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PhD (University of Reading), 2018

## 1. Personal details

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## 2. Education

2014 – 2018                      PhD in Linguistics, University of Reading, UK. Supervisor: Prof. Dr. James Douglas Saddy.

2008 – 2013                      Licenciatura en Inglés, Orientación Lingüística. Universidad Nacional de La Plata, Argentina.

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## 3. Academic career

***January 2026: Assistant Professor in Linguistics, University of Calgary, Canada***

### Teaching:

*Undergraduates:*

LING 201 – Introduction to Linguistics

LING 467 – Psycholinguistics

Delivery of lectures and practical classes. Setting and marking exams. Supervision.

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## 4. Previous work experience

***October, 2021 – December, 2024: Departmental lecturer in Syntax, University of Oxford, UK***

### Teaching:

*Undergraduates:*

Lecturer:

1<sup>st</sup> year undergraduates ('Prelims'): Grammatical Analysis (2021-2022), Syntax (2022-2023).

Delivery of lectures and practical classes on morphosyntax.

Tutor:

Delivery of small group (max. 5 students at a time) tutorials on Syntax and Morphology.

Delivery of 1-to-1 tutorials on a wide range of topics in syntax and a variety of frameworks (including Minimalism and Lexical Functional Grammar) for final year ('Final Honour School') undergraduates.

*Postgraduate:*

Lecturer:

Compulsory courses: Foundations: Syntax. Delivery of lectures and practical classes for 1<sup>st</sup> year MPhil / MSt students.

Optional courses: Formal Foundations of Syntactic Theory (2022); Advanced Syntax (2023-2024).

Tutor:

Supervision of postgraduate projects in syntax on a wide variety of topics.

Delivery of 1-to-1 tutorials to MPhil and PhD students on various topics in syntactic theory and methodology of linguistic research.

**Administrative / pastoral duties:**

Course coordinator:

1<sup>st</sup> year undergraduates ('Prelims'): Grammatical Analysis (2021-2022), Syntax (2022-2024). Assignment of students to tutoring groups, liaison with College Linguistic Organising Tutors, setting and marking of Grammatical Analysis/Syntax exams.

Setting and marking of postgraduate syntax exams.

Marking of postgraduate projects in syntax, computational linguistics, and semantics.

Marking of postgraduate theses (MPhil, MSt)

Evaluation of DPhil theses: Transfer of Status / Confirmation of Status interviews.

Course supervisor:

General supervisor for Postgraduate (MPhil, MSt) students (2 in 2021-2023, 1 in 2022-2023, 3 in 2023-2024).

Responsibilities include:

- planning their supervisee's course by advising the student on optional courses and arranging tutorials;
- enquiring after their supervisee's progress with the Foundation Course and option tutors;
- reporting termly on their supervisee's progress via Graduate Student Record (incorporating the information received from other tutors into the supervisor's GSR report);
- providing academic career and general guidance so as to ensure the supervisee's successful completion of their degree.

**September, 2020 – July, 2021: Professore a contratto, Università di Verona, Italy**

In charge of the BA courses *Lengua Española III* (Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures) and *Logic and Philosophy of Science* (Department of Culture and Civilisations).

- Delivery of lectures and practical classes
- Setting and marking exams

**November, 2020 – December, 2020: Invited professor, Università di Verona, Italy**

MA in Linguistics: *Morphosyntax* (under supervision of Prof. Chiara Melloni) and *Semantics and Pragmatics* (under supervision of Prof. Denis Delfitto).

- Delivery of lectures and practical classes

**April, 2020 – July, 2020: Invited professor, Università di Verona, Italy**

In charge of the MA course *Formal syntax and semantics: issues of computation, description, and interpretation* and the BA course *Lengua Española III* (Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures).

- Delivery of lectures and practical classes
- Setting and marking exams

**April, 2019 – July, 2019: Invited professor, Università di Verona, Italy**

MA in Linguistics: *Formal Language Theory and Natural Language Grammar: from computation to linguistic description*.

- Delivery of lectures and practical classes
- Setting and marking exams

**November, 2017 – April, 2019: (post-doctoral) research assistant, University of Reading, UK.**

Development of artificial grammar learning (AGL) paradigms used as language independent probes for language impairments across a variety of populations (monolinguals, bilinguals, dyslexics, non-dyslexics).

Work carried out in the context of the EU grant *Advancing the European Multilingual Experience*, AthEME.

