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CURRICULUM VITAE

EDUCATION

- Ph. D. Slavic Linguistics
The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, December 2005
- M. A. Slavic Studies (with distinction)
University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL, May 2000
- B. A. Serbian Language and Literature
University of Belgrade (Faculty of Philology), Belgrade, Serbia, March 1998

PH. D. DISSERTATION

“Complement Verb Variation in Present-Day Serbian”
MENTOR: Professor Brian D. Joseph

CURRENT POSITION

Teaching Professor (Bosnian-Croatian-Montenegrin-Serbian language, Russian language, Slavic linguistics) University of Washington, Seattle, WA, September 2020-present
Departmental Languages Coordinator (first-year Russian, Bosnian-Croatian-Montenegrin-Serbian) University of Washington, Seattle, WA, September 2007-present

PREVIOUS POSITIONS

Instructor (Readings in Church Slavonic) Medieval Summer Slavic Institute, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, June-July 2022; June-July 2024
Principal Lecturer (Bosnian-Croatian-Montenegrin-Serbian language, Russian language, Slavic linguistics) University of Washington, Seattle, WA, September 2015-2020
Visiting Associate Professor
Slavic-Eurasian Research Center, Hokkaido University, Sapporo, Japan, June 15-August 15, 2016
Senior Lecturer (Bosnian-Croatian-Serbian language, Russian language, Slavic linguistics) University of Washington, Seattle, WA, September 2010-2015
Lecturer (Bosnian-Croatian-Serbian language, Russian language, South Slavic linguistics) University of Washington, Seattle, WA, September 2005-2010

FIELDS OF SPECIALIZATION

(South) Slavic (Socio)Linguistics; Syntax and Syntactic Theories; Teaching of Bosnian-Croatian-Montenegrin-Serbian and Russian

LANGUAGE SKILLS

- Serbian/Serbo-Croatian/Bosnian-Croatian-Montenegrin-Serbian (native)
- English (near native)
- Russian (passed OSU DSEELL's graduate proficiency exam, Spring 2002)
- Old Church Slavonic, Polish, Macedonian, Slovenian, German (familiarity with structure, reading knowledge, limited speaking ability)
- Latin, Greek (reading knowledge)

