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– Bachelor of Arts, Linguistics, May 2011  
– Master of Arts, Linguistics, May 2014  
– Doctor of Philosophy, Linguistics, December 2020  
  
PhD dissertation: *Focus in Caquinte* [.pdf]  
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- POSITIONS** University of California, Berkeley  
– Manager, California Language Archive 2023-present  
– Postdoctoral Scholar, Department of Linguistics 2021-2022
- RESEARCH INTERESTS** Language documentation, description, history, and contact (Amazonia); language archives; historical linguistics; morphosyntax; semantics; information structure  
  
Fieldwork in Peru on Caquinte (Arawak; 2011, 2014-2019, 2022), Omagua (Tupí-Guaraní; 2010-2011, 2013), Taushiro (isolate; 2015, 2023), Omurano (isolate; 2011, 2013, 2022), Urarina (isolate; 2022-2023); corpus-based research on Matsigenka (Arawak; 2011-2012)
- LINGUISTIC ARCHIVAL COLLECTIONS** California Language Archive, University of California, Berkeley  
– Caquinte Field Materials, DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/doi:10.7297/X24M92P6>  
– Materials of the Omagua Documentation Project  
DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/doi:10.7297/X28C9TDJ>  
– Omurano Field Materials, DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/doi:10.7297/X29K488M>  
– Songs from the Urituyacu River  
DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/doi:10.7297/X2GH9FZD>  
– Taushiro Field Materials, DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/doi:10.7297/X20V89ZG>  
– Murato Field Materials, DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/doi:10.7297/X2W66HX8>
- BOOKS** 2016. Michael, Lev and Zachary O’Hagan. *A Linguistic Analysis of Old Omagua Ecclesiastical Texts*. *Cadernos de Etnolingüística: Série Monografias*. [.pdf]

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2023. Taushiro. In Epps, Patience and Lev Michael (eds.), *Amazonian Languages: An International Handbook*, vol. 2, Language Isolates II: Kanoé to Yurakaré, pp. 995-1027. De Gruyter.

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ARTICLES

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2021. Morphosyntax and Semantics of Psych-predicates in Caquinte. *Cadernos de Etnolingüística* 9(1):e090108. [.pdf]

2021. Obituario, Gerald Weiss (1932-2021). *Amazonía peruana* 34:279-286. [.pdf]

2020. Sandy, Clare S. and Zachary O'Hagan. A Phonological Sketch of Omagua. *International Journal of American Linguistics* 86(1):1-37. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1086/705755>.

2019. The Origin of Purpose Clause Markers in Proto-Omagua-Kukama. *Journal of Historical Linguistics* 9(2):282-312. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1075/jhl.17034.oha>.

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2019. Restructuring of Proto-Omagua-Kukama Kin Terms. *Boletim do Museu Paraense Emílio Goeldi: Ciências Humanas* 14(1):65-78. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1590/1981.81222019000100005>.

2018. The Syntax of Matsigenka Object-Marking. *Berkeley Papers in Formal Linguistics* 1(1). [.pdf]

2017. New Perspectives on the Life of David Patrick Mallagh (1825-1880). *La Vista: A Journal of Central Coast History* 2:79-110. [.pdf]

2015. Michael, Lev, Natalia Chousou-Polydouri, Keith Bartolomei, Erin Donnelly, Vivian Wauters, Sérgio Meira, and Zachary O'Hagan. A Bayesian Phylogenetic Classification of Tupí-Guaraní. *LIAMES* 15(2):193-221. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.20396/liames.v15i2.8642301>.

