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Research statement

My research follows **two main directions in English Linguistics: the language of fake news and spoken language.** On the one hand, I investigate a variety of linguistic features as candidates for the identification of fake news by means of natural language processing and machine learning techniques. On the other hand, I am interested in spoken language and the combination of social motivations and cognitive mechanisms of speech production, comprehension and change. I use advanced statistical methods such as linear mixed models, and a combination of qualitative and quantitative corpus and experimental techniques.

Research experience

2021–present	**Postdoctoral Fellow**, Department of Literature, Area Studies and European Languages, University of Oslo, Norway
2020–present	**Affiliated Researcher**, Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University, Sweden
2022–2023	**Visiting Research Scholar**, Centre for Corpus Research, Department of English Language and Linguistics, University of Birmingham, UK
2020	**Postdoctoral Fellow**, Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University, Sweden
2013–2014	**Research Assistant**, Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University, Sweden

Education

2014–2019 PhD in English Language and Linguistics
Lund University, Sweden
THESIS TITLE: *What's in a dialogue? On the dynamics of meaning-making in English conversation* [pdf]
SUPERVISORS: Carita Paradis, Victoria Johansson OPPONENT: Martin Hilpert
EXAMINERS: Herbert Clark, Jonathan Culpeper, Ursula Lutzky

2011–2014 MA in English Language and Linguistics
Lund University, Sweden
THESIS TITLE: *Stance-taking and social status on an online bulletin board* [pdf]
SUPERVISORS: Carita Paradis, Dylan Glynn

2007–2011 BA in English Language and Culture
Tallinn University, Estonia

Teaching qualifications

2017 Learning and Teaching in Higher Education: Continuation
Lund University, Sweden
The course is part of the compulsory qualifying teacher training in Sweden
120 hours

2015 Learning and Teaching in Higher Education: Introduction
Lund University, Sweden
The course is part of the compulsory qualifying teacher training in Sweden
80 hours

Mobility and other professional experience

2022 **Mentee in a Mentoring Programme for Female Postdocs**, University of Oslo, Norway

2018 **Visiting Research Student**, Survey of English Usage, Department of English Language and Literature, University College London, UK

2017 **Visiting Research Student**, Survey of English Usage, Department of English Language and Literature, University College London, UK

2017 **Visiting Research Student**, ESRC Centre for Corpus Approaches to Social Science, Lancaster University, UK

2017 **Participant in a Summer School in Corpus Linguistics for Language Studies**, Lancaster University, UK

2016 **Visiting Research Student**, The Survey of English Usage, Department of English Language and Literature, University College London, UK

2015 **Visiting Research Student**, The Survey of English Usage, Department of English Language and Literature, University College London, UK

2014 **Visiting Research Student**, Corpus Linguistics Lab, Department of Linguistics, University of Florida, USA

2014 **Participant in a Summer School in Corpus Linguistics and Statistics**, University of California, Santa Barbara, USA

2009–2010 **Erasmus Exchange Student**, Department of English, Germanic and Romance Studies, University of Copenhagen, Denmark

Research projects

This section provides details of three recent projects, with (clickable) cross-references to related publications and talks (see pp. 4ff).

Linguistic features of fake news [metaphor, evaluation, grammar, discourse]

PROJECT OVERVIEW: This project is grounded within Fakespeak – the language of fake news, an interdisciplinary project funded by The Research Council of Norway between linguists from the Universities of Oslo and Birmingham and computer scientists from SINTEF Digital. The main objectives of the Fakespeak project are (i) to investigate the language and style of fake news in English, Russian and Norwegian, and (ii) to find out whether the addition of any defining linguistic features to existing fake news detection tools can improve such tools.

MY ROLE: I am a Postdoctoral Fellow on the project, working under the Principal Investigator Silje Susanne Alvestad. During July 2021 – February 2022, I was co-PI of Fakespeak (maternity cover). I am responsible for the English part of the project with a focus on the socio-cognitive features of fake news such as metaphor and evaluation, as well as grammar and discourse-pragmatic features. Together with the computer scientists, I develop fake news datasets in English (Fakespeak-ENG) as well as tools for a semi-automatic identification of the features.

OUTPUTS: I have presented the metaphor and evaluation studies in numerous international conferences, workshops and symposia, including as an invited speaker ([36], [37], [38]). In August 2023, we organised a panel on the language of fake news at an international conference ([54]), which spurred a special collection in *Linguistics Vanguard* ([4]). Our overview of the methodological challenges of conducting fake news research across languages appeared in *The Routledge Handbook of Discourse and Disinformation* ([22]). I also run the Fakespeak social media account on Mastodon.

The art of giving advice in everyday conversation [pragmatics]

PROJECT OVERVIEW: This was my postdoctoral project at Lund University, funded by the Crafoord Foundation. The work was done in collaboration with Rachele De Felice from the University College London and Carita Paradis from Lund University. The project focused on how people give advice in everyday conversation compared to half a century ago, and the consequences that their choices may have in different situations and among different groups of speakers. The project made use of a unique combination of theoretical, qualitative, quantitative and statistical approaches to corpus pragmatics with a focus on speech acts.