PUBLICATIONS

- Bosnian, Croatian, Montenegrin, and Serbian. Victor Friedman and Lenore A. Grenoble (Eds.), *The Slavonic Languages* 2nd Edition. Routledge. To appear. (with Keith Langston)
- Gender Nondiscriminatory Language Debates in Present-Day Serbia: אין קל קדש תחת השמש. *Cetinjski filološki dani* III. 31-55. 2022.
- BCMS Clitic Deprivation. *Lingua Montenegrina*. 14.1.27: 21-38. 2021.
- What to Expect When You're a Minority? The Example of the Bunyevs of Serbia. *Acta Slavica Iaponica*. 41:73-90. 2020. (peer reviewed)
- The Synchrony of the Serbian Infinitive: A Syntactic Perspective. James J. Pennington, Victor A. Friedman, and Lenore A. Grenoble (Eds.), *And Thus You Are Everywhere Honored: Studies Dedicated To Brian D. Joseph*. Slavica. 29-40. 2019.
- Protecting the Privileged: Cultivating and Caring for the Serbian Language in Serbia. Donald L. Dyer and Jane Hacking (Eds.), *ЧЕКАЈ: Papers for Christina E. Kramer on the Occasion of Her Retirement*. *Balkanistica*. 32.2:1-14. 2019.
- Die nationalen Standardisierungsregime in Europa. Eine Fallstudie zur bunjevatzischen Sprache. Lumnije Jusufi, ed. *The Potentiality of Pluricentrism Albanian Case Studies and Beyond*. Wiesbaden: Harrassowitz Verlag. 231-250. 2018. (with Marija Mandić)
- Banat Bulgarian and Bunyev: a language emancipation perspective. Dieter Stern, Motoki Nomachi & Bojan Belić, eds. *Linguistic Regionalism in Eastern Europe and beyond: minority, regional and microliterary languages*. Berlin, Bern, Bruxelles, New York, Oxford, Warszawa, Wien: Peter Lang. 66-84. 2018. (with Motoki Nomachi)
- 21st Century Standard Language Ideology in Serbia and Poland. *Belgrade English Language and Literature Studies (Belgrade BELLS)*. 10: 177-192. 2018. (with Motoki Nomachi)
- Bosnian, Croatian, Montenegrin, and Serbian in U.S. College Classrooms. *Lingua Montenegrina*. 10.2.20: 65-76. 2017.
- Vojvodina's Minority Languages in Light of a Language Emancipation Theory. *Balkanistic Forum*. 3:19-33. 2017. (with Motoki Nomachi)
- Glottocommunicability: The Example of Bosnian, Croatian, Montenegrin, and Serbian. Donald L. Dyer, Christina E. Kramer, and Brian D. Joseph (Eds.), *Од Чикаго и назад Papers to Honor Victor A. Friedman on the Occasion of His Retirement*. *Balkanistica*. 28:15-39. 2015.
- Уникатна контрола у савременом српском језику: инфинитив и презент са свезицом да. *Serbian Studies Research*. 5/1:253-267. 2014. (peer reviewed)
- Bunyev(s): A Linguistic Frontier To Be? *Philological Studies*. 12/2:603-618. 2014. (peer reviewed)
- Linguistic Vojvodina: Embordered Frontiers. Tomasz Kamusella & Motoki Nomachi, eds. *The Multilingual Society Vojvodina. Intersecting Borders, Cultures and Identities*. Sapporo: Slavic Research Center, Hokkaido University. 2014. 1-23. (peer reviewed)
- Eine neue Sprache entsteht: die bunjevatische 'Sprache' oder 'Mundart' in serbischen Grundschulen. Christian Voß & Wolfgang Dahmen, eds. *Babel Balkan? Politische und soziokulturelle Kontexte von Sprache in Südosteuropa*. München - Berlin: Verlag Otto Sagner. 2014. 93-114. (with Marija Ilić)

- 1850-1950: A Century of Letters among the Bosniaks, Croats, Montenegrins, and Serbs. Bernhard Brehmer & Biljana Golubović, eds. *Serbische und kroatische Schriftlinguistik*. Hamburg: Verlags Dr. Kovač. 2010. 11-29. (peer reviewed)
- AB OVO: When OVO and OVO are Different. *Balkanistica*. 23:1-20. 2010. (peer-reviewed)
- Ovo vs. ovo. Raecke, Jochen and Biljana Golubović, eds. *Bosnisch/Kroatisch/Serbisch als Fremdsprachen an den Universitäten der Welt*. München: Verlag Otto Sagner. 9-17. 2008.
- Minor Paucal in Serbian. Zybatow, Gerhild et al., eds. *Formal Description of Slavic Languages: The Fifth Conference, Leipzig 2003*. Frankfurt am Main: Peter Lang. 258-269. 2008.
- Infinitive Is Difficult to Lose: What Governs Variation of Complements in Unique Control in Serbian. *Glossos*. 6:1-20. 2005. (peer-reviewed)
- Grammatical Number in Serbian: Singular – Paucal – Plural. *OSU's Working Papers in Slavic Studies*. 2:1-22. 2003. (peer-reviewed)

COEDITED VOLUMES

- Linguistic Regionalism in Eastern Europe and beyond: minority, regional and microliterary languages*. Berlin, Bern, Bruxelles, New York, Oxford, Warszawa, Wien: Peter Lang. 2018. (with Dieter Stern and Motoki Nomachi)

CONFERENCE REVIEWS

- ФОРМИРАЊЕ, РАСПАД И РЕОРГАНИЗОВАЊЕ ИДЕНТИТЕТА У МУЛТИЕТНИЧКИМ ДРУШТВИМА (Токијска канцеларија Хокајдо универзитета, Токио, Јапан, 2. фебруар 2014. године). *Philological Studies*. 12/2:715-715. 2014.

