Call for Annual Meeting Session Chairs

The LSA is looking for members to serve as session chairs for our upcoming 2022 Annual Meeting. If you are attending the meeting and are interested in serving as a session chair, contact Meetings Associate Angela Schrader at meetings@lsadc.org for more information.

November Member Spotlight: Teresa Satterfield

The LSA Member Spotlight for November is Professor Teresa Satterfield. Professor Satterfield is a psycholinguist at the University of Michigan. In this month’s spotlight, she notes, “The convergence of social justice movements and the COVID pandemic has impacted all aspects of language use and linguistic research: inequities in resources and
often building the boats as we sail them—it’s a revolutionary moment in time.”

Read more of Dr. Satterfield’s thoughts and find the entire feature on the LSA website.

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**LSA Announces Additional Award Recipients**

The LSA is pleased to announce new awardees in addition to those announced in the last LSA Update. Please join the LSA in congratulating **Vera Gribanova**, recipient of the C.L. Baker Award, and **Peter Torres**, recipient of the Elizabeth Dayton Award. For more detail, read the complete announcement on the LSA website. Congratulations to all our recipients!

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**LSA Members Split Votes on Proposed Bylaw Amendments**

The LSA’s annual election cycle concluded on Saturday, and the results are in. The winning candidates for seats on the Executive Committee have not yet been notified, but the outcome of the Bylaw amendment votes is as follows:

1. Members approved the changes proposed by the Executive Committee to expand student representation via a direct nomination and election process; and
2. Members rejected a proposed write-in campaign to change the eligibility criteria for the election of LSA Fellows.

With the approval of amendment 1, the Committee on Student Issues and Concerns (COSIAC) will soon issue a call for nominations for the student seat on the EC, to be elected by the members of the LSA via a special election that will be off-cycle.

Read more…

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**Students: Take Advantage of Volunteer Opportunities at Annual Meeting**

The LSA welcomes approximately 50 student members as volunteers at the Annual Meeting. Volunteers work 8 hours over the course of the Meeting in exchange for complimentary registration. The low room rates the LSA negotiates are for single or double occupancy, but students may wish to add a third or fourth guest to a hotel room for a small additional fee in order to make the stay less expensive. The LSA also subsidizes student attendance at the Annual Meeting; factoring in audiovisual equipment, wifi charges, room rental, food and beverages, ASL interpretation, handbook printing, and the like, the costs
associated with a student’s attending the Annual Meeting are more than her registration fee. If you are interested in this opportunity, please contact the LSA Meetings Coordinator for more information.

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**Webinar News: November Registration**

Make plans to attend our next webinar on November 12th, which will focus on “The LSA Statement Against Linguistic Misgendering: Review and Practical Applications.” The Statement, adopted in May by the Executive Committee, affirms the LSA’s commitment to creating a welcoming and supportive environment and asserts the role of language in respecting and affirming gender diversity in linguistics. Join Evan D. Bradley, Kirby Conrod, Archie Crowley, Lex Konnelly, and Lal Zimman for the webinar, which will provide an overview of the Statement, the motivation for writing it, and its goals. The introduction will be followed by four short presentations on the statement about practical applications in professional settings, research practices, and classroom environments, and ultimately how we can move toward a more inclusive linguistic environment for transgender people. We will conclude with time for a Q&A.

Read more for registration, a list of presenters, and other details.

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**New PLSA and PDA Publications**

Hot off the presses—or servers, perhaps—are new issues of the *Proceedings of the Linguistic Society of America* (PLSA) and *Phonological Data and Analysis* (PDA). PLSA Volume 6, No. 2, *Scholarly Teaching in the Age of COVID and Beyond*, and PDA Volume 3, No. 4, featuring “Nicholas Rolle – Lexical tone contrast in Izon as ubiquitous floating tone,” are available online here and here.

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**New Season of *Subtitle*, the LSA Podcast**

*Subtitle*, the LSA Podcast, will be back with a new season starting December 15, 2021. Look out for episodes on the language of self-help, French in Louisiana after Hurricane Ida, losing your mother tongue, learning Finnish as an adult, and the roots of African American English. *Subtitle* tells stories about languages and the people who speak them. Why is linguistic discrimination so prevalent? How can we help keep endangered languages alive? How does language make us laugh? And cry? (Sometimes at the same
For more information visit the Subtitle page on our website or subscribe via Apple iTunes or Google Play.

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In Case You Missed It ...

The LSA website has job ads! The LSA is a resource for linguists pursuing a range of career goals. Through a range of services and programs, the LSA assists individual members and the broader linguistics community. The Society tailors these programs to serve a variety of audiences: employers, students, tenure-track academic faculty, and linguists working in industry and government. If you're looking for career opportunities, visit our Jobs Center!

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Linguistics In The Public Sphere

Some of the most popular recent news articles and other features on linguistic topics:

- Why the Rosetta Stone Initially Stumped Linguists
- Lacking linguists, Facebook said to overpolice some posts yet spread hate speech
- Lost in translation: linguistic diversity could save biodiversity

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Other LSA Resources

The LSA supports the scientific study of language by creating great venues for linguists from all subfields to congregate and discuss research, innovation, and learning. It is a community of scholars and professionals who have a deep respect for the importance of an interdisciplinary community of peers.

The LSA maintains listings of jobs, conference announcements, grant opportunities, in memoriam notices, and other news items of interest. Submit a conference listing or contact the LSA with news or other information.

LSA members can cause a portion of any purchase they make on Amazon.com to be donated to the LSA. Learn more, or make a tax-deductible donation.

Complete your member profile to be entered in a prize drawing.
LSA Student Members can submit their research to the Student Research Spotlight.

Visit the LSA website for information on other LSA resources, including:

- Taking Linguistics to the Public: An Outreach Guide
- Linguistic Academic Depository
- LSA Jobs Center