

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### EDUCATION

Ph.D., UCLA, 1985, Linguistics  
Ph.D. Dissertation: *Aspects of the Grammar of Yagua: A Typological Perspective*  
(Professor in Charge: Pamela Munro)  
M.A., Univ. of Texas at Arlington, 1976, Linguistics  
Title of M.A. Thesis: *Syllable Theory in Natural Phonology*  
B.S. with High Honor, Wheaton College, 1974, Mathematics

### EDITORIAL POSITIONS

2022- Co-editor, *International Journal of American Linguistics*. University of Chicago Press.  
2021- Editorial board, *Comprehensive Grammar Library* (book series). Berlin: Language Science Press.  
2019- Editorial board *Language in Africa* (a journal of the Institute of Linguistics, Russian Academy of sciences, Moscow; and the Museum of Anthropology and Ethnography, Russian Academy of sciences, St. Petersburg)  
2018- Editorial board, *Language Science Press*  
2014- Editorial board, *Nilo-Saharan* (book series). Cologne: Rüdiger Köppe.  
2004- Editorial committee, *Boletín Antropología*, Colombia.  
2003-2007 Executive Committee, Association of Linguistic Typology  
2002- Editorial board, *Discourse and Cognition* (journal of the the Discourse and Cognitive Linguistics Society of Korea)  
2001- Editorial board, *Linguistic Discovery* (online journal at <http://linguistic-discovery.dartmouth.edu/>)  
1995-1999 Editorial board, *Journal of Amazonian Languages*  
1990- Editorial board, *Typological Studies in Language*. (Book series, John Benjamins Publishers)

### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS and VISITING LECTURESHIPS

2024 Invited Lecturer, CIESAS-Surueste, Chiapas, Mexico  
2022- Professor Emerita and Graduate Faculty, Department of Linguistics, University of Oregon  
2002-2022 Professor, Department of Linguistics, University of Oregon  
February 2009 Invited lecturer for intensive course, Universidad de Sonora, Hermosillo, Mexico.  
July-Aug 2007 & 2008 Visiting Lecturer, Trinity Western University, Langley, British Columbia.  
April 2008 Invited Lecturer for short course, Escuela Nacional de Antropología e Historia, Mexico City, Mexico.  
July-Aug 2002 Guest Scientist, Max Planck Institute für Evolutionäre Anthropologie, Linguistics Department, Leipzig, Germany  
Jan-May 2002 Visiting Professor (Lecturer), Nairobi Evangelical Graduate School of Theology (NEGST) (Translation Studies Department), Nairobi, Kenya  
2001 Visiting Lecturer, *Landelijke Onderzoeks Taalwetenschap* (LOT; Netherlands Graduate School of Linguistics Winter School) University of Utrecht, Amsterdam.  
1997 Visiting Lecturer, Universidad de Buenos Aires. One-week intensive course (15 lecture hours, plus consulting on field work projects on Tehuelche, Pilagá, Toba, Mapudungan with participants)  
1992-2002 Associate Professor, Department of Linguistics, University of Oregon  
October 1999 Visiting Lecturer, Africa Area Linguistics Consultant Seminar, Ruiru, Kenya.  
One-week (5 hours, plus outside consulting)  
Aug-Nov 1999 Visiting Scholar, NEGST, Nairobi, Kenya.  
1987-1992 Assistant Professor, Department of Linguistics, University of Oregon  
1986-1987 Research Associate, Department of Linguistics, University of Oregon, for research in Venezuela  
1985-1986 Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Linguistics, University of Oregon  
1986 (summer) Field Methods instructor, University of Oregon  
1985 (summer) Field Methods instructor, University of North Dakota

1976-1977      Research assistant and secretary for Dr. Kenneth Pike, Department of Linguistics,  
University of Michigan

#### **ADMINISTRATION**

2019-2020      Interim Director of African Studies, University of Oregon  
2016-2019      Director of African Studies, University of Oregon  
2015-2016      Interim Director of African Studies Program, University of Oregon  
July 2012-2014      Associate Head of Linguistics, Univ of Oregon  
July 2012-2014      Linguistics Administrator for American English Institute  
July 2011-12      Director, OCIAS (Oregon Consortium for International and Area Studies)  
July 2008-09, 2010-12      Director of African Studies Program, University of Oregon  
July 1996-1999      Chair, Department of Linguistics, University of Oregon  
Summer 1992      Associate Director of Summer Institute of Linguistics Program, University of Oregon

#### **GRANTS and FELLOWSHIPS**

2017-2019      National Science Foundation, supplement for Research Experience for Undergraduate Students and archiving preparation (\$12,098; with extension).  
2016-2019      National Science Foundation, Research Experience for Undergraduate Students; supplement to NSF grant “Documentation and Comparative Lexicon and Morphosyntax of Nivacle and Pilaga, of Northern Argentina” (\$9,500; with extension)  
2016-2019      National Science Foundation, Dissertation improvement grant for “Doctoral Dissertation Research: Documenting the Endangered Koman Languages and their Linguistic Relationships” (co-PI Manuel Otero) (\$19,900; with REU supplement, 2018)  
2016      Jordan Schnitzer Academic Support Grant for Tanzanian art display (on behalf of African Studies, with the work of other faculty)  
2014-2018      Endangered Languages Documentation Programme (ELDP), “Documentation of the Language and Musical Traditions of the Isimjeeg” (Tanzania) (co-PI Richard Griscom) (\$47,600)  
2013-2019      National Science Foundation, “Documentation and Comparative Lexicon and Morphosyntax of Nivacle and Pilaga, of northern Argentina” (co-PI Alejandra Vidal) (\$185,000)  
2012-2014      National Science Foundation, Dissertation improvement grant for “Huambisa Grammar and Documentation” (Peru) (co-PI Jaime Peña) (\$15,000)  
2010-2012      National Science Foundation, Dissertation improvement grant for “Ho Morphophonology and Morphosyntax, with Documentation” (India) (co-PI Anna Pucilowski) (\$12,000)  
2009-2013      (co-investigator; with Melissa Redford, PI; & Jessica Fanning, co-investigator) National Institutes of Mental Health. grant for “Acquisition of Temporal Patterns in Child Speech and Language”  
2009-2010      Fulbright Foundation, IlParakuyo Lexicon and Verbal Structures in Comparative Perspective (9 months)  
2008-2010      National Science Foundation, Dissertation improvement grant for “A Grammar and Interlinearized Texts of Northern Mao, an Understudied Omotic Language” (Ethiopia) (co-PI Michael Ahland) (\$ 11,987)  
2007-2009      National Science Foundation, Dissertation improvement grant, with augment for International Cooperation, for “A Grammar of Gumuz” (Ethiopia) (co-PI Colleen Ahland) (\$14,500)  
2004      University of Oregon, Summer research award for Maasai text work  
2001-2004      National Science Foundation, supplement grant for Nilotic Research Network (\$50,000)  
1998-2004      National Science Foundation, Maasai texts and lexicographic data bases (\$244,000)  
1997-98      National Science Foundation, Conference grant for “External Possession and Related Noun Incorporation Phenomena” (with Immanuel Barshi) (\$38,500)  
1996-98      National Science Foundation, Dissertation improvement grant for “Pilaga grammar” (with Alejandra Vidal) (\$10,000)  
1996      Office of Research & Sponsored programs, matching funds for Maasai dictionary project (\$350)  
1993-94      Fulbright Grant for research on Maasai and other Nilotic languages (\$36,000)  
1990      Univ. of Oregon Office of Research and Sponsored Programs grant for Panare research (\$750)  
1989      Univ. of Oregon Horse-shoe grant for Panare research (\$100)  
1986-88      Oregon Foundation matching grant for Amazonian Languages Conference; Postdoctoral Associate (\$5,000)  
1986-88      National Science Foundation Grant for Amazonian Languages Conference,

	Postdoctoral Associate (\$43,382)
1986-88	National Endowment for the Humanities Grant for Amazonian Languages Conference, Postdoctoral Associate (\$27,000)
1986-89	National Science Foundation Grant for research on Panare (Cariban), Co-PI (\$70,920)