MY ROLE: As a Postdoctoral Fellow, I was responsible for all aspects of the project, with support from the collaborators. I developed the research agenda, applied for and secured funding for the project, conducted the analysis, and disseminated the results through publications and talks.

OUTPUTS: I have presented the project at numerous international conferences ([65], [72], [74]). A key publication is the *Cambridge Element in Pragmatics* ([3]), a new concept in academic publishing and scholarly communication.

Spoken dialogue and the London–Lund Corpus 2 [constructions, corpus development]

PROJECT OVERVIEW: This was my PhD project, which has extended to a life-long commitment to the management of the London–Lund Corpus 2 as an Affiliated Researcher at Lund University. First, the thesis provided a novel and empirically grounded account of the dynamic negotiation of meaning in spoken dialogue, including the constructional properties and socio-cognitive processes that play a role. Second, the London–Lund Corpus 2 is a half-a-million-word corpus of spoken British English with recordings from 2014–2019, modelled on the same principles as the world's first spoken corpus, the London–Lund Corpus, with data from the 1950s–1980s. The compilation of the corpus was largely funded by The Swedish Research Council.

MY ROLE: I was solely responsible for my PhD project from conception to completion, under the supervision of Carita Paradis and Victoria Johansson. The thesis was given an award for an outstanding doctoral dissertation by the Royal Swedish Academy of Letters, History and Antiquities. As a lead developer of the London–Lund Corpus 2, I was responsible for all aspects of the project. I applied for funding, designed the corpus, recorded the conversations in the UK and Sweden, transcribed and annotated them, prepared the corpus for public release, and disseminated the project through publications and talks. I also oversaw the work of two research assistants who helped with the transcriptions.

OUTPUTS: I have presented the PhD project and the London–Lund Corpus 2 at numerous international conferences, workshops and symposia, including as an invited speaker ([39], [40], [41]). The thesis comprises a comprehensive summary ([1]) and four publications in peer-reviewed linguistics journals ([16], [17], [18], [35]). The key publications related to the London–Lund Corpus 2 are the reference article ([14]) and the user guide ([2]).

Research output

Where possible, clicking on a title or doi will take you to an online version. Most of the publications are open access or, alternatively, available on request via ResearchGate. For conference talks, I have provided a link to the slides on Academia. My publications, with citations, can also be found on Google Scholar.

PhD thesis

[1]   **2019**   Põldvere, Nele. *What's in a dialogue? On the dynamics of meaning-making in English conversation.* Media-Tryck. Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.

Books

[2]   **forthc**   Põldvere, Nele, Victoria Johansson and Carita Paradis. *A guide to the London–Lund Corpus 2 of spoken British English.* Lund Studies in English. Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.

Elements

[3]   **2022**   Põldvere, Nele, Rachele De Felice and Carita Paradis. *Advice in conversation: Corpus pragmatics meets mixed methods.* Cambridge Elements in Pragmatics. Cambridge University Press. doi: 10.1017/9781009053617 [Book review by Lin Shao in *Contrastive Pragmatics*]

Edited volumes

[4]   **forthc**   Alvestad, Silje Susanne, Nele Põldvere and Elizaveta Kibisova. Special collection on the language of fake news. *Linguistics Vanguard*.

[5]   **2021**   Paradis, Carita, Victoria Johansson and Nele Põldvere. Special issue on spoken language in time and across time. *English Language and Linguistics, 25*(3).

Journal articles

[6]   **forthc**   Põldvere, Nele and Rachele De Felice. Advice in spoken American English. *Corpora*.

[7]   **in press**   Seitanidi, Eleni, Nele Põldvere and Carita Paradis. *Everything*-cleft constructions in spoken British English: A neglected construction. *Functions of Language*.

[8]   **in press**   Nykiel, Joanna and Nele Põldvere. Ellipsis meets the reactive *what-x* construction in English. *English Language and Linguistics*.

[9]   **in press**   Põldvere, Nele. Recent change of modality in one speech act in spoken English. *Journal of English Linguistics*.

[10]   **2024**   Trnavac, Radoslava and Nele Põldvere. Investigating Appraisal and the language of evaluation in fake news corpora. *Corpus Pragmatics, 8*, 107–130. doi:10.1007/s41701-023-00162-x

[11]   **2023**   Põldvere, Nele, Zia Uddin and Aleena Thomas. The PolitiFact-Oslo Corpus: A new dataset for fake news analysis and detection. *Information, 14*(12), 627. doi:10.3390/info14120627

[12]   **2023**   Seitanidi, Eleni, Nele Põldvere and Carita Paradis. *All*-cleft constructions in the London–Lund Corpora of spoken English: Empirical and methodological perspectives. *Journal of Pragmatics, 207*, 78–92. doi:10.1016/j.pragma.2023.02.003

