

Curriculum vitae of Krisztina Polgárdi 2008

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DEGREES

- 1991 **MA:** English – General and Applied Linguistics
Eötvös Loránd University
thesis: “Affricates as Contour Segments in Hungarian and in English”
- 1998 **PhD:** Linguistics
Rijksuniversiteit Leiden
dissertation: “Vowel Harmony. An Account in Terms of Government and Optimality”

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 1991–1992 *Hungarian Academy of Sciences*
PhD-scholarship (supervisor: László Varga)
- 1993–1998 *Nederlandse Organisatie voor Wetenschappelijk Onderzoek (NWO) / Rijksuniversiteit Leiden (RUL), Holland Institute of Generative Linguistics (HIL)*
researcher-in-training (supervisor: Harry van der Hulst)
- 1998–1999 *József Attila University, Institute of English and American Studies*
lecturer
- 1999–2000 *József Attila University (since 2000 University of Szeged), Institute of English and American Studies*
assistant professor
- 2000–2008 *University of Szeged, Institute of English and American Studies*
senior assistant professor
- 2008–** ***University of Szeged, Institute of English and American Studies***
associate professor
- 1998–2001 *Hungarian Academy of Sciences*
Bolyai-scholarship (‘Hungarian as a “strict CV” language’)
- 1998–2000 *Károli Gáspár Protestant University, English Department*
lecturer
- 2-13 August 1999 *6th European Summer School in Generative Grammar, Plovdiv*
“Universals and Variation: Government Phonology and Optimality Theory”
- 2000–2001 *Eötvös Loránd University, Department of English Linguistics*
teaching an advanced course in phonology each term
- 23-27 April 2001 *Eötvös Loránd University, Theoretical Linguistics Program: Supercourse*
“Vowel Harmony”

RESEARCH PROJECTS

- 2002–2004 “The syntax, semantics and phonology of the left periphery”
NWO-OTKA (Dutch-Hungarian) project member (N 37276)
- 2005–2008 “Analogical models of language” OTKA project member

EDUCATION AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- 1982–1986 Arany János Grammar School, Budapest
- 1986–1991 *Eötvös Loránd University*
English – General and Applied Linguistics
- 1989 First European Summer School on Logic, Language and Information (ESLLI), Groningen
- 1990 Second ESLLI, Leuven
- 1991 National Competition of Scientific Student Circles (OTDK), first place: “Affrication in Hungarian”
- 1992 *Institute of Logic, Language and Information*, Amsterdam
Tempus-scholarship (6 months)
- 1993 *LSA Linguistic Institute*, Columbus, Ohio: NWO-scholarship (6 weeks)
- 1995 Seventh ESLLI, Barcelona: NWO-scholarship
- 1996 *University College London / School of Oriental and African Studies*, London
HIL-scholarship (6 months) (supervisor: John Harris)

COURSES TAUGHT

University of Szeged, Institute of English and American Studies

- Introduction to Phonology and Morphology (lecture) 1998–2007
- Introduction to Phonology and Morphology (seminar) 1998–2006
- Descriptive Grammar of English (lecture) 1999
- Descriptive Grammar of English (seminar) 1999
- Introduction to Linguistics (lecture) 2005
- English Phonetics and Phonology (lecture) 2006–
- English Phonetics and Phonology (seminar) 2006–2008
- advanced phonology lecture:
 - Morphohonology of English 2008
- advanced phonology seminars:
 - Government Phonology 1998, 2000, 2003, 2006
 - Introduction to Optimality Theory 1999, 2001, 2004, 2007
 - CV Phonology 1999, 2001, 2004, 2007
 - Vowel Harmony 2000
 - Lexical Phonology 2002
 - Theories of Phonological Representation 2002, 2005, 2008
 - Feature Geometry 2003, 2006
 - Advanced Optimality Theory 2005
- Accents of English 2005, 2008
- Non-linear Phonology (Theoretical Linguistics PhD-program) 1999–
- Academic Writing 1998, 1999, 2008

Rijksuniversiteit Leiden, General Linguistics Department

- Linguistic Literature Survey course (phonology-morphology part), 1993–1998
- Introduction to Phonology and Morphology (co-taught) 1994, 1995

