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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS	Assistant Professor of Linguistics, University of California, Santa Barbara Postdoctoral Fellow , New Zealand Institute of Language, Brain, and Behaviour <i>PIs:</i> Jen Hay, Jeanette King	2020– 2019–20
EDUCATION	Ph.D., Linguistics , Stanford University <i>Dissertation:</i> The Listener in Language Change <i>Committee:</i> Dan Jurafsky (co-advisor), Meghan Sumner (co-advisor), Jen Hay M.A., Linguistics , Stanford University B.A.(Hons), Mathematics , University of Canterbury B.A., Linguistics, Mathematics, French (minor) , University of Canterbury	2019 2015 2012 2011
HONORS AND AWARDS	Best Paper Awards Phonetics and Phonology in Europe, 2015 Service Awards Stanford Alumni Association Graduate Student Community Impact Award, 2018 Graduate Fellowships and Awards Stanford Humanities Center Geballe Dissertation Prize Fellowship, 2018 American Council of Learned Societies Mellon Dissertation Fellowship, 2018 (declined) Mabelle McLeod Lewis Memorial Fund Fellowship, 2018 (declined) Stanford University Pigott Scholars Program Fellowship, 2016 Stanford University Graduate Diversity Fellowship, 2013 Fulbright New Zealand General Graduate Award, 2013 Undergraduate Scholarship and Awards Scholarships (11, various sources), 2009-2012 University of Canterbury, Māori Education Trust, Freemasons, HMNZS Canterbury, NZQA University of Canterbury Senior Scholar (top undergraduate student), 2012 Cook Memorial Prize for Mathematics, 2012 William Brent Wilson Memorial Prize for Applied Mathematics, 2011 Peter Bryant Memorial Prize for Mathematics, 2010	

BOOKS

Todd, Simon. 2013. *4tp: A Supplement for Scholarship Calculus* [textbook series]. Takapuna, New Zealand: Eton Press.

ARTICLES

Todd, Simon, Janet B. Pierrehumbert, and Jennifer Hay. 2019. Word frequency effects in sound change as a consequence of perceptual asymmetries: An exemplar-based model. *Cognition* 185, 1–20. doi: 10.1016/j.cognition.2019.01.004

Szmrecsanyi, Benedikt, Jason Grafmiller, Joan Bresnan, Anette Rosenbach, Sali Tagliamonte, and **Simon Todd.** 2017. Spoken syntax in a comparative perspective: the dative and genitive alternation in varieties of English. *Glossa: a journal of general linguistics* 2(1), 86. doi: 10.5334/gjgl.310

James, Alex, Ken Morrison, and **Simon Todd.** 2013. A mathematical model of the defence mechanism of a Bombardier beetle. *Journal of the Royal Society Interface* 10(79), 20120801. doi: 10.1098/rsif.2012.0801

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND POSTERS

Todd, Simon. 2019. Diagnosing Change in a Sparse, Bursty Variable: *Eh* in Pākehā English. *Linguistic Society of New Zealand Conference*. Christchurch, New Zealand.

Todd, Simon, Jeremy Needle, Jennifer Hay, and Jeanette King. 2019. Quantitative Insights into Māori Word Structure. *Linguistic Society of New Zealand Conference*. Christchurch, New Zealand.

Mengesha, Zion, **Simon Todd,** and Meghan Sumner. 2019. Personae in Spreading Activation and False Memory [poster]. *93rd Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America*. New York, NY.

Todd, Simon. 2018. Exceptionality and Faithfulness in Polish Stress: Comparing mono- and multistratal approaches [poster]. *92nd Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America*. Salt Lake City, UT.

Todd, Simon, Meghan Sumner, and Grant Shillington. 2016. Attention and Socioacoustic Salience: Investigation with Dichotic Listening. *Sociolinguistic Variation and Language Processing Conference*. Blacksburg, VA.

Todd, Simon. 2016. Something from Nothing: Pragmatic Parsing of Partitive Possessives [poster]. *90th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America*. Washington, D.C.

Podesva, Robert J., Daniel Galbraith, Sunwoo Jeong, Sharese King, Bonnie Krejci, Kate Lindsey, Teresa Pratt, **Simon Todd,** Casey Wong, and Robert Xu. 2016. A Sociophonetic Study of /l/-Darkening Among Latina/o and European Americans in Bakersfield, California. *American Dialect Society Annual Meeting*. Washington, D.C.

