

## ARTEMIS ALEXIADOU

### *Curriculum Vitae*

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**CURRENT POSISION:** Professor, Department of English Linguistics, Universität Stuttgart  
(2002-) Theoretical and English Linguistics

### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Syntax, morphology, syntax and its interfaces with morphology, the lexicon and interpretation, Diachronic Syntax, Language Breakdown and Development, Heritage Languages.

### EDUCATION

B.A. (summa cum laude) Philology, specialization in Linguistics, University of Athens, 1990  
Greece  
MA, Linguistics, University of Reading, UK 1991  
Ph.D., Linguistics, Universität Potsdam 1994  
Dissertation: *Issues in the syntax of adverbs*  
Supervisor: Gisbert Fanselow  
Habilitation (Linguistics) 1999  
Habilitation thesis: *On the Syntax of Nominalization and Possession: remarks on patterns of ergativity*  
Committee members: Gisbert Fanselow, Alec Marantz, Melita Stavrou

### SCIENTIFIC DISTINCTIONS & AWARDS

1. Member of the *Leopoldina*, National Academy of Sciences, November 2014.
2. DFG *Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz* Prize 2014.
3. *Wissenschaftsrat 'The German Council of Science and Humanities' Evaluation 2012: ranked excellent.*
4. German Research Association *Heisenberg Fellowship*. Research Project: *Facets of Unaccusativity* (2000-2002).
5. *Stanley J. Seeger Research Fellowship* from *Hellenic Studies*, Princeton University (November-December 2000).
6. Greek Ministry of Development, special research grant for Greek scientists abroad (1998-2000).

### PREVIOUS ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

**October 1, 2001- September 30, 2002:**

Heisenberg Fellow (University of Pennsylvania, University of Potsdam)

**January 1, 2001-September 30, 2001:**

Replacement of the Dept. Chair at the Institute of English Linguistics, Universität Stuttgart.

**July 1, 2000-December 31, 2000:**

Heisenberg Fellow (University of Potsdam, MIT and Princeton University).

**April 1, 2000-June 30, 2000:**

Research associate at the Dept. of Linguistics, University of Potsdam.

**October 1, 1999-March 31, 2000:**

Managing Director of the Center for General Linguistics, Typology and Universals ('Zentrum für Allgemeine Sprachwissenschaft, Typologie und Universalienforschung' (ZAS)) Berlin.

**April 1, 1999-September 30, 1999:**

Research associate, Dept. of Theoretical Linguistics, University of Tübingen.

**January 1, 1995-March 31, 1999:**

Research associate at ZAS.

**August 15, 1992-December 31, 1994:**

Ph.D. student at ZAS.

**VISITING PROFESSORSHIP**

Visiting Professor, Stanford University, USA, LSA Summer School.

2007

**RESEARCH GRANTS**

1. DFG AL 554/10-1 *Neue Wege in der Kontrolletheorie* (PIs Prof. Artemis Alexiadou & Dr. Silke Firscher, 1.10.14-30.09.17).
2. DFG AL 554/8-1 *Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz Prize* (2,5 Millionen Euro).
3. Deutscher Akademischer Austausch Dienst (DAAD) ID 57067847 *Die Syntax-Morphologie Schnittstelle: Evidenz von Multilingualism* (PI, Collaboration Stuttgart/Trondheim, 2014-2015).
4. DFG AL 554/7-1 *The Acquisition of Voice alternations by Greek-German bilingual children* (PI, 01.10.13-30.09.16).
5. SFB 732 *Incremental specification in context* (Speaker), financed by the German Research Association ('Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft' (DFG) (2006-2014)). Central/administrative project, PI in projects B1 *The form and interpretation of nominals*, B6 *Underspecification in Voice systems and the syntax-morphology interface* and C1 *The syntax of nominal modification and its interaction with nominal structure*.
6. DFG DO 536/10-1 *Prosodische Phrasierung in der auditorischen und visuellen Satzverarbeitung* 'Prosodic phrasing in auditory and visual sentence processing' (PIs Dogil, Alexiadou & Kotchoubey; 2010-2013).
7. DAAD ID-50726640 *Nominalizations: explorations at the syntax-lexicon and the syntax-semantics interface* (PI, Collaboration Stuttgart/Tromsø; 2010-2011).
8. DAAD ID-50740971 *Nominalizations: explorations at the syntax-lexicon and the syntax-semantics interface* (PI, Collaboration Stuttgart/Paris; 2011-2012).
9. DFG AL 554/4-1 GLOW Summer School (PI).
10. DFG (GZ 4851-339-07) *Conference on nominalizations across languages* (PI, 2007).
11. DFG grant AL 554/3-1 *Basis and boundaries of unaccusativity* (PI, 2004-2007).