Károli Gáspár Protestant University, English Department

- Phonetics and Phonology (seminar) 1999, 2000
- Introduction to English Linguistics (seminar) 1999
- advanced phonology seminars:
 - Government Phonology 1998
 - Optimality Theory 1999
 - CV Phonology 2000
- Thesis Writing Seminar 2000

Eötvös Loránd University, English Linguistics Department

- advanced phonology seminars:
 - Vowel Harmony 2000
 - Introduction to Optimality Theory 2001 spring, 2001 autumn

SUPERVISION OF MA THESES

Gábor Turcsán: *Mid-vowels in Midi French*. 1999

Ina Visogradzka: *The Syllable in English and Bulgarian – comparison of onset structure*. 1999

Péter Dienes: *Hungarian Transparent Vowels. An account of Hungarian Palatal Harmony in terms of Government Phonology*. 2000, Eötvös Loránd University, Theoretical Linguistics Program

Mónika Fischer: *Representation of velar palatalisations in non-linear phonology*. 2003

Ágnes Kiss: *Testing Theories: A phonological study of the First Germanic Consonant Shift*. 2003

Antónia Knopf: *An account of the Hungarian vowel harmony in terms of Government Phonology*. 2003

Anita Bozsidár: *Vowels Alternating with Zero in Hungarian*. 2004

Zsolt Hudák: *Lenition and deletion in African American Vernacular English*. 2005

Katalin Karlovics: *Apophony in Old English Strong Verbs: A Government Phonology Analysis*. 2005

Judit Pálmai: *Italian as a CV language*. 2005

Ágnes Várszegi: *The Processes of Palatalization from a Government Phonology and Optimality Theory Perspective*. 2005

Annamária Kocsis Bihari Péterné: *Apophony in Old English Strong Verbs*. 2006

Zsolt Milkovics: *'r' ~ Ø alternation in English*. 2006

Ilona Kovács: *Apophony in Old English*. 2007

Erika Ildikó Dénes: *Vowel Harmony in Hungarian: a Government Phonology Analysis*. 2008

Gabriella Kovács: *Adaptation of Old Hungarian Loanwords: An analysis with the Combination of Government Phonology and Optimality theory*. 2008

Melinda Nagy Abonyi: *Lexical stratification in the Japanese language: An Optimality Theoretic analysis*. 2008

In progress: 13

SUPERVISION OF MAJOR PAPERS

- Katalin Karlovics: *Apophony in Old English Strong Verbs: A Government Phonology Analysis*. 2000
- Orsolya Sándorfi: *The problem of Hungarian words beginning with s, sz consonant clusters*. 2000
- Gábor Szilasi: *Apophony in Hungarian Doublets*. 2000
- Anita Bozsidár: *Syncope in English*. 2001
- Mónika Fischer: *Palatalisation from a non-linear perspective*. 2001
- Zsolt Hudák: *Lenition and deletion in African American Vernacular English*. 2001
- Antónia Knopf: *The Scottish Vowel Length Rule*. 2001
- Ágnes Kiss: *A phonological study of the Great Vowel Shift*. 2001
- Annamária Kocsis: *Vowel harmony: Differences between Standard Hungarian and the dialect of Szeged*. 2003
- Ilona Kovács: *Palatalisation in Hungarian*. 2003
- Ágnes Várszegi: *Palatalization in Hungarian*. 2003
- Erika Dénes: *Resolution of Word-Initial Clusters in Early Borrowings from Slavic Languages to Hungarian. An Optimality Theory Analysis*. 2004
- Pálma Lőrincz: *Hungarian Vowel Harmony within the Confines of Government Phonology*. 2004
- Zsolt Milkovics: *Vowel~Zero Alternation in Hungarian*. 2004
- Tímea Papp: *Vowel~zero alternations in Hungarian in a Government Phonology framework*. 2004
- Gabriella Kovács: *Adaptation of Complex Onsets in Old Hungarian Loanwords: An Optimality Theoretic Analysis*. 2005
- Károly Szundi: *Latin as a strict CV language*. 2005
- Zsófia Bodrogi: *Phonological properties of Hawaiian Creole English*. 2006
- Adrienn Lucz: *Consonant harmony in child language*. 2006
- Melinda Nagy Abonyi: *Hungarian roundness harmony: A contrastive analysis of Dependency Phonology and Radical CV Phonology*. 2006
- Annamária Markovics: *Palatal harmony in Hungarian in the framework of Dependency Phonology*. 2006
- Zsuzsanna Tanay: *Nasal and Lateral Place Assimilation in Spanish: An analysis in Dependency Phonology and Feature Geometry*. 2006
- Ildikó Pilán: *A Government Phonological Analysis of the Italian PRESENT CONDITIONAL*. 2007
- Erika Fekete: *Apophony in reduplicative words in English and in Hungarian*. 2007
- Éva Nagy: *Finnish Consonant Gradation from a Government Phonological Aspect*. 2008
- Réka Helga Bozsó: *OT in loanword phonology: Old Hungarian word-initial cluster resolution*. 2008
- In progress: 4