BOOK REVIEWS

- Christian Voß and Biljana Golubović. *Srpska lingvistika/Serbische Linguistik Eine Bestandsaufnahme*. Studies on Language and Culture in Central and Eastern Europe. Band 7. München – Berlin, Germany: Verlag Otto Sagner, 2010. *Slavic and East European Journal* 55/1. 2011.
- Liberated Cinema: The Yugoslav Experience, 1945-2001, Daniel J. Goulding. *Slavic and East European Journal* 53/4. 2009.
- Disintegration in Frames: Aesthetics and Ideology in the Yugoslav and Post-Yugoslav Cinema, Pavle Levi. *Slavic and East European Journal* 52/1:151-153. 2008.
- Introduction to the Serbian and Croatian Language (Revised Edition), Thomas F. Magner. *Balkanistica*. 2009.

INTERVIEWS

- "Bunjevačke novine," 8/88:7, October 2012

WORK IN PROGRESS

- Complement Verb Variation in Present-Day Serbian*. Monograph based on dissertation.
- Advancing with What You Know*. Textbook for advanced Bosnian/Croatian/Montenegrin/Serbian.

FELLOWSHIPS

- Foreign Visitors Fellowship, Slavic-Eurasian Research Center, Hokkaido University, Sapporo, Japan, June 15-August 15, 2016
- Modern Language Quarterly Faculty Travel and Research Funding, January 2013

Simpson Center for the Humanities, grant (\$6,500), December 2012
Simpson Center for the Humanities, discretionary funds grant (\$500), August 2011
American Council of Learned Societies Grant for Intensive Professional
Bosnian-Croatian-Serbian: An Advanced Mastery Language Course, 2007-2011
Research Summer Stipend, Hilandar Research Library, Columbus, OH, August 2001
Fellowship, Medieval Summer Slavic Institute, Columbus, OH, June 1999

AWARDS (NOMINATIONS INCLUDED)

AATSEEL Award for Excellence in Post-Secondary Teaching 2014
The American Association of Teachers of Slavic and East European Languages
Graduate Associate Teaching Award
The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, 2002
Marsha L. Landolt Distinguished Graduate Mentor Award - nomination
University of Washington, Seattle, WA, 2024
Distinguished Teaching Award - nomination
University of Washington, Seattle, WA, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010

HONORS

Vice President of the Southeast European Studies Association, 2018-present
Member of the Executive Board of the Southeast European Studies Association, 2014-2018
Member of the Executive Board of the Slavic Linguistics Society, 2013-2016
Member of the Seal of Biliteracy Committee, Washington State, 2014
The Seniors Say Thank You, recognition by a graduating senior athlete (Becky Perry, volleyball), November 2010
Vice President, American Association of Teachers of Slavic and East European Languages - nomination, 2009

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

College of Arts and Sciences Curriculum Committee, member 2017-present
Valentina Zaitseva's Promotion Committee, member 2015 (Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures)
Polish Replacement Search Committee, member 2012 (Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures)
Language Advisory Committee for the College of Arts & Sciences, member (College of Arts and Sciences) 2009-present
Executive Committee, member (Ellison Center for Russian, East European and Central Asian Studies) 2008-2010
Language Proficiency Committee, co-chair (Ellison Center for Russian, East European and Central Asian Studies)
Admission and TA Selection Committee 2007, 2008, 2011, 2012, member (Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures)
Vadim Pan Scholarship Selection Committee 2006, member (Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures)
Board of Trustees of the Slavic Alumni Club, faculty representative
Slavic Student Symposium 2006, discussant - two papers
Slavic Homecoming Celebration 2005, member of the organizing committee and panel participant
BCS language group "Naš klub," organizer

