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EDUCATION

- 2006 Ph.D. Linguistics, The Ohio State University
Dissertation: *Minding the gaps: Inflectional defectiveness in a paradigmatic theory*
Ph.D. Advisor: Brian Joseph
- 2003 M.A. Russian Linguistics, The Ohio State University
- 2001 M.A. Linguistics, The Ohio State University
- 1999 A.B. Anthropology (university honors), The University of Chicago

APPOINTMENTS**Primary Appointments**

- 2017- Associate Professor, Department of Linguistics, Ohio State U.
- 2015-21 Associate Professor, Department of Slavic and East European Languages and Cultures, Ohio State U.
- 2008-15 Assistant Professor, Department of Slavic and East European Languages and Cultures, Ohio State U.
- 2006-08 Andrew W. Mellon Postdoctoral Fellow in Linguistics, Northwestern University
- 2003-04 J. William Fulbright Fellow & Lecturer, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Split (Croatia)

Other OSU Affiliations

- 2018- Affiliated Faculty, Computational Social Science Community of Practice, Translational Data Analytics Institute
- 2011- Affiliated Faculty, Center for Cognitive and Brain Sciences
- 2008- Affiliated Faculty, Buckeye Language Network
- 2008- Affiliated Faculty, Center for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies
- 2012-17 Courtesy Faculty, Department of Linguistics

Short-term Positions

- 2019 Visiting Scholar (by invitation), Laboratoire de Linguistique Formelle, Université de Paris (Paris 7) & CNRS (June)
- 2017 Faculty (by invitation), LSA's Linguistic Institute at the University of Kentucky. Course: *Introduction to Morphology* (July 5 – August 1)
- 2017 Visiting Professor (by invitation), Ghent University (Belgium). Course: *Inflectional Morphology*, (April 24-28)
- 2017 Visiting Scholar, Laboratory for Experimental Psychology, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Belgrade (Serbia) (April 3-21)
- 2016 Visiting Scholar, Linguistics Department, Northwestern University (October 1-31)

RESEARCH INTERESTS

morphology (theory, typology, change); inflectional structure; paradigmatic structure and inflection class organization; affix-ordering and morphotactics; the lexicon; emergent grammar; quantitative typology; corpus methods; Bosnian/Croatian/Montenegrin/Serbian; Russian; South Slavic and Balkan languages; Modern Greek

PUBLICATIONS

Authored Books

- 2015 Sims, Andrea D. 2015. *Inflectional defectiveness*. [Cambridge Studies in Linguistics 148]. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- 2010 Haspelmath, Martin and Andrea D. Sims. 2010. *Understanding morphology*, 2nd ed. London: Routledge.
- Czech translation appeared under the title *O čem je morfologie* (Karolinum Press 2015)
 - Korean translation appeared under the title 형태론의 이해 (Youkrack Publishing 2015)

Edited Volumes

- 2022 Sims, Andrea D., Adam Ussishkin, Jeff Parker and Samantha Wray, eds. 2022. *Morphological diversity and linguistic cognition*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- 2006 Ivanova, Tanya, Andrea D. Sims and Miriam Whiting, eds. 2006. *Ohio Slavic papers, vol. 6: Proceedings of the Second Graduate Colloquium on Slavic Linguistics*. Columbus, OH: Department of Slavic and East European Languages and Literatures.
- 2004 Sims, Andrea D. and Miriam Whiting, eds. 2004. *The Ohio State University working papers in Slavic studies, vol. 3: Proceedings of the First Graduate Colloquium on Slavic Linguistics*. Columbus, OH: Department of Slavic and East European Languages and Literatures.
- 2003 Collins, Daniel E. and Andrea D. Sims, eds. 2003. *The Ohio State University working papers in Slavic studies, vol. 2: Slavic and Balkan linguistics in honor of the 40th anniversary of the Department of Slavic & East European Languages and Literatures*. Columbus, OH: Department of Slavic and East European Languages and Literatures.

Papers

- in press Sims, Andrea D. In Press. Defectiveness. In *The Wiley Blackwell Companion to Morphology*, edited by Peter Ackema, Sabrina Bendjaballah, Eulàlia Bonet, and Antonio Fábregas. Wiley Blackwell.
- Aronoff, Mark and Andrea D. Sims. In Press. The relational nature of morphology. In *Linguistic morphology in the mind and brain* [Current Issues in the Psychology of Language Series], edited by Davide Crepaldi. London: Routledge.
- 2022 Sims, Andrea D., Adam Ussishkin, Jeff Parker, and Samantha Wray. 2022. At the intersection of cognitive processes and linguistic diversity. In *Morphological diversity and linguistic cognition*, edited by Andrea D. Sims, Adam Ussishkin, Jeff Parker, and Samantha Wray, 1-28. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Parker, Jeff, Robert Reynolds, and Andrea D. Sims. 2022. Network structure and inflection class predictability: Modeling the emergence of Marginal Detraction. In *Morphological diversity and linguistic cognition*, edited by Andrea D. Sims, Adam Ussishkin, Jeff Parker, and Samantha Wray, 247-281. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

