

Curriculum Vitae

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Research interests

formal semantics · pragmatics · corpus linguistics · discourse structure ·
multi-modal discourse · philosophy of language

Education

2010 Ph.D., University of Texas at Austin

Thesis title: *Presuppositional Indexicals*

Committee: R. Mark Sainsbury and David Beaver (co-directors)

Daniel Bonevac, L. Ray Buchanan, Josh Dever, Hans Kamp, François Recanati

(*The University of Texas does not give honors for doctoral degrees*)

2004 B.A., philosophy, University of Texas at Austin

With highest honors

Awards

2015 Juan de la Cierva fellowship, Spanish post-doctoral fellowship awarded to Dr. Hunter to support research at Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, under the mentorship of Louise McNally. (Two year fellowship, starting 1 April, 2016.)

2011 1 April - 31 July, Lichtenberg-Kolleg Post-doctoral fellowship, Georg-August-Universität, Göttingen, Germany. Hosted by Dr. Magdalena Kaufmann, Dr. Regine Eckardt, and Dr. Christian Beyer.

2006 Summer Scholarship, department of philosophy at the University of Texas at Austin.

2006 High Commendation, department of philosophy at the University of Texas at Austin.

2003 Phi Beta Kappa

Employment

2016 - 2018: Juan de la Cierva fellow

Two-year competitive fellowship awarded by the Spanish government

Supervisor: L. McNally

Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona

2014 - 2016: Post-doctoral researcher for *Strategic Conversation* (STAC)

ERC grant 269427; PI: N. Asher; 18 month post-doc

IRIT, Université Paul Sabatier, Toulouse

2013 - 2014: Post-doctoral researcher for *Polymnie*

ANR grant; local director: L. Danlos; 12 month post-doc

ALPAGE, Université Paris Diderot and INRIA, Paris

- 2012 - 2013: Enseignante d'anglais
 Département d'Arts, Lettres, et Langues
 Centre Universitaire Jean-François Champollion, Albi
- 2011 - 2012: Maître de Langue
 U.F.R. de Lettres, Langues et Sciences Humaines
 Département d'anglais, Université de Pau et des Pays de l'Adour
- 2011 Post-doctoral fellow at the Lichtenberg-Kolleg, Göttingen (four month fellowship)
- 2007 Research assistant for *Discourse Structure and Coreference Resolution* (DiSCoR)
 NSF grant IIS-0535154; PIs: N. Asher & J. Baldridge; one semester assistantship
 University of Texas at Austin
- 2004 - 2009: Teaching assistant, 7 semesters, University of Texas at Austin

Publications

Submitted and in preparation

- 2019 Asher, N., Hunter, J., Thompson, C. 'Comparing discourse structures between purely linguistic and situated messages in an annotated corpus'. Submitted to *Dialogue & Discourse*.
- 2019 Hunter, J. 'Coherence, Questions and Discourse Goals'. Invited contribution to Altshuler, D. (ed.), *Linguistics Meets Philosophy*, Cambridge University Press. In preparation.

Journal articles

- 2018 Hunter, J. 'Relating Gesture to Speech: reflections on the role of conditional presuppositions'. Forthcoming in *Linguistics & Philosophy*.
- 2018 Hunter, J., Asher, N., Lascarides, A. 'A Formal Semantics for Situated Conversation'. Forthcoming in *Semantics & Pragmatics*.
- 2016 Hunter, J. 'Reports in Discourse,' *Dialogue & Discourse*, vol. 7 (4): 1-35.
- 2014 Hunter, J. 'Structured Contexts and Anaphoric Dependencies,' *Philosophical Studies*, vol. 168 (1): 35-58.
- 2013 Hunter, J. 'Presuppositional Indexicals,' *Journal of Semantics*, vol. 30 (3): 381-421. (Published online: August 2012; doi: 10.1093/jos/ffs013)
- 2007 Baldridge, J., Asher, N., Hunter, J. 'Annotation For and Robust Parsing of Discourse Structure on Unrestricted Texts,' *Zeitschrift für Sprachwissenschaft* 26: 213-239.