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REVIEWS 2017. Review of Mihas, Elena. Upper Perené Arawak Narratives of History, Landscape, and Ritual. *The Journal of Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology* 22(3):607-609. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1111/jlca.12315>.
2017. Review of Vallejos, Rosa. A Grammar of Kukama-Kukamiria: A Language from the Amazon. *International Journal of American Linguistics* 83(4):749-752. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1086/692980>.
- CONFERENCE  
PROCEEDINGS 2020. Drummond, Emily and Zachary O'Hagan. Morphological and Syntactic Person Restrictions in Caquinte. In Asatryan, Mariam, Yixiao Song, and Ayana Whitmal (eds.), *Proceedings of the 50th Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society*, vol. 1, pp. 197-206.
2019. Baier, Nico and Zachary O'Hagan. Morphological Reflexes of Subject Extraction in Caquinte. In Reisinger, D.K.E. and Yu-Hsiang Lo (eds.), *Proceedings of the Workshop on the Structure and Constituency of Languages of the Americas 23*, pp. 1-14. [.pdf]
2019. Rolle, Nicholas and Zachary O'Hagan. Different Kinds of Second-position Clitics in Caquinte. In Reisinger, D.K.E. and Yu-Hsiang Lo (eds.), *Proceedings of the Workshop on the Structure and Constituency of Languages of the Americas 23*, pp. 92-105. [.pdf]
2016. Chousou-Polydouri, Natalia, Joshua Birchall, Sérgio Meira, Zachary O'Hagan, and Lev Michael. A Test of Coding Procedures for Lexical Data with Tupí-Guaraní and Chapacuran Languages. *Proceedings of the Leiden Workshop on Capturing Phylogenetic Algorithms for Linguistics*. DOI: <https://dx.doi.org/10.15496/publikation-10062>
2014. Leung, Herman, Zachary O'Hagan, Sarah Bakst, Auburn Lutzross, Jonathan Manker, Nicholas Rolle, and Katie Sardinha (eds.). *Proceedings of the Fortieth Annual Meeting of the Berkeley Linguistics Society*. [.pdf]
- COMMUNITY-  
ORIENTED  
MATERIALS 2019. Salazar Torres, Antonina, Joy Salazar Torres, Emilia Sergio Salazar (authors), Miguel Sergio Salazar, and Zachary O'Hagan (compilers). *Tsabetsatsarentsipae itionkantajitakaroka igenketsatsare kakinte*. [.pdf, traditional orthography] [.pdf, official orthography]
2013. Vargas Pereira, Haroldo and José Vargas Pereira (authors); Lev Michael, Christine Beier, and Zachary O'Hagan (compilers). *Matsigenka Texts Written by Matsigenka Authors*. [.pdf]
2011. O'Hagan, Zachary (compiler). *Diccionario del idioma omagua: Versión primera*. [.pdf]
- MANUSCRIPTS 2011. *Proto-Omagua-Kokama: Grammatical Sketch and Prehistory*. Undergraduate honors thesis, University of California, Berkeley. [.pdf]

INVITED  
PRESENTA-  
TIONS

2023. The Ashaninka Collection of Gerald Weiss: Value in Legacy Documentation and Priorities in Preservation. Keynote, *Texas Linguistics Society*, February 17, Austin. [slides]
2020. Diverse Archival Collections: Access, Outcomes, Legacy Materials. *ABRALIN ao Vivo*, July 11. [slides]
2019. Lengua e historia caquinte. *Las lenguas del Perú: Hacia un estado del arte*, July 6, Lima. [handout]
2017. La evidencialidad de =*kea* en caquinte (arawak). *Seminario Internacional Permanente de Lenguas Amerindias*, August 29, Lima. [handout]
2015. “Monolingual” Fieldwork on Caquinte. *Fieldwork Group*, May 1, Stanford. [slides]
2014. O’Hagan, Zachary (with Keith Bartolomei, Natalia Chousou-Polydouri, Emily Clem, Erin Donnelly, and Lev Michael). A Computational-phylogenetic Classification of Tupí-Guaraní and its Geographical Spread. *Language Variation and Change*, October 20, Chicago. [slides]

