

Dušan Nikolić

Curriculum Vitae

E-mail: dusan.nikolic1@ucalgary.ca
Mobile: +1 587 859 1336
Website: <https://dusannikolic.com/>
Address: University of Calgary
CHC 211, 2500 University Drive NW
Calgary, AB T2N 1N4

Education

- | | |
|-------------------|--|
| 09/2018 - present | Phd in Linguistics
University of Calgary (Canada)
Thesis: <i>Perception of lexical pitch accents by Serbian and French speakers</i> |
| 10/2015 - 09/2017 | MA in English Language and Literature
University of Niš (Serbia)
Thesis: <i>Pronunciation Activities in EFL Middle School Textbooks</i> |
| 09/2016 - 02/2017 | MA exchange programme
University of Warsaw (Poland) |
| 10/2015 - 08/2016 | MA in Language and Literature
University of Belgrade (Serbia)
Thesis: <i>The Portrayal of the Poor in Charles Dickens' Novels: 'Oliver Twist' and 'Great Expectations'</i> |
| 10/2011 - 09/2015 | BA in English Language and Literature
University of Belgrade (Serbia)
Thesis: <i>EFL Classroom Phonology</i> |

Journal Articles

Refereed

- Nikolić, D. & Winters, S. (under review, 2022). Are Serbian and English Listeners “Deaf” to Lexical Pitch Accents in Serbian? *Phonetica, Karger*.
- Nikolić, D. (2021). Effects of F0 Acoustic Parameters on the Perception of Serbian Lexical Pitch Accents. *Anali Filoloskog Fakulteta*. Vol.33, n.1, 13–27.
<https://doi.org/10.18485/analiff.2021.33.1.1>

Nikolić, D. (2018). Intelligibility within a Modified CLIL Framework. *Glottodidactica: An International Journal of Applied Linguistics*. Vol. 44, n.1, 119-130.
<http://pressto.amu.edu.pl/index.php/gl/article/view/9174/8919>

Nikolić, D. (2016). Acoustic Analysis of English Vowels Produced by American Speakers and Highly Competent Serbian L2 Speakers. *Facta Universitatis, Series: Linguistics and Literature*. Vol. 14, n. 1, 85-101. <http://casopisi.junis.ni.ac.rs/index.php/FULingLit/article/view/1683>

Non-refereed

Nikolić, D. (2021). F0 Acoustic Parameters' Effects on Discrimination of Serbian Lexical Pitch Accents. In Hernández, A. and Butterworth E. (eds.). *2020 CLA Conference Proceedings*. Western University, Canada

Nikolić, D. (2020). Distribution of PRO in Serbian Subjunctives. *Calgary Working Papers in Linguistics (CWPL)*. University of Calgary, Canada

Nikolić, D. (2020). Effects of acoustic parameters on perception of lexical pitch accents. *Proceedings in Canadian Linguistic Association (CLA)*. Western University, London, Ontario (30 May, 2020).

Nikolić, D. (2020). Effects of F0 Acoustic Parameters on the Perception of Serbian Lexical Pitch Accents. *Proceedings in 5th Belgrade International Meeting of English Phoneticians (BIMEP 2020)*. University of Belgrade, Serbia (30-31 March, 2020).

Nikolić, D. (2019). Tone and break-index (ToBi) theoretical framework applications with EFL speakers. *Proceedings in Language, Literature, Theory*. University of Niš, Serbia (27-28 April, 2018).

Nikolić, D. (2018). Empirical Analysis of Intonation Activities in EFL Student's Books. *International Journal of Applied Linguistics and English Literature*, 7(3), 181-187.
<http://journals.aiac.org.au/index.php/IJALEL/article/view/4286/3364>

Edited Volumes

Nikolić, D., Daniel, A.D., Nelson, B., Oguz, M., Xu, K. (2020). *Calgary Working Papers in Linguistics (CWPL)*.

Book Reviews

Nikolić, D. (2022). Book review: Silverman, Daniel. 2017. *A Critical Introduction to Phonology. Functional and Usage-Based Perspectives* (2nd Ed.). London/New York: Bloomsbury. Pp. xxi + 360. US\$33.95 *Canadian Journal of Linguistics/Revue Canadienne De Linguistique*.

Conference Presentations

Refereed by Abstract

Nikolić, D. (2022). Is There "Deafness" to Stress Contrasts: A Case of English and Serbian Speakers. Presented virtually at *Canadian Linguistic Association (CLA)*. (3rd June, 2022).