[13]   **2021**   Paradis, Carita, Victoria Johansson and Nele Põldvere. Spoken language in time and across time: Introduction. *English Language and Linguistics, 25*(3), 449–457. doi: 10.1017/S1360674321000174

[14] **2021** Põldvere, Nele, Victoria Johansson and Carita Paradis. On the London–Lund Corpus 2: Design, challenges and innovations. *English Language and Linguistics, 25*(3), 459–483. doi: 10.1017/S1360674321000186

[15] **2021** Põldvere, Nele, Johan Frid, Victoria Johansson and Carita Paradis. Challenges of releasing audio material for spoken data: The case of the London–Lund Corpus 2. *Research in Corpus Linguistics, 9*(1), 35–62. doi: 10.32714/ricl.09.01.04

[16] **2021** Põldvere, Nele, Victoria Johansson and Carita Paradis. Resonance in dialogue: The interplay between intersubjective motivations and cognitive facilitation. *Language and Cognition, 13*(4), 643–669. doi: 10.1017/langcog.2021.16

[17] **2020** Põldvere, Nele and Carita Paradis. 'What and then a little robot brings it to you?' The reactive *what-x* construction in spoken dialogue. *English Language and Linguistics, 24*(2), 307–332. doi: 10.1017/S1360674319000091

[18] **2019** Põldvere, Nele and Carita Paradis. Motivations and mechanisms for the development of the reactive *what-x* construction in spoken dialogue. *Journal of Pragmatics, 143*, 65–84. doi: 10.1016/j.pragma.2019.02.008

[19] **2016** Põldvere, Nele, Matteo Fuoli and Carita Paradis. A study of dialogic expansion and contraction in spoken discourse using corpus and experimental techniques. *Corpora, 11*(2), 191–225. doi: 10.3366/cor.2016.0092

Book chapters

[20] **forthc** Seitanidi, Eleni, Nele Põldvere and Carita Paradis. An interactional account of exaggeration in in everyday conversation. In Alexander Haselow and Gunther Kaltenböck (Eds.), *Language in social interaction*. Mouton De Gruyter.

[21] **forthc** Love, Robbie and Nele Põldvere. Lexico-grammatical variation in spoken British English corpora: Effects of register and gender. In Rhys Sandow and Natalie Braber (Eds.), *Sociolinguistic approaches to lexical variation in English*. Routledge.

[22] **2023** Põldvere, Nele, Elizaveta Kibisova and Silje Susanne Alvestad. Investigating the language of fake news across cultures. In Stefania Maci, Massimiliano Demata, Philip Seargent and Mark McGlashan (Eds.), *The Routledge Handbook of Discourse and Disinformation* (pp. 153–165). Routledge. doi: 10.4324/9781003224495-11

[23] **2015** Põldvere, Nele. The interaction between epistemicity and social status on an online bulletin board. In Dylan Glynn and Mette Sjölin (Eds.), *Subjectivity and Epistemicity: Corpus, discourse, and literary approaches to stance* (pp. 143–164). Lund Studies in English. Media-Tryck.

Encyclopedia chapters

[24] **forthc** Põldvere, Nele and Silje Susanne Alvestad. Corpus linguistics and fake news. In Hilary Nesi and Petar Milin (Eds.), *International Encyclopedia of Language and Linguistics* (3rd ed.). Elsevier.

Conference proceedings

[25] **2024** Uddin, Zia, Nele Põldvere and Aleena Thomas. Multidimensional Analysis Tagger and deep learning for a robust fake news detection system. In Filippo Neri, Ke-Lin Du, Angel-Antonio San-Blas and Zhiyu Jiang (Eds.), *Computer and Communication Engineering (CCCE 2024)*. Communications in Computer and Information Science, Springer. doi: 10.1007/978-3-031-71079-7_7

[26] **2021** Põldvere, Nele, Victoria Johansson and Carita Paradis. The new London–Lund Corpus 2: Key methodological challenges and innovations. In Beatrix Busse, Nina Dumrukcic and Ruth Möhlig-Falke (Eds.), *Language and linguistics in a complex world: Data, interdisciplinarity, transfer, and the next generation (ICAME 41)* (pp. 49–52). University and City Library (USB) Cologne.

[27] **2021** Põldvere, Nele, Victoria Johansson and Carita Paradis. On the importance of audio material in spoken linguistics: A case study of the London–Lund Corpus 2. In Beatrix Busse, Nina Dumrukcic and Ruth Möhlig-Falke (Eds.), *Language and linguistics in a complex world: Data, interdisciplinarity, transfer, and the next generation (ICAME 41)* (pp. 166–169). University and City Library (USB) Cologne.