**SERVICE****PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

**2013-** : Member of the Advisory Board of *Language Science* Press.

**2012-** : Member of the Network *Language, Variation, and Migration*, Universität Potsdam.

**June-October 2011:** Member of the Evaluation Panel of Nordic Centers of Excellence (Norwegian Research Council).

**2010-** : Series Editor Brill *Empirical Approaches to Linguistic Theory*.

**1.7.2006-** : Director of the collaborative research center *Incremental Specification in Context* (SFB 732), Universität Stuttgart.

**2006-2010:** Member of the Scientific Advisory Board of NORMS (Nordic Center of Excellence in Micro-comparative syntax).

**1.1.2003-31.3.2006:** Director of the Graduate Program (GRK 609) *Linguistic Representations and their Interpretation*, Universität Stuttgart.

**2002-2006:** Member of the Center of Interdisciplinary Research, University of Bielefeld.

**2000- :** Series Editor at Mouton de Gruyter: *Interface Explorations* (with Tracy A. Hall).

**1999-2009:** Member of the Generative Linguistics in the Old World (GLOW) Board (positions held: Newsletter editor 1999-2002; Secretary 2002-2005, Chairperson 2005-2009).

**2003-2004:** Member of the Board of the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Sprachwissenschaft (Treasurer).

**2002-2003:** Member of the Scientific Advisory Board of the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Sprachwissenschaft.

## **CONSULTANT**

**2009- :** Member of the Board of Trustees of the Culture Forum, City of Stuttgart.

**2005-2008:** Project 'Integration durch Bildung' Lernaktiv (*Integration through Education*), City of Stuttgart.

**2004-2009:** Member of the International Advisory Board of the City of Stuttgart for the area *Sprachförderung* 'Language Advancement'.

## **EDITORIALS BOARDS OF INTERNATIONAL JOURNALS**

Linguistic Inquiry (2009- ), *Lingua*, *Linguistic Variation Yearbook*, *Journal of Greek Linguistics*.

## **MEMBERSHIPS**

GLOW, DGfS, LSA.

## **REVIEWING**

- Occasional reviewer of project proposals for: the Belgian Science Foundation, the Dutch Organization for Scientific Research (NWO), the National Science Foundation (NSF), the Israel Science Foundation, Humboldt-Stiftung, the Leverhulme Trust, Greek Ministry of Education, Polish Science Foundation, Portuguese Science Foundation, Romanian Science Foundation.
- Reviewer for: *Natural Language and Linguistic Theory*, *The Linguistic Review*, *Linguistic Inquiry*, *Linguistic Analysis*, *Journal of Corpus Linguistics*, *Journal of Linguistics*, *Studies in Language*, *Language*, *Language Development*, *Probus*, *Syntax*, *Lingua*, *Studia Linguistica*, *Africana Linguistica*; MIT Press, OUP, Springer; Mouton.
- Conferences: WCCFL, NELS, GLOW, CLS, IGG, GLOW Asia, CGSW, CONSOLE, SuB, IATL, Penn Colloquium.

## **UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

**01.02.14- :**

Member of the committee for storage and backup of primary research data, Universität Stuttgart.

**1.10.12- :**

Vice-chairperson of the supervisory board (*Universitätsrat*) of the Universität Stuttgart.

**2008- :**

Member of the Board of the Research Network *Linguistics and Cognition*, Universität Stuttgart. *Acting Director* (April 2012- March 2014).

**2010-2012:**

Member of the Ethics of scientific research committee of the Universität Stuttgart.

**2004-2012:**

Member of the Ph.D. grants' committee at the Universität Stuttgart.

