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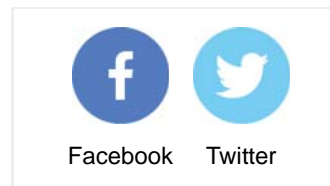
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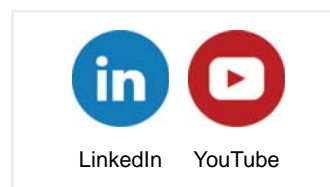
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Additional LSA Awards Announced

The LSA is proud to announce the winners of of the Early Career Award (Jeffrey Heinz, University of Delaware), the Ken Hale Award (Melissa Axelrod, University of New Mexico), the Linguistics, Language, and the Public Award (Anne Curzan, University of Michigan), and the Victoria A Fromkin Lifetime Service Awards (Roger Shuy, Georgetown University, Emeritus). The awards will be presented, along with the [Leonard Bloomfield Book Award](#) and the [Student Abstract Awards](#), during a ceremony at the LSA Annual Meeting in Austin, TX on Saturday, January 7. [Read more ...](#)



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Guidelines on Inclusive Language

The LSA is pleased to



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announce the adoption of a new set of [Guidelines for Inclusive Language](#).



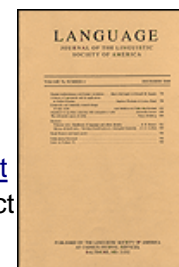
These new guidelines were initiated and developed by the LSA's [Committee on the Status of Women in Linguistics \(COSWL\)](#) with additional input from LSA committee chairs, and approved by the Executive Committee. [Read more ...](#)

regularly to over 3,500 members of the LSA. This space is available for a sponsored message.

Please contact [David Robinson](#) for details and pricing.

Language Publishes in Advance of Print

The LSA is pleased to announce that *Language* has published its very first article online that will eventually appear in a later print edition. The article, [Learnability Shapes Typology: The Case of the Midpoint Pathology](#), by [Juliet Stanton](#), is currently available online via the LSA's publishing partner, Project MUSE. [Read more ...](#)



LSA Issues Statement on U.S. Presidential Elections

On November 14, in the wake of the recent U.S. Presidential Election campaign, the LSA issued a statement, signed by President Alice C. Harris and Executive Director Alyson Reed, reaffirming the Society's commitment to diversity, inclusion and respect for all and its regard for multilingualism and multiculturalism. [Read more ...](#)

LSA Annual Meeting Deadlines

- [Child care notifications](#): December 1
- [Annual Meeting preregistration](#): December 18
- [Hotel reservations](#): December 14 (Note: no more rooms are available in the LSA's room block for Sunday night.)



Please check the [Annual Meeting web page](#) in the coming weeks for more informatoin about local attractions, dining, culture, and nightlife. A full schedule of Annual Meeting presentations is available [here](#). Register for one of four [Minicourses](#) taking place early Thursday, January 5.

NSF Webinar on Grant Preparation

Dissertators and advisors take note: the National Science Foundation is hosting a webinar at 2:00 PM EST on December 5 on preparing proposals for [Documenting Endangered languages Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grants](#). Click [here](#) to register.

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

- "[In 'Arrival,' a Linguist is a Movie Hero](#)" *Wall Street Journal*
- "[Bad Language for Nasty Women \(and Other Gendered Insults\)](#)" *JSTOR Daily*
- "[Why Justin Timberlake Sings 'May' Instead of 'Me'](#)" *Atlas Obscura*

Other LSA Resources

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](#).

LSA Student Members can submit their research to the [Student Research Spotlight](#).

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

- [Linguistics and the News Media: An LSA Guide for Linguists](#)
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- [Linguistic Academic Depository](#)
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