Other manuscripts

[28] **in prep** Põldvere, Nele and Ljiljana Saric. *Metaphor in fake news.*

[29] **in prep** Põldvere, Nele, Sara Bartl, Jack Grieve and Jeannette Littlemore. *Metaphor in fake news.*

[30] **in prep** Põldvere, Nele, Elizaveta Kibisova, Radoslava Trnavac and Silje Susanne Alvestad. *Stance in fake news.*

[31] **in prep** Uddin, Zia, Nele Põldvere, Asbjørn Følstad and Jack Grieve. *The grammar of fake news.*

[32] **in prep** Trnavac, Radoslava, Nele Põldvere and Silje Susanne Alvestad. *Persuasion in propaganda.*

[33] **in prep** Põldvere, Nele, Silje Susanne Alvestad and Maite Taboada. *Fake news over time.*

[34] **in prep** Põldvere, Nele, Zia Uddin and Silje Susanne Alvestad. *The Fakespeak-ENG Corpus.*

[35] **in prep** Põldvere, Nele, Victoria Johansson and Carita Paradis. *Interactive alignment.*

Invited talks

[36] **2024, March** *Corpus approaches to stance and evaluation in fake news.* Online oral presentation at the Languages@Leeds Corpus Linguistics Online Talks series, Leeds, UK.

[37] **2023, February** *Is there a language of fake news? Some answers from the Fakespeak project.* Oral presentation at the Aston Institute for Forensic Linguistics Research Seminar, Birmingham, UK.

[38] **2022, September** *Fake news: Linguistic, legal and computational perspectives.* Oral presentation at the Institute of Advanced Studies Workshop on Discourses across Disciplines, Birmingham, UK.

[39] **2022, April** *On the importance of dialogue and dialogicity in language change.* Oral presentation at the International Workshop on the Role of Pragmatics in Language Change, Copenhagen, Denmark.

[40] **2021, November** *Spoken English in time and across time: Constructions, context, corpora.* Online oral presentation at the TÜling talk series, Tartu, Estonia.

[41] **2021, February** *The London–Lund Corpus 2: A new resource for spoken English.* Online oral presentation at the Survey of English Usage Seminar, London, UK.

[42] **2018, June** *Constructions in context: The reactive* what-x *construction in English conversation.* Oral presentation at the International Workshop on Constructions: Theoretical, Typological and Applied Perspectives, Copenhagen, Denmark.

[43] **2016, March** *'I think you're clearly wrong': A corpus-based and experimental study of dialogic engagement in spoken discourse.* Oral presentation at the Survey of English Usage Seminar, London, UK.

[44] **2014, November** *From synchrony to diachrony: Stance constructions in computer-mediated and spoken discourse.* Oral presentation at the International Workshop on Phonologie – Acquisition et Discours – Constructions [Phonology – Acquisition and Discourse – Constructions], Paris, France.

[45] **2014, March** *Establishing online identities: A multifactorial approach to epistemic stance and evidentiality.* Oral presentation at the International Workshop on Stance and (Inter)subjectivity, Paris, France.

Peer-reviewed presentations

[46] **2024, September** Trnavac, Radoslava, Nele Põldvere and Silje Susanne Alvestad. *The language of persuasion in fake news.* Oral presentation at the 10th Biennial International Conference on the Linguistics of Contemporary English, Alicante, Spain.

[47] **2024, September** Seitanidi, Eleni, Nele Põldvere and Carita Paradis. *A contrastive account of* all- *and* everything-*clefts in spoken British English.* Oral presentation at the 10th Biennial International Conference on the Linguistics of Contemporary English, Alicante, Spain.

[48] **2024, August** Seitanidi, Eleni, Nele Põldvere and Carita Paradis. Everything-*cleft constructions in spoken British English.* Oral presentation at the 13th International Conference on Construction Grammar, Gothenburg, Sweden.

[49] **2024, July** Love, Robbie and Nele Põldvere. *Variation across spoken genres: Comparing the Spoken British National Corpus 2014 and the London-Lund Corpus 2.* Oral presentation at the 11th Inter-Varietal Applied Corpus Studies Biennial Conference, Cambridge, UK.

[50] **2024, June** Uddin, Zia, Nele Põldvere and Aleena Thomas. *The grammar of fake news: Corpus linguistics meets machine learning.* Oral presentation at the 45th Conference of the International Computer Archive of Modern and Medieval English, Vigo, Spain. [slides]

[51] **2024, June** Põldvere, Nele, Zia Uddin and Aleena Thomas. *Out of balance, out of sight: Issues with the design and accessibility of a corpus of fake and real news.* Oral presentation at the 45th Conference of the International Computer Archive of Modern and Medieval English, Vigo, Spain. [slides]

[52] **2024, May** Põldvere, Nele, Elizaveta Kibisova, Radoslava Trnavac and Silje Susanne Alvestad. *Is stance in fake news expressed differently across languages?* Oral presentation at the 10th International Conference on Intercultural Pragmatics and Communication, Pisa, Italy. [slides]

[53] **2024, May** Trnavac, Radoslava, Nele Põldvere and Silje Susanne Alvestad. *Linguistic structures and pragmatic mechanisms of persuasion in fake news.* Oral presentation at the 15th International Corpus Linguistics Conference, Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, Spain.