- 2021 LeFevre, Grace, Micha Elsner, and Andrea D. Sims. 2021. Formalizing inflectional paradigm shape with information theory. *Proceedings of the Society for Computation in Linguistics* 4: Article 11, pp. 102-115. <https://scholarworks.umass.edu/scil/vol4/iss1/11/>
- 2020 Parker, Jeff and Andrea D. Sims. 2020. Irregularity, paradigmatic layers, and the complexity of inflection class systems: A study of Russian nouns. In *The complexities of morphology*, edited by Peter Arkadiev and Francesco Gardani, 23-51. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Sims, Andrea D. 2020. Inflectional networks: Graph-theoretic tools for inflectional typology. *Proceedings of the Society for Computation in Linguistics* 3: Article 10, 88-98. <https://scholarworks.umass.edu/scil/vol3/iss1/10>
- King, David, Andrea D. Sims, and Micha Elsner. 2020. Interpreting sequence-to-sequence models for Russian inflectional morphology. *Proceedings of the Society for Computation in Linguistics* 3: Article 39, 402-411. <https://scholarworks.umass.edu/scil/vol3/iss1/39>
- Elsner, Micha, Martha Booker Johnson, Stephanie Antetomaso, and Andrea D. Sims. 2020. Stop the morphological cycle, I want to get off: Modeling the development of fusion. *Proceedings of the Society for Computation in Linguistics* 3: Article 40, 412-422. <https://scholarworks.umass.edu/scil/vol3/iss1/40>
- 2019 Elsner, Micha, Andrea D. Sims, Alexander Erdmann, Antonio Hernandez, Evan Jaffe, Lifeng Jin, Martha Booker Johnson, Shuan Karim, David L. King, Luana Lamberti Nunes, Byung-Doh Oh, Nathan Rasmussen, Cory Shain, Stephanie Antetomaso, Kendra Dickinson, Noah Diewald, Michelle McKenzie, and Symon Stevens-Guille. 2019. Modeling morphological learning, typology, and change: What can the neural sequence-to-sequence framework contribute? *Journal of Language Modelling* 7(1): 125-170.
- Davidson, Kathryn, Annemarie Kocab, Andrea D. Sims and Laura Wagner. 2019. The relationship between verbal form and event structure in sign languages. *Glossa* 4(1): Article 123, 1-36. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.5334/gjgl.924>
- Sims, Andrea D. 2019. When the default is exceptional: Word stress in Modern Greek nouns. In *And thus you are everywhere honored: Studies dedicated to Brian D. Joseph*, edited by James J. Pennington, Victor A. Friedman, and Lenore Grenoble. Bloomington, IN: Slavica, 325-351.
- 2018 Sims, Andrea D. and Brian D. Joseph. 2018. Morphology versus syntax in the Balkan verbal complex. In *Balkan syntax and (universal) principles of grammar*, edited by Iliana Krapova and Brian Joseph. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter, 99-150.
- Reprinted in Albanian translation as: Morfologjia kundruall sintaksës në kompleksin foljor Ballkanik. In Brian D. Joseph. 2020. *Vështrime Albano-Balkanologjike*, 59-116. Prishtina: ASHAK.
- 2017 Sims, Andrea D. 2017. Slavic morphology: New approaches to classic problems, illustrated with Russian. *Journal of Slavic Linguistics* 25(2): 491-526.
- 2016 Sims, Andrea D. and Jeff Parker. 2016. How inflection class systems work: On the informativity of implicative structure. *Word Structure* 9(2): 215-239.
- 2015 Sims, Andrea D. 2015. Morphosyntactic agreement in Croatian (Wikipedia): Thoughts on the space between ‘errors’ and ‘conventionalized grammar’. *Balkanistica* 28: 519-546.
- Sims, Andrea D. and Jeff Parker. 2015. Lexical processing and affix ordering: Cross-linguistic predictions. *Morphology* 25(2): 143-182.
- 2009 Sims, Andrea D. 2009. Why paradigmatic gaps are, and aren’t, the result of competing morphological patterns. *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the Chicago Linguistic Society* 43(2): 267-281.

- 2007 Daland, Robert, Andrea D. Sims and Janet Pierrehumbert. 2007. Much ado about nothing: A social network model of Russian paradigmatic gaps. *Proceedings of the 45th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics in Prague, Czech Republic, June 24th-29th, 2007*. Annie Zaenen and Antal van den Bosch, eds. Prague: Association for Computational Linguistics, 936-943.
- 2006 Sims, Andrea D. 2006. On avoidance strategies (and their potential implications for dialect loss). In Christian Voss and Dieter Stern, eds. *Marginal linguistic identities: Studies in Slavic contact and borderland varieties* (=Eurolinguistische Arbeiten 2). Wiesbaden, Germany: Harrassowitz Verlag, 245-260.
- 2005 Sims, Andrea D. 2005. Declension hopping in dialectal Croatian: Two predictions of frequency. In Geert Booij and Jaap van Marle, eds. *Yearbook of morphology 2005*. Amsterdam: Springer, 201-225.
- 2003 Sims, Andrea D. 2003. Resolving gender conflict in dialectal Croatian: Two predictions of frequency. In Daniel E. Collins and Andrea D. Sims, eds. *The OSU working papers in Slavic studies, v. 2: Slavic and Balkan linguistics in honor of the 40th anniversary of the Department of Slavic & East European Languages and Literatures*. Columbus, OH: Department of Slavic and East European Languages and Literatures, 145-167.

Reviews and Review Articles

- 2019 Sims, Andrea D. 2019. Review of *Morphological complexity*, by Matthew Baerman, Dunstan Brown and Greville G. Corbett (Cambridge University Press 2017). *Language* 95(4): 803-806.
- 2014 Sims, Andrea D. 2014. Review of *On inflection*, ed. by Patrick O. Steinkrüger and Manfred Krifka (Mouton de Gruyter 2009). *Word Structure* 7(1): 112-121.
- 2012 Sims, Andrea D. 2012. Review of *Inflectional defectiveness: Missing forms and what they tell us*, ed. by Matthew Baerman, Greville Corbett and Dunstan Brown (Oxford 2010). *Morphology* 22(2): 337-341.
- 2008 Sims, Andrea D. 2008. Review article: *Balkan Sprachbund morpho-syntactic features*, by Olga Mišeska Tomić (Springer 2006). *Journal of Slavic Linguistics* 16(2): 331-347.
- 2007 Sims, Andrea D. 2007. Review of *Suppletion in verb paradigms*, by Ljuba Veselinova (Benjamins 2006). *Diachronica* 24(2): 427-433.