GRADUATE ADVISING – PRINCIPAL ADVISER

- Stefana Vukadinovich (Slavic Languages and Literatures) – Ph.D. student (adviser)
Biljana Konatar (Slavic Languages and Literatures) – Ph.D. student (adviser)
Nathan Marks (Slavic Languages and Literatures) – Ph.D. student (adviser, May 2022)
Benjamin Kinney Harris (The Ellison Center for Russian, East European and Central Asian studies) – MA student; thesis title: “Destroying the Sacred: Architecture as a Nationalist Battleground in Kosovo” (adviser, May 2021)
Biljana Konatar (Graduate Certificate in Second and Foreign Language Teaching) – Ph.D. student (adviser, April 2021)
Veronica Muskheli (Graduate Certificate in Second and Foreign Language Teaching) – Ph.D. student (adviser, June 2019)
Wilhelm Zuercher (Graduate Certificate in Second and Foreign Language Teaching) – MA student (adviser, March 2018)
Nicole Page (Slavic Languages and Literatures) – MA student (adviser, December 2013)
Veronika Egorova (Graduate Certificate in Second and Foreign Language Teaching) – MA student (adviser, August 2013)
Jason Garneau (Slavic Languages and Literatures and Graduate Certificate in Second and Foreign Language Teaching) – MA student (adviser, May 2013)
Lyubov Penkova (Slavic Languages and Literatures) – Ph.D. student in Russian language and language pedagogy (co-adviser)

GRADUATE ADVISING – COMMITTEE MEMBER

- Alice Z/Yue Zhao (The University of Auckland, New Zealand) – Ph.D. student (Ph.D. committee Member; Examiner, April 2023)
Arna Elezović (History) – Ph.D. student (Ph.D. committee Member, June 2021)
Matthew Ellett (Slavic Languages and Literatures) – Ph.D. student (Ph.D. committee Member, June 2020)
Aleksandra Petrović (Slavic Languages and Literatures) – Ph.D. student (Ph.D. committee Member, December 2015)
Una Bobinac (International Studies – Jackson School of) – MA student; thesis title: “Same Soil, Different Roots: The Use of Ethno-Specific Narratives during the Homeland War in Croatia” (MA committee member, May 2015)
Veronika Egorova (Slavic Languages and Literatures) – Ph.D. student (Ph.D. committee Member, May 2013)
Craig M. Grayson (School of Music) – Ph.D. Student, dissertation title: “Russian lyric diction: a practical guide with introduction and annotations and a bibliography with annotations on selected sources” (Ph.D. Committee member, May 2012)
Kathleen Kemezis (Department of Architecture) – MS student, thesis title: “Not What Meets The Eye: Re-Examining Reconstruction in Post-War Bosnia and Herzegovina” (MS thesis presentation, guest respondent, December 2011)
Anna Glazkova (Slavic Languages and Literatures) – Ph.D. student, dissertation title: “A construction grammar approach to Russian reflexives” (Ph.D. committee member, May 2011)
Timothy Wellman (Slavic Languages and Literatures) – MA student (MA committee member, August 2009)
Candice McDougall (Slavic Languages and Literatures) – MA student (MA committee member, May 2008)

Benjamin W. Glahn (The Ellison Center for Russian, East European and Central Asian studies) - MA student; thesis title: "Demanding Real Democracy: The Independent Bosnian Media Ten Years after Dayton" (MA committee member, May 2006)

UNDERGRADUATE ADVISING

Derah Carter (REES Think Tank Program, Howard University) - undergraduate student; research project: "The Notions of Freedom and Liberty in English, French, and Russian"

COURSES DEVELOPED AND TAUGHT AT UW

SLAVIC 101 Slavic Lands and Peoples

SLAVIC 110 The Slavic Languages

SLAVIC 351/SLAVIC 551 History of the Slavic Languages/Introduction to the Study of the Slavic Languages