[54] **2023, August** Põldvere, Nele, Elizaveta Kibisova, Silje Susanne Alvestad and Radoslava Trnavac. *Fake news around the world: A corpus-based analysis of stance in fake news in English, Norwegian and Russian.* Oral presentation at the 56th Annual Conference of the British Association for Applied Linguistics, York, UK. [slides]

[55] **2023, July** Põldvere, Nele, Victoria Johansson and Carita Paradis. *Why do we use the same words when we disagree with each other? An experimental approach to interactive alignment.* Oral presentation at the 18th International Pragmatics Conference, Brussels, Belgium. [slides]

[56] **2023, July** Seitanidi, Eleni, Nele Põldvere and Carita Paradis. *'That's everything we need':* Everything-*cleft constructions in spoken British English.* Oral presentation at the 18th International Pragmatics Conference, Brussels, Belgium.

[57] **2023, May** Trnavac, Radoslava and Nele Põldvere. *Is fake news more evaluative? Comparing Appraisal expressions across fake and genuine news in English.* Oral presentation at the 14th International Conference on Corpus Linguistics, Oviedo, Spain.

[58] **2022, September** Põldvere, Nele and Ljiljana Saric. *A study of metaphorical cues of deception in fake news.* Online oral presentation at the 15th Researching and Applying Metaphor Conference, Bialystok, Poland. [slides]

[59] **2022, September** Nykiel, Joanna and Nele Põldvere. *Ellipsis in a less well known environment: The reactive* what-x *construction in English.* Oral presentation at the 9th Biennial International Conference on the Linguistics of Contemporary English, Ljubljana, Slovenia.

[60] **2022, September** Seitanidi, Eleni, Nele Põldvere and Carita Paradis. *The focalizing* all-*cleft construction in the London–Lund Corpora of spoken British English.* Oral presentation at the 9th Biennial International

Conference on the Linguistics of Contemporary English, Ljubljana, Slovenia.

[61] **2022, July** Seitanidi, Eleni, Nele Põldvere and Carita Paradis. All-*cleft constructions in the London–Lund Corpus 2 (LLC–2) spoken British English.* Oral presentation at the 43rd Conference of the International Computer Archive of Modern and Medieval English, Cambridge, UK.

[62] **2022, July** Põldvere, Nele and Ljiljana Saric. *How (not) to get away with deception: Metaphorical cues of deception in fake news.* Oral presentation at the 4th European Conference of the International Association for Forensic and Legal Linguistics, Porto, Portugal. [slides]

[63] **2021, September** Põldvere, Nele and Silje Susanne Alvestad. *Is metaphor the key to detecting fake news? First results from the Fakespeak project.* Online oral presentation at the 15th Conference of the International Association of Forensic Linguists, Birmingham, UK. [slides]

[64] **2021, September** Põldvere, Nele and Silje Susanne Alvestad. *Fakespeak – A pilot study.* Online oral presentation at the 53rd Annual Meeting of the British Association for Applied Linguistics, Newcastle upon Tyne, UK. [slides]

[65] **2021, July** De Felice, Rachele, Nele Põldvere and Carita Paradis. *Advice-giving and advice uptake in conversation: A corpus pragmatic study.* Online oral presentation at the 11th International Corpus Linguistics Conference, Limerick, Ireland.

[66] **2021, June** Põldvere, Nele. *Using the London–Lund Corpora to investigate recent change in advice-giving in spoken English.* Online oral presentation at the 17th International Pragmatics Conference, Winterthur, Switzerland. [slides]

[67] **2021, June** Põldvere, Nele. *Tracking change in epistemic stance constructions expressing advice in the London–Lund Corpora.* Online oral presentation at the 21st International Conference on English Historical Linguistics, Leiden, Netherlands. [slides]

[68] **2021, January** Põldvere, Nele, Victoria Johansson and Carita Paradis. *Social and cognitive explanations of dialogic resonance in everyday conversation.* Online oral presentation at the International Workshop the Role of the Current Speaker in Conversational Turn Taking, Berlin, Germany. [slides]

[69] **2020, July** Põldvere, Nele, Victoria Johansson and Carita Paradis. *The interplay between social motivation and cognitive facilitation in dialogic resonance.* Online oral presentation at the 7th UK Cognitive Linguistics Conference, Birmingham, UK. [slides]

[70] **2020, May** Põldvere, Nele, Victoria Johansson and Carita Paradis. *The new London–Lund Corpus 2: Key methodological challenges and innovations.* Online oral presentation at the 41st Conference of the International Computer Archive of Modern and Medieval English, Heidelberg, Germany. [slides]

[71] **2020, May** Põldvere, Nele, Victoria Johansson and Carita Paradis. *On the importance of audio material in spoken corpus linguistics: A case study of the London–Lund Corpus 2.* Online oral presentation at the 41st Conference of the International Computer Archive of Modern and Medieval English, Heidelberg, Germany. [slides]

[72] **2019, June** De Felice, Rachele and Nele Põldvere. *What you give is what you get: Advice-giving and uptake in conversation.* Oral presentation at the 40th Conference of the International Computer Archive of Modern and Medieval English, Neuchâtel, Switzerland.

