Olivia Griffin

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Research Interests	Iconicity, reduplication, Balinese, morphophonology, semantics, fieldwork, language typology, computational linguistics, cetacean communication

Education

University of California, San Diego   La Jolla, CA
PhD in Linguistics   2020 – present
Advisor: Dr. Eric Baković

University of Ottawa   Ottawa, ON
Honours BA in Linguistics   2016 – 2020
Summa Cum Laude, Faculty Plaque in Linguistics

Papers

Iconicity at the Level of Formal Complexity
Olivia Griffin and Jia He Sun
Under review.

Non-Identity Reduplication
Olivia Griffin
In preparation.

Stacked Iconicity
Olivia Griffin and Natalie Côté
In preparation.

Refereed Presentations

Non-Identity Reduplication as Maximal Iconicity   2022
Olivia Griffin
Presented at the Bi-Annual High Desert Linguistics Society Conference. Albuquerque, NM, USA

Iconicity at the Level of Formal Complexity   2022
Olivia Griffin and Jia He Sun
Presented at the Workshop on Model Theoretic Phonology. StonyBrook, NY, USA

Influences of Expressive Vocabulary on Phonological Priming of Children's Speech Production   2020

Juliette Bacon, Olivia Griffin, and Tania Zamuner
Presented at Psychoshorts. Ottawa, ON, Canada

Learning Sound Patterns with Blocking   2019
Olivia Griffin and Kevin McMullin
Presented at the University of Ottawa UROP Symposium. Ottawa, ON, Canada

Guest Lectures	**Introduction to Reduplication**	2021
	Phonology I. University of California San Diego, CA, USA	
	Systematic Iconicity	2024
	Introduction to Linguistics. University of California San Deigo, CA, USA	

Grants and Honours		
	Diversifying Ocean Science (Minorities in Shark Science)	2022
	Academic Senate Grant (UCSD)	2021
	Faculty Plaque, Linguistics (University of Ottawa)	2020
	(Awarded to the top graduating student in each major)	
	Canadian Graduate Scholarship – Master's (SSHRC)	2020
	(Declined for other opportunity)	
	Undergraduate Student Research Award (NSERC)	2019
	Symposium Finalist (UROP)	2019
	Merit Scholarship (University of Ottawa)	2018
	Gaston Héon Memorial Fun in Arts (University of Ottawa)	2017
	Merit Scholarship (University of Ottawa)	2017
	Admission Scholarship (University of Ottawa)	2016
	Dean's List (University of Ottawa)	2016 – 2020

Mentorship and Teaching	**Teaching Assistant, Department of Linguistics (UCSD)**	
	LIGN 101 Introduction to the Study of Language	2023-2024
	LIGN 111 Phonology I	2021
	LIGN 115 Phonology II	2020
	LIDS 19 Independent Language Study	2021
	Mentor, PURL	2021 – present
	(Program for Undergraduate Research in Linguistics)	
	Managing a database project that tracks iconicity in reduplication. 34 mentees.	

Service and Outreach	**Volunteer, UCSD Black Like Water**	2022 – present
	Collecting, processing, and writing Black water stories.	
	Graduate Student Representative	2020 - present
	Admissions Committee, Grad Lounge, Linguistics Undergraduate Association Liason.	

Volunteer, Annual Conference on African Linguistics   2022
Abstract reviewer.

Volunteer, Katimavik Elementary School   2018 – 2019
Teaching guest classes, individual tutoring, scribing.

Languages

English (native)
French (fluent)
Balinese (fieldwork)
Turkish (fieldwork)
Sourthern Uzbek (graduate fieldwork)
Ecuadorian Siona (undergraduate fieldwork)
Western Armenian (undergraduate fieldwork)
Python