SLAVIC 519 Slavic Language Pedagogy

SLAVIC 370/SLAVIC 570 What's In a Language Name? The Case of Bosnian, Croatian, Montenegrin, and Serbian

SLAVIC 470/SLAVIC 570 Special Topics in Slavic Linguistics (cross-listed with ENGL 478 and LING 480): What's In a Language Name? The Case of Bosnian, Croatian, Montenegrin, and Serbian

SLAVIC 563 History of the South Slavic Languages

SLAVIC 565 Old Church Slavic

RUSS 451/SLAVIC 550 Structure of Russian/Synchronic Slavic Linguistics

BCMS 410 Intensive Third Year Bosnian-Croatian-Montenegrin-Serbian

BCMS 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406 First and Second Year Bosnian-Croatian-Montenegrin-Serbian

RUSS 101, 102, 103 First Year Russian

RUSS 101 HYBRID

CONFERENCE ORGANIZATION

29th Annual Meeting of Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics (member of the organizing committee), Seattle, Washington, May 2020

Standard Language Ideology in the Slavic Lands - international symposium, Sapporo, Japan, August 2016

9th Annual Meeting of the Slavic Linguistics Society (member of the organizing committee), Seattle, Washington, September 2014

18th Biennial Conference on Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics, Literature and Folklore, Seattle, Washington, March 2012

INVITED TALKS

"The Uneasy Living and Unceasing Death of Croatoserbian/Serbocroatian (in between *Lingua Communis* and *Common Language*)," The Twenty-Sixth Annual Kenneth E. Naylor Memorial Lecture in South Slavic Linguistics, The Ohio State University, April 2024

"Just How Many Is Enough?," guest talk in SLAVIC 210 Ways of Being: Introduction to Bilingualism, University of Washington, April 2019

"Where Once There Was Serbo-Croatian: A Proliferation of Language Names in What Used to be the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia," Kyoto University, Kyoto, Japan, July, 2016

- “Banat Bulgarian in Present-Day Serbia: A Language Emancipation Perspective,”
International Conference *Dynamika rozwoju gwar słowiańskich w kontekście dziedzictwa narodowego i kulturowego*, Warsaw, June 2015 (with Motoki Nomachi)
- “To Standardize Or Not To Standardize – That Is The Question,” Hokkaido University,
Sapporo, Japan, January 2015
- “What’s in a Language name? The Case of Bosnian, Croatian, Montenegrin, and Serbian,”
The University of Tokyo, Komaba Campus, Tokyo, Japan, January 2014
- “Teaching Bosnian/Croatian/Serbian Fruit Vocabulary,” demo vocabulary class in GERMAN
518 Foreign Language Teaching Methodology, University of Washington, every October
since 2013
- “Querying Quadrilingualism,” guest talk in SLAV 210 Ways of Being: Introduction to
Bilingualism, University of Washington, January 2013
- “They Shoot Languages, Don’t They? On Languages, Policies, and Language Policies in the
Former Yugoslavia and the Yugoslav Successor States,” guest talk in SLAV 470 Issues in
Bilingualism, University of Washington, October 2011
- “Are Bosnian, Croatian, Montenegrin, and Serbian Standards Splitting Infinitives (or Anything
Else for That Matter)?,” Skype guest talk in L601 Sociolinguistic Issues in
(Post-)Yugoslavia, Indiana University, April 2011
- “To Kill A Language: Language Policy and Politicizing Language in the Former Yugoslavia
and the Yugoslav Successor States,” guest talk in SLAV 470 Issues in
Bilingualism, University of Washington, October 2007