- Nikolić, D. (2022). The Perception of Stress by Speakers of Languages with Prosodically Marked Lexicon. Presented virtually at *6th Belgrade International Meeting of English Phoneticians (BIMEP)*. (25-26 March, 2022).
- Nikolić, D. (2021). Are Non-Native Speakers “Deaf” to Lexical Pitch Accents. Presented virtually at *Phonetics and Phonology in Europe 2021*. (21-23 June, 2021).
- Nikolić, D. (2021). “Deafness” to Lexical Pitch Accents: The Case of Non-Native Listeners. Presented virtually at *Canadian Linguistic Association (CLA)*. (5 June, 2021).
- Pletnyova, G. and Nikolić, D. (2021). Integrating the Principles of Universal Design for Learning in an Online Linguistics Course. Presented virtually at *Canadian Linguistic Association (CLA)*. (4 June, 2021).
- Nikolić, D. (2021). F0 Acoustic Parameters Effects on Discrimination of Lexical Pitch Accents. Presented virtually at *Linguistic Association of America (LSA)*. (7-11 January, 2021).
- Nikolić, D. (2020). Effects of Acoustic Parameters on Perception of Lexical Pitch Accents. Presented virtually at *Canadian Linguistic Association (CLA)*. Western University, London, Ontario (30 May, 2020).
- Nikolić, D. (2020). Effects of F0 Acoustic Parameters on the Perception of Serbian Lexical Pitch Accents. Presented at *5th Belgrade International Meeting of English Phoneticians (BIMEP 2020)*. University of Belgrade, Serbia (30-31 March, 2020).
- Nikolić, D. (2019). Perception of Lexical Pitch Accents. Presented at *The Northwest Phonetics;ology Conference*. University of Calgary, Canada (21 September, 2019).
- Nikolić, D. (2018). Tone and break-index (ToBi) theoretical framework applications with EFL speakers. Presented at *Language, Literature, Theory*. University of Niš, Serbia (27-28 April, 2018).
- Nikolić, D. (2018) Contribution of Segmental and Intonation Features to the Perception of Foreign Accent. Presented at *BIMEP (Belgrade International Meeting of English Phoneticians)*. University of Belgrade, Serbia (30 March, 2018)
- Nikolić, D. (2017). Communication: An Overview of CLIL and Non-CLIL Classroom Practices. Presented at *Österreichische Linguistiktagung*. Alpen-Adrian University Klagenfurt, Austria (7-10 December, 2017).

Non-refereed

- Nikolić, D. (2021). “Deafness” to Intonation Categories: A Case of Non-native Listeners. Presented virtually at *Graduate Forum*. University of Calgary, Canada (22 April, 2021).
- Nikolić, D. (2020). Perception of Serbian Pitch Accents by English speakers. Presented virtually at *Peer Beyond Graduate Student Symposium*. University of Calgary, Canada (25 January, 2021).
- Nikolić, D. (2020). Are English Speakers “Deaf” to Serbian Lexical Pitch Accents?. Presented virtually at *Montana-Alberta Conference on Linguistics*. University of Montana, USA (14 November, 2020).

Nikolić, D. (2018). ToBi Analysis of EFL Serbian Speakers' Intonation Use. Presented at *Alberta Conference on Linguistics*. University of Calgary, Canada (27 October, 2018).

Scholarships

05/2020 - 05/2022	Izaak-Walton Killam Award University of Calgary Awarded: 33000 CAD
01/2021 - 03/2021	Scholarship for the most accomplished graduate students studying abroad 'Dositeja Fund' (Serbian Ministry of Education) Awarded: 6500 CAD
01/2020 - 03/2020	Scholarship for the most accomplished graduate students studying abroad 'Dositeja Fund' (Serbian Ministry of Education) Awarded: 6500 CAD
09/2018 - 09/2020	Eyes High International Recruitment Scholarship (renewable) University of Calgary (Institutional) Awarded: 12,000 CAD
01/2019 - 03/2019	Scholarship for the most accomplished graduate students studying abroad 'Dositeja Fund' (Serbian Ministry of Education) Awarded: 6500 CAD
09/2018 - 04/2019	Dean's Entrance Graduate Scholarship University of Calgary (Institutional) Awarded: 10,000 CAD
09/2018 - 09/2019	Erasmus+ scholarship European Commission (Erasmus) Awarded: 5430 CAD
10/2012 - 09/2016	The Republic of Serbia Scholarships for Outstanding Students The Ministry of Education (federal) Awarded: 2600 CAD
10/2012 - 09/2015	The City of Aleksinac (Serbia) Scholarship Fund for supporting outstanding students from the territory of Aleksinac, Serbia Awarded: 1250 CAD

