constituency and Convergence in the Americas*. Berlin: Language Science Press.
 - b. Juárez, Cristian & Adriana, Zurlo. Relaciones simétricas en dos lenguas guaycurúes: toba y mocoví. To appear in Regúnaga, Alejandra, Dionei Gomez & Arthur Scandelari. E-Book on *Morphosyntax of South American languages*. ALFAL.

- 2022 | Juárez, Cristian. Relaciones flexibles en mocoví (guaycuruan): morfología y léxico. *Revista de la Sociedad Argentina de Estudios Lingüísticos*. Special dossier on Discusiones en torno a la flexibilidad categorial y la flexibilidad de selección categorial de los afijos en lenguas de Sudamérica. <https://doi.org/10.56683/rs222135>
- 2021 | Juárez, Cristian & Albert Álvarez González. Explaining the antipassive-causative syncretism in Mocoví (Guaycuruan): A diachronic account. In Janic Katarzyna and Alena Witzlack-Makarevich (Eds). *Antipassive: Typology, diachrony and related constructions* (pp. 315–348). Amsterdam/ Philadelphia: John Benjamins. <https://doi.org/10.1075/tsl.130.10jua>
- 2017 | Juárez, Cristian & Albert Álvarez González. The antipassive marking in Mocoví. Forms and Functions. In Álvarez González, A & Ía Navarro Ibarra (Eds.), *Verb valency changes: Theoretical and typological perspectives* (pp. 228-255). Amsterdam/ Philadelphia: John Benjamins. <https://doi.org/10.1075/tsl.120.09jua>

In preparation

Juárez, Cristian. The typology of causative-instrument nominalizations. (Building on talk in 2021c, see below)

Fieldwork community publication

- 2021 | Aquino, Gonzalo, Héctor, José, Nieves José & Juárez, Cristian. *Historias que contaban los antiguos. Caminos al mundo mocoví*. Resistencia: ConTexto. Full version available here: https://www.elararchive.org/uncategorized/S0_8eca412c-bd53-437f-b768-ab0403b9ddea/

Archive collection

- 2019 | Juárez, Cristian. Documentation and description of Northern Chaco Mocoví (Guaycuruan, Argentina). *Endangered Languages Archive* (ELAR). <https://www.elararchive.org/dk0608/>

Presentations & Invited talks

- 2021 | a. Juárez, Cristian & Adriana Zurlo. Propiedades semántico-sintácticas de las construcciones recíprocas en mocoví y toba (guaycurú, Argentina). *ALFAL*, August 10. Online.

- b. Juárez, Cristian. Third person encoding in Mocoví and its implications for language asymmetry explanations. *IX Syntax of the World languages*, Perú. Accepted but conference cancelled due to COVID 19.
- c. Juárez, Cristian. The causative-instrumental polysemy: evidence from languages of the Gran Chaco. Paper presented at *SSILA*, January 8. Online.
- d. Tallman, Adam & Cristian Juárez. Recursive structure as constituency diagnostics in Chácobo and Mocoví. Paper presented at *SSILA*, January 7. Online.
- 2020 a. Juárez, Cristian. Causativización y nominalización instrumental en mocoví (guaycurú, Argentina). Tipología y evolución. Invited talk at the *Seminar Reflexiones gramaticales sobre las lenguas indígenas de América*, Universidad Pública del Alto, Bolivia, November 22. Online.
- b. Juárez, Cristian. Expanding the causative-instrumental polysemy: evidence from Mocoví (Guaycuruan, Argentina) Paper presented at the *Seminar Diacronía, adposiciones y argumentos nucleares y oblicuos*, Universidad de Sonora, Mexico, November 12-13. Online.
- 2019 a. Juárez Cristian. Documentación y descripción en el Gran Chaco Argentino: el caso del mocoví del centro-norte chaqueño. Plenary talk at the *Seminario Permanente de lenguas indígenas*. Instituto Caro y Cuervo, Colombia, November 16.
- b. Juárez, Cristian. El proceso de investigación lingüística: documentación y descripción del mocoví chaqueño. Invited talk at the Universidad de La Cuenca del Plata, Chaco, Argentina, October 8.
- c. Juárez, Cristian. Defocalización de agente en lenguas guaycurúes: origen y evolución. Poster presentation at *Semana Cultural 2019. Perspectivas del quehacer lingüístico*, Universidad de Sonora, Sonora, México, March 25-29.
- 2018 a. Juárez, Cristian. Agent defocusing constructions in Mocoví: Beyond the passive. Paper presented at the *Syntax of the World's languages VIII*, Paris, France, September 3-5.
- b. Tallman, Adam, Wylie, D., Adell, E., Bermudez, N., Camacho-Rios, G., Epps, P., Everdell, M., Gutierrez, A., Juárez, C. and Woodbury, A. Constituency and the morphology-syntax divide in the languages of America: towards a distributional typology. Paper presented at the *Workshop on American Indigenous Languages*, University of Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, USA, April 20-21.
- 2017 a. Juárez, Cristian. Nominalizaciones de objeto y su relación con significados pasivos en mocoví (guaycurú, Argentina). Paper presented at the *Conference on Latin American Indigenous Languages*. The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, USA, October 26-28.