CONFERENCE  
PRESENTA-  
TIONS

**NOTE: Unless specified otherwise, all presentations were oral presentations.**

2024. Distinguishing Polarity Focus from Verum in Caquinte. *Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas*, January 5, New York. [handout]
2023. A Linguistic Perspective on Samuel Fritz’s Map of the Amazon. *Society for the Anthropology of Lowland South America*, July 27, Leticia. [handout]
2023. A Framework for the Study of Focus: A View from Caquinte (Arawak; Peru). *AMAZONICAS IX*, June 9, Bogotá. [handout]
2023. A Framework for the Study of Focus: A View from Caquinte (Arawak; Peru). *Workshop on American Indigenous Languages*, April 14, Santa Barbara. [handout]
2022. Interactions of Causative and Antipassive in Caquinte. *Association for Linguistic Typology*, December 15, Austin. [handout]
2022. Nominalizers in Caquinte. *Societas Linguistica Europaea*, August 24, Bucharest. [handout]
2022. Caquinte Indefinite Pronouns. *Symposium on Amazonian Languages IV*, April 3, Berkeley. [handout]
2021. Caquinte Voice Alternations and Cumulative Exponence. Poster at *AMAZONICAS VIII*, May 31-June 4, YouTube. [slides]

2021. Relating the Past, Present and Future: Archiving Language Collections. Workshop at the *International Conference on Language Documentation and Conservation*, with Raina Heaton, Mandana Seyfeddinipur, Susan Smythe Kung, Nick Thieberger, and Paul Trilsbeek, Mar 4-7, 2021, Zoom.
2020. Complex Temporal Relations in Caquinte: The Case of =*ja* and =*ta*. *Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas*, January 3, New Orleans. [handout]
2019. Drummond, Emily and Zachary O’Hagan. Morphological Person Restrictions and the Pressure to Realize Local Persons. Poster at the *North East Linguistic Society*, October 25, Cambridge. [poster] [handout]
2019. Complex Temporal Relations in Caquinte: The Case of =*ja* and =*ta*. *Conference on Indigenous Languages of Latin America IX*, October 11, Austin. [handout]
2019. Parallels between Nonverbal Clauses and Focus in Caquinte. *Symposium on Amazonian Languages III*, March 17, Berkeley. [handout]
2019. Garrett, Andrew, Edwin Ko, Julia Nee, Zachary O’Hagan, and Ronald Sprouse. “Pre-archiving” with the California Language Archive: Incremental Archiving and Early Ongoing Curation. *International Conference on Language Documentation and Conservation*, March 3, Honolulu. [handout]
2018. Perfective Aspect as Individuation in Caquinte. *AMAZONICAS VII*, May 29, Baños de Agua Santa. [handout]
2018. Rolle, Nicholas and Zachary O’Hagan. Different Kinds of Second-position Clitics in Caquinte. *Workshop on Structure and Constituency in Languages of the Americas (WSCLA) 23*, April 15, Ottawa. [handout]
2018. Baier, Nico and Zachary O’Hagan. Morphological Reflexes of Subject Extraction in Caquinte. *Workshop on Structure and Constituency in Languages of the Americas (WSCLA) 23*, April 14, Ottawa. [handout]
2018. Lexical Semantics and Caquinte Frustrative Constructions. *Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas*, January 5, Salt Lake City. [handout]
2017. Contraexpectacional =*te* en caquinte. *Conference on Indigenous Languages of Latin America VIII*, October 26, Austin. [handout]
2017. Inferential Evidentiality and Mirativity in Caquinte. *Symposium on Amazonian Languages II*, April 9, Berkeley. [handout]
2017. Intransitive Subject Extraction and “Stativity” in Kampan Arawak. *Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas*, January 6, Austin. [handout]