Book chapters

- 2018 Hunter, J., del Prete, F.. 'A Brief Philosophical History of Implicatures'/'Petite Histoire des Implicatures.' In Beyssade, C. (ed.) *Au delà du sens littéral : les implicatures*, ISTE Editions (forthcoming).
- 2017 Hunter, J., Abrusán, M. 'Rhetorical Relations and QUDs.' In Otake, M., Kurahashi, S., Ota, Y., Aatoh, K., Bekki, D. (eds.) *New Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence: JSAI-isAI 2015 Workshops, LENLS, JURISIN, AAA, HAT-MASH, TSDAA, ASD-HR, and SKL Kanagawa, Japan, November 16-18, 2015*, Lecture Notes in Artificial Intelligence 10091, Springer, pp. 41-57.

2012 Hunter, J. ‘Now: A Discourse-Based Theory’. In Aloni, M., Kimmelman, V., Roelofsen, F., Sassoon, G., Schulz, K., Westera, M. (eds.), *Logic, Language and Meaning – 18th Amsterdam Colloquium, Amsterdam, The Netherlands, December 19-21, 2011, Revised Selected Papers*. Springer, pp. 371-380. doi: 10.1007/978-3-642-31482-7_38.

2012 Asher, N., Hunter, J. ‘Aspectual Coercions in Content Composition’. In *Space and Time in Languages and Cultures*, John Benjamins Publishing Company, Amsterdam, pp. 55-81.

Conference proceedings

2018 Hunter, J., Asher, N. ‘Composing Discourse Parenthetical Reports’. In Truswell, R., Cummins, C., Heycock, C., Rabern, B., and Rohde, H. (eds.), *Sinn und Bedeutung 21* (vol. 1), pp. 587-604.

2018 Asher, N., Hunter, J., Paul, S. ‘Games in Linguistics’. In Truswell, R., Cummins, C., Heycock, C., Rabern, B., and Rohde, H. (eds.), *Sinn und Bedeutung 21* (vol. 1), pp. 53-71.

2016 Hunter, J., Asher, N. ‘Shapes of Conversation and At-Issue Content’. In Moroney, M., Little, C.R., Collard, J., Burgdorf, D. (eds.), *Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT) 26*, pp. 1022-1042.

2016 Asher, N., Hunter, J., Morey, M., Kow, E., Afantenos, S., Muller, P., Benamara, F., Perret, J. ‘Discourse structure and dialogue acts in multiparty dialogue: the STAC corpus’. In *The 10th International Conference on Language Resources and Evaluation (LREC)*. European Language Resources Association, pp. 2721-2727.

2015 Hunter, J., Asher, N., Kow, E., Perret, J., Afantenos, S. ‘Defining the Right Frontier in Multi-Party Dialogue’. In Howes, C., Larsson, S. (eds.), *The Semantics and Pragmatics of Dialogue (SemDial/GoDial)*, University of Gothenburg, pp. 95-103.

2015 Hunter, J., Asher, N., Lascarides, A. ‘Integrating Non-Linguistic Events into Discourse Structure’. In Purver M., Sadrzadeh, M., Stone, M. (eds.), *The 11th International Conference on Computational Semantics (IWCS)*. Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), pp. 184-194.

2014 Hunter, J., Danlos, L. ‘Because We Say So’. In *The Workshop on Computational Approaches to Causality in Language* (14th Conference of the European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics - EACL). Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), pp. 1-9.

2013 Hardt, D., Asher, N., Hunter, J. ‘VP Ellipsis Without Indices’. In Snider, T. (ed.), *Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT) 26*, pp. 239-256.

2010 Hunter, J. ‘Descriptive’ Indexicals’. In *Les Journées de Sémantique et de Modélisation*, Nancy.

2006 Hunter, J., Asher, N., Reese, B., Denis, P. ‘Evidentiality and Intensionality: Two uses of reportative constructions in discourse’. In *The 2006 Workshop on Constraints in Discourse Structure (CID-2006)*.

2005 Hunter, J., Asher, N. ‘A Presuppositional Account of Indexicals’. In Dekker, P., Franke, M. (eds.), *The Fifteenth Amsterdam Colloquium*.

Edited volumes

- 2016 Hunter, J., Simons, M., Stone, M. *Proceedings of the 20th Workshop on the Semantics and Pragmatics of Dialogue*.

