



Visiting Scholars Program

About the Program

Since 2013, we have welcomed dozens of visiting scholars from around the world to conduct linguistic research using the rich scholarly resources of the University of Texas at Austin, and mentored by LRC faculty. We are now accepting applications for a limited number of spots in our Visiting Scholars Program we invite applications for a 6-12 month stay at the LRC beginning in August 2022.

Core Faculty

Danny Law

Historical Linguistics, Language Contact, Mayan Languages, Writing Systems, Sign Language Linguistics

Cinzia Russi

Romance Linguistics, Historical Linguistics, Grammaticalization, Cognitive Grammar

Marc Pierce

Historical Linguistics, History of Linguistics, Phonology, Optimality Theory, Germanic Linguistics, Language Contact

Hans Boas

Construction Grammar, Frame Semantics, Computational Lexicography, Germanic Linguistics, Language Contact and Variation, Contrastive Linguistics

Lars Hinrichs

Sociolinguistics, Language Variation, World Englishes, Corpus Linguistics

Na'ama Pat-El

Syntax, Historical Linguistics, Linguistic Methodology, Semitic Languages



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Program Highlights

The Linguistics Research Certificate

The LRC offers a bi-weekly linguistics research colloquium, where visiting scholars will learn the latest methods in linguistic research, how to present their research results at academic conferences, and how to publish their research results in leading international journals. Each session of the research colloquium will be led by an internationally recognized LRC faculty member. Visiting scholars participating regularly in the research colloquium will receive a Linguistics Research Certificate at the end of the academic semester or year.

World-class linguistic research resources

Visiting scholars will receive their own UT-Austin email address, have access to the world-class academic libraries at the University of Texas at Austin, and be able to audit a select number of UT linguistics courses (not for credit) and participate in the vibrant linguistics scene at UT-Austin.

Staff support, mentoring and study spaces

LRC staff will assist visiting scholars with planning their research and arranging accommodations for their stay in Austin. The LRC can also offer, on a limited basis, a number of personal work spaces for visiting scholars in the LRC's offices in the main library of UT-Austin in the heart of campus. We can also facilitate regular one-on-one mentoring meetings with any of our core LRC faculty to receive feedback on individual research projects.

Interested?

If you are interested in finding out more about this unique research opportunity, or would like to get in touch with any of our core faculty members, please direct inquiries to:

UTLRC_Visitors@utexas.edu

You can also find more information about the LRC Visiting Scholars Program and how to apply at:

[{URL Here}](#)



The University of Texas at Austin
Linguistics Research Center

The Linguistics Research Center strives to create a foundation for intercultural and international exchange in areas of academic research surrounding the evolution and modeling of language and society.