## WEB PRODUCTIONS AND DATABASE BUILDING

- Pilagá and Nivaçle documentation archives, with Alejandra Vidal. Deposited with the Archive of Indigenous Languages of Latin America (AILLA), University of Texas at Austin, September 30, 2019.  
Pilagá archive: <https://ailla.utexas.org/islandora/object/ailla%3A268137>  
Nivaçle archive: <https://ailla.utexas.org/islandora/object/ailla%3A268175>
- Maa Online Dictionary. <https://pages.uoregon.edu/maasai/> Latest upload August 2008. [This is a major product of some of my research efforts, especially during 2003-2012. Work continues until the present time.]
- Maa comparative lexicography database (IKeekonyokie, IIPurko, IWasinkishu, IIParakuyo, some Samburu materials) [Work continues till the present time.]
- Maa text database (IKeekonyokie, IIPurko, IWuasinkishu, IIParakuyo Samburu, IChamus varieties represented) [Work continues till the present time.]
- Maa clause structure database & Maa verb database
- Yagua texts

## PUBLICATIONS

### Books and edited volumes

In preparation. *Maa (Maasai) Grammar*.

In preparation. (with Leonard Ole-Kotikash, & Abraham Lekutit Ole-Mapena) *Maa (Maasai) – Swahili – English Dictionary*.

- 2017 **Payne, Doris L.** Sara Pacchiarotti & Mokaya Bosire (eds.) *Diversity in African Languages: Selected Papers from the 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on African Linguistics*. Berlin: Language Science Press. [28 papers] (This volume was first listed by the Publisher with a December 2016 date.)
- 2015 **Payne, Doris L.** and Shahar Shirtz (eds.) *Beyond Aspect: The Expression of Discourse Functions in African languages*. Amsterdam: John Benjamins. [10 papers].
- 2013 Payne, Thomas E. and **Doris L. Payne**. *A Typological Grammar of Panare, A Cariban Language of Venezuela*. Leiden: Brill.
- 2007 **Payne, Doris L.** & Jaime Peña (eds.) *Selected Proceedings of the 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on African Linguistics, Eugene, Oregon*. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press/Cascadilla Proceedings Project. [16 papers]
- 2007 **Payne, Doris L.** & Mechthild Reh (eds.) *Advances in Nilo-Saharan Linguistics: Proceedings of the 8<sup>th</sup> Nilo-Saharan Linguistics Colloquium. University of Hamburg, August 22-25, 2001. (Nilo-Saharan, Volume 22)* Köln: Rüdiger Köppe Verlag.
- 2007 Seifart, Frank & **Doris L. Payne** (eds.) *The International Journal of American Linguistics*, Volume 73, No. 4. Issue dedicated to Noun Classification in the Western Amazon. [5 papers].
- 1999 **Payne, Doris L.** & Immanuel Barshi (eds.) *External Possession*. Amsterdam: John Benjamins. (20 papers, c. 550 pp.)
- 1992 **Payne, Doris L.** (ed.) *Pragmatics of Word Order Flexibility*. Amsterdam: John Benjamins. (12 papers)
- 1990 **Payne, Doris L.** *The Pragmatics of Word Order: Typological Dimensions of Verb Initial Languages*. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter.
- 1990 **Payne, Doris L.** (ed.) *Amazonian Linguistics: Studies in Lowland South American Languages*. Austin: University of Texas Press. (18 papers)

### Journal articles, book chapters, major reviews

Under revision. **Payne, Doris L.** Colour Terms. [Originally published 2005, *Encyclopedia of Linguistics*, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition, volume on *Lexical Semantics and Lexical Relations*, ed. by Keith Allen, 605-610. Amsterdam/London: Elsevier.]

In Preparation. **Payne, Doris L.** Possibility and the realm of thought in Maa. *TBA*, ed. by Olivier Duplâtre & Patrick Duffley.

- To appear. **Payne, Doris L.** Middle verbs in Maa: Alternating, *media tantum*, and (spurious) look-alikes. Submitted to [ACAL 54 – Title TBA], ed. by Vicki Carstens, et al. Berlin: Language Science Press.
- To appear. **Payne, Doris L.** & Jaime Peña. Peba-Yaguan. *Amazonian Languages, an International Handbook, Volume ##, Smaller Language Families*, ed. by Patience Epps & Lev Michael. [Handbücher zur Sprach- und Kommunikationswissenschaft/Handbooks of Linguistics and Communication Science (HSK) 44/##] Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter. [45 pp]
- 2024 **Payne, Doris L.** Nilotic applicatives. *Applicative Constructions in the World's Languages (Comparative Handbooks of Linguistics)*, ed. by Fernando Zúñiga and Denis Creissels, 783-834. Berlin: DeGruyter. <https://doi.org/10.1515/9783110730951-023>
- 2022 **Payne, Doris L.** The applicative(-like) function of Nilotic directionals: Introducing THEMES. *Applicative morphology: Neglected syntactic and non-syntactic functions. (Trends in Linguistics. Studies and Monographs 373)*, ed. by Sara Pacchiarotti and Fernando Zúñiga, 227-259. Berlin: DeGruyter. <https://doi.org/10.1515/9783110777949>
- 2022 **Payne, Doris L.** Proximal to distal: Information flow and order. *Word Order Variation: Semitic, Turkic and Indo-European Languages in Contact (Studia Typologica 31)*, ed. by: Hiwa Asadpour and Thomas Jügel, 15-38. Berlin: de Gruyter Mouton. <https://doi.org/10.1515/9783110790368>
- 2022 **Payne, Doris L.** Non-verbal predication and copular constructions in Maa (Eastern Nilotic), *Current Research in Nilo-Saharan: 14th Nilo-Saharan Linguistics Colloquium, Vienna, 30th May – 1st June 2019.* (Nilo-Saharan Studies in Language and Context 23), ed. by Roger Blench, Petra Weschenfelder & Georg Ziegelmeyer, 177-189. Koeln: Rudiger Koeppel Verlag.
- 2021 **Payne, Doris L.** The profile and development of the Maa (Eastern Nilotic) antipassive. *Antipassive Constructions in Languages of the World*, ed. by Katarzyna Janic & Alena Witzlack-Makarevich, 447-479. (Typological Studies in Language 130.) Amsterdam: John Benjamins. <https://doi.org/10.1075/tsl.130.14pay>
- 2021 Vidal, Alejandra & **Doris L. Payne.** “Polyfunctional *vanka-* in Nivačle: Antipassive, Middle, and Beyond”. *Antipassive Constructions in Languages of the World*, ed. by Katarzyna Janic & Alena Witzlack-Makarevich, 349-381. (Typological Studies in Language 130.) Amsterdam: John Benjamins.
- 2021 **Payne, Doris L.** The extension of “Associated Motion” to aspect and argument structure in Nilotic languages. *Associated Motion*, ed. by Antoine Guillaume and Harold Koch (eds), 695-746. (Empirical Approaches to Language Typology.) Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter.
- 2021 Vidal, Alejandra & **Doris L. Payne.** Pilagá directionals and the typology of associated motion. In *Associated Motion*, ed. by Antoine Guillaume and Harold Koch (eds), 451-484. (Empirical Approaches to Language Typology.) Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter.
- 2021 Otero, Manuel, **Doris L. Payne** & Alejandra Vidal. Deictic determiners and grammatical nominalization in Nivačle. *Studia Linguistica* 75(2). 234–264. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/stul.12161>
- 2020 **Doris L. Payne.** The diversity of Maa (Nilotic) adverbs: speed, time, modality, intensity and nominal-tense/aspect. *Studies in African Linguistics* 49(2).160-186. **[open access]** <https://doi.org/10.32473/sal.v49i2.125885>
- 2020 **Payne, Doris L.** & Alejandra Vidal. Pilagá determiners and demonstratives: Discourse use and grammaticalisation. *Demonstratives in Discourse*, ed. by Åshild Næss, Anna Margetts, Yvonne Tries, 149-184. (Topics at the Grammar-Discourse Interface). Berlin: Language Science Press. **[open access]** <https://langsci-press.org/catalog/view/282/2653/2024-1>
- 2020 **Payne, Doris L.** Robust argument phrases (DPs) but unruly NPs in Maa. *The ‘Noun Phrase’ across Languages: an Emergent Unit in Interaction*, ed. by Yoshi Ono & Sandra Thompson (eds.), 330-362. (Typological Studies in Language 128.) Amsterdam: John Benjamins.
- 2020 **Payne, Doris L.** Color-term systems: Genetic vs. areal distribution in Sub-Saharan Africa in African languages. *The Oxford Handbook of African Languages*, ed. by Rainer Vossen and Gerrit Dimmendaal. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 704-714. <https://doi.org/10.1093/oxfordhb/9780199609895.013.53>. [in press from 2013-2020].
- 2019 Thalmayer, Amber Gayle, Gerard Saucier, Leonard Ole-Kotikash, **Doris L. Payne.** Personality structure in East and West Africa: Lexical studies of personality in Maa and Senufo. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology: Personality Processes and Individual Differences.* <http://dx.doi.org/10.1037/pspp0000264>
- 2018 **Payne, Doris L.** & Thomas E. Payne. Yagua. [Tariy Vūmyunatyī Davyibey Tūchonū, Jiryatyī Suvañuyuanū Tariy Jivyaturūtya; ‘Story of Our Deceased Ancestor Davyiy, What he and his Wife Did’]. *International Journal of American Linguistics* 84, TILA Special Issue “Narratives in Indigenous Peruvian Languages”, S109-