- b. Juárez, Cristian. Types of direct causativization in Mocoví (Guaycuruan, Argentina). Paper presented at the *Workshop on American Indigenous Languages*. University of Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, USA, May 12-13.
- 2016 Juárez, Cristian & Albert Álvarez-González. The suffix -(a)gan as an antipassive and a causative marker in Mocoví (Guaycuruan, Argentina). Paper presented at the *49th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea*, Naples, Italy, August 31–September 3.
- 2015 Juárez, Cristian. and Albert Álvarez-González. The origin of the antipassive/causative syncretism in Mocoví. Paper presented at *Diachronic Syntax of South American Languages*, Lyon, France May 30, 2015.
- 2014 a. Juárez, Cristian & Albert Álvarez González. The syncretism between antipassive and causativization in Mocoví. Paper presented at *Syntactic Complexity Seminar*, Universidad de Sonora, Sonora, Mexico, November 10-11.
- b. Juárez, Cristian & Zarina Estrada Fernández. El conectivo discursivo *ko* en pima bajo. *The XIII International Linguistics Conference in Northwest Mexico*. Universidad de Sonora, Sonora, Mexico, November 13-14.
- c. Juárez, Cristian. Dos mecanismos de voz en mocoví: pasiva y antipativa. Paper presented at *The Linguistics Colloquium*, Universidad de Sonora, Sonora, Mexico, June 27.
- 2013 a. Juárez, Cristian. Tipos de cláusulas en mocoví (guaycurú, Argentina) . Paper presented at *The Linguistics Colloquium*, Universidad de Sonora, Sonora, Mexico, May 3.
- b. Juárez, Cristian. Nominalización de cláusulas en mocoví (guaycurú, Argentina). Paper presented at *The IX International Student Forum of Linguistics and Literature*, Universidad de Sonora, Sonora, Mexico, February 20-22.
- 2012 a. Juárez, Cristian & Albert Álvarez González. Pronombres personales independientes en el mocoví (guaycurú) hablado en Colonia Aborigen (Argentina). Paper presented at *The XII International Linguistics Conference in Northwest Mexico*, Universidad de Sonora, Sonora, Mexico, November 14-17.
- b. Juárez, Cristian. Cláusulas transitivas e intransitivas en el mocoví hablado en Colonia Aborigen (Argentina). Paper presented at *The Linguistics Colloquium*. M.A. in Linguistics, Universidad de Sonora, Sonora, Mexico, October 28.
- c. Juárez, Cristian. Sistemas de alineación en cláusulas bitransitivas en mocoví (familia guaycurú, Argentina). El caso del verbo *dar*. Paper presented at *The VIII International Student Forum of Linguistics and Literature*. Universidad de Sonora, April 25-27.

- 2011 Juárez, Cristian. Sistema de alineamiento en mocoví, lengua chaqueña. Paper presented at *The Linguistics Colloquium*. M.A. in Linguistics, Universidad de Sonora, Sonora, Mexico, September 23.