**ORGANISATION OF INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES**

1. *Generative Syntax in the 21st century: the road ahead*. Athens, May 2015. With Marcel den Dikken, Winfried Lechner, Terje Lohndal, and Peter Svenonius.
2. Workshop on verbal morpho-syntax (Universität Stuttgart), March 2013.
3. Workshop on heritage languages (Universität Stuttgart), November 2012.
4. DAAD Workshop nominalizations Stuttgart-Tromsø (Universität Tromsø), December 2011.
5. Organization of JeNOM 3, Stuttgart, June 2011.
6. Organization of the workshop on non-canonical passives, Göttingen, February 2011. With Florian Schäfer.
7. Syntax workshop (in connection with Professor Chomsky's visit to Stuttgart), March 2010.
8. Organization of the Workshop Roots: word formation from the perspective of core lexical elements. Stuttgart, June 2009.
9. Organization of the Workshop Local Modelling of non-local Dependencies. Bamberg, February 2008. With Gereon Müller and Tibor Kiss.
10. Supervision and funding application for the workshop Nominalization across languages. Stuttgart, November 2007. With Monika Rathert.
11. Supervision of the SFB Colloquium Perspectives on Underspecification, Stuttgart, November 2007.
12. Supervision of the organization of CGSW 22. Stuttgart, June 2007.
13. Supervision of the organization of the workshop on Lexical Decomposition. Stuttgart, March 2007.
14. Organization of the DGfS & GLOW Summer School, Stuttgart, August 2006.
15. Supervision of the organization of GGS 2006. Stuttgart, May 2006.
16. Organization of the LSA Workshop on the morpho-syntax of Modern Greek. Harvard, July 2005.
17. Supervision of the organization of the workshop on Adjectives. Stuttgart, June 2005.
18. Organization of the Workshop on Underspecification in Morphology and Syntax. Cologne, February 2005. With Gereon Müller.
19. Supervision of the organization of the workshop on *Verb classes and alternations*. Stuttgart, January 2003.
20. Co-organizer (with Melita Stavrou) of the workshop on *Language Change and Generative Grammar*. University of Thessaloniki, February 2002.
21. Co-organizer (with Melita Stavrou) of the workshop on *DP internal relations*. University of Thessaloniki, September 2001.
22. Co-organizer (with Monika Rathert and Arnim von Stechow) of the workshop on *Participles*. University of Tübingen, April 2001.

23. Co-organizer (with Gisbert Fanselow) of GGS (Generative Grammar) Conference in Potsdam, June 2000.
24. Co-organizer (with Melita Stavrou, Arnim von Stechow, Janis Veloudis) of the workshop on *the syntax, semantics and morphology of the perfect*. University of Thessaloniki, May 2000.
25. Workshop on *Word Formation and the Lexicon*. ZAS, Berlin, December 1999.
26. Co-organizer (with Elena Anagnostopoulou, Sjef Barbiers, and Hans-Martin Gaertner) of the workshop on *Remnant movement, feature movement and their implications for the T-model*, in co-operation with LOT and the University of Potsdam, July 1999.
27. Co-organizer of *GLOW 'Universals'* in Berlin, in co-operation with LOT and the University of Potsdam, March 1999.
28. Co-organizer (with Elena Anagnostopoulou and Martin Everaert) of the Workshop on *Unaccusativity*. ZAS, Berlin, May 1998.
29. Co-organizer (with Chris Wilder) of the workshop on *DP-Modification*. Düsseldorf Germany, February 1997.
30. Co-organizer (with André Meinunger and Chris Wilder) of the workshop on the *Syntax and Semantics of Pseudo-clefts*. ZAS, Berlin, November 1997.
31. Co-organizer of the GGS (Generative Grammar) Conference in ZAS Berlin, May 1996.
32. Co-organizer of the workshop on *Relative Clauses*. ZAS, Berlin, November 1996.
33. Co-organizer of the *ZAS Inaugural Conference on Universal Grammar and Typological Variation*. Berlin, March 1994.
34. Workshop on Modern Greek Syntax. ZAS, Berlin, December 1994.