Todd, Simon. 2015. Pronouncing the Zs: Epenthesis in English Plural Possessives. *Phonetics & Phonology in Europe 2015*. Cambridge, UK. [Best Student Paper Award]

Jeong, Sunwoo, **Simon Todd,** Justine Kao, Noah Goodman, and Meghan Sumner. 2015. The Effect of Prosodic Cues and Social Information on the Interpretation of Hyperbole. *Language, Cognition, and Society (AFLiCo 6)*. Grenoble, France.

Todd, Simon. 2012. Functional Load and Length-Based Māori Vowel Contrast [poster]. *The 13th Language and Society Conference*. Auckland, New Zealand.

Todd, Simon. 2011. How do Maths Students Want to Learn? *Volcanic Delta: The Eighth Southern Hemisphere Conference on Teaching and Learning Undergraduate Mathematics and Statistics*. Rotorua, New Zealand.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

Todd, Simon. May 23, 2019. The Listener in Language Change. *New Zealand Institute of Language, Brain and Behaviour Seminar Series*. Christchurch, New Zealand.

Todd, Simon. January 31, 2019. The Listener in Language Change: A Computational Approach.

UC Santa Barbara Colloquium Series. Santa Barbara, CA.

Todd, Simon. January 23, 2019. The Listener in Language Change: A Computational Approach. *University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Linguistics Seminar Series*. Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Todd, Simon. November 26, 2018. Word Frequency Effects in Sound Change: A Listener-Based Exemplar Model. *UC Berkeley Phonetics and Phonology Forum*. Berkeley, CA.

Todd, Simon. February 17, 2017. Connecting Speech Perception and Sound Change: A Computational Model of Push-Chains. *UC Berkeley CogNetwork Seminar*. Berkeley, CA.

Todd, Simon. November 4, 2016. Word Frequency Effects in Push Chains as a Consequence of Perceptual Asymmetries: A Computational Model. *New Zealand Institute of Language, Brain and Behaviour Seminar Series*. Christchurch, New Zealand.

TEACHING
EXPERIENCE

at **University of California, Santa Barbara** (all as instructor)

Programming for Linguists. Fall 2020.

Foundations of Computational Linguistics. Winter 2021.

Advanced Computational Linguistics: Text Processing. Spring 2021.

at **Stanford University**

Instructor, *Language Evolution and Change*. Mentored by Dan Jurafsky. Summer 2018.

Instructor, *Introduction to Python*. Center for Computational Social Science, Summer 2017.

TA, *African American Vernacular English*. With John Rickford, Winter 2017.

TA, *Introduction to Phonology*. With Arto Anttila, Autumn 2015.

Corpus TA, Department of Linguistics. With Chris Potts, AY 2014-15.

at **University of Canterbury**

Tutor, *Mathematics 1B*. With Rua Murray, Semester Two, 2012.

Tutor, *Mathematics 1A*. With David Wall, Semester One, 2012.

Head Tutor, *Scholarship Calculus Problem-solving Workshops*. With John Hannah, 2011-12.

at **St. Andrew's College** (Christchurch, New Zealand)

Instructor, *Scholarship Calculus Extension Program*. With Dean McKenzie, 2009-13.

SERVICE

at **Stanford University**

Student Mentor, Enhancing Diversity in Graduate Education Program, VPGE, AY 2018-19

Graduate Studies Committee, Department of Linguistics, AY 2017-18

Elected Graduate Student Representative, Department of Linguistics, AY 2017-18

Coordinator, Cognitive Science Seminar, Department of Linguistics, AY 2017-18

Community Associate, Graduate Life Office, 2014-15 & 2017-18

Financial Officer, Stanford Association of New Zealanders, 2015-16 & 2017-18

Admissions Committee, Department of Linguistics, 2017

Mentor, Summer Intern Program, Center for the Study of Language and Information, 2015

Coordinator, Cognition & Language Workshop, Stanford Humanities Center, 2014-16 & 2017-18

Coordinator, Phonetics & Phonology Workshop, Department of Linguistics, AY 2015-16

Social Committee, Department of Linguistics, AY 2013-14

at **University of Canterbury**

Postdoctoral Search Committee, NZILBB, 2020

Māori Student Mentor, Māori Development Team, 2011-2012

PVC Arts Student Advisory Board, College of Arts, 2012

Student Council Member, UC Arts, 2012

Peer Review

Journals: Language and Speech, Journal of Language Evolution, Journal of Phonetics

Conferences: LabPhon, Phonetics and Phonology in Europe

LANGUAGES English (native), French (proficient), Māori (beginner)

COMPUTER SKILLS E-Prime, Java, Javascript, MATLAB, Praat, Python, R