[73] **2018, July** Põldvere, Nele and Carita Paradis. *'What cause you were knackered?' The reactive* what-x *construction in two corpora of Present-Day spoken English.* Oral presentation at the 5th Conference of the International Society for the Linguistics of English, London, UK. [slides]

[74] **2018, June** Põldvere, Nele, Rachele De Felice and Carita Paradis. *'Why don't you go and do something different for a year?' Tracking change in constructions expressing advice in spontaneous conversation.* Oral presentation at the 39th Conference of the International Computer Archive of Modern and Medieval English, Tampere, Finland. [slides]

[75] **2017, October** Põldvere, Nele, Victoria Johansson and Carita Paradis. *Turn-taking through the lens of dialogic resonance in spontaneous conversation.* Oral presentation at the International Workshop Building Categories in Interaction: Multidisciplinary Approaches to Categorization, Bologna, Italy. [slides]

[76] **2017, July** Põldvere, Nele, Carita Paradis and Victoria Johansson. *Dialogic resonance in the negotiation of stance: A study of spontaneous conversation in the London–Lund Corpus 2.* Oral presentation at the 15th International Pragmatics Conference, Belfast, UK. [slides]

[77] **2017, May** Põldvere, Nele, Victoria Johansson and Carita Paradis. *The London–Lund Corpus 2: A new corpus of spoken British English in the making.* Oral presentation at the 38th Conference of the International Computer Archive of Modern and Medieval English, Prague, Czech Republic. [slides]

[78] **2017, April** Põldvere, Nele, Carita Paradis and Victoria Johansson. *Timing and content of (dis)agreement in conversation: First results from the London–Lund Corpus 2.* Oral presentation at the 6th Conference of the Scandinavian Association for Language and Cognition, Lund, Sweden. [slides]

[79] **2016, October** Põldvere, Nele, Matteo Fuoli and Carita Paradis. *The intersubjective role of* I think *constructions in conversation: Combining evidence from corpus and experimental techniques.* Oral presentation at the 10th Conference of the Spanish Cognitive Linguistics Association, Alcalá de Henares, Spain. [slides]

[80] **2016, July** Põldvere, Nele, Matteo Fuoli and Carita Paradis. *Combining corpus and experimental methods to gain new insights into APPRAISAL in spoken discourse.* Oral presentation at the Corpora and Discourse International Conference, Pontignano, Italy. [slides]

[81] **2016, May** Põldvere, Nele, Matteo Fuoli and Carita Paradis. *Combining corpus and experimental methods to study dialogic engagement in spoken discourse: An analysis of complement-taking predicates.* Oral presentation at the 37th Conference of the International Computer Archive of Modern and Medieval English, Hong Kong, China.

[82] **2015, July** Põldvere, Nele and Carita Paradis. *On the position and meanings of epistemic complement-taking predicates in spoken British English.* Oral presentation at the 13th International Cognitive Linguistics Conference, Newcastle upon Tyne, UK. [slides]

[83] **2015, May** Põldvere, Nele and Carita Paradis. *The peripheral-specific meanings of epistemic-evidential complement-taking predicates in English.* Oral presentation at the 36th Conference of the International Computer Archive of Modern and Medieval English, Trier, Germany. [slides]

[84] **2014, September** Põldvere, Nele and Dylan Glynn. *Constructing social relations in an online community: Social rank and intersubjective effects on stance.* Oral presentation at the 47th Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea, Poznan, Poland.

[85] **2013, November** Põldvere, Nele and Dylan Glynn. *Epistemic and evidential constructions in stance-taking: A quantitative discourse approach.* Oral presentation at the International Symposium Verbs, Clauses and Constructions: Theory, Variation and Change, Rioja, Spain.

[86] **2013, September** Põldvere, Nele, Carita Paradis and Dylan Glynn. *Stance-taking and social status on an online bulletin board: A dialogical approach.* Oral presentation at the International Conference Utterance Interpretation and Cognitive Models IV, Brussels, Belgium.

[87] **2013, May** Põldvere, Nele and Dylan Glynn. I think *and* it seems*: A corpus cognitive approach to stance-taking and social status on an online bulletin board.* Oral presentation at the 5th International Conference of the French Association of Cognitive Linguistics, Lille, France.

Public outreach

[88] **2023–present** Põldvere, Nele. *@Fakespeak.* Mastodon. [profile]

[89] **2024, February** Alvestad, Silje Susanne, Nele Põldvere, Elizaveta Kibisova and Asbjørn Følstad. *Fakespeak – the language of fake news.* Public lecture at the Humanities and Social Sciences Library at the University of Oslo, Norway.