## DISSERTATION AND HABILITATION COMMITTEES

### PH.D. COMMITTEES:

*In Germany (Potsdam and Stuttgart)*<sup>1</sup>

1. Theodoros Marinis. 2000. *Acquisition of the DP*. Universität Potsdam. *Committee member*.
2. Diana Pili. 2001. *The syntax of the left periphery*. Universität Potsdam.
3. Jochen Trommer. 2002. *Distributed Optimality*. Universität Potsdam. *Committee member*.
4. Roberta D'Alessandro. 2004. *Impersonal si-constructions: agreement and interpretation*, Universität Stuttgart.
5. Sabine Mohr. 2004. *Clausal architecture and subject positions: impersonal constructions in the Germanic languages*. Universität Stuttgart.
6. Eva Engels. 2005. *Adverb placement: an optimality theoretic approach*. Universität Potsdam.
7. Dae-Hyang Kang. 2005. *Scrambling in Universal Grammar: an analysis of scrambling as optional movement*. Universität Stuttgart.
8. Björn Rothstein. 2006. *The perfect time span: On the present perfect in German, Swedish and English*. Universität Stuttgart.
9. Christine Lauenstein. 2006. *On the compatibility of the Braille Code and Universal Grammar*. Universität Stuttgart.
10. Sven Strobel. 2007. *Die Perfektauxiliarselektion des Deutschen: ein lexikalischer Ansatz ohne Unakkusativität*. Universität Stuttgart.
11. Florian Schäfer. 2007. *On the nature of anticausative morphology: External arguments in change-of-state contexts*. Universität Stuttgart.
12. Kirsten Gengel. 2007. *Focus and Ellipsis: a generative analysis of pseudo-gapping and other elliptical structures*. Universität Stuttgart.
13. Miriam Höß. 2009. *'Making the Mirror visible: Deutsche Übersetzung englischer Lyrik. Versuch einer Verwissenschaftlichung der Übersetzungskritik'*. Universität Stuttgart.
14. Simone Heinold. 2010. *Verbal properties of deverbal nominals: an aspectual analysis of French, German and English*. Universität Stuttgart.

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<sup>1</sup> Supervisor, unless specified *committee member*.

15. Susanne Lohrmann. 2010. *The structure of the DP and its reflex in Scandinavian*. Universität Stuttgart.
16. Mihaela Marchis. 2010. *Relational adjectives at the syntax-morphology interface in Romanian and Spanish*. Universität Stuttgart.
17. Seda Tunc. 2011. *Der Einfluss der Erstsprache auf den Erwerb der Zweitsprache*. Universität Stuttgart. (Intergrationsforschungspreis 2013, Ministerium für Integration, Baden Württemberg).
18. Zeljka Caruso. 2012. *The syntax of nominal expressions in articleless languages: a split DP-analysis of Croatian noun phrases*. Universität Stuttgart.
19. Sandhya Sundaresan. 2013. *Context and (Co)reference in the syntax and its interfaces*. Universität Stuttgart & University of Tromsø.
20. Marcel Pitteroff, 2014. *Non-canonical lassen middles*. Universität Stuttgart.
21. Elif Bamyaci, 2015. *Competing structures in the bilingual mind: a psycholinguistic investigation of optional verb-number agreement*. University of Konstanz.
22. Patrick Lindert. In progress. *Control Theory*.

*In the Netherlands and the UK (external committee member/examiner)*

1. Oystein Nilsen. 2003. *Eliminating positions: syntax and semantics of sentence modification*, University of Utrecht.
2. Dimitra Papangeli. 2004. *The morpho-syntax of argument realization*, University of Utrecht.
3. Alexandra Galani. 2007. *The morpho-syntax of the Greek verb*. University of York.
4. Stella Gryllia. 2008. *On the nature of preverbal focus in Greek*. Leiden University.
5. Anja Kleeman-Krämer. 2009. *The functional structure of deverbal nominals in German*. Queen Mary University of London.
6. Sofia Koumantaki. 2014. *Plurals in Modern Greek*. University of York.

#### **HABILITATION-COMMITTEES:**

1. Anita Fetzer. 2002. *Recontextualizing Context: Grammaticality Meets Context*. Universität Stuttgart.
2. Joanna Blaszczak. 2007. *Phase Syntax*. Universität Potsdam. *Comittee Member*.
3. Carola Trips. 2007. *Lexical Semantics and Diachronic Morphology*. Universität Stuttgart.
4. Susann Fischer. 2008. *Word order change as a source of grammaticalization*. Universität Stuttgart.