Technical reports

- 2007 Reese, B., Hunter, J., Asher, N., Denis, P., Baldridge, J. 'Reference manual for the analysis and annotation of rhetorical structure'. Technical report, University of Texas at Austin.

Presentations*Keynote presentations*

- 2018 'Relating Gesture to Speech,' at *Linguistic Investigations Beyond Language: Gestures, Body Movement and Primate Linguistics*. ZAS, Berlin.
- 2015 'Modelling the Right-Frontier in Multi-Party Dialogue,' at *(In)Coherence in Discourse 3*. Loria — Inria Nancy Grand-Est, Nancy.

Invited workshop and conference presentations

- 2016 Reponse to 'What is the role of coherence (QUD) in coreference?' by Hannah Rohde (and Andrew Kehler), at the *Anaphora and Coherence Workshop* at the North American Summer School for Logic, Language and Information (NASSLLI). New Brunswick.
- 2016 'On the discourse function of parenthetical reports,' at the workshop *Backgrounded reports: commitment and negation in parenthetical reports and reportative evidentials*. Radboud University, Nijmegen.
- 2015 'Projection and Indexicality,' at the workshop *Projection in Discourse*. Groningen.
- 2015 'On the Discourse Function of Parenthetical Reports,' at the CREST *International Workshop on Formal and Computational Semantics*. Kyoto.
- 2012 'Lessons from the Rhetorical Properties of *Now*,' at the conference *Departing from Sainsbury*. University of Barcelona.
- 2011 'Non-Indexical 'Indexicals',' at the conference *Content, Context and Conversation*. The Georg-August-Universität Göttingen and the Lichtenberg-Kolleg, Göttingen.
- 2011 Response to 'Epistemic Indefinites Cross-Linguistically' by Angelika Port & Maria Aloni at *The Paris-Amsterdam Logic Meetings of Young Researchers (PALMYR X)*, Paris.
- 2010 'Presupposing Character,' at *The Paris-Amsterdam Logic Meetings of Young Researchers (PALMYR IX)*, Amsterdam. Response by Maria Aloni.
- 2008 Response to 'How to Disagree About Nothing' by Lenny Clapp, at the 3rd Annual Conference of the University of Texas and the Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México.
- 2006 Response to 'Truth and What is Said' by Elia Zardini, at the 3rd Annual Graduate Student Conference at the University of Texas at Austin.

Conference presentations (refereed)

- 2016 Hunter, J., Asher, N. ‘Composing Discourse Parenthetical Reports,’ at *New Ideas in Semantics and Modelling* (NISM), Paris. (presented by N. Asher)
- 2016 Hunter, J., Asher, N. ‘Composing Discourse Parenthetical Reports,’ at *Sinn und Bedeutung* (SuB), Edinburgh.
- 2016 Hunter, J., Asher, N. ‘Shapes of Conversation and At-Issue Content,’ at *Semantics and Linguistic Theory* (SALT) 26, Austin.
- 2016 Asher, N., Hunter, J., Morey, M., Benamara, F., Afantenos, S. ‘Discourse structure and dialogue acts in multiparty dialogue: the STAC corpus,’ at *The 10th International Conference on Language Resources and Evaluation* (LREC), Portorož. (presented by S. Afantenos)
- 2015 Hunter, J., Abrusán, M. ‘Rhetorical Relations and QUDs,’ at *Logic and Engineering of Natural Language Semantics* (LENLS), Tokyo.
- 2015 Hunter, J., Asher, N., Kow, E., Perret, J., Afantenos, S. ‘Defining the Right Frontier in Multi-Party Dialogue,’ at *The 19th Workshop on the Semantics and Pragmatics of Dialogue* (SemDial/GoDial), Gothenburg.
- 2015 Asher, N., Hunter, J. ‘STAC: Annotating Discourse Structure in Multi-Party Negotiation Dialogues,’ at *The 14th International Pragmatics Conference*, Antwerp. (presented by N. Asher)
- 2015 Hunter, J., Asher, N., Lascarides, A. ‘Integrating Non-Linguistic Events into Discourse Structure,’ at *The 11th International Conference on Computational Semantics* (IWCS), London.
- 2014 Hunter, J., Danlos, L. ‘Because We Say So,’ at the *Workshop on Computational Approaches to Causality in Language* (14th Conference of the European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics - EACL), Gothenburg.
- 2013 Hardt, D., Asher, N., Hunter, J. ‘VP Ellipsis Without Indices,’ at *Semantics and Linguistic Theory* (SALT) 23, University of California, Santa Cruz. (presented by D. Hardt)
- 2011 Hunter, J. ‘Now: A Discourse-Based Theory,’ at *The 18th Amsterdam Colloquium*, Amsterdam.
- 2011 Hunter, J. ‘From Character to Presupposition,’ at *Semantics, Pragmatics and Rhetoric* (SPR), Donostia/San Sebastian.
- 2011 Hunter, J. ‘Structured Contexts and Nuanced Strategies: Towards a General Theory of Definites,’ at *Philosophy of Language and Mind* (PLM), Stockholm.
- 2011 Hunter, J. ‘Now: A Discourse-Based Theory,’ at *Constraints in Discourse* (CID), Agay.
- 2011 Hunter, J. ‘Now: A Discourse-Based Theory,’ at *Meaning, Context and Implicit Content*, Château de Cerisy-la-Salle.
- 2010 Hunter, J. ‘Descriptive’ Indexicals,’ at *Les Journées de Sémantique et de Modélisation* (JSM), Nancy.