2016. The Diachrony of Kampan Arawak Negation Systems. *AMAZONICAS VI*, May 25, Leticia. [handout]
2016. O'Hagan, Zachary, Rosa Vallejos and Lev Michael. Innovación y reestructuramiento gramatical en la rama omagua-kokama de tupí-guaraní. *AMAZONICAS VI*, May 24, Leticia. [handout]
2016. Chousou-Polydouri, Natalia, Noé Gasparini, Lev Michael, Zachary O'Hagan, and Françoise Rose. Reconstructing Negation Morphemes and Constructions in the Tupí-Guaraní Family. *AMAZONICAS VI*, May 24, Leticia. [slides]
2016. Negation in Proto-Kampan. *Chicago Linguistic Society 52*, April 23, Chicago. [handout]
2015. La intransitividad escindida en caquinte. *Conference on Indigenous Languages of Latin America VII*, October 29, Austin. [handout]
2015. Chousou-Polydouri, Natalia, Lev Michael, Zachary O'Hagan, Noé Gasparini, and Françoise Rose. Phylogenetic Analysis of Morphosyntactic Data: A Case Study of Negation in Tupí-Guaraní. *Societas Linguistica Europaea*, September 4, Leiden. [slides]
2015. Gasparini, Noé, Swintha Danielsen, Natalia Chousou-Polydouri, Zachary O'Hagan, Keith Bartolomei, and Lev Michael. Combining Classification with Areal Linguistics. *Workshop on American Indigenous Languages*, May 8, Santa Barbara. [slides]
2015. Caquinte Referring Expressions: At-issueness and Information Structure. *Symposium on Amazonian Languages I*, April 24, Berkeley. [handout]
2015. Language Attrition or Language Change? A Case Study of an Omagua Idiolect. *International Conference on Language Documentation and Conservation*, February 26, Honolulu. [handout]
2015. O'Hagan, Zachary and Lev Michael. On Exuberant Noun Categorization in Matsigenka (Arawak): Gender, Animacy, and a Multiple Classifier System. *Gender and Classifiers: Areal and Genealogical Perspectives*, January 27, Nijmegen. [handout]
2015. The Origin of Purpose Clause Markers in Proto-Omagua-Kokama. *Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas*, January 11, Portland. [slides]
2015. Michael, Lev, Natalia Chousou-Polydouri, Zachary O'Hagan, Keith Bartolomei, Diamantis Sellis, Emily Clem, and Erin Donnelly. A Bayesian Phylogenetic Classification of the Tupí-Guaraní Family. *Linguistic Society of America, Annual Meeting*, January 10, Portland. [slides]



2014. O'Hagan, Zachary, Natalia Chousou-Polydouri, Keith Bartolomei, Erin Donnelly, and Lev Michael. The Geographical Spread of the Tupí-Guaraní Family: Evidence from Computational Phylogenetics. *AMAZONICAS V*, May 28, Belém. [slides]
2014. Chousou-Polydouri, Natalia, Zachary O'Hagan, Keith Bartolomei, Erin Donnelly, and Lev Michael. An Internal Classification of Tupí-Guaraní Using Computational Phylogenetic Methods. *AMAZONICAS V*, May 28, Belém. [slides]
2014. Grammaticalization of Proto-Omagua-Kokama Clause-linking Markers in Areal Perspective. *Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas*, January 4, Minneapolis. [handout]
2013. O'Hagan, Zachary, Lev Michael, and Rosa Vallejos. Hacia la reconstrucción morfológica del proto-omagua-kokama. *Conference on Indigenous Languages of Latin America VI*, October 25, Austin. [handout]
2013. Chousou-Polydouri, Natalia, Vivian Wauters, Zachary O'Hagan, Keith Bartolomei, and Lev Michael. A Phylogenetic Approach to the Study of the Tupí-Guaraní Language Family. *Workshop on American Indigenous Languages*, April 26, Santa Barbara. [slides]
2012. Sandy, Clare and Zachary O'Hagan. Stress Assignment in Omagua: Evidence for Cyclicity. *Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas*, January 8, Portland. [handout]
2012. O'Hagan, Zachary and Vivian Wauters. Sound Change in the Development of Omagua and Kokama-Kokamilla: Synchronic and Diachronic Evidence. *Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas*, January 8, Portland. [handout]
2011. Wauters, Vivian and Zachary O'Hagan. La herencia de un idioma de contacto: Retenciones gramaticales del tupí-guaraní al proto-omagua-kokama. *Conference on Indigenous Languages of Latin America V*, October 7, Austin. [handout]
- DEPARTMENT- 2022. Disease and Violence in Shift from Omurano to Urarina on the Urituyacu  
INTERNAL River in Peru. *Fieldwork Forum*, November 2, Berkeley. [handout]  
PRESENTA-  
TIONS
2021. Split Subject Marking in Caquinte. *Syntax and Semantics Circle*, December 3, Berkeley. [handout]
2021. Verbal Reduplication in Caquinte. *Phonetics, Phonology & Psycholinguistics Forum*, December 3, Berkeley. [handout]
2021. Lessons from the Preservation of the Ashaninka Collection of Gerald Weiss. *Fieldwork Forum*, September 8, Berkeley. [handout]