*Numerous BA and MA theses and Zulassungsarbeiten.*

#### **INVITED PRESENTATIONS TO INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES AND INTERNATIONAL ADVANCED SCHOOLS**

##### **INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES**

1. Some notes on the morpho-syntax of gender. Conference *Gender and Number in Romance: Linguistic Theory, Acquisition, and Methodology*. Wuppertal, October 28-November 1, 2015.
2. Invited talk at *Linguistic Complexity in the Individual and Society*, Trondheim, October 15-16, 2015.
3. Invited talk at *Categories of referentiality in synchrony and diachrony*, September 2015, Vercelli, Italy.
4. Invited talk, Universidade de São Paulo, Campus Butantã, August 2015.
5. Invited talk at *Roots IV Workshop* and participation in panel discussion *The Diversity of Words*, New York University, June 29-July 2, 2015, New York.

6. *Active, passive, and middle: understanding Voice*. Workshop on *(English) Middle and beyond*, Osaka, September 29, 2013.
7. *Where is morphology? Taking stock*, Workshop *Progress in Linguistics*, Berlin, August 2013 (HPSG 2013).
8. *Language delay in bilingual acquisition: myth or reality?* Conference on *Special Education*, Volos, Greece, May 2013.
9. *The causative alternation revisited: constraints and variation*. Plenary talk at *The English Linguistic Society of Japan (ELSJ) 6th International Spring Forum 2013*, Tokyo, April 2013.
10. *On the nature of the backward control parameter*. CONSOLE XXI, January 2013, Universität Potsdam.
11. *Adjectival participles*. Workshop on *conversion and mixed categories*, November 2012. Porto.
12. *Building reflexive interpretations*. Workshop on *Decomposition and natural class in argument coding*, September 2012, Universität Leipzig.
13. *Agents and causers in derived nominals: why aren't nouns (quite) like verbs?* Workshop on *Agents and Causers: Interdisciplinary Aspects in Mind, Language and Culture*, ZiF Bielefeld, 21-23 March, 2012.
14. *On the syntactic reality of adjectival restrictive modification*. Workshop on *semantic and pragmatic properties of (non-)restrictivity*. March 2012, Universität Stuttgart.
15. *Decomposing the Greek verb: a view from the clear alternation* (with Elena Anagnostopoulou) *Approaches to the Lexicon, Roots III*, Jerusalem, June 2011.
16. *Case and Universal Grammar*. Workshop on *Exploring The roots of Linguistic Diversity: Bilingual Perspectives*, September 2010, Barcelona.
17. *Dative-nominative alternations*. 25th Comparative Germanic Syntax Workshop, June 2010 Tromsø.
18. *Statives and nominalization*. 3rd *Journées d'étude sur les nominalisations JeNom 3*, June 2010, Paris.
19. *Syntax-semantics mismatches in the DP: (In)frequency adjectives and the syntax of determiners*. International Workshop on *Adjectives and Adverbs*, May 2010, Lille.
20. *Remarks on the morpho-syntax of code switching*. 9th International Conference on Greek Linguistics, October 2009, Chicago.
21. *Wie viel Grammatiktheorie braucht der Fremdsprachenunterricht?* Workshop on *Schnittstellen von Linguistik und Sprachdidaktik in der Auslandsgermanistik*, April 2009, Athens.
22. *Routing the interpretation of words*. Roots I, February 2009, Los Angeles.
23. *Reduplication and doubling contrasted*. Workshop on *Functional projections in analytic languages*, September 2008, Leiden.
24. *The properties of nominalizations revisited*. Lund Workshop on argument structure, February 2008, Lund.
25. *On argument supporting nominals and the mass vs. count noun distinction*. Grand Meeting, Lake Myvatn, August 2007, Iceland.
26. *Post-verbal nominatives: an unaccusativity diagnostic under scrutiny*. Workshop on *Linguistic Interfaces I* June 2007, Belfast.
27. *On the morpho-syntax of anticausative verbs*. Workshop on *Syntax, lexicon, and event structure*, June 2006, Jerusalem.
28. *Transitivity alternations: theory and implications for agrammatism*. Conference on *Language Disorders*, June 2006, Patras.
29. *The fine properties of indefiniteness spreading*. NORMS Workshop Tromsø, September 2006.
30. *On the role of locality in morphological processes*. Workshop on *Quantification, definiteness and nominalization*, December 2005, Saarbrücken.
31. *Some notes on the status of adjectival determiners*. 3rd Athens postgraduate conference in Linguistics. April 2005, Athens.