[90] **2023, November** Paradis, Carita and Nele Põldvere. *Spoken English.* Interview for the CorpusCast podcast. [episode]

[91] **2019, September** Loftrup, Jenny. *Lundaforskare bakom unik databas med naturligt talad engelska [Lund University's researchers behind a unique database of natural spoken English].* Interview for Lund University Magazine. [article]

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Teaching experience

Having completed the compulsory training in teaching and learning in higher education in Sweden, I have taught on a broad spectrum of undergraduate and postgraduate courses in (English) linguistics. I also have experience in teaching on various academic speaking and writing courses in English, engineering and physics departments. **My teaching philosophy** is grounded in **research-led pedagogical practices** such as **problem-based learning**, **peer collaboration and feedback**, and **formative assessment**. My goal is to mentor students to become independent learners with an appropriate amount of teacher and peer feedback. To this end, I always **connect teaching with research**.

University of Oslo

UNDERGRADUATE LEVEL

Group teacher

2021, 2023 **English Grammar** (2 times, 10 ECTS)
13 sessions, ~25 students

2022, 2024 **English Phonetics and Intonation** (2 times, 10 ECTS)
13 sessions, ~25 students

Lund University

POSTGRADUATE LEVEL

Lecturer

2018, 2020 **Cognitive Linguistics** (2 times, 7.5 ECTS)
Lecture on Construction Grammar, ~10 students

2017 **Analysing Linguistic Behaviour** (7.5 ECTS)
Lecture on spoken language, ~20 students

2016, 2018 **Psycholinguistics** (2 times, 7.5 ECTS)
Lecture on corpus methods, ~10 students

2016 **Discourse Semantics** (7.5 ECTS)
Lecture on spoken discourse, ~15 students

UNDERGRADUATE LEVEL

Course co-ordinator

2016 **Empirical Approaches to Semantics and Pragmatics** (7.5 ECTS)
7 sessions, 5 students

Workshop teacher

2017 **English BA Degree Project** (15 ECTS)
Session on corpus methods, 5 students

2016–2017 **English Written Proficiency** (3 times, 7.5 ECTS)
2 sessions, ~25 students

MIXED LEVEL

Course co-ordinator

2018 **English for Engineers** (7.5 ECTS)
10 sessions, ~15 students

2016–2017 **English Academic Writing for Students of Physics** (2 times, 3 ECTS)
2 sessions, ~50 students

The Open University, UK

Postgraduate level

Interviewee

2024 **Corpus Linguistics**
Interview on corpus linguistics and natural language processing

University of Bamberg, Germany

Undergraduate level

Guest lecturer

2024 **Media Linguistics**
Guest lecture on the language of fake news

Supervision experience

Doctoral supervision (Lund University)

2021–present Eleni Seitanidi. Working title: *Aspects of spoken dialogue*. English Linguistics.

Postgraduate supervision (University of Oslo)

2024 Maria Dyulgerova. Title: Brilliant *adjectives: Adjectives of highly positive evaluation in contemporary spoken British English*. English, Secondary Teacher Training.

Undergraduate supervision (Örebro University, Sweden)

2020 Five students in English Language Education. Topics: foreign language anxiety in the Nordic context, and the use of new media such as video games and podcasts as effective learning and teaching resources.

Prizes and awards

2021 **Winner of an Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation Award**, The Royal Swedish Academy of Letters, History and Antiquities

2018 **Runner-up of De Gruyter Mouton Best Junior Paper Award**, The International Society for The Linguistics of English
The 5th Conference of the International Society for the Linguistics of English, London, UK

2016 **Winner of the Best Pre-doctoral Oral Presentation Prize**, The Spanish Cognitive Linguistics Association
The 10th Conference of the Spanish Cognitive Linguistics Association, Alcalá de Henares, Spain

Awarded funding

As main applicant

2022 **The Research Council of Norway**
For a research stay at the University of Birmingham, NOK 222,000

2020 **The Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences**
For two conference trips, SEK 20,000 (amount reduced due to COVID-19)

2018 **Stiftelsen Syskonen Anna Cecilia och Otto Sigfrid Granmarks Stipendiefond**, Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University
For a conference trip, SEK 8,700

2018 **The Olof Sager Foundation**, Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University
For a research stay at the University College London and a conference trip, SEK 21,690

2017   **Stiftelsen Lundborgska Idofonden**, Sweden
For a conference trip, SEK 5,000

2017   **The Olof Sager Foundation**, Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University
For a research stay at Lancaster University, a summer school and a conference trip, SEK 59,800

2016   **Stiftelsen Landshövding Per Westlings Minnesfond**, Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University
For a conference trip, SEK 7,000

2016   **Stiftelsen Lundborgska Idofonden**, Sweden
For a conference trip, SEK 8,500

2016   **The Birgit Rausing Language Programme**, Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University
For a conference trip, SEK 7,500

2015   **The Birgit Rausing Language Programme**, Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University
For a research stay at the University College London, SEK 35,800

2015   **Stiftelsen Syskonen Anna Cecilia och Otto Sigfrid Granmarks Stipendiefond**, Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University
For a conference trip, SEK 9,700

2015   **The Olof Sager Foundation**, Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University
For a research stay at the University College London, SEK 53,000

2014   **Stiftelsen Lundborgska Idofonden**, Sweden
For a conference trip, SEK 8,000