- 2006 Hunter, J., Reese, B., Denis, P., Asher, N. ‘Crossing Dependencies and Discourse Relations of Attribution,’ at the *Konferenz zur Verarbeitung Natürlicher Sprache (KONVENS) 8*, SDRT workshop (*Segmented Discourse Representation Theory*), Konstanz.
- 2006 Hunter, J., Asher, N., Reese, B., Denis, P. ‘Evidentiality and Intensionality,’ at *Constraints in Discourse (CID) 2*, Dublin.
- 2005 Hunter, J., Asher, N. ‘A Presuppositional Account of Indexicals,’ at *The 15th Amsterdam Colloquium*, Amsterdam.
- 2005 Hunter, J., Asher, N. ‘A Presuppositional Account of Indexicals,’ at *Semantics, Pragmatics, Rhetoric (SPR)*, Donostia/San Sebastian.

Seminars and other presentations

- 2018 ‘Discourse Structure and Conceptualization in Situated Conversation,’ GLiF seminar, Universitat Pompeu Fabra.
- 2016 ‘Now: A Discourse-Based Theory,’ Colloquium on Free Indirect Discourse, Cologne.
- 2014 ‘Discourse Topic,’ 5th Meeting of the DFG Network on Questions in Discourse, Stuttgart (with Marta Abrusan).
- 2012 ‘Structured Contexts and Anaphoric Dependencies,’ Arché seminar, University of St. Andrews.
- 2012 ‘Sur les Propriétés Rhétoriques de “Now” en Anglais,’ Séminaire CLLE-ERSS, Mirail, Toulouse.
- 2011 ‘Anaphoric Uses of *Now*,’ Linguistics Oberseminar, Philippa Cook and Paula Menendez Benito, Department of English, Georg-August-Universität Göttingen.
- 2011 ‘Context Sensitivity in Semantics and Discourse,’ Lichtenberg-Kolleg, Göttingen.
- 2010 ‘Descriptive’ Indexicals,’ Séminaire de la philosophie du langage et de l’esprit, François Recanati, Institut Jean-Nicod, Paris.
- 2009 ‘Descriptive’ Indexicals,’ Semantics seminar, Professor Dr. Magdalena Kaufmann, Georg-August-Universität, Göttingen.
- 2009 ‘Sense Uncertainty,’ Séminaire doctoral, ‘La Première Personne,’ Professor François Recanati, L’EHESS, Paris, *donné en français*.
- 2009 ‘Sense Uncertainty,’ Semantics and pragmatics colloquium, Rob van der Sandt, Radboud University, Nijmegen.
- 2007 Guest lecture in Dr. Mark Sainsbury’s undergraduate seminar on the philosophy of language, University of Texas at Austin.

Professional service

2017 Member of the organizing committee for *The European Summer School for Logic, Language, and Information* (ESSLLI) 2017, Université Paul Sabatier, Toulouse.