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- “Reordering the Strict Order: Another Look at BCMS Enclitics,” The 23rd Biennial Conference
on Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics, Literature and Folklore, Oxford, MS, May 2024
- “Bosnian/Croatian/Montenegrin/Serbian Power Dynamics: Enclitic Placement V. Constituent
Order,” The 30th Annual Conference for Russian, East European and Central Asian
Studies, Seattle, WA, April 2024
- “When Sex-Indexing Hits Present-Day Serbian,” The 22nd Biennial Conference on Balkan and
South Slavic Linguistics, Literature and Folklore, Columbus, OH, April 2022
- “BC(M)S Clitic Deprivation,” The 21st Biennial Conference on Balkan and South Slavic
Linguistics, Literature and Folklore, Billings, MT, May 2018
- “What Are We Teaching When We’re Teaching? Bosnian, Croatian, Montenegrin, and Serbian
in U.S. College Classrooms,” 2017 Annual Conference of the American Association of
Teachers of Slavic and East European Languages, San Francisco, CA, February 2017
- “Tales from the Trails of Two Campaigns: Cultivating and Caring for the Serbian Language,”
The 11th Annual Meeting of the Slavic Linguistics Society, Toronto, Canada, September
2016
- “Standard Language Ideology without a Standard? The Varying Views of the Standard
(Serbian) Language in Present-Day Serbia,” International Symposium Standard
Language Ideology in the Slavic Lands, Sapporo, Japan, August 2016
- “Bunjev among Bunyevs: The 5W1H of the Bunjev Language Question,” International
Symposium Standard Language Ideology in the Slavic Lands, Sapporo, Japan, August
2016
- “Language Emancipation: Vojvodina’s Minority Languages,” The 20th Biennial Conference on
Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics, Literature and Folklore, Salt Lake City, UT, April
2016

- “Standard Serbian and Its Alphabet,” The 20th Biennial Conference on Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics, Literature and Folklore, Salt Lake City, UT, April 2016
- “Finite Infinity: Controllers and Choice of Clausal Complements,” Variation in space and time: clausal complementation in South Slavic, Zürich, March 17th–19th, 2016
- “Standardized Yet? Aspects of the Standard Language Ideology in Serbia and Poland,” The 10th Annual Meeting of the Slavic Linguistics Society, Heidelberg, Germany, September 2015
- “Issues in Southeast European Language Emancipation,” International Joint Symposium: Slavic Minorities and their (Literary) Languages in the European Context and Beyond: the Current Situation and Critical Challenges, Tokyo, Japan, January 2015
- “The Bunyev Language?,” The 46th Annual Convention of the Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies, San Antonio, Texas, November 2014
- “Language Emancipation in Serbia,” The 9th Annual Meeting of the Slavic Linguistics Society, Seattle, Washington, September 2014
- “Notes from the Edges of Europe: Balkan Language Emancipation vs. Nordic Language Emancipation,” The 19th Biennial Conference on Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics, Literature and Folklore, Chicago, Illinois, April 2014
- “Vojvodina’s Linguistic Frontiers: Confirming and Segmentation,” JCAS Workshop for the Next Generation: Identity Formation, Dissolution, and Reorganization in Multiethnic Societies: Toward the Establishment of Vojvodina Area Studies, Tokyo Office of Hokkaido University, Tokyo, Japan, February 2014
- “Vojvodina’s Languages, Speeches, Borders, Frontiers... So We Better Call the Calling Off Off!,” Culture: In Quest of a New Paradigm, Belgrade, Serbia, March 2013
- “УНИКАТНА КОНТРОЛА у савременом српском језику: инфинитив и презент са свезицом да,” 42. Међународни научни састанак слависта у Вукове дане, Belgrade, Serbia, September 2012
- “Language in the Making? The Case of *Bunjevački* OR Tradition Done the Modern Way,” The 18th Biennial Conference on Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics, Literature and Folklore, Seattle, Washington, March 2012
- “When the South Slavs Demonstrate: An Investigation into South Slavic Demonstratives,” The Seventeenth Biennial Conference on Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics, Literature, and Folklore, Columbus, Ohio, April 2010
- “Are Bosnian, Croatian, Montenegrin, and Serbian Standards Splitting Infinitives?,” Ex uno plures: Post-Yugoslav Cultural Space(s) and Europe, New York, New York, March 2010
- “When OVO and OVO are Different,” The Sixteenth Biennial Conference on Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics, Literature, and Folklore, Banff, Canada, May 2008
- “Sex, Level of Education, and Age of Speakers as Factors in Complement Verb Variation in Present-Day Serbian,” Third Conference of the Southeast European Studies Association, Columbus, Ohio, April 2007
- “The Sociolinguistic Factors in Unique Control in Present-Day Serbian,” American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies Convention, Washington, DC, November 2006
- “The Syntax of Unique Control in Present-Day Serbian,” Second Perspectives on Slavistics Conference, Regensburg, Germany, September 2006
- “Unique Control in Present-Day Serbian,” The Fifteenth Biennial Conference on Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics, Literature, and Folklore, Berkeley, California, March-April 2006
- “On Finite and Non-Finite Control in Serbian,” Second Conference of the Southeast European Studies Association, Columbus, Ohio, April 2005