127. Guest editors Matt Coler, Roberto Zariquiey, Pilar Valenzuela.  
<https://www.journals.uchicago.edu/doi/epdf/10.1086/695548>
- 2018 **Payne, Doris L.**, Alejandra Vidal & Manuel Otero. Locative, existential and possessive predication in the Chaco: Nivaê (Mataguayan) and Pilagá (Guaykuruan). *Non-verbal predication in Amazonian languages*, edited by Simon Overall, Rosa Vallejos & Spike Gildea, 263-294. Amsterdam: John Benjamins.
- 2017 Griscom, Richard & **Doris L. Payne**. Non-uniform syllable weight in Southern Kenyan Maa (Maasai). *Syllable Weight in African Languages*, ed. by Paul Newman, 143-160. Amsterdam: John Benjamins.
- 2016 **Payne, Doris L.** Review of *A Grammar of Luwo, An Anthropological Approach*, by Anne Storch. *Journal of African Languages and Linguistics* 37: 173-177. <https://DOI.10.1515/jall-2016-0007>
- 2015 **Payne, Doris L.** Perspectives on Nilotic verb composition: Why can't we agree on The Maa verb? *Nilo-Saharan – Models and Descriptions*, ed. by Angelika Mietzner and Anne Storch, 211-229. Cologne: Rudiger Koeppe Verlag.
- 2015 **Payne, Doris L.** Aspect and thematic clause combining in Maa. *Beyond Aspect: The Expression of Discourse Functions in African languages*, ed. by Doris Payne and Shahar Shirtz, 23-52. Amsterdam: John Benjamins. <https://doi.org/10.1075/tsl.109>
- 2015 Shahar Shirtz & **Doris L. Payne**. Discourse structuring and typology: How strong is the link with aspect? *Beyond Aspect: The Expression of Discourse Functions in African languages*, ed. by Doris Payne and Shahar Shirtz., 1-22. Amsterdam: John Benjamins. <https://doi.org/10.1075/tsl.109.01shi>
- 2015 **Payne, Doris L.** Topic versus Proximate: Information Order in Maa (Eastern Nilotic). *Information Structure and Nilotic Languages (Studies in Nilotic Linguistics Vol. 10)*, ed. by Hieda Osamu, 37-59. Tokyo: Research Institute for Languages and Cultures of Asia and Africa, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies.
- 2013 Shirtz, Shahar & **Doris L. Payne**. The Problem of 'Head' in Maa (Maasai) Nominal Phrases. In *Selected Proceedings of the 43rd Annual Conference on African Linguistics*, ed. Olanike Ola Orié and Karen W. Sanders, 207-221. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Proceedings Project. [www.lingref.com](http://www.lingref.com), document #2969. **[open access]** <http://www.lingref.com/cpp/acal/43/index.html>
- 2013 **Payne, Doris L.** The challenge of Maa 'Away'. *Functional-Historical Approaches to Explanation: In Honor of Scott DeLancey*, ed. by Tim Thornes, Erik Andvik, Gwendolyn Hyslop, and Joana Jansen, 259-282. (*Typological Studies in Language* series.) Amsterdam: John Benjamins.
- 2013 **Payne, Doris L.** Alignment and Grammatical Relations. *The Bloomsbury Companion to Syntax*, edited by Silvia Luraghi and Claudia Parodi, 218-239. London/New York: Bloomsbury.
- 2013 Saucier, Gerard, Amber Gayle Thalmayer, **Doris L. Payne**, Robert Carlson, Lamine Sanogo, Leonard Ole-Kotikash, A. Timothy Church, Marcia S. Katigbak, Oya Somer, Piotr Szarota, Zsofia Szirmák, & Xinyue Zhou). A basic bivariate structure of personality attributes evident across nine languages. *Journal of Personality* <https://doi.org/10.1111/jopy.12028> (On paper: 2014. vol 82(1). 1-14)
- 2012 **Payne, Doris L.** Phonological Variation in Maa Varieties, With Some Implications for Grammar. *Occasional Papers in Linguistics 4*. Languages of Tanzania Project. University of Dar es Salaam, pp. 35-65.
- 2012 Erin Maloney, Melissa A. Redford, & **Doris L. Payne**. What children's pause patterns indicate about their constituent structure. *BUCLD 36 Proceedings Supplement*. Cascadilla Press. [<http://www.bu.edu/bucld/proceedings/supplement/vol36/>; <http://www.bu.edu/bucld/files/2012/07/Maloney-36.pdf>]
- 2011 **Payne, Doris L.** The Maa (Eastern Nilotic) Impersonal Construction. *Impersonal Constructions. A Cross-Linguistic Perspective*, ed. by Anna Siewierska and Andrej Malchukov, 257-284. (*SLCS 124*). Amsterdam: John Benjamins.
- 2010 **Payne, Doris L.** Review of *The Linguistics of Eating and Drinking*, and of *Wine and Conversation*, by Adrienne Lehrer. *Language* 86.963-966.
- 2009 **Payne, Doris L.** Cuestiones tipológicas de la transitividad. *Dimensión Antropológica* 47.7-37. Mexico, D.F.: Instituto Nacional de Antropología e Historia. National Museum of Mexico. **[open access]** <https://revistas.inah.gob.mx/index.php/dimension/issue/view/112>
- 2009 **Payne, Doris L.** Is possession mere location? Contrary evidence from Maa (Maasai). *The Expression of Possession*, edited by William McGregor, 107-142. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter.
- 2009 **Payne, Doris L.** & Derek Olsen. Maa (Maasai) nominalization: Animacy, Agentivity, and Instrument. *Selected proceedings of the 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on African Linguistics*, ed. by Masangu Matondo, Fiona McLaughlin, and Eric Potsdam, 151-165. Somerville, MA: Cascadilla Press. **[open access]** <http://www.lingref.com/cpp/acal/38/paper2143.pdf>