Short Notices, Encyclopedia Entries, Etc.

- 2006 Sims, Andrea D. 2006. Minding the gaps: Inflectional defectiveness in a paradigmatic theory: A dissertation summary. *Journal of Greek Linguistics* 7: 205-209.
- 2005 Sims, Andrea D. 2005. Notice for *Language and sexuality*, by Deborah Cameron and Don Kulick (Cambridge 2003). *Language* 81(3): 771-772.
- 2004 Sims, Andrea D. 2004. Language and gender. *glbtq: An encyclopedia of gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender and queer culture*. http://www.glbtq.com/social-sciences/language_gender.html
- Sims, Andrea D. 2004. Gayspeak. *glbtq: An encyclopedia of gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender and queer culture*. <http://www.glbtq.com/social-sciences/gayspeak.html>

Digital Materials

- 2019 Sims, Andrea D., with contribution by Jeff Parker. 2019. Inflectional networks: Resources for graph-theoretic analysis of linguistic morphology, v. 1.0.0 [24 December 2019]. DOI: 10.5281/zenodo.3594436

Media

- 2021 Profile in the *Voices of Excellence* podcast hosted by David Staley (College of Arts and Sciences, OSU), released June 23, 2021. <https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/andrea-sims-on-what-can-and-cant-be-a-word/id1436204139?i=1000526632553> or https://soundcloud.com/voices_arts_sciences/sims

RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS

Invited Talks

- 2021 Andrea D. Sims. 2021. "Putting 'system' back in 'inflectional system' (or, Quantifying structural equivalence in morphology)." Colloquium talk, Department of Linguistics, University of California, San Diego, October 18.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2021. "How conflicting morphosyntactic case requirements get resolved: An experimental investigation of the syncretism effect in Serbian". Invited talk presented at the conference *Современные методы изучения сербского языка в синхронии и диахронии* [*Modern methods for studying the Serbian language in synchrony and diachrony*], hosted virtually by Moscow State University, May 17-18.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2021. "How do grammars leak? A close look at the idea of syncretism as repair for defectiveness." Keynote talk at the workshop *Grammatical gaps: Definition, typology and theory*, held at the German Linguistic Society (DGfS) meeting, February 24-26.
- 2020 Andrea D. Sims. 2020. "Thinking locally, acting globally: The importance of localized analogy to the emergence of morphological organization." Invited talk presented virtually to the Brazilian Linguistics Association (Abralín ao Vivo – Linguists Online series). October 17. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VRbSQ9pnzt4&feature=emb_logo
- Andrea D. Sims. 2020. "How does system-level inflectional organization emerge from localized analogy? A look at the role of inflectional networks." Invited talk at the workshop *How to fill a cell: Computational approaches to inflectional morphology*, hosted virtually by the University of York, September 16.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2020. "All morphological generalization is local, and why typologists (and other linguists) should care". Colloquium talk, Department of Linguistics, University of Buffalo. February 28.
- 2019 Andrea D. Sims. 2019. "Systems-oriented morphology" (four-part seminar series), Laboratoire de Linguistique Formelle, Université de Paris (Paris 7). June 6-25.
- 2017 Andrea D. Sims. 2017. "Interactions between directional syncretism and defectiveness." Colloquium talk, Interaction of Grammatical Building Blocks colloquium series, Institute for Linguistics, University of Leipzig. December 13.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2017. "Morphological connectivity in the mental lexicon: Does 'irregular morphology' exist?" Keynote talk presented at the *17th Texas Linguistic Society Conference*, September 15-16.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2017. "Connectivity in the mental lexicon: Some implications for morphological theory and typology." Colloquium talk, Laboratory for Experimental Psychology, University of Belgrade, April 13.
- 2016 Andrea D. Sims. 2016. "Inflectional systems and the dynamical organization of the lexicon." Plenary talk at the *11th Annual Meeting of the Slavic Linguistics Society*, in Toronto, Canada, September 23-25.

- 2015 Andrea D. Sims. 2015. "Defectiveness as allomorphy: A view from the idiosyncratic fringes of inflection." Colloquium talk, Department of Linguistics, University of Chicago, May 1.
- 2014 Andrea D. Sims. 2014. "Defectiveness as allomorphy: How the idiosyncratic fringes of inflection are not so idiosyncratic after all." Colloquium talk, Department of Linguistics, University of Arizona, October 14.
- 2013 Andrea D. Sims. 2013. "In praise of idiosyncrasy: Morphology and lexicon in interaction." Colloquium talk, Linguistics Department, Northwestern University, March 4.
- 2012 Andrea D. Sims. 2012. "Morphological structure in syntactic agreement: What we can learn from structural attraction 'errors'." Colloquium talk, Linguistics Department, University of Indiana Bloomington, October 15.
- 2011 Andrea D. Sims. 2011. "Information theory and paradigmatic morphology." Paper presented at the workshop *Information-based Approaches to Linguistics*, held in conjunction with the Linguistic Society of America Summer Institute at the University of Colorado, Boulder, July 16-17.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2011. "Defectiveness, productivity, and the dynamic organization of the lexicon." Colloquium talk, Linguistics Program, University of Kentucky, March 23.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2011. "On parallels between defective and normal inflection." Paper presented at the *Quantitative Measures in Morphology and Morphological Development Workshop*, in San Diego, CA, January 15-16.
- 2010 Andrea D. Sims. 2010. "Structural attraction in Croatian: A comparison of corpus and experimental evidence." Paper presented at *Slavic Languages: Time and Contingency* in Berkeley, CA, February 12-13.
- 2007 Andrea D. Sims. 2007. "When synchronic motivation disappears: On probabilities, paradigms, and processes of lexicalization." Colloquium talk, Department of Linguistics, The University of Chicago, November 1.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2007. "Победю... нет, победжу! Why paradigmatic gaps are, and aren't, the result of competing morphological patterns." Colloquium talk, Department of Slavic and East European Languages and Literatures, The Ohio State University, January 16.
- 2005 Andrea D. Sims. 2005. "The death throes of a dialect: How Čakavian Croatian is getting its revenge." Paper presented at *Language Death and Language Birth on the Fringes of the "Slavic World"* in Berlin, Germany, February 24-26.
- 2004 Andrea D. Sims. 2004. "Linguistic theory and EFL teaching: Taking the arbitrariness out of prepositions." Presentation to the English Teachers' Forum, organized by the Vickov Language School in Split, Croatia, March 6.
- 2003 Andrea D. Sims. 2003. "Resolving gender conflict: The strategies of dialect speakers in Split, Croatia." Colloquium talk, Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures, The University of Toronto, February 6.