2017 Joined editorial board of *Semantics & Pragmatics*.

2016 Program Co-Chair for *The 20th Workshop on the Semantics and Pragmatics of Dialogue* (SemDial/JerSem), Rutgers University, New Brunswick.

2016 Examiner for the thesis proposal of Kata Wohlmuth. Proposal title: ‘Plural Quantification in Context’. Director: Louise McNally, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona.

2011 Co-organizer of the international conference *Speaking of Possibility and Time II*, the Lichtenberg-Kolleg and the Georg-August-Universität, Göttingen.

2006 Member of the scientific committee of the 3rd Annual Graduate Student Conference at the University of Texas at Austin.

2004 Co-organizer of the Undergraduate Student Conference at the University of Texas at Austin and editor of the conference proceedings.

Journal reviews: *Dialogue & Discourse*, *Discourse Processes*, *Erkenntnis*, *Glossa*, *The Journal of Greek Semantics*, *The Journal of French Language Studies*, *The Journal of Linguistics*, *The Journal of Semantics*, *Language and Speech*, *Lingua* (now *Glossa*), *Linguistics*, *Linguistics & Philosophy*, *Mind*, *Mind and Language*, *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory*, *Philosophical Studies*, *Semantics & Pragmatics*, *Synthese*, and *Topoi*.

Conference reviews: *The Amsterdam Colloquium*, *Generative Linguistics in the Old World* (GLOW), **SEM*, *Semantics and Linguistic Theory* (SALT), *The Semantics and Pragmatics of Dialogue* (SemDial), *Sinn und Bedeutung*.

Teaching

2018 Lecturer, 40 hours.
Semantics and Pragmatics, Master’s course for linguistics students
Meaning in Language (3rd year undergraduates)
 Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona.

2017 Chargée de cours (for Master’s 2 students), 24 hours.
Discours : sémantique et pragmatique
 Université Toulouse II, Toulouse

2017 ‘Situating Discourse,’ ESSLLI Summer School, Université Paul Sabatier.

2017 Lecturer, 80 hours.
Semantics and Pragmatics, Master’s course for linguistics students
English grammar (1st year students)
 Supervision of undergraduate theses (eight 4th year students)
 Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona.

2016 ‘Situating Dialogue,’ NASSLLI Summer School, Rutgers University. (with N. Asher)

- 2016 Chargée de cours (for Master's students), 48 hours.
Sémantique du temps (Master 1), *Discours : sémantique et pragmatique* (Master 2)
 Université Toulouse II, Toulouse
- 2016 : Lecturer (for undergraduate translation majors), 40 hours.
English grammar (1st year)
 Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona.
- 2013 - 2014: Chargée de cours (for undergraduate English majors), 60 hours.
English Phonetics and Phonology (2nd & 3rd year)
 Centre Universitaire Jean-François Champollion, Albi
- 2012 - 2013: Lecturer (for undergraduate English majors), 202 hours.
English Phonetics and Phonology (2nd & 3rd year), *Oral Expression and Comprehension*
 (1st-3rd year), *English Grammar* (1st year)
 Centre Universitaire Jean-François Champollion, Albi
- 2011 - 2012: Maître de Langue (for undergraduate English majors), 216 hours.
English Phonetics and Phonology (2nd year), *Oral Expression and Comprehension* (1st &
 3rd year), *American Literature* (1st year)
 Université de Pau et des Pays de l'Adour, Pau
- 2004 - 2009: Teaching assistant (for undergraduates), 7 semesters.
Introduction to Philosophy (2x); *Introduction to the Philosophy of Mind* (2x); *Logic, Sets
 and Functions*; *Early Modern Philosophy*; *Ideas of the 20th Century*
 University of Texas at Austin

Additional courses taken

- 2007 *Linguistics Society of America*, summer school, 1-27 July, Stanford University.
- 2006 *European Summer School for Logic Language and Information*, 31 July - 11 August, Uni-
 versity of Malaga, Spain. Travel and lodging payed for by a scholarship from the University
 of Texas at Austin.
- 2005 *European Summer School for Logic Language and Information*, 8 - 19 August, Heriot-Watt
 University, Edinburgh, Scotland.

Additional information

- 2012 Maternity leave (4 months).
- 2007 - 2008 Maternity leave (one academic year).