2014   **Uno Otterstedts Fond and Stiftelsen Landshövding Per Westlings Minnesfond**, Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University
For a conference trip, SEK 5,000

2014   **The Olof Sager Foundation**, Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University
For a research stay at the University of Florida and a summer school, SEK 31,600

2013   **Stiftelsen Lunds Stads Jubileumsfond**, Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University
For a conference trip, SEK 5,000

AS CO-APPLICANT

2022   **Department of Literature, Area Studies and European Languages**, University of Oslo
For conference organisation, NOK 15,000

2021   **Stiftelsen Roy och Maj Franzens Fond**, Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University
For a research project on interactive alignment, SEK 61,000

2020   **The Crafoord Foundation**, Sweden
For a postdoctoral project on advice at Lund University, SEK 350,000

2018   **The Linnaeus Centre for Thinking in Time: Cognition, Communication, and Learning / The Swedish Research Council**
For a research project on the London–Lund Corpus 2 at Lund University, SEK 150,000

2017   **The Åke Wiberg Foundation**, Sweden
For a research project on the London–Lund Corpus 2 at Lund University, SEK 50,000

2015   **The Erik Philip-Sörensen Foundation**, Sweden
For a research project on the London–Lund Corpus 2 at Lund University, SEK 325,000

Service

EVENT ORGANISATION

2024   **Workshop co-organiser**, Fakespeak Annual Workshop, Oslo, Norway
9 presenters, ~10 participants

2023   **Member of the organising committee**, Public Lectures by Alice Deignan, Oslo, Norway
~10 participants

2023   **Symposium co-chair**, "The language of fake news", The 56th Annual Conference of the British Association for Applied Linguistics, York, UK
7 presenters, ~20 participants

2022   **Member of the organising committee**, International Symposium on Figurative Communication, Oslo, Norway
6 presenters

2019   **Member of the organising committee**, International Symposium on Spoken Language across Time, Lund, Sweden
10 presenters, ~50 participants

2017   **Member of the organising committee**, The 6th Conference of the Scandinavian Association for Language and Cognition, Lund, Sweden
~150 participants

2015   **Theme session co-organiser**, "Corpus Methods in Cognitive Linguistics", The 13th International Cognitive Linguistics Conference, Newcastle upon Tyne, UK
14 presenters, ~30 participants

2012   **Student assistant**, International Conference on Modality, Corpus, Discourse, Lund, Sweden
~70 participants

Departmental work

2022–present   **Co-founder and coordinator of Figurative Communication research group**, Department of Literature, Area Studies and European Languages, University of Oslo

2024   **Internal examiner in English, Secondary Teacher Training**, Department of Literature, Area Studies and European Languages, University of Oslo

2022   **Co-organiser of doctoral course on Figurative Communication**, Department of Literature, Area Studies and European Languages, University of Oslo

2020   **Representative for English Linguistics**, Lund University's Research Quality Evaluation Project

Membership in scientific associations

Since 2023   Spanish Association for Corpus Linguistics (AELINCO)

Since 2021   International Association for Forensic and Legal Linguistics (IAFLL)

Since 2021   Nordic Association for Metaphor Research (MetNet Scandinavia)

Since 2021   Researching and Applying Metaphor (RaAM)

Since 2018   International Society for the Linguistics of English (ISLE)

Since 2015   International Corpus Archive of Modern and Medieval English (ICAME)

Editorship

Since 2024   *Nordic Journal of English Studies* (NJES)

Peer review

Book   *Cognitive Linguistics in Practice* [John Benjamins] (2022)

Manuscripts	*Language in Social Interaction* [De Gruyter's Trends in Linguistics] [one chapter] (2024)
	Discover Artificial Intelligence (2024)
	Atlantic Journal of Communication (2024)
	Journal of Politeness Research (2024)
	Nordic Journal of English Studies (2024)
	Discourse and Society (2024)
	Canadian Slavonic Papers (2023)
	Constructions (2023)
	Research in Corpus Linguistics (2020, 2023)
	English Language and Linguistics (2021, 2023)
	Functions of Language (2023)
	Corpus Pragmatics (2023)
	Cognitive Semantics (2022)
	Cognitive Linguistics (2022)
	The Bloomsbury Handbook of Corpus Linguistics [one chapter] (2021)
	Proceedings of the 41st Conference of the International Computer Archive of Modern and Medieval English [one paper] (2021)
Abstracts	*The 10th Biennial International Conference on the Linguistics of Contemporary English* (2024)
	The 45th Conference of the International Computer Archive of Modern and Medieval English (2024)
	UK Cognitive Linguistics Conference (2020)

Languages and technical skills

Natural	Estonian (native), English (fluent), Swedish (intermediate), Norwegian (beginner), Russian (beginner), Spanish (beginner)
Programming	Python, R
Markup	XML, LaTeX
Statistics	R
Tools	AntConc, Audacity, CLAN, ELAN, InqScribe, LIWC, MAT, MAXQDA, NVivo, Praat, PsychoPy, UAM CorpusTool, Zotero