Conference Presentations

- 2022 Maria Copot and Andrea D. Sims. 2022. Defectiveness as a product of prescriptivism: A behavioural study. Paper to be presented at the *20th International Morphology Meeting (IMM20)* in Budapest, September 1-4.
- Sara Court, Micha Elsner and Andrea D. Sims. 2022. Quantifying factors shaping analogical restructuring of the Maltese nominal system. Paper to be presented at the *Workshop on Analogy in Inflection* at the *20th International Morphology Meeting (IMM20)* in Budapest, September 1-4.

- Dunstan Brown and Andrea D. Sims. 2022. Greek nominal accent as a lexeme-based system. Paper presented at the *13th Mediterranean Morphology Meeting*, Rhodes, Greece, May 19-22.
- Sara Court, Micha Elsner, and Andrea D. Sims. 2022. Quantifying factors shaping inflectional organization in Maltese. Paper presented at the *Workshop on Semitic Morphology at the 13th Mediterranean Morphology Meeting*, Rhodes, Greece, May 19.
- Martha Booker Johnson, Andrea D. Sims, and Micha Elsner. 2022. “Do languages differ in semantic transparency of derived words? Using word vectors to explore English and Russian.” Poster presented at the *96th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America*, Washington D.C., January 6-9.
- 2021 Kyle Maycock and Andrea D. Sims. 2021. Albanian second-position clitics as edge inflection: Evidence from cumulative exponence in the noun phrase. Paper presented at the *5th American International Morphology Meeting (AIMM5)*, held virtually August 26-29.
- Martha Booker Johnson and Andrea D. Sims. 2021. Using word vectors to investigate semantic transparency cross-linguistically. Paper presented at the *5th American International Morphology Meeting (AIMM5)*, held virtually August 26-29.
- Micha Elsner and Andrea D. Sims. 2021. Analogical modeling of morphology for L1 effects in language contact. Paper presented at the *5th American International Morphology Meeting (AIMM5)*, held virtually August 26-29.
- Grace LeFevre, Micha Elsner, and Andrea D. Sims. 2021. Formalizing inflectional paradigm shape with information theory. Paper presented at the *Society for Computation in Linguistics 2021*, February 15-19.
- 2020 Andrea D. Sims. 2020. “Inflectional networks: Graph-theoretic tools for inflectional typology.” Poster presented at the *Society for Computation in Linguistics (SCiL) 2020*, New Orleans, January 2-5.
- David King, Andrea D. Sims, and Micha Elsner. 2020. “Interpreting sequence-to-sequence models for Russian inflectional morphology.” Poster presented at the *Society for Computation in Linguistics (SCiL) 2020*, New Orleans, January 2-5.
- Micha Elsner, Martha Booker Johnson, Stephanie Antetomaso, and Andrea D. Sims. 2020. “Stop the morphological cycle, I want to get off: Modeling the development of fusion.” Paper presented at the *Society for Computation in Linguistics (SCiL) 2020*, New Orleans, January 2-5.
- 2019 Andrea D. Sims and Dunstan Brown. 2019. “Regulating competition between stems and suffixes: A declarative defaults-based solution for nominal stress assignment in Greek.” Paper presented at the *12th Mediterranean Morphology Meeting* in Ljubljana, June 27-30.
- Jeff Parker, Robert Reynolds and Andrea D. Sims. 2019. “On the interaction of network structure and token frequency in analogical change: A computational investigation of inflection class shift.” Paper presented at the *Fourth American International Morphology Meeting* in Stony Brook, NY, May 3-5.
- Michelle McKenzie and Andrea D. Sims. 2019. “Effects of relative frequency on morphological processing in Russian and English.” Paper presented at the *Fourth American International Morphology Meeting* in Stony Brook, NY, May 3-5.
- Michelle McKenzie and Andrea D. Sims. 2019. “Effects of relative frequency on morphological processing in Russian and English.” Paper presented at the *2019 Midwest Slavic Conference* in Columbus, OH, April 5-7.
- Austin Mack, Chandini White, Charlotte Walkey, Shelby Smith, and Andrea D. Sims. 2019. “Digraphia in Serbian online communities: Convenience and ideology.” Paper to be presented at the *2019 Midwest Slavic Conference* in Columbus, OH, April 5-7.