SUPERVISION OF PAPERS FOR THE NATIONAL COMPETITION OF SCIENTIFIC STUDENT CIRCLES

- Katalin Karlovics: *Apophony in Old English Strong Verbs: A Government Phonology Analysis*. 2001, Institute of English and American Studies: first place
- Mónika Fischer: *A palatalizáció elemgeometriai ábrázolása [An element geometric representation of palatalisation]*. 2002, Institute of English and American Studies: first place
- Ildikó Pilán: *A Government Phonological Analysis of the Italian PRESENT CONDITIONAL*. 2007, Institute of English and American Studies: first place

Erika Fekete: *Apophony in reduplicative words in English and in Hungarian*. 2007, Institute of English and American Studies: fourth place
 Éva Nagy: *Finnish Consonant Gradation from a Government Phonological Aspect*. 2008. Institute of English and American Studies: in progress

SUPERVISION OF PHD THESES

Gábor Turcsán: *Le Mot Phonologique en Français Du Midi. Domaines, Contraintes, Opacité*. PhD dissertation, Université Toulouse II-Le Mirail. 2005 (co-supervisor: Jacques Durand)
 Mónika Fischer: in progress (Theoretical linguistics)

REFEREE OF PHD DISSERTATIONS

Péter Szigetvári: *VC Phonology: a theory of consonant lenition and phonotactics*. 2000
 Dániel Huber: *Velars and Processes: Their Treatment in Phonological Theory*. 2007

MEMBER OF HABILITATION DEFENSE COMMITTEE

2006. Ádám Nádasy

MEMBER OF DOCTORAL DEFENSE COMMITTEE

Szilárd Szentgyörgyi: *Lowering: the interaction of phonology and morphology in Hungarian*. 2000
 Zoltán Benedek Gráf: *Hosszúság a metrikus fonológiában [Length in metrical phonology]*. 2001 (reserve member)
 Zsuzsanna Bárkányi: *Spanish Stress and Related Issues: Quantity Sensitivity*. 2001
 Péter Rebrus: *Morfofonológiai jelenségek (Magyar tő- és toldalékváltakozások CV-fonológiai keretben) [Morphophonological phenomena (Hungarian stem and suffix alternations in a CV phonological framework)]*. 2002
 Katalin Balogné Bérces: *Strict CV Phonology and the English Cross-word Puzzle*. 2006

MEMBER OF DOCTORAL EXAM COMMITTEE

1999. Zoltán Benedek Gráf, Zsuzsanna Tóth
 2000. Nóra Wenszky
 2003. Katalin Balogné Bérces, Miklós Gáspár, László Kristó, Csaba Csides

FURTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

1995	organisor of phonology reading group, Leiden (HIL)
1995 December	organisor of one-day meeting on Correspondence Theory, Leiden (HIL)
1993–1996	setting up and maintenance of the HIL Manuscript Library (area of phonology)
1993–	refereeing for international publications such as <i>The Linguistic Review</i> , <i>Lingua</i> , <i>Phonologica</i> , <i>Acta Linguistica</i> and the <i>Proceedings of the HILP Conference</i> , <i>LingDok</i>
2002–2006	organisor of registration of students for courses, University of Szeged, Institute of English and American Studies (with Gabi Tóth)

- 2003 January– member of Curriculum Committee (area of linguistics),
University of Szeged, Institute of English and American Studies
- 2005 abstract reviewer for the conference OCP3
- 2006 abstract reviewer for the conference ICSH8
- 2006 September– chair of Major Paper Committee, University of Szeged, Institute
of English and American Studies
- 2007–2008 member of the board of directors of the *International Society for
the Study of the Structure of Hungarian*