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Curriculum Vitæ

CONTACT INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

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| 2018–2024 | Ph.D., Linguistics, McGill University.
Dissertation: <i>Free Choice Items: The view from Farsi</i>
Committee: Luis Alonso-Ovalle (chair), Bernhard Schwarz, Junko Shimoyama |
| 2015–2018 | B.A. Honours, Linguistics, McGill University. |

RESEARCH

DISSERTATION

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| 2024 | Moghiseh, Esmail. <i>Free Choice Items: The view from Farsi</i> . PhD thesis, McGill University, Montréal. |
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JOURNAL PAPERS

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| accepted | Alonso-Ovalle, Luis and Esmail Moghiseh . Existential Free Choice Items: the Case of Farsi <i>Yek -i</i> DPs. Accepted pending revision to <i>Semantics and Pragmatics</i> . |
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- 2023 **Moghiseh, Esmail**, Morgan Sonderegger, and Michael Wagner. 2023. The iambic-trochaic law without iambs or trochees: Parsing speech for grouping and prominence. *The Journal of the Acoustical Society of America* 153.2, pp. 1108-1129.

PROCEEDINGS PAPERS

- 2022 Alonso-Ovalle, Luis and **Esmail Moghiseh**. 2022. Universal Force from Exhaustification: Farsi *Hame -i* DPs, *Proceedings of the Thirty-Second Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference*, ed. by John R. Starr, Juhyae Kim and Burak Öney, CLC Publications, Cornell University, pp. 619-638.
- 2022 Alonso-Ovalle, Luis and **Esmail Moghiseh**. 2022. Farsi *Hame -i* DPs and Intensional Transitive Verbs, *Proceedings of the 23rd Amsterdam Colloquium*, ed. by Marco Degano, Tom Roberts, Giorgio Sbardolini and Marieke Schouwstra, pp. 214-220.
- to appear Alonso-Ovalle, Luis, **Esmail Moghiseh**, and Jonathan Palucci. to appear. Obligatory Wide Scope for *Any* DPs?, *Proceedings of the Thirty-ninth West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics*.
- 2021 Alonso-Ovalle, Luis and **Esmail Moghiseh**. 2021. Numeral *any*: the View from Farsi, *Proceedings of the Thirtieth Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference*, ed. by Joseph Rhyne, Kaelyn Lamp, Nicole Dreier, and Chloe Kwon, CLC Publications, Cornell University, pp. 485-503.
- 2019 Alonso-Ovalle, Luis and **Esmail Moghiseh**. 2019. Neutralizing Free Choice Items via Maximal Domain Restriction: Farsi *-i* Indefinites, *Proceedings of the Twenty-Ninth Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference*, ed. by Katherine Blake, Forrest Davis, Kaelyn Lamp, and Joseph Rhyne, CLC Publications, pp. 686-705.

- 2019 Alonso-Ovalle, Luis and **Esmail Moghiseh**. 2019. Contradiction-Free Strengthening and Alternative Discharge: The Case of Farsi *-i* Indefinites. *Proceedings of the Twenty-Third Annual Sinn und Bedeutung Conference*, ed. by María Teresa Espinal, Elena Castoviejo, Manuel Leonetti, Louise McNally, and Cristina Real-Puigdollers, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Ikerbasque and UPV/EHU, Universidad de Alcalá and Universitat Pompeu Fabra, pp. 1-18.

PRESENTATIONS

Peer-reviewed presentations

- 2022 “Two Types of Intensional Transitive Verbs: The View from Farsi” (with Luis Alonso-Ovalle), *The 23rd Amsterdam Colloquium*, University of Amsterdam [online presentation], December 20, 2022. [Poster]
- 2022 “Universal Force from Exhaustification: Farsi *Hame -i* DPs” (with Luis Alonso-Ovalle), *The Thirty-Second Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference*, El Colegio de Mexico (COLMEX) and the Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM) [online presentation], June 9, 2022. [Poster]
- 2021 “Against Obligatory Wide Scope for Any : Transparency” (with Luis Alonso-Ovalle and Jonathan Palucci), *Thirty-Ninth Annual West Coast Conference on Formal Linguistics*, University of Arizona [online presentation], April 9, 2021. [Poster]
- 2020 “Numeral *Any*: the View from Farsi” (with Luis Alonso-Ovalle), *Thirtieth Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference*, Cornell University [online presentation], August 18, 2020. [Poster]
- 2019 “Neutralizing Free Choice Items via Maximal Domain Restriction: Farsi *-i* Indefinites” (with Luis Alonso-Ovalle), *Twenty-Ninth Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference*, University of California at Los Angeles, May 18, 2019. [Talk]
- 2019 “Neutralizing Free Choice Items via Domain Restriction: Farsi *-i* indefinites” (with Luis Alonso-Ovalle), *Twelfth Toronto-Ottawa-Montreal Workshop in Semantics*, Concordia University, March 30, 2019. [Poster]

- 2018 “Contradiction-Free Strengthening and Alternative Discharge: Farsi *-i* Indefinites” (with Luis Alonso-Ovalle), *Twenty-Third Annual Sinn und Bedeutung Conference*, Centre de Lingüística Teòrica, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, September 6, 2018. [Talk]
- 2018 “Existential Free Choice Items and Contradiction-Free Strengthening: Persian *-i* Indefinites” (with Luis Alonso-Ovalle), *Eleventh Toronto-Ottawa-Montreal Workshop in Semantics*, University of Ottawa, March 17, 2018. [Talk]

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Winter 2021 TA for Meaning in Language (LING 260), McGill University
Instructor: William Johnston
- Fall 2020 Intro to Semantics (LING 360), McGill University
Instructor: Brendan Gillon
- Winter 2020 Intro to Linguistics (LING 201), McGill University
Instructor: Francisco Torreira, Mathieu Paillé
- Fall 2019 Intro to Linguistics (LING 201), McGill University
Instructor: Francisco Torreira, Junko Shimoyama

LANGUAGES

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| Farsi | Native |
| English | Fluent |
| French | Intermediate |

TECHNICAL SKILLS

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