2018. Two Sorts of Contrastive Topic in Caquinte. *Syntax and Semantics Circle*, November 30, Berkeley. [handout]
2018. A Phonological Sketch of Atorai (Arawak, Guyana) Based on Unique Recordings. *Fieldwork Forum*, May 2, Berkeley. [handout]
2017. Caquinte Information Structure. *Group in American Indian Languages*, February 22, Berkeley. [handout]
2015. Taushiro and the Status of Language Isolates in Northwest Amazonia. *Fieldwork Forum*, November 17, Berkeley. [handout]
2014. Farmer, Stephanie and Zachary O'Hagan. Nominal Reference in a Tiered Lexicon: A Semantic Account of Noun Classifiers in Two Amazonian Languages. *Syntax and Semantics Circle*, November 7, Berkeley. [handout]
2013. Chousou-Polydouri, Natalia, Vivian Wauters, Zachary O'Hagan, Keith Bartolomei, and Lev Michael. A Bayesian Phylogenetic Internal Classification of the Tupí-Guaraní Family. *\*dhworom*, February 14, Berkeley. [slides]
2012. Sandy, Clare and Zachary O'Hagan. Evidence for Syntactic Expression of Information Structure in Omagua. *Syntax and Semantics Circle*, April 20, Berkeley. [handout]
2012. Finding Purpose: The Origin of Purposive Clause Markers in Proto-Omagua-Kokama (Tupí-Guaraní). *Fieldwork Forum*, April 4, Berkeley. [handout]
2011. The Explanatory Power of Frozen Morphology: The Case of Proto-Omagua-Kokama. *Fieldwork Forum*, April 14, Berkeley. [slides]

FELLOWSHIPS	Instituto Riva-Agüero, Beca de apoyo a la investigación	2022
AND GRANTS	Endangered Language Fund, Language Legacies	2021
	ELDP, Individual Graduate Scholarship	2015-2018
	Hellman Graduate Award	2014-2017
	Oswalt Endangered Language Grant	2013, 2014, 2015
	National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship	2012-2015
	Robert & Colleen Haas Scholars Program	2010-2011

RESEARCH	University of California, Berkeley	
POSITIONS	— Research Assistant, Lev Michael, Department of Linguistics	2011-2012
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		Spring 2018-Fall 2020

TEACHING	University of California, Berkeley	
POSITIONS	— Graduate Student Instructor, Introduction to Linguistic Science	Spring 2017



– Graduate Student Instructor, Comparative and Historical Linguistics

Fall 2018

ADVISORY University of California, Berkeley

POSITIONS – Graduate Student Mentor, Linguistics Research Apprenticeship Practicum

Fall 2016

Spring 2018

PROFESSIONAL AMAZONICAS

AFFILIATIONS Linguistic Society of America

Societas Linguistica Europaea

Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas

Phi Beta Kappa

REVIEWER *Cadernos de Etnolingüística*

Endangered Languages Documentation Programme

*Folia Linguistica* (De Gruyter)

*International Journal of American Linguistics* (University of Chicago)

John Benjamins

*Journal of Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology*

(American Anthropological Association)

*Language* (Linguistic Society of America)

*Language Documentation and Description* (EL Publishing)

*Language Dynamics and Change* (Brill)

*Languages* (Multidisciplinary Digital Publishing Institute)

*Lexis* (Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú)

*LIAMES: Línguas Indígenas Americanas* (Universidade Estadual de Campinas)

*Linguistics* (De Gruyter)

*Linguistics Vanguard* (De Gruyter)

National Science Foundation

*PLOS One* (Public Library of Science)

*Studia Linguistica* (Wiley-Blackwell)

*Studies in Language* (John Benjamins)

*Visitas al Patio* (Universidad de Cartagena)