- Andrea D. Sims. 2019. "When the default is the exception: Issues for a formal analysis of word stress in Modern Greek nouns." Paper presented at the 8th *Midwest Consortium Workshop on Greek Linguistics* in Columbus, OH, February 9-10.
- 2018 Andrea D. Sims. 2018. "Greek noun stress and the notion 'head' in morphology." Paper presented at the 21st *Biennial Conference on Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics, Literature and Folklore* in Billings, MT, May 24-26.
- Kathryn Davidson, Annemarie Kocab, Laura Wagner, and Andrea D. Sims. 2018. "Verbal form and event structure in sign languages." Poster presented at *Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT) 28* at MIT, May 18-20.
- Jeff Parker, Robert Reynolds and Andrea D. Sims. 2018. "The role of language-specific network properties in shaping inflectional irregularity." Paper presented at the *Emergence of Universals Workshop* in Columbus, OH, February 18-19.
- Jeff Parker, Robert Reynolds and Andrea D. Sims. 2018. "A Bayesian investigation of factors shaping the network structure of inflection class systems." Poster presented at the *Society for Computation in Linguistics* in Salt Lake City, January 4-7.
- 2017 Jeff Parker, Rob Reynolds and Andrea D. Sims. 2017. "Network properties of inflection class systems: Why some classes contribute more complexity than others." Paper presented at the *Morphological Typology and Linguistic Cognition Workshop* (2017 Linguistic Institute), July 22-23.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2017. "A graph-theoretic approach to inflection class typology." Poster presented at the 2017 *Linguistic Institute Sunday Poster Sessions*, University of Kentucky, July 9.
- David L. King, Andrea D. Sims and Micha Elsner. 2017. Neural sequence-to-sequence learning for Russian morphology. *Midwest Speech and Language Days*.
- Kathryn Davidson, Annemarie Kocab, Andrea D. Sims, and Laura Wagner. 2017. "Telicity encoding in American Sign Language: Testing the Event Visibility Hypothesis." Paper presented at the 91st *Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America* in Austin, January 5-8.
- 2016 Andrea D. Sims. 2016. "Implicative paradigmatic relations in inflection class structure: A typological perspective." Poster presented at the *The Future of Language Science* (50th anniversary event for the Northwestern University Linguistics Department), September 30.
- 2015 Andrea D. Sims. 2015. "Attraction and case ambiguity." Poster presented at the 3rd *American International Morphology Meeting* in Amherst, MA, October 2-4.
- Jeff Parker and Andrea D. Sims. 2015. "On the interaction of implicative structure and type frequency in inflectional systems." Paper presented at the *First Quantitative Morphology Meeting* in Belgrade, July 11-12.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2015. "Defectiveness as evidence for autonomous morphology." Paper presented at the 89th *Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America*, January 8-11.
- 2014 Andrea D. Sims. 2014. "Structural attraction in Croatian: Effects of inflectional paradigmatic structure in morphosyntactic processing." Paper presented at the 16th *International Morphology Meeting* in Budapest, Hungary, May 29 - June 1.
- Michael De Matto, Jeff Parker, and Andrea D. Sims. 2014. "Transparency and translingual processing: A comparison of Russian and English." Paper presented at the *Midwest Slavic Conference 2014*, Columbus OH, March 29.
- 2013 Andrea D. Sims and Brian Joseph. 2013. "The universal and the particular in the order of elements in the Balkan verbal complex." Paper presented at the 46th *Annual Meeting of the Societas Linguistica*

Europaea (workshop: *Balancing the Universal and the Particular in Convergences in Balkan Morpho-Syntax*), in Split, Croatia, September 18-21.

Andrea D. Sims. 2013. "Structural attraction effects in case-marking languages: the role of inflectional structure." Paper presented at the *87th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America* in Boston, MA, January 3-6.

Jeffrey Parker and Andrea D. Sims. 2013. "Affix ordering constraints and the processing of Russian derivational morphology." Paper presented at the *2013 American Association of Teachers of Slavic and East European Languages Conference* in Boston, MA, January 3-6.

2012 Andrea D. Sims. 2012. "Syncretism and structural attraction errors in Croatian." Poster presented at the *American International Morphology Meeting* in Amherst, MA, September 21-23.

Jeffrey Parker and Andrea D. Sims. 2012. "Affix-ordering constraints and processing in Russian: A look at Complexity-based Ordering." Paper presented at the *American International Morphology Meeting* in Amherst, MA, September 21-23.

Andrea D. Sims. 2012. "Structural attraction in Croatian: Evidence for morphological structure in syntactic processing." Paper presented at the *7th Annual Meeting of the Slavic Linguistics Society* in Lawrence, Kansas, August 25-27.

2011 Jeffrey Parker and Andrea D. Sims. 2011. "Affix ordering and the lexicon: A corpus study of Russian." Paper presented by invitation at the workshop *The Challenges of Complex Morphology to Morphological Theory*, held in conjunction with the Linguistic Society of America Summer Institute at the University of Colorado, Boulder, July 27.

Jeffrey Parker and Andrea D. Sims. 2011. "Affix ordering in Russian: Cross-linguistic predictions of complexity-based accounts." Poster presented at the *85th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America* in Pittsburgh, PA, January 6-9.

2010 Jeffrey Parker and Andrea D. Sims. 2010. "The complexity and Complexity of Russian affix ordering." Paper presented at the *5th Annual Meeting of the Slavic Linguistics Society* in Chicago, IL, October 29-31.

Andrea D. Sims. 2010. "Probabilistic paradigmatics: Principal parts, predictability and (other) possible particular pieces of the puzzle." Paper presented at the *14th International Morphology Meeting* in Budapest, May 13-16.

2008 Andrea D. Sims. 2008. "BCS nominal syncretism, feature structure, and false agreement." Paper presented at the *16th Biennial Conference on Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics* in Banff, Canada, May 1-4.

Andrea D. Sims and Robert Daland. 2008. "Modeling inflectional defectiveness as usage-based probability: Lessons from Modern Greek." Paper presented at the *Defective Paradigms Conference* in London, England, April 10-11.

Andrea D. Sims, Maria Alley, and Bryan Brookes. 2008. "On inflectional competition as a cause of paradigmatic gaps." Paper presented at the *Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America* in Chicago, IL, January 3-6.

2007 Andrea D. Sims. 2007. "Defective Russian verbs as a 'productive' pattern." Paper presented at the *Annual Meeting of the American Association for Teachers of Slavic and East European Languages* in Chicago, December 27-30.

Andrea D. Sims, Robert Daland and Janet Pierrehumbert. 2007. "Learning defectiveness: Russian verbal gaps and implicit negative evidence." Paper presented at the *Second Annual Meeting of the Slavic Linguistics Society*, in Berlin, Germany, August 22-26.