- 2009 **Payne, Doris L.** Review of *A Carib Grammar and Dictionary*, by Hendrik Courtz. *Anthropological Linguistics* 51.82-86.
- 2008 **Payne, Doris L.** Do classifiers function as pronouns in Yagua? *Estudios en lingüística y antropología. Homenaje a Ana Gerzenstein de colegas y discípulos por sus tres décadas de contribución a las investigaciones de las lenguas indígenas en la Argentina*, ed. by Marisa Malvestitti, Cristina Messineo, and Roberto Bein, 181-189. Buenos Aires: Instituto de Lingüística, Facultad de Filosofía y Letras, University of Buenos Aires.
- 2008 **Payne, Doris L.** Review of *Semantic Role Universals and Argument Linking: Theoretical, Typological, and Psycholinguistic Perspectives*, ed. by Ina Bornkessel, Matthias Schlesewsky, Bernard Comrie and Angela D. Friederici. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter. *Linguistic Typology* 12.310-322.
- 2008 **Payne, Doris L.** Review of *Grammatical Constructions. Back to the Roots.* (Constructional Approaches to Language 4.), ed. by Fried, Mirjam and Hans C. Boas. *Studies in Language* 32.211-218.
- 2007 Gildea, Spike & **Doris L. Payne.** Is Greenberg's "Macro-Carib" viable? *Boletim do Museu Paraense Emilio Goeldi, Ciências Humanas* 2.2.19-72. Belém, Brazil: Museu Goeldi. **[open access]** <https://www.scielo.br/j/bgoeldi/a/KDFtpGh7sY9dGHZNVWpVF7d/?lang=en> [Appendices also available on UO Scholars' Bank at <http://hdl.handle.net/1794/5560>]
- 2007 Seifart, Frank & **Doris L. Payne.** Nominal Classification in the North West Amazon: Issues in Areal Diffusion and Typological Characterization. *International Journal of American Linguistics* 73.381-387.
- 2007 **Payne, Doris L.** Source of the Yagua Nominal Classification System. *International Journal of American Linguistics* 73.447-474.
- 2006 **Payne, Doris L.** A contrastive study of Panare oral and written narratives. *Haciendo Lingüística, Homenaje a Paola Bentivoglio*, ed. by Mercedes Sedano, Adriana Bolívar, and Martha Shiro, pp. 671-684. Caracas, Venezuela, Universidad Central de Venezuela.
- 2004 **Payne, Doris L.** Yagua (Peba-Yaguan). *Morphology. A Handbook on Inflection and Word Formation, Volume 2*, ed. by Geert Booij, Christian Lehmann, and Joachim Mugdan, 1464-1473. Berlin: Walter de Gruyter.
- 2004 Guion, Susan, Mark Post, & **Doris L. Payne.** Phonetic correlates of tongue root vowel contrasts in Maa. *Journal of Phonetics* 32:517-542.
- 2004 **Payne, Doris L.** Functions of Maa *peé* + Low Tone: a case study of discourse driven polysemy. *Journal of Linguistic Sciences* [Korea], 11.97-139.
- 2003 **Payne, Doris L.** Maa color terms and their use as human descriptors. (with Leonard Ole-Kotikash and Keswe Ole-Mapena.) *Anthropological Linguistics* 45.169-200. <https://www.jstor.org/stable/30028884>
- 2003 **Payne, Doris L.** Review of *Dimensions of Possession*, ed. by Irene Baron, Michael Herslund and Finn Sorensen. *Functions of Language* 10.109-116.
- 2003 **Payne, Doris L.** Review of *A Dictionary of the Nandi Language* by Jane Tapsubei Creider and Chet A. Creider. *Journal of African Languages and Linguistics*. 24.195-201.
- 2001 **Payne, Doris L.** with Leonard Ole-Kotikash and A. Keswe Mapena Ole-Lekutit. A Frame Semantics approach to lexemic structure: Uncovering the truth about Maa *a-sip*. *Journal of African Languages and Linguistics*. 22.145-168.
- 2001 **Payne, Doris L.** The explanation of argument structure: lexicalization or discourse use? *Proceedings of the Seoul International Conference on Discourse and Cognitive Linguistics*, 532-556. Seoul: Korean Society of Discourse and Cognition.
- 2001 **Payne, Doris L.** How to develop a new intransitive: the story of Maa *sip* 'make smooth, lick clean, bless, kill, tell the truth' and 'be certain'. *Proceedings of the Seoul International Conference on Discourse and Cognitive Linguistics*, 339-362. Seoul: Korean Society of Discourse and Cognition.
- 2001 **Payne, Doris L.** Review of *Amazonian Languages*, ed. By Alexandra Aikhenvald and R. M. W. Dixon. *Language* 77.594-598.
- 1999 **Payne, Doris L.** Review of *Endangered Languages*, ed. by Lenore Grenoble and Lindsey Whaley. *Journal of Linguistics* 35.618-624.
- 1999 **Payne, Doris L. & Immanuel Barshi.** External Possession: What, Where, How, and Why. *External Possession*, ed. by Doris Payne and Immanuel Barshi, 3-29. Amsterdam: John Benjamins.
- 1999 **Payne, Doris L.** What counts as explanation? A functionalist approach to word order. *Functionalism and Formalism in Linguistics, vol 1*, ed. by Michael Darnell, Edith Moravcsik, Frederick J. Newmeyer, Michael Noonan, Kathleen Wheatley, 135-163. Amsterdam: John Benjamins.
- 1998 **Payne, Doris L.** Maasai gender in typological perspective. *Studies in African Linguistics* 27.159-175. **[open access]** <https://journals.flvc.org/sal/article/view/107385>

- 1998 Barshi, Immanuel & **Doris L. Payne**. Argument structure and Maasai possessive interpretation: Implications for language learning. *Foreign Language Acquisition: Psycholinguistic Experiments on Training and Retention*. Edited by Alice F. Healy and Lyle E. Bourne, Jr., 213-229. Mahwah, NJ: Erlbaum.
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- 2023 **Payne, Doris L.** 2023. "Maa (Maasai)-Style *Media Tantum* ("middle only") Verbs." 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguisticae Europaea, Athens, Greece, August 29-September 1, 2023.
- 2023 **Payne, Doris L.** 2023. "Apparent middle verbs in Maa". 54<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on African Linguistics, Univ. of Connecticut, Storrs, Connecticut, June 12-14, 2023.
- 2022 **Payne, Doris L.** 2022. "Maa "epenthetic" final consonants." 53<sup>rd</sup> Annual Conference on African Linguistics, UC San Diego, April 7-9, 2022. [held virtually]



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- 2017 Vidal, Alejandra & **Doris L. Payne.** “Pilagá Deictic Directionals and the Associated Motion Comparative Concept.” 12<sup>th</sup> conference of the Association of Linguistic Typology, workshop on Associated Motion. Canberra, Australia, December 12-15, 2017.
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- 2017 **Payne, Doris L.** “Lexical density of the JUMP domain in Maa”. 48th Annual Conference on African Linguistics, Bloomington, Indiana. March 2017.
- 2017 Manuel Otero, Alejandra Vidal, & **Doris L. Payne.** “Associated motion and AWAY in the Chaco: Nivaçle and Pilagá.” Society for the Study of Indigenous Languages of the Americas (SSILA). Austin, Texas., January 5-8, 2017.
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- 2017 **Payne, Doris L.** “Maa Clause Combining: The “Low Tone” versus “Infinitive” Constructions”. 13<sup>th</sup> Nilo-Saharan Conference, May 4-6, 2017, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. [Invited plenary address]
- 2016 **Payne, Doris L.** “So-called “tense” and discourse structures in Maa (Maasai)”. Invited colloquium, California State University, Long Beach, California. October 4, 2016.