- “Linguistic examination, with a prologue and no epilogue, of what happens in a very specific syntactic context in Serbian when two complements compete over one and only one matrix predicate,” 2nd Graduate Colloquium on Slavic Linguistics, Columbus, Ohio, November 2004
- “Infinitive Is Difficult to Lose,” First Perspectives on Slavistics Conference, Leuven, Belgium, September 2004
- “Serbian *That*-clauses That Are Clauses And Those That Are Not,” The Fourteenth Biennial Conference on Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics, Literature, and Folklore, Oxford, Mississippi, April 2004
- “On Some Aspects of Complementation in Serbian: Is Infinitive Difficult to Lose?,” Midwest Slavic Conference, Columbus, Ohio, February 2004
- “Minor Paucal in Serbian,” FDSL-5 5th European Conference on Formal Description of Slavic Languages, Leipzig, Germany, November, 2003
- “Slavic No More?! (Grammatical Number in Serbian),” The Thirteenth Biennial Conference on Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics, Literature, and Folklore, Chapel Hill, North Carolina, April 2002
- “The Concept of Language among the Medieval South Slavs,” 36th International Medieval Congress, Kalamazoo, Michigan, May 2001
- “Two Features of a Charter of Stefan the First-Crowned,” Third Midwest Medieval Slavic Workshop at the University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, May 2000
- “Some Linguistic and Orthographic Characteristics of a Stefan the First-Crowned Charter from the Hilandar Research Library at the Ohio State University,” Midwest Slavic Conference, Urbana-Champaign, Illinois, April 2000

PREVIOUS TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Graduate Teaching Associate of Serbo-Croatian: first, second, and third year levels
The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, September 2000-August 2005
- Coordinator for Bosnian/Croatian/Serbian Program
Summer Language Institute, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, June and July 2004 and 2005
- Instructor of Bosnian/Croatian/Serbian: beginning, intermediate, advanced, and advanced mastery levels
Summer Language Institute, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, June and July 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012
- Graduate Teaching Assistant of Serbian: first and second year levels
University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL, August 1998-May 2000
- Teacher of Serbian Language and Literature: 5th-8th grades
Elementary School “Posavski partizani”, Obrenovac, Serbia, January 1994-June 1998

RELATED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Consultant
Language Materials Development project, Bosnian, Serbian, and Croatian languages, University of Maryland National Foreign Language Center, October 2021-June 2022
- Foreign Language Expert
Croatian and Serbian languages, University of Maryland National Foreign Language Center, January-June 2018
- Volunteer
Iowa Legal Aid, Cedar Rapids, IA, December 2015-present

Translator

EarFish, Learning & Translation Services

English - Serbian and Serbian - English, Serbia, August 2003

Team translation from English into Serbian (Serbo-Croatian), Chicago, IL, August 1999-
May 2000

Tutor Chicago, IL and Columbus, OH, October 1998-August 2005