Scholarships, Grants & Awards

- 2019–2021 *NSF-Documenting Endangered Languages - Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant*, ID 1918028. The Interaction of Transitivity Alternations and Verbal Affix Stacking in a Morphologically Complex Language. [Project available here](#).
- Endangered Languages Documentation Programme (ELDP) grant*, ID IGS0365. Documentation and Description of Northern Chaco Mocoví. [Project available here](#).
- 2020–2021 *Continuing Graduate Student Fellow*. Summer-Summer, University of Texas at Austin.
- 2019–2020 *Graduate Dean's Prestigious Fellowship Supplement*. September-August. University of Texas at Austin.
- 2013–2014 *Research Assistant Scholarship*. CONACYT (México).
- 2013 *Honorable Mention. M.A. Thesis*. Sistemas de alineación en el mocoví (guaycurú) hablado en Colonia Aborigen (Chaco, Argentina). Universidad de Sonora, November 07.
- Visiting Research Student Scholarship* at the Department of Linguistics at Max Planck Institute. CONACYT (México). March-April.
- 2011–2013 *National Scholarship*. CONACYT (México). August 2011- August 2013.
- 2011 *Research Scholarship. Type A*. General Secretary of Science and Technology. Universidad Nacional del Nordeste (Argentina). Project: Sistemas de alineación en el mocoví (guaycurú) hablado en Colonia Aborigen (Quitilipi, Chaco). Advisor: Dr. Marisa Censabella; Co-Advisor: Dr. Ma. Belén Carpio. Declined: 09/05/11 due to the beginning of the M.A. in Linguistics at the University of Sonora.

Teaching & Research positions

- Fall 2021 *Assistant Instructor*. SPN 601D Beginning Spanish. University of Texas at Austin.

Spring 2020	<i>Assistant Instructor.</i> LIN 345 Language Change and Language Variation. University of Texas at Austin.
Spring 2019	<i>Assistant Instructor.</i> SPN 601D Beginning Spanish. University of Texas at Austin.
Fall 2018	<i>Teacher Assistant (UGS).</i> Cross-cultural tongues. University of Texas at Austin.
Spring 2018	<i>Teacher Assistant.</i> Introduction to the Study of Language. University of Texas at Austin.
Fall 2017	<i>Teacher Assistant.</i> Introduction to the Study of Language. University of Texas at Austin.
Spring 2017	<i>Research Assistant.</i> PI: Patience Epps. University of Texas at Austin.
Fall 2016	<i>Teacher Assistant.</i> Indigenous Languages of the Americas. University of Texas at Austin.
Spring 2016	<i>Teacher Assistant.</i> Course: Introduction to the Study of Language. University of Texas at Austin
Fall 2015	<i>Teacher Assistant.</i> Course: Language Change and Language Variation. University of Texas at Austin.
2013-2014	<i>Research Assistant.</i> Project: Documentation and Description of Uto-Aztecan Languages (Pima Bajo and Tarahumara). PI: Dr. Zarina Estrada Fernandez, Universidad de Sonora.
2013	<i>Intern Research.</i> Place: Department of Linguistics at Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology. Leipzig, Germany. March-April.
2012-2013	<i>Teacher Assistant.</i> Undergraduate courses of Syntax I and Syntax II. B. A. in Linguistics. Main Professor: Dr. Zarina Estrada Fernández, Universidad de Sonora.
2010-2011	<i>Intern Research.</i> Project: Técnicas de transcripción fonética, fonológica, análisis morfosintáctico y traducción al español de un relato mítico en lengua toba (guaycurú). Place: Núcleo de Estudio de Lenguas Minoritarias Americanas-Instituto de Investigaciones Geohistóricas-Consejo Nacional de Investigaciones Científicas y Técnicas. Advisor: Dr. Marisa Censabella
2009-2008	<i>Intern Research (ad honorem).</i> Class: Semiotics (Universidad Nacional del Nordeste, Argentina). Final work: Teoría y crítica del discurso ideológico. El discurso presidencial en relación con la crisis del campo. Advisor: Dr. Natalia Colombo. Grade: 10/10.

Mentoring

Mélani Damilano (UNNE)	Intern Research at Instituto de Investigaciones Geohistóricas-UNNE. Research Project: Adquisición de técnicas de trabajo de campo y descripción lingüística aplicadas al estudio de la lengua moqoit (guaycurú). 2020-2021
Hailey Revell (UT)	Research Assistant in NSF-Documenting Endangered Languages - Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant, ID 1918028. Spring 2020

Fieldwork & Descriptive Work

Guaycuruan languages

Mocoví	2011-present. Documentation and description of Mocoví communities in the north-central region of Chaco (Argentina).
Toba	2010-2011, 2021. Phonetic, phonological and morphosyntactic analysis of a narrative text in addition to new collected data in the Colonia Aborigen region (Chaco, Argentina).

Uto-Aztecan

Pima Bajo	2013-2015. Elicitation sessions and text transcription of Pima narratives with the assistance of a native speaker. Corpus documented by Dr. Zarina Estrada Fernández (Universidad de Sonora, México)
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Professional References

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