- Robert Daland, Andrea D. Sims and Janet Pierrehumbert. 2007. "Much ado about nothing: A social network model of Russian paradigmatic gaps." Paper presented at the 45th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics in Prague, Czech Republic, June 24-29.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2007. "Why paradigmatic gaps are, and aren't, the result of competing morphological patterns." Paper presented at the 43rd Annual Meeting of the Chicago Linguistic Society, May 3-5.
- 2006 Andrea D. Sims. 2006. "When form and meaning go their own way: Croatian inflectional change as evidence for inflectional structure." Paper presented at the 38th National Convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies in Washington, D.C., November 16-19.
- Maria Alley, Bryan Brookes and Andrea D. Sims. 2006. "On Russian verbal gaps and non-optimality in language." Paper presented at the First Conference of the Slavic Linguistics Society in Bloomington, IN, September 8-10, 2006. Also presented at the 4th Graduate Colloquium on Slavic Linguistics in Columbus, OH, November 4.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2006. "On the importance of 'missing' forms: Periphrasis and paradigmatic gaps in Modern Greek as problems for morphological blocking." Paper presented at the 12th International Morphology Meeting in Budapest, Hungary, May 25-28.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2006. "Side-effects of dialect loss: The genitive plural in non-standard Croatian." Paper presented at the 15th Biennial Conference on Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics in Berkeley, CA, March 30-April 1.
- Brian D. Joseph and Andrea D. Sims. 2006. "Mechanisms of paradigmatic change: Diachronic evidence for paradigms." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America in Albuquerque, NM, January 5-6. (special session "Word and Paradigm Morphology")
- 2005 Andrea D. Sims. 2005. "Avoidance as a path to inflectional change: A study of the Greek genitive plural". Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Modern Greek Studies Association in Chicago, IL, November 3-5.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2005. "On avoidance strategies (and their implications for language change)." Paper presented at the International Conference on Historical Linguistics XVII in Madison, WI, July 31-August 5.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2005. "Paradigmatic reshuffling: The Croatian genitive plural(s)." Paper presented at the 2nd Meeting of the Southeast European Studies Association in Columbus, OH, April 28-29.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2005. "Paradigmatic gaps and paradigmatic content: A study of the Greek genitive plural." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America in Oakland, CA, January 6-9.
- 2004 Andrea D. Sims. 2004. "Bolstering loss of the Čakavian genitive plural." Paper presented at the 2nd Graduate Colloquium on Slavic Linguistics in Columbus, Ohio, November 6-7.
- 2003 Andrea D. Sims and Jeffrey Mielke. 2003. "Step forward if you are always marked... Not so fast, [labial]." Paper presented at the Montreal-Ottawa-Toronto Workshop on Phonology in Toronto, Canada. February 6-9.
- 2002 Jeffrey Mielke and Andrea D. Sims. 2002. "Labials in Gen(gbe): Implications for a theory of markedness." Paper presented at Les 4^{èmes} Journées Internationales du GDR 1954 "Phonologies" in Grenoble, France. June 6-8.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2002. "Masculine a-stems in Serbo-Croatian and Czech: Variation and the role of frequency." Paper presented at the 13th Biennial Conference on Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics in Chapel Hill, NC, April 18-20.

Andrea D. Sims. 2002. "Reining in analogy: Evidence from Slavic for frequency as a constraining factor." Paper presented at the *Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America* in San Francisco, CA, January 3-6.

- 2001 Andrea D. Sims. 2001. "Frequency effects in morphological change: The case of Serbo-Croatian hybrid nouns." Paper presented at the *Midwest Slavic Conference* in Cleveland, OH, March 30-April 1.

Other Research Presentations

- 2019 David King, Andrea D. Sims, and Micha Elsner. 2019. "Automatically learning human language morphology." Poster presented at the Buckeye Language Network Spring Colloquium, May 1.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2019. "Why do (some) languages tolerate inflection classes?" Colloquium talk for Prospectives' Weekend in the Department of Linguistics, Ohio State University, February 22.
- 2016 Jeff Parker and Andrea D. Sims. 2016. "How inflectional systems are shaped: The role of implicative structure and type frequency." Paper presented at the *13th Annual Martin Luther King Day Linguistics Symposium: Mathematical/Computational Modeling and Tools in and for Historical Linguistics*, at Ohio State University, January 15-16.
- 2014 Andrea D. Sims. 2014. "On similarities between case matching effects and structural attraction effects, with reference to Croatian". Paper presented at the *11th Annual Martin Luther King Day Linguistics Symposium: The Linguistics of South Asia and of the Balkans* at The Ohio State University, January 25.
- 2011 Andrea D. Sims. 2011. "Productivity and the paradigmatic organization of words." Invited presentation at *CogFest*, The Ohio State University, May 20.
- 2008 Andrea D. Sims. 2008. "When synchronic motivation disappears: Explaining the persistence of inflectional defectiveness." Plenary talk at the *6th Graduate Colloquium on Slavic Linguistics*, The Ohio State University, October 18.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2008. "When synchronic motivation disappears: Explaining the persistence of inflectional defectiveness." Colloquium talk, Department of Linguistics, Northwestern University, June 6.
- 2007 Andrea D. Sims. 2007. "On the problem of defining inflectional classes for Modern Greek nouns." Paper presented at the *4th Now-Annual OSU Martin Luther King Day Symposium in Linguistics: The Greek Language* in Columbus, OH, January 15.
- 2006 Andrea D. Sims. 2006. "When good inflection goes bad: The morphological and social causes of paradigmatic gaps." Colloquium talk, Department of Linguistics, Northwestern University, October 6.
- Andrea D. Sims. 2006. "Analogy and paradigms in current morphological theory." Paper presented at the *3rd Now-Annual OSU Martin Luther King Day Symposium in Linguistics: Analogy in Language Change* in Columbus, OH, January 16.