- 2016 **Payne, Doris L.** “The profile and historical development of an Eastern Nilotic antipassive: From ‘give’ to ANTIPASSIVE in Maa.” Workshop on Antipassives, Societas Linguisticae Europaea, Napoli, Italy. September 2, 2016.
- 2016 Alejandra Vidal & **Doris L. Payne.** “Polyfunctional *vanka-* in Nivaçle: Antipassive, Middle, or Other?” 49<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Societas Linguisticae Europaea, Napoli, Italy. August 31, 2016.
- 2016 Manuel Otero, Alejandra Vidal, & **Doris L. Payne** “Deictic Determiners and “Nominalization” in Nivaçle: What Does Nominalization Look like if a Language has no Nouns?” Workshop on Nominalization (associated with Syntax of the World’s Languages VI), August 20, 2016. Mexico City, Mexico.
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- 2016 **Payne, Doris L.** “From ‘give’ to antipassive: lexical and construction-induced semantic change.” 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on African Linguistics. Berkeley, California. March 23-26, 2016.
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- 2015 **Payne, Doris L.** “Lexicon and syntax DON’T match: The case of argument structure”. Invited lecture, University of Ghana, Legon/Accra, Ghana. January 2015. [invited talk]
- 2015 **Payne, Doris L.** “Maa Nominal Phrase Structures, Determiners and Limiters.” 12<sup>th</sup> Nilo-Saharan Conference, Nairobi, Kenya.
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- 2014 **Payne, Doris L.** Syntax and Information Structure Constructions in Maa. 45<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on African Linguistics, University of Kansas, April 17-19.
- 2014 **Payne, Doris L.** “Color terms in African Languages”. University of Ghana – Legon. February 19, 2014. [Invited talk]
- 2014 **Payne, Doris L.** “Maa constituent order and information structure: ‘Proximate’ versus ‘Topic’”. Conference on Information Structure in Africa. Kyoto, Japan. October 3-6, 2014.
- 2013 **Payne, Doris L.** “Maa ‘Past’, ‘Perfect’, and narrative discourse.” Workshop on Aspect in African Languages, Societas Linguisticae Europaea 46, Split, Croatia; Sept 18-21, 2013.
- 2013 **Payne, Doris L.** “Typology and Information Structure Constructions.” National Museum of Ethnology (Osaka), Signed and Spoken Language Linguistics Festa 2013, September 27-29, 2013. [invited discussion paper]
- 2013 **Payne, Doris L.** Nilo-Saharan Conference. Why can’t we agree on “The Maa verb”? Perspectives on Nilotic verb composition. May 2013, Koln, Germany. [Invited plenary paper]
- 2012 **Payne, Doris L.** The Human Propensity Body-Part Construction in Maasai. Societas Linguisticae Europaea 45, Stockholm, Sweden; August 29-Sept 1, 2012
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- 2011 **Payne, Doris L.** Nilotic Directionals in Lexical, Syntactic, and Historical Context. Societas Linguisticae Europaea, 8-11 September 2011, Universidad de La Rioja, Logroño, Spain.
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- 2010 **Payne, Doris L.** Chameleons Move (Slowly) Away: Development of a Pluractional in Maa (Maasai). Workshop on Pluractionality, Leiden University, Netherlands.

- 2010 **Payne, Doris L.** Maa Cross-Variety Differences, with Special Attention to Southern Kenya and Tanzania. Annual Colloquium on African languages and linguistics, Leiden University, Netherlands, August 23, 2010.
- 2010 **Payne, Doris L.** "Effect of Maa structure on making a Maa (Maasai) dictionary." Languages of Tanzania, Annual Conference. University of Dar es Salaam, Tanzania. [invited lecture]
- 2009 Wilson, Kelsey & **Doris L. Payne.** "Yagua Color Terms and their Morphosyntactic Properties." SSILA Conference, San Francisco, January 2009.
- 2008 **Payne, Doris L.** "The Maa (Eastern Nilotic) Impersonal construction." Impersonals Workshop, 41<sup>st</sup> meeting of the Societe Linguistica Europaea, Forli, Italy, September 17-19, 2008.
- 2008 **Payne, Doris L.** "Cuestiones Tipológicas de la Transitividad" [Typological questions on Transitivity], Escuela Nacional de Antropología e Historia (ENAH), Mexico City, Mexico. [Invited plenary, "conferencia magistral"]
- 2007 **Payne, Doris L.** "The Existential Toe-Hold of a Split-S System?" Association of Linguistic Typology, Paris, France, September 24-29, 2007.
- 2007 **Payne, Doris L.** "A typology of lexical transitivity: From Amazonia to Africa." University of the West Indies, Mona Campus, Jamaica. [Invited lecture].
- 2007 **Payne, Doris L.** "The Typological Transitivity Profile of Maa (Maasai)." 10<sup>th</sup> Nilo-Saharan Conference, Paris, France. August 24-25, 2007.
- 2007 **Payne, Doris L.** "Typological Issues in Transitivity: (Dis-)Harmony between Lexicon and Construction." Hanyang-Oregon Linguistics Symposium, June 2007. Seoul Korea
- 2007 **Payne, Doris L. & Derek Olsen.** "Instrumental versus Agentive Nominalization in Maa." 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on African Linguistics. Gainsville, Florida.
- 2006 **Payne, Doris L.** "Lexical vs. Constructional properties of Maa *tii* 'be at' and *ata* 'have'." 4<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Construction Grammar, University of Tokyo, Japan. September 1-3, 2006.
- 2006 **Payne, Doris L.** "Morphology and Syntax DON'T Match". Department of Foreign Languages, Beihang University, Beijing, China. June 8, 2006. [invited lecture]
- 2006 **Payne, Doris L.** "Maa *tii* 'be at' versus *ata* 'have' in Locative, Existential, and Possessive functions". 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on African Linguistics. Eugene, Oregon.
- 2006 **Payne, Doris L.** Invited discussant for Workshop on "Construction Grammar and Typology", University of Tokyo, Japan. September 4, 2006.
- 2005 **Payne, Doris L.** "Past-Perfect(ive) and Deontic Mood: Evidence from Panare." Paper presented at Cariban symposium, Paris, France. December 2005.
- 2005 Gildea, Spike & **Doris L. Payne.** "Evidence for Greenberg's Macro-Carib." Paper presented at the Simpósio Internacional Sobre Linguística Histórica na América do Sul (SILHAS) [International symposium on Historical Linguistics in South America]. Museu Paraense Emílio Goeldi and Universidade Federal do Pará. Belem, Brazil. August 2005.
- 2005 Ahland, Colleen, Christina Schneider & **Payne, Doris L.** "Stress in Maa, a Nilotic Tone Language." Poster presented at the "Between Stress and Tone" conference. Leiden, Netherlands. June 2005.
- 2004 **Payne, Doris L.** "Origen y función de los clasificadores yagua." Invited lecture at San Marcos University, Lima Peru, July 2004. [Version of same paper presented in English at the International South American Historical Linguistics Workshop, Coos Bay, Oregon; September 2004]
- 2004 **Payne, Doris L.** "*Le socaron las tuercas*: La morfosintaxis de la posesión externa." Invited lecture at Ricardo Palmas University, Lima Peru. July 2004.
- 2004 **Payne, Doris L.** A Construction Grammar view of clause combining in Maa." 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on African Linguistics. Harvard University, Boston, Mass. April 2004.
- 2004 **Payne, Doris L.** "Adverbial clause types in Maa." 9<sup>th</sup> Nilo-Saharan Linguistics Colloquium, Khartoum, Sudan. February 2004.
- 2003 **Payne, Doris L.** "Lexicalization of Semantic Features in Maa movement verbs." Association of Linguistic Typology V, Special session on Lexical Semantics. Cagliari, Italy, September 15-18, 2003.
- 2003 **Payne, Doris L.** "Position, Location, Direction and Movement in Amazonia" Workshop on Exploring the Linguistic Past: Historical Linguistics in South America, sponsored by Netherlands Foundation for Scientific Research. Amersfoort/Leiden, August 31-September 6, 2003.
- 2003 **Payne, Doris L.** "Yagua "Postbases": A Case of Messy Morphology". Leiden University, September 3. [Invited lecture]
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- 2003 **Payne, Doris L.** “The Maa ‘Antipassive’: the Extensions of Voice.” Fourth World Congress on African Languages/34<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on African Linguistics. New Brunswick, New Jersey. June 2003.
- 2002 **Payne, Doris L.** “Maa Color Terms as Expressions of Personality and Moral Evaluation”. Finnish Cognitive Linguistics Conference, Turku, Finland. (September 12-14, 2002)
- 2002 **Payne, Doris L.** “The Interplay of Discourse and Lexicon in the Evolution of Argument Structure: Evidence from Maa *duj*”. Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology, Leipzig, Germany. (August 19, 2002) [Invited lecture]
- 2002 **Payne, Doris L.** “Issues in Maa (Maasai) Data Base Construction”. Nilotic Languages Workshop 2, Leipzig, Germany. Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology.
- 2002 **Payne, Doris L.** “Maa motion verbs.” Nilotic Languages Workshop 1, Kisumu, Kenya (Maseno University).
- 2001 **Payne, Doris L.** “Discontinuous Dependencies in Panare Verb Formation.” Russian Academy of Sciences, Siberian Branch. Institute of Philology. December 2001, Akademgorodok, Russia. [invited lecture]
- 2001 **Payne, Doris L.** “Linguistic Field Work in South America”. Russian Academy of Sciences, Siberian Branch. Institute of Philology. November 5, 2001, Akademgorodok, Russia. [invited lecture]
- 2001 **Payne, Doris L.** “Maasai Dictionary Project.” Tomsk State Pedagogical University, Laboratory of Siberian Language Research. Tomsk, Russia. November. [Invited lecture]
- 2001 **Payne, Doris L.** “South American Indigenous Languages.” Tomsk State Pedagogical University, Laboratory of Siberian Language Research. Tomsk, Russia. November. [Invited lecture]
- 2001 **Payne, Doris L.** “Typological Overview of Panare.” Conference on Siberian Languages. October, 2001. Akademgorodok, Russia.
- 2001 **Payne, Doris L.** “Maasai Verb Types and Argument Structure.” 8th Nilo-Saharan Conference, Hamburg, Germany, August.
- 2001 **Payne, Doris L.** “The Meaning of *a-sip*: To smooth, kill, disrobe in public, and tell the truth.” Annual Conference on African Linguistics 23, Berkeley, California, March.
- 2001 **Payne, Doris L.** “Is There a Universal Semantic Role Hierarchy?” Max Planck Institute, Leipzig, Germany. January.
- 2000 **Payne, Doris L.** “The Yagua Applicative and Universals of Role Hierarchies.” American Anthropological Association Meetings/Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas. San Francisco. November.
- 1999 **Payne, Doris L.** “Adjectives and human-propensity concepts in Maa.” Research Center for the Typology of Language. Canberra, Australia. [invited lecture]
- 1999 **Payne, Doris L.** “The expression of ‘human’ propensity’ concepts in Maasai.” 29<sup>th</sup> Colloquium on African Languages and Linguistics, Leiden, Netherlands. August 30-September 1.
- 1999 **Payne, Doris L.** “La tipología de la posesión externa: cómo se trata al poseedor” Universidad de Costa Rica, San José, Costa Rica. May 6, 1999. [invited lecture]
1998. **Payne, Doris L.** “Maasai gender in typological and applied perspectives.” 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on African Linguistics, Yale University, March 26-29.
- 1997 **Payne, Doris L.** “Prolegomenon to a typology of External Possession constructions.” International conference on “External Possession and Related Noun Incorporation,” University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon.
- 1997 **Payne, Doris L.** Semantic role and argument structure in the Maasai “external possession” construction. Special Session on Syntax and Semantics in African Languages, Berkeley Linguistics Society, February 14-17, 1997. [Invited Plenary paper]
- 1996 **Payne, Doris L. & Indira Bakshi.** “Verb classes and vowel harmony in Panare.” III Encuentro de Lingüística del Noreste, Universidad de Sonora, Hermosillo, México.
- 1996 **Payne, Doris L.** “Adjectives, adverbs, and AD-forms in Panare (Cariban).” Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas, San Diego.
- 1996 **Payne, Doris L.** A functional approach to word order: What counts as “explanation.” University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Symposium on Formalism/Functionalism, April 18-20, 1996. [invited plenary paper.]
- 1995 **Payne, Doris L.** “External possessors and the functional domain of voice: A Maasai case study.” Invited paper presented at Rice University linguistics colloquium.
- 1995 **Barshi, Immanuel & Doris L. Payne.** “An experimental approach to the interpretation of possessor raising in Maasai.” Conference on Functional Approaches to Grammar, Albuquerque, New Mexico. LSA Summer Institute conference.