32. *The subject in situ generalization revisited*. Workshop on *Interfaces + Recursion = Language? The view from syntax and semantics*, March 2005, Berlin.
33. *On the formation and interpretation of derived nominals*. Conference on *deverbal nouns*, September 2004, Lille.
34. *Uniform and non-uniform aspects of pro-drop languages*. Conference on *the role of Agreement in argument structure*, August-September 2001, Utrecht.
35. *Low adverbs across nominal and verbal clauses*. Workshop on *Adverbs and adjunction*, April 1999, Tromsø.
36. *V-movement and EPP checking* (with Elena Anagnostopoulou), Workshop on *Subjects, expletives and the EPP*, June 1997, Tromsø.

## INTERNATIONAL ADVANCED SCHOOLS

1. Mini course, Universidade de São Paulo, Campus Butantã, August 2015.
2. *Norwegian Linguistics and Philology Summer School 2015*, June 15-19, 2015. Advanced course on morphology.
3. Advanced course on argument structure alternations for PhD students in Linguistics, University of Verona, 14-15, May 2015.
4. *Topics in Argument Structure*, ABRALIN Summer School, Natal, Brazil, January 2013.
5. *The syntax of argument alternations*. LOT Summer School, Utrecht, July 2012.
6. *Masterclass: Topics in the syntax of noun phrases and the syntax-morphology interface*. LOT Summer School, Utrecht, July 2012.
7. *Distributed Morphology: Selected Topics on Mixed Category Formation*. Current Issues in Formal Linguistics. Madrid, May 2010.
8. *Basis and Boundaries of Unaccusativity*. LSA Summer School Stanford, July 2007.
9. *The causative alternation*. Ecole Normale Superierer Fall School in Linguistics, Paris September 2006.
10. *Nominalization between lexicon and syntax*. University of Crete, May 2005.
11. *Lectures on the Noun Phrase*, LOT Winter School 2004, Amsterdam, January 2004.
12. *Lectures on Unaccusativity: Theory and Acquisition*. Postgraduate seminar, University of Thessaloniki, Greece. April 2000.
13. *Lectures on the Minimalist Program*. Postgraduate seminar, University of Thessaloniki, Greece. February 2000.
14. *Lectures on Nominalization*. Postgraduate seminar, University of Thessaloniki, Greece. March 1999.
15. *Lecture on the Role of Features in the Minimalist Program*, invited lecture at Dr. P. Monachesi's course *Features in Syntactic Theory* during the LOT summer school in Utrecht, 19.6.98
16. *Lectures on the Minimalist Program*, Postgraduate seminar organized by Prof. Dimitra Theophanopoulou-Kontou, University of Athens, Greece. March 1998.
17. *Lectures on Binding and Thematic Relations*, Postgraduate seminar organized by Prof. Dimitra Theophanopoulou-Kontou, University of Athens, Greece. May 1997.
18. *Antisymmetry of Syntax*, Series of Seminars, University of Athens, Greece. May 1995.

## COMMUNICATING SCIENCE TO THE PUBLIC

1. Warum gibt es verschiedene Sprachen? Kinder-Uni in Heilbronn, February 11, 2015.
2. Vortrag beim Netzwerk Sprache: *Zusammenarbeit mit Eltern im Bereich Sprache und Mehrsprachigkeit*, November 20, 2014, Baden-Württemberg Stiftung.
3. Werkstattgespräch, Stuttgart Rathaus, September 25, 2014.
4. The Nils Klim 2014 Conversation, with Terje Lohndal, June 2014, Bergen.

## LANGUAGES



Greek (native), English (fluent), German (fluent), French (fluent), Ancient Greek (reading knowledge)