Panel Discussant

- 2015 Discussant and chair for the panel "Politicized language and language ideology" at *Midwest Slavic Conference 2015* in Columbus, OH, March 13-15.
- 2014 Discussant and chair for the panel "Language contact and language ideology" at *Midwest Slavic Conference 2014* in Columbus, OH, March 28-30.
- 2011 Discussant for the panel "New research in South Slavic linguistics" at *Annual Convention of the Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies* in Washington D.C., November 17-20.

Andrea D. Sims

Discussant and chair for the panel “Linguistic Investigations” at the *12th Annual Central Eurasian Studies Society Conference* in Columbus, OH, September 15-18.

GRANTS

External

- 2022-2025 National Science Foundation
Title: Neural discovery of abstract inflectional structure (BCS 2217554)
Investigators: Micha Elsner (PI) and Andrea Sims (Co-PI)
- 2016-18 National Science Foundation
Title: Workshop: Morphological Typology and Linguistic Cognition (LSA 2017 Linguistic Institute) (BCS 1623932)
Investigators: Andrea Sims (PI) and Adam Ussishkin (Co-PI)
- 2012-15 Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, John E. Sawyer Seminar on the Comparative Study of Cultures
Title: Language, Politics, and Human Expression in South Asia and the Balkans
Investigators: Theodora Dragostinova, Yana Hashamova, Pranav Jani, Brian Joseph, Jessie Labov, Scott Levi, Andrea Sims, Mytheli Sreenivas

Internal

- 2020 Arts and Humanities Small Grant (Manuscript Preparation), Ohio State University
2019 Arts and Humanities Small Grant (International Travel Grant), Ohio State University
2017 Arts and Humanities Small Grant, Ohio State University
2009 Grant for Research and Creative Activity in the Arts and Humanities, Ohio State University
2006 Alumni Grant for Graduate Research and Scholarship, Ohio State University
2006 Council of Graduate Students Ray Travel Award for Scholarship and Service, Ohio State University
2002 Middlebury College Grant (Language Schools), for Russian language study
2002 Graduate Student International Dissertation/M.A. Thesis Research Travel Grant, Ohio State University

FELLOWSHIPS

- 2006-08 Andrew W. Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowship, Northwestern University
2005-06 Presidential Fellowship, Ohio State University
2003-04 J. William Fulbright Scholarship (U.S. Student Program, Croatia)
2001-02 Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship (Modern Greek), Ohio State University
1999-00 University Graduate Fellowship, Ohio State University

AWARDS

- 2022 Faculty Recognition Award, Department of Linguistics, Ohio State University
2005 Distinguished Graduate Leadership Award, Department of Slavic and East European Languages and Literatures, Ohio State University
2004 200-level Linguistics Teaching Award, Department of Linguistics, Ohio State University

TEACHING

Ohio State University

Undergraduate Courses

Morphology
Introduction to Linguistics (honors and regular versions)
Language Across Cultures
East European Immigrant Experience in the U.S.
Politics of Language in Southeast Europe
Elementary Serbo-Croatian 1
Intermediate Serbo-Croatian 1
Language and Gender
Language and Social Identity in the United States

Grad/Undergrad Courses

Morphological Theory
Structure of Russian 1
Reading of a South Slavic Language: Bosnian/Croatian/Montenegrin/Serbian

Graduate Courses

Historical Linguistics 2: Historical Morphology
Balkan Linguistics: The Balkan Sprachbund
Structure of Russian 2
History of Russian 2
Slavic Linguistics Professionalization Forum
South Slavic Linguistics: Structure of Bosnian/Croatian/Montenegrin/Serbian
Morphological Theory 2: Inflectional Systems
Seminar (Au2018): Models of Morphological Learning and Change (with Micha Elsner)
Seminar (Wi2010): Word Frequency and Grammatical Structure
Seminar (Au2008): Corpus-based Linguistic Analysis with R

Other Universities

Introduction to Morphology // 2017 Linguistic Institute (short course)
Inflectional Systems // Ghent University (Belgium) (short course)
Morphology // Northwestern University
Language and Gender // Northwestern University
Seminar: Automated morphological learners // Northwestern University
1st Year English Conversation (Jezične Vježbe 1) // University of Split (Croatia), Humanities Faculty
2nd Year English Writing (Jezične Vježbe 2) // University of Split (Croatia)

ADVISING

Current Ph.D. advisees: Sara Court, Noah Diewald, Martha Johnson, David King, Connor Rouillier

Dissertations Supervised

Parker, Jeff. 2016. *Inflectional complexity and cognitive processing: An experimental and corpus-based investigation of Russian nouns*. Ph.D. dissertation, Department of Slavic and East European Languages and Cultures, The Ohio State University.

Ressue, Lauren. 2015. *The semantics of reciprocity in Russian*. Ph.D. dissertation, Department of Slavic and East European Languages and Cultures, The Ohio State University. [co-advised with Judith Tonhauser]

Terminal M.A. Degrees Supervised (OSU SEELC unless otherwise indicated): Yuliia Aloshecheva, Daniel Davidson, Ekaterina Kolbasova, Jeff Parker (Linguistics), Marina Pashkova, Ryan Perkins, Robert Reynolds

B.A. Theses Supervised (OSU Linguistics): Grace LeFevre, Kyle Maycock, Michelle McKenzie, Michael Sullivan

Graduate Advising Committee Member (QP1, QP2, Candidacy, and/or Dissertation)