- 1995 **Payne, Doris L.** "How to handle too many participants: Possessor raising in Maasai." 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on African Linguistics, Los Angeles, California.
1995. **Payne, Doris L. & Immanuel Barshi.** "A sentence-processing account of possessor raising in Maasai." 8<sup>th</sup> CUNY Conference on Sentence Processing, Tucson, Arizona. Also presented at the 7<sup>th</sup> Nilo-Saharan Conference, Los Angeles, California.
- 1995 **Payne, Doris L.** "Word order, aspect, and argument status in Panare." Linguistics South of the Rio Bravo, Tulane University, New Orleans. Paper also presented at Santa Barbara conference on "Preferred Argument Structure: The Next Generation."
- 1994 **Payne, Doris L.** "Possessor raising and transitivity in Maasai." 24<sup>th</sup> Colloquium on African Languages and Linguistics, Leiden, Netherlands.
- 1993 **Payne, Doris L., Mitsuyo Hamaya & Peter Jacobs.** "Active, passive, and inverse in Maasai." 23<sup>rd</sup> Colloquium on African Languages and Linguistics, Leiden, Netherlands.
- 1993 **Payne, Doris L.** "Nonconfigurationality and discontinuous expressions in Panare." Special Session on Syntactic Issues in Native American Languages, Berkeley Linguistics Society. February 12-15, 1993. [Invited Plenary paper]
- 1992 **Payne, Doris L.** "Discontinuous references in Panare." American Anthropological Association, San Francisco, California.
- 1992 **Payne, Doris L.** "Nonreferential mentions in 'O'odham." II Encuentro de Lingüística del Noreste, Universidad de Sonora, Hermosillo, México.
- 1992 **Payne, Doris L., Mitsuyo Hamaya & Peter Jacobs.** "Voice in Maasai." 23<sup>rd</sup> African Linguistics Conference, East Lansing, Michigan.
- 1991 **Payne, Doris L.** Verb initial languages and information order. 20<sup>th</sup> University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Symposium on Word Order in Discourse. April 12-14, 1991. [Invited plenary paper]
- 1990 **Payne, Doris L.** The Tupí-Guaraní inverse. Voice Symposium. Santa Barbara, California.
- 1990 **Payne, Doris L.** "Schemas and the use of English *the*." Bukidnon State College, Malaybalay, Bukidnon, Philippines. [Invited lecture]
- 1990 **Payne, Doris L.** "Different schemas for reporting information: English, Japanese, Navajo, Manobo." Bukidnon State College, Malaybalay, Bukidnon, Philippines. [Invited lecture]
- 1989 **Payne, Doris L. & Robert Carlson.** "Genitive classifiers." Fourth Annual Pacific Linguistics Conference. Eugene, Oregon.
- 1989 **Payne, Doris L.** "On the function of verb initial order in Yagua narrative." Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas, Summer Meeting. Tucson, Arizona.
- 1989 **Payne, Doris L.** "Discontinuity vs. continuity: building a mental model of Yagua narrative." American Anthropological Association Meetings, Washington, D.C.
- 1988 **Payne, Doris L.** "The behavior of nonreferential mentions in Papago narrative." Friends of Uto-Aztecan meeting, Reno, Nevada.
- 1988 **Payne, Doris L.** "Position, direction, location, and movement in lowland South American languages." American Anthropological Association Meetings, Phoenix, Arizona.
- 1987 **Payne, Doris L.** The pragmatics and meaning of word order variation in lowland South American languages. Wenner-Gren Foundation conference on the Role of Theory in Language Description, Ocho Ríos, Jamaica. [Invited paper]
- 1987 **Payne, Doris L.** "Morphological characteristics of lowland South American languages." Plenary paper presented at the Working Conference on Amazonian Languages, Eugene, Oregon.
- 1987 Derbyshire, Desmond & **Doris L. Payne.** "Noun classification systems of Amazonian Languages." American Anthropological Association Meetings, Chicago.
- 1986 **Payne, Doris L.** "Derivation, internal syntax, and external syntax in Yagua." Milwaukee Conference on Morphology, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
- 1985 **Payne, Doris L.** "Yagua oral literature and world-view". Mount Saint Mary's College. Los Angeles, California.
- 1985 **Payne, Doris L.** "Information structuring in Papago." UCLA Linguistics Colloquium, Los Angeles, California.
- 1985 **Payne, Doris L.** "Pragmatic categories in Papago discourse." University of Oregon Linguistics Colloquium. Eugene, Oregon.