Fellowships

09/2020 - 05/2021	LRC Fellowship University of Calgary Awarded: 2000 CAD Website: https://wpsites.ucalgary.ca/narrativesofcolor/
-------------------	--

Work Experience

01/2022 - present	Position: Employer: Website: Duties:	Data Annotator & Speech Recognition Consultant Moveworks https://www.moveworks.com/ Annotating entities, data mining, rating the bot's answers; starting a speech annotation and transcription project
09/2018 - present	Position: Employer: Website: Address: Courses:	Teaching Assistant University of Calgary https://slllc.ucalgary.ca/ 2500 University Way N.W., Calgary, Alberta Introduction to Linguistics (LING 201) 2x Phonetics I (LING 341) Language and Power (LING 309)
01/2022 - 05/2022	Position: Employer: Website: Address: Courses:	Instructor of record University of Calgary https://slllc.ucalgary.ca/ 2500 University Way N.W., Calgary, Alberta Phonetics I (LING 341)
04/2021 - 12/2021	Position: Employer: Website: Duties:	Stoney Nakoda Dictionary Editor and Scribe The Language Conservancy https://languageconservancy.org/ Recording, annotating, editing dictionary entries in TLEX; Working with Lua scripts
09/2018 - 09/2021	Position: Employer: Website: Address: Duties:	Web-designer University of Calgary, Linguistics calgarylinguistics.ca 2500 University Way N.W., Calgary, Alberta Administrating and designing a website for the Linguistics department
01/2020 - 01/2021	Position: Employer: Website: Address: Duties:	Web-designer University of Calgary, Linguistics https://wpsites.ucalgary.ca/blackfootworkshops/ 2500 University Way N.W., Calgary, Alberta Designing a website for the workshop series on Blackfoot documentation and revitalization
06/2015 - 09/2018	Position: Employer: Website: Address: Duties:	Distance-based English language instructor Tutor ABC http://www.tutorabc.com/OfficialSite/zh-TW/HomeEn 20F, No. 100, Sec. 2, Roosevelt Rd. Taipei, Taiwan 10084 Delivering classes via an online teaching platform
10/2017 - 02/2018	Position: Employer:	Translator (English-Serbian, Serbian-English) iSerbia

	Website:	https://www.iserbia.rs/
	Address:	35a Doktora Zorana Djindjića, Belgrade 11000, Serbia
	Duties:	Translating all kinds of professional materials such as texts related to Programming, Economy, Business, and Education.
06/2015 - 09/2016	Position:	English language teacher
	Employer:	Oxford Center
	Website:	http://www.oxford-centar.co.rs/ocentar/poslovanis_e.html
	Address:	1 Sindjelićev Trg, Niš, Serbia
	Duties:	Teaching English to the students of all age and proficiency levels

Language Skills

Mother tongue: Serbian

Other languages: English: near-native proficiency (IELTS)

German: lower-intermediate proficiency (University-level courses)

Polish: beginner proficiency (University of Warsaw certificate)

French: beginner proficiency

Professional Activities and Services

01/2022 - present	Graduate College Scholar <i>Graduate College</i> website: https://www.ucalgary.ca/gradcollege
12/2021 - present	Team project coordinator <i>Many Speech Analyses Project</i> Leading a team of phoneticians whose task is to carry out speech analysis project website: https://many-speech-analyses.github.io/
11/2021 - present	Graduate students' representative <i>Advisory Decanal Selection Committee</i> Serving on the committee whose job is to propose a new Faculty of Arts Dean
09/2020 - present	LRC Steering Committee member <i>Language Research Centre</i> of School of Languages, Linguistics, Literatures and Cultures website: https://arts.ucalgary.ca/language-research-centre-home
09/2020 - present	President <i>"A Higher Clause"</i> (Linguistics Graduate Students Association) website: https://calgarylinguistics.ca/a-higher-clause/
09/2020 - 09/2020	Global Leadership Challenge YYC Group Mentor Mentor to a group of students competing in the challenge Our challenge: <i>Calgary Bridge Foundation for Youth No.2</i> website: https://ucalgary.ca/international/study-abroad/global-community-challenge-

yyc

09/2019 - 09/2020	Calgarylinguistics.ca Admin “A Higher Clause” (Linguistics Graduate Students Association) Website: https://calgarylinguistics.ca/
07/2020 - 07/2021	Vice-chair of the Academic Support Committee Graduate Student Association (University of Calgary)
07/2019 - 05/2020	Academic Support Committee member Graduate Student Association (University of Calgary)
09/2019 - 09/2020	VP Academic “A Higher Clause” (Linguistics Graduate Students Association)
09/2018 - 09/2020	Calgary Working Papers (CWPL) editor “A Higher Clause” (Linguistics Graduate Students Association) website: https://sites.google.com/view/cwpl
09/2019 - present	Calgarylinguistics.ca Admin “A Higher Clause” (Linguistics Graduate Students Association) website: https://calgarylinguistics.ca/