- OSU Linguistics: Rachel Burdin, Noah Diewald, Alexander Erdmann, Cynthia Johnson, Shuan Karim, David King, Rachel Klippenstein, David Mitchell, Junyu Ruan, Nandi Sims, Riley Wagner, Christin Wilson
- OSU Slavic & East European Languages & Cultures: Matthew Curtis, Michael Furman, Kathleen Manukyan, Shelley Price, Spencer Robinson, Monica Vickers, Kate White, Hope Wilson
- OSU Center for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies: Lindsey Korte, Conrad Rinto
- Other universities: Midam Kim (Northwestern)

Undergraduate Advising Committee Member (B.A. Theses): Daven Hobbs (Linguistics), Christine Prechtel (Linguistics), Vasudha Raju (Psychology), Anna Taylor (Linguistics), Elizabeth Troiano (Psychology)

ACADEMIC SERVICE (select items only)

External Service, Editorships, Board Memberships

- 2014- *Word Structure* (Co-Editor 2021-present; Advisory Board Member 2014-20)
2021-24 Member, Program Committee, Linguistic Society of America
2021-24 Editorial Board, *Russian Linguistics*
2020- Advisory Panel, *Feast and Famine: Confronting Overabundance and Defectivity in Language, Arts and Humanities Research Council (UK) Grant*. PIs Neil Bermel (University of Sheffield) and Dunstan Brown (University of York)
2020- Editorial Advisory Board, *Cambridge Elements in Morphology Series* (Cambridge University Press)
2020- Editorial Board, *Morphology*
2010-16 Slavic Linguistics Society (Webmaster 2011-16; Executive Board Member 2010-13)

OSU Administrative Roles

- 2018- Undergraduate Program Director & Honors Advisor, Linguistics

Conference and Panel Organizing

- 2022 Organizing Committee Co-chair and Program Committee Co-Chair, *22nd Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics, Literature and Folklore Conference*, April 7-10, 2022, virtual
2021 Organizing Committee Chair and Program Committee Chair, *5th American International Morphology Meeting*, August 26-29, 2021, virtual
2019 Local Organizing Committee Member, *Formal Approaches to Diachronic Semantics 4*, Columbus
2017 Co-organizer, *Morphological Typology and Linguistic Cognition*, two-day conference held in conjunction with the Linguistic Society of America's 2017 Linguistic Institute in Lexington, KY
2014 Co-organizer, *Imagining alternative modernities: Interventions from the Balkans and South Asia*, Columbus, OH
2011 Co-organizer, "New research in South Slavic linguistics" panel, Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies (ASEEES) in Washington D.C.

Andrea D. Sims

- 2010 Co-organizer, *17th Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics, Literature and Folklore Conference*, Columbus, OH
- 2008 Co-organizer, “Syntax-semantics interfaces in the Balkans” panel, American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies (AAASS) in Philadelphia
- 2008 Co-organizer, “New research in Balkan and South Slavic linguistics: Contact and change” panel, American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies (AAASS) in Philadelphia
- 2008 Co-organizer, *3rd Annual Meeting of the Slavic Linguistics Society (SLS-3)*, Columbus, OH
- 2007 Organizer, “Productivity and Defectiveness” panel, American Association for Teachers of Slavic and East European Languages (AATSEEL) in Chicago
- 2005 Co-organizer, *Third Graduate Colloquium on Slavic Linguistics*, Columbus, OH
- 2004 Co-organizer, *Second Graduate Colloquium on Slavic Linguistics*, Columbus, OH
- 2003 Co-organizer, *First Graduate Colloquium on Slavic Linguistics*, Columbus, OH

Ad Hoc Reviewing

Presses: Cambridge University Press, Edinburgh University Press, Routledge

Journals: Affix Ordering (edited volume), A Linguist’s Linguist (edited volume), Cambridge Handbook of Morphology (edited volume), Computational Linguistics, Glossa, Journal of Child Language, Journal of Greek Linguistics, Journal of Linguistics, Journal of Slavic Linguistics, Language, Language and Speech, Language Sciences, Morphological Complexity (edited volume), Morphology, Oxford Handbook of Morphological Theory (edited volume), Russian Language Journal, Russian Linguistics, Slavia Centralis, Slovenski Jezik / Slovene Linguistic Studies, Slavic and East European Journal, Word Structure, Вестник СПбГУ

Conferences (incl. program committee for some): American International Morphology Meeting (AIMM), AnaMorphoSys: Analyzing Morphological Systems, Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics (FASL), International Morphology Meeting (various workshops) (IMM), Linguistic Society of America Annual Meeting (LSA), Midwest Slavic Conference, Quantitative Morphology Meeting, SIGMORPHON Workshops on Computational Research in Phonetics, Phonology, and Morphology; Slavic Linguistics Society (SLS), Society for Computation in Linguistics (SCiL)

Funding Agencies: American Councils on International Education (Title VIII Programs, ACTR), British Academy, Leverhulme Trust, National Science Foundation, Swiss National Science Foundation

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

- 2008 Corpus Methods in Linguistics Masterclass, University of Chicago (March)
- 2004 Foreign Language Teacher Training Workshop, OSU Foreign Language Center (September)
- 2002 Russian Language School, Middlebury College, Level 7 (4th year) Russian language (June-August)
- 2001 Medieval Slavic Summer Institute, Hilandar Research Library, The Ohio State University (July)
- 2000 Center for Foreign Languages in Dubrovnik, Croatia, Level 2 Croatian language (June-July)
- 1998 Azbukum: Center for Serbian Language and Culture in Novi Sad, Level 1 Serbian (June-July)

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS)
Association for Linguistic Typology (ALT)
Linguistic Society of America (LSA)
Slavic Linguistics Society (SLS)
Southeast European Studies Association (SEESA)

LANGUAGES

English (native)

Bosnian/Croatian/Montenegrin/Serbian (advanced, with a focus on Croatian)

Russian (advanced writing/reading, intermediate speaking/listening)

Modern Greek (reading and grammatical knowledge, beginning speaking)

Old Church Slavonic (reading and grammatical knowledge)

Albanian (reading and grammatical knowledge)