- 1985 **Payne, Doris L.** “Inflection versus derivation: is there a difference?” First Annual Pacific Linguistics Conference, Eugene, Oregon.
- 1985 **Payne, Doris L.** “Constituent orders in the Western Amazon.” American Anthropological Association Meetings, Washington, D.C.
- 1984 **Payne, Doris L.** “Basic constituent order in Papago.” Friends of Uto-Aztecan meeting, San Diego, California.
- 1984 **Payne, Doris L.** “Noun classification as a western Amazonian areal trait.” American Anthropological Association meetings, Denver, Colorado.
- 1983 **Payne, Doris L.** “Basic word order in Yagua clauses: implications for word order universals.” Western Conference on Linguistics, Eugene, Oregon.
- 1983 **Payne, Doris L.** “Semantic reanalysis of (impersonal) passive as habitual aspect in Yagua.” University of North Dakota Linguistics Colloquium, Grand Forks, North Dakota.
- 1977 **Payne, Doris L.** “Grammatical versus referential structure illustrated in English definition. LACUS Forum, Montreal, Canada.”

### **SIGNIFICANT LANGUAGE RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

Nivacle (Mataguayan) 2014-2016

Pilaga (Guaykuran) 2014-2016

Bissa (Mande), 2015-2016

Mòòré (Gur), 2013-2014

Samburu (Nilotic), 2003-2006 (consulting)

Maasai (Nilotic), 1990-present

Sabaot (Nilotic), 1993-1994

Panare (Cariban), 1986-2013

Lakota (Siouan), 1985

Yagua (Peba-Yaguan), 1981-present

Papago (Uto-Aztecan), 1983-1985

Chickasaw (Muskogean), 1979-1980

Languages and language families studied in conjunction with other investigators: Quechua, Arabela (Zaparoan), Huitotoan, Tucanoan, Arawakan, Tupí-Guaraní, Wayampi, various western Amazonian languages, Blaan and other Philippine (Austronesian) languages, Trans-Himalayan (various), Isaan  
 Additional language experience: Bantu, Biblical Hebrew, Indonesian, Korean (2 months to 1 year of study)

### **SERVICE (beyond the University of Oregon; selected)**

- 2024 Workshop consultant for Grammar Writing Workshop, Canada Institute of Linguistics at Trinity Western University, June-August 2024. [3 participants]
- 2023 Workshop lecturer on “Grammar for Translation Consultants”, March 27-April 21 (4 weeks), Nairobi, Kenya [14 participants representing approximately 14 African languages]
- 2021 Consultant for PhD students at Africa International University, providing intensive input on Uloma Wabera’s dissertation: “An exploration of the conceptualization of *ntúghári* ‘translation’ in Igbo and its implications for translator training programmes.
- 2019 External examiner (with detailed comments) for PhD thesis, Jonathan Moodie, “A Grammar of the Lopit Language.” The University of Melbourne.
- 2018 Re-examination (with comments) of revised PhD thesis, David Barasa, “Ateso Grammar: A Descriptive Account of an Eastern Nilotic Language”, University of Cape Town, South Africa.
- 2017-19 Consulted with a Co-PI (Alejandra Vidal) to ensure training and sponsorship of 4 native speakers of 2 minority languages of Argentina in work on their own languages, including preparation of educational materials for bilingual education programs.
- 2017-19 Consulting on and review of Samburu Dictionaries (one for web/electronic dissemination to the wider research community; one for paper dissemination to the Samburu community); on behalf of the Samburu Language Committee with Anna Dahlbacka as lead developer of the dictionaries.
- 2016-17 External examiner (with detailed comments and participation by skype in defense) for Ph.D. thesis, Daidrah Smith, “A Grammar of the Lokono Predication System”, University of the West Indies, Jamaica. Defense and final re-examination 2017.

- 2016 External examiner (with detailed comments) for Ph.D. thesis, David Barasa, “Ateso Grammar: A Descriptive Account of an Eastern Nilotic Language”, University of Cape Town, South Africa
- 2015 External examiner (with detailed comments and participation in-person for defense) for Ph.D. thesis, Yvonne Ollenu, “Expressing Property Concepts in Ga”, University of Ghana-Legon,
- 2014 External examiner (with detailed comments) for M.Phil thesis, John Mensah, “Investigating the Use of the Language Experience Approach at LA Anglican Basic School”, University of Ghana-Legon.
- 2014-15 Lead local organizer for 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on African Linguistics, held at University of Oregon, March 25-28. (Co-organizer with Mokaya Bosire.)
- 2013-14 External examiner (with detailed comments and in-person review) for Ph.D. thesis, Reginald Duah, “Force Dynamics and Causation in Akan”, University of Ghana-Legon.
- 2013 External examiner for Ph.D. thesis, Obadele Bakari Kambon, University of Ghana-Legon
- 2012-15 Consultant on Samburu phonology and orthography implications (Kenya)
- 2012-13 (with Shahar Shirtz & Lutz Marten) Co-organized Workshop on *Aspect in African Language Discourse*, Societas Linguisticae Europaea; September 2013, Croatia. (15 presenters)
- 2012 External examiner for Ph.D. thesis, Esther Serwaah Afreh, University of Ghana-Legon
- 2011-15 Consultant for Maasai Literacy initiative, in association with Kenyan school teachers and language development literacy specialists.
- 2009 Lectures on Construction Grammar, University of Ghana at Legon (one week)
- 2009 Co-led workshop on grammar sketches of 16 languages of Cameroon and Gabon; Yaounde, Cameroon. (about 32 participants)
- 2007 Workshop & consulting (with 3 researchers), Canada Institute of Linguistics, Trinity Western University.
- 2006 Co-led workshop on languages of Central Nigeria (about 15 participants; December)
- 2006 Co-led workshop on verbs, particles, and clause combining in minority languages of China, Kunming, China. July 2006. (about 12 participants)
- 2006 Organized (with 3 graduate students) 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on African Linguistics, University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon. April 2006.
- 2005 Co-Led workshop on Clause Combining in Tibeto-Burman languages, Krabi, Thailand. July 2005. (about 20 participants, from Thailand, China, Korea, U.S.)
- 2003-14 Consultation with Samburu language committee over issues of orthography and role of tone in the language.
- 2001-04 Coordination of international research group on Nilotic languages in consultation with Canadian, German, African and other scholars; series of three to four workshops: Kisumu Kenya, Leipzig Germany
- 2000 (with Leonard Kotikash and Kent & Kim Rasmussen), development and production of Maasai transition orthography book, designed for native Maa speakers who heretofore have read only in Swahili or English. Occasional continued consulting on Maa phonology and orthography]
- 1997 Project coordinator for international conference on “External Possession and Noun Incorporation,” University of Oregon (September 1997). Approximately 30 participants from Australia, Mexico, Canada, U.S., Europe.
- 1997 Workshop/Course on “Posesión Externo”, Universidad de Buenos Aires. (15 lecture hours and outside consulting on 4 language projects)
- 1995- Senior (International) Linguistics Consultant for the Summer Institute of Linguistics; research project development, manuscript development with individual authors, review of manuscripts for publication, etc. 2006-2007 Manuscript review of *Kifuliuru Grammar* for SIL Publications (1000+ pg), 2008-2014 consulting on Moloko (Chadic) grammar; 2012-2014 consulting on Samburu (Nilotic) phonology; 2012-2015 consulting on Turka (Gur) aspect; 2016 consulting on ritual language in Pumi (Tibeto-Burman); 2023 review of volume on demonstratives (8 papers); etc.
- 1994-2002. Unpaid consultant (& board member 1998—2002) to the *Maasai Cultural Center-U.S.A./Kenya*. Consulting on Maasai language and dictionary development issues; guest at monthly board meetings.
- 1993-present Maasai dictionary project (in collaboration with Maa speakers, including the [now disbanded] *Maasai Cultural Center-U.S.A./Kenya*
- 1993-94 Organizer of the Nairobi Ad-Hoc Linguistics Circle (Fulbright support)
- 1990 Co-director and lecturer, Workshop on Non-narrative Discourse in Philippine languages, Malaybalay, Bukidnon, Philippines. (Participants represented ten minority Philippine languages)
- 1988-89 Chair of organizing committee for the Pacific Linguistics Conference, Eugene, Oregon
- 1988-91 Chair of Travel Award committee for the Society of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas. (In conjunction with other members of the committee, developed operating procedures for awarding a yearly travel grant; evaluated applications.)