Conferences

04/2021 & 2022	Organizer <i>Graduate Forum</i> School of Languages, Linguistics, Literature, and Culture (SLLLC)
27-29/02/2020	Organization committee member <i>Peer Beyond Graduate Student Symposium</i> Graduate Student Association (University of Calgary)
21/09/2019	Organization committee member <i>The Northwest Phonetics;ology Conference</i> Linguistics Department (University of Calgary)
22/02/2019	Technical committee advisor <i>Peer Beyond Graduate Research Symposium</i> Graduate Student Association (University of Calgary)
27/10/2018	Web designer & Session Chair <i>Alberta Conference on Linguistics 2018</i> University of Calgary
16/11/2016	Volunteer <i>Bilingual Child Migrants in a Multilingual Europe</i> Institute of English Studies (University of Warsaw)

26/04/2014 Volunteer
Language, Literature, Marginalization
Department of English (University of Niš, Serbia)

Workshops

14/02/2020 Organizer
Academic Collaboration
Facilitated by Dr. Mary O'Brien

09/12/2019 Organizer
Python for Linguistic Research
Facilitated by Dr. Dennis Storoshenko

03/12/2019 Organizer
Thesis Development
Facilitated by the Graduate Writing Center

Panels

06/10/2020 Organizer and Moderator
Road to Success in Grad School
Graduate Student Association, University of Calgary

Certificates

06/2022 Graduate Student Certificate in University Teaching and Learning
Taylor Institute for Teaching and Learning (UofC)

05/2022 Developing Your Teaching Dossier: Graduate Students
Taylor Institute for Teaching and Learning (UofC)

03/2022 Learning Spaces & Digital Pedagogies: Graduate Students
Taylor Institute for Teaching and Learning (UofC)

03/2022 Emerging Teachers Development: Graduate Students
Taylor Institute for Teaching and Learning (UofC)

01/2022 SoTL Foundations: Graduate Students
Taylor Institute for Teaching and Learning (UofC)

02/2018 IELTS (8/9)
British Council (Serbia)

11/2017 Teaching English to Young Learners (TEYL)
Global TEFL (UK)

09/2017	Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL) TEFL Professional Development Institute (UK)
09/2015	Teaching English to the Students of Other Languages (TESOL) Global Leadership College, (Canada)

Volunteering (non-academic)

06/2019 - present	Host of <i>Linguistically Aware</i> monthly podcast <i>CJSW 90.9fm</i> Community Radio Station
06/2019 - present	Usher <i>Calgary Theatre</i>

Professional Memberships

Organization:	Graduate College
Email:	erin.fraser@ucalgary.ca
Organization:	Graduate Leaders Circle (GradLead)
Email:	gradlead@ucalgary.ca
Organization:	A Higher Clause (The Linguistics Graduate Student Association)
Website	calgarylinguistics.ca https://slllc.ucalgary.ca/graduate-program-linguistics/graduate-student-association
Organization:	Linguistic Association of America (LSA)
Website	https://www.linguisticsociety.org/
Organization:	Canadian Association of Slavists (2019)
Website	https://sites.ualberta.ca/~csp/cas/association.html
Organization:	The Canadian Linguistic Association (CLA)
Website	http://cla-acl.ca/

References

Dr. Stephen Winters
Assistant Professor, Supervisor
University of Calgary, Linguistics Division
CHC 122, 2500 University Drive NW
Calgary, AB T2N 1N4
swinters@ucalgary.ca
+1 (403) 220-7230

Dr. Elizabeth Ritter
Professor,
University of Calgary, Linguistics Division
CHC, 2500 University Drive NW
Calgary, AB T2N 1N4
ritter@ucalgary.ca

Dr. Ganna (Anna) Pletnyova
Learning Technologies Specialist Taylor Institute for Teaching and Learning
434 Collegiate Blvd NW Calgary, AB T2N 1N4
University of Calgary
ganna.pletnyova@ucalgary.ca