- 1986-87 Linguistic consultant to the Panare literacy and educational projects of the archbishop of Ciudad Bolivar, Venezuela, in collaboration with the University Central de Venezuela.
- 1984-87 Initiated, and in conjunction with five colleagues, planned and executed an international Working Conference on Amazonian Languages, Eugene, Oregon. Approximately 30 participants from Europe, South America, and the U.S. Coordinated morphology workshop for conference, and collaborated with other workshop coordinators (NSF, NEH, UofO Foundation support).
- 1981-83 Summer Institute of Linguistics, field research in Peru.
- 1982-83 (with Thomas Payne). Fostered adult literacy among interested Yaguas, assisted five Yagua men to prepare for jobs as bilingual teachers under the Peruvian Ministry of Education, assisted several communities with initiating necessary paperwork for requesting bilingual teachers, prepared basic literacy materials in the form of a volume of folktales and personal narratives, and tested a potential Yagua orthography with school-aged children.
- 1981 Assisted Drs. Desmond Derbyshire and Joseph Grimes in consulting during a discourse workshop, Peru.

## STUDENTS

### Ph.D. dissertation chair

- 1992 Spike Gildea *Comparative Cariban Morphosyntax: On the Genesis of Ergativity in Independent clauses*. Received Mary Haas Award from Society for Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas.
- 1996 Marleen Haboud *The Sociolinguistic situation of Highland Spanish in Ecuador* (co-chair)
- 2000 Alejandra Vidal *Pilagá Grammar*
- 2003 Pilar Valenzuela *Shipibo Grammar and Transitivity*. Received Mary Haas Award from Society for Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas.
- 2006 Ando Rasolofo *Malagasy Transitive Clause Types and their Functions*
- 2012 Michael Ahland *Northern Mao Grammar*
- 2012 Colleen Ahland *Gumuz Grammar*
- 2013 Anna Pucilowski *Topics in Ho Morphophonology and Morphosyntax*
- 2015 Jaime Peña *Wampis Grammar*. Received Mary Haas Award from Society for Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas.
- 2017 Sara Pacchiarotti *Bantu Applicative Construction Types Involving \*-id: Form, Functions and Diachrony*. (University of Oregon Dissertation year fellowship)
- 2019 Richard Griscom *Topics in Asimjeeg Datooga Verbal Morphosyntax*.
- 2019 Manuel Otero *A Historical Reconstruction of the Koman Language Family*.
- 2019 Rebecca Paterson *Nominalization and Predication in Ut-Ma'in*
- 2023 Milntra Raksachat *Information Management in Isaan Storytelling*

### Ph.D. dissertation committees

- 1990 Chad Thompson *Voice and Obviation in Athabaskan and Other Languages*
- 1992 David Thomas *Literacy Needs Assessment in Ft. St. John, British Colombia* (outside member)
- 1992 Myung Hee Kim *Reference in Korean Discourse*
- 1998 David Watters *Takle-Kham Grammar*
- 1999 Erik Andvik *Tshangla Grammar*
- 2000 Myint Soe *Burmese Grammar*
- 2002 Roberto Zavala *Olutec Grammar*
- 2003 Jayeon Lim *L2 Acquisition of Korean by English speakers*
- 2005 Christiane Oleviera *Apinaje Grammar*
- 2006 Tomoko Takeda *Interaction between Interlocutor Relationship and Grammar in Japanese Conversations* (outside member)
- 2007 Carey Benom *An empirical study of English 'through': Lexical semantics, polysemy, and the correctness fallacy*
- 2009 Yong-taek Kim *Issues in Cognitive Linguistics and Construction Grammar*
- 2010 Rosa Vallejos *Kokama-Kokamilla Grammar*
- 2010 Gwen Hyslop *Koertup Grammar*
- 2012 Brian Butler *A Semantic Map Approach to English Articles*
- 2013 Tam Nguyen *Beh Grammar*



- 2013 Yolanda Valdez *Topics in Tarahumara Grammar*  
 2014 Linda Konnerth *Karbi Grammar*  
 2017 Krishna Boro *A Grammar of Hakhun Tangsa*  
 2017 Shahar Shirtz *Patterns of morphosyntactic and functional diversification in the usage of cognate verbs in Indo-Iranian*  
 2018 Zalmai Zahid *Elements of Lushootseed Grammar in Discourse Perspective*  
 2019 Andreas Joswig *Grammar of Majang* (Leiden University)  
 2020 Keiko Beers *Exploring Language Endangerment and Grammatical change in Tohono O'dham* (University of New Mexico)  
 2021 Hai Tran *A Corpus-Based Study of Inanimate Classifiers in Vietnamese* (University of Manitoba)  
 In process. Xuan Guan *Grammar of Queyu* (tentative title)

#### **M.A. theses directed**

- 1989 Spike Gildea *Panare Simple and Relative Clauses*  
 1989 Yoko Fujii *Right Dislocation in Japanese*  
 1993 Diane Majors *Verbal Case Frames in Lango*  
 1993 Mitsuyo Hamaya *Maasai Auxiliaries and Infinitival Constructions*  
 1995 Wayan Sidhakarya *Syntactic Roles and Constituent Order in Balinese*  
 1995 Alejandra Vidal *Noun Classification in Pilagá* (co-chair)  
 1996 Janne Underriner *Nonconfigurationality in Klamath* (co-chair)  
 1997 Johnny Tjia *Verb Serialization in Ambonese Malay*  
 1997 Pilar Valenzuela *Verbal Argument Structure and Ergativity in Shipibo*  
 1998 Cynthia Schneider *Property Concept Terms in Maasai*  
 2002 Kent Rasmussen *Verb Tone in Il-Keekonyokie Maa*  
 2003 Mark Post *Chinese vs. Thai Grammaticalization* (co-chair)  
 2003 Keri Edwards *Basic Clause Structures in Assamese* (co-chair)  
 2004 Siri Lamoreaux *Applicative Constructions in Maasai* (co-chair)  
 2004 Rosa Vallejos *Basic Clauses in Kokama-Kokamilla* (co-chair)  
 2006 Tam Nguyen *Topics in Ede Syntax* (co-chair)  
 2009 Jaime Peña *Peba-Yagua reconstruction*  
 2009 Jennifer Piotrowski *An Experimental Study of Clefts in Spoken English Discourse*

#### **Undergraduate Honors College theses**

- 1990 Rhonda Fraser *Pragmatics and Word Order in Wayampi*  
 1993 Anthea Fallen-Bailey *Language Planning and Politics: The English-Only Question in the United States*  
 1999 Austin Bush *An Acoustic Analysis of Maasai Vowels*  
 2000 Jared Gardner *Mapudungan Literacy*  
 2008 Kelsey Wilson *Color terms in Yagua*  
 2012 Jessie Erickson *Nominalization in Wapishana* (2<sup>nd</sup> reader)  
 2014 Rebecca Hatch *Theticity Construction in Tiriyo* (2<sup>nd</sup> reader)