**September 2014 – April 2018: research PhD student, University of Reading, UK.**

**Winter Semester 2012-2013: lecturer, University of Potsdam, Germany**

MA in Linguistik: Kommunikation-Variation, Mehrsprachigkeit: *Foundations of Pragmatics* and *Eliminating Empty Categories* (under supervision of Prof. Peter Kosta)

- Delivery of lectures and practical classes
- Setting and marking coursework

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### Seminars and short courses:

December, 2024	Seminar: <b>A graph-theoretic analysis of sentence structure</b> . 8 hours. University of Bozen-Bolzano and University of Verona, Italy.
December, 2022	Seminar: <b>Introduction to generative syntax</b> . 8 hours. Palacký University, Olomouc, Czech Republic.
January, 2021	Seminar: <b>Artificial Grammar Learning I</b> (Fundamentals of Formal Language Theory and Artificial Grammar Learning). UniVR 4 <sup>th</sup> Winter School in Linguistics. 8 hours. University of Verona, Italy.
December, 2017	Seminar: <b>Language, Computation, and Dynamical Systems</b> (part of the International Guest Lectures Repository program). 8 hours. Palacký University, Olomouc, Czech Republic. (available online at <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=H315NBk6WFw&amp;t=2917s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=H315NBk6WFw&amp;t=2917s</a> )
May, 2016	Seminar: <b>Fundamentals of the Minimalist Program</b> . 8 hours. Universidad de Murcia, Spain.

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### 5. Research funding and scholarships

2014-2018	University of Reading International Research Studentships Competition 2014. Full tuition fee coverage.
2014-2018	Living Expenses Award from AthEME project (Advancing the European Multilingual Experience, grant agreement no. 613465).
2015-2018	Member of the project <i>Cadenas de Verbos Auxiliares</i> (CAVA), financed by the Spanish Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness. ref.: FFI2015-68656-P. PI: Prof. Dr. Luis García Fernández.

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### 6. Research output:

#### Monographs:

**Krivochen, D. G.** (in press) *A biography of Generative Grammar*. Oxford University Press.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2023) *Syntax on the Edge: a graph-theoretic analysis of sentence structure*. Leiden: Brill. <https://brill.com/display/title/64516>

Review by Andrew Carnie (University of Arizona). [LinguistList](#).

Review by Andrea Padovan (University of Verona). [Journal of Linguistics](#).

García Fernández, L. & **D. G. Krivochen** (2019) *Las perífrasis verbales en contraste* [Verbal periphrases in contrast]. Madrid: Arco Libros.

Review by Mar Garachana Camarero (Universitat de Barcelona). *Revista Internacional de Lingüística Iberoamericana* 35, 2020. 200-205

**Krivochen, D. G.** & P. Kosta (2013) *Eliminating Empty Categories: a Radically Minimalist view on their Ontology and Justification*. Potsdam Linguistic Investigations 11. Frankfurt am Main: Peter Lang.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2012) *The Syntax and Semantics of the Nominal Construction*. Potsdam Linguistic Investigations 8. Frankfurt am Main: Peter Lang.

Peer reviewed journal articles:

**Krivochen, D. G.** (to appear) ¿Qué sabemos sobre la sintaxis de los auxiliares? *Revista Internacional de Lingüística Iberoamericana*.

**D. G. Krivochen**, D. Saddy & J. Franck (2026) The architecture of agreement: from strings to structures. *Front. Lang. Sci.* 5:1689620. <https://doi.org/10.3389/flang.2026.1689620>

Sheehan, A., D. Saddy, **D. G. Krivochen**, S. Gupta & C. Pliatsikas (2026) Bilingualism modulates domain-general functional connectivity: insights from EEG and artificial grammar learning. *Sci Rep* **16**, 12756 (2026). <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41598-026-42094-x>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2025) EPP: can't live with it, can't raise without it. *Canadian Journal of Linguistics*. <https://www.cambridge.org/core/journals/canadian-journal-of-linguistics-revue-canadienne-de-linguistique/article/epp-cant-live-with-it-cant-raise-without-it/C972C9C9723BBFC4D52877EAD4A31868>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2025) Different and proud of it: a TAG perspective on the coordination of unlike categories. *Studia Linguistica*. <https://doi.org/10.1111/stul.70003>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2025) Subjecthood in Spanish meteorological verbs. *Isogloss* 11(1)/7. 1-48. <https://doi.org/10.5565/rev/isogloss.561>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2024) Constituents, arrays, and trees: two (more) models of grammatical description. *Folia Linguistica* 45(3). 699-727. <https://www.degruyter.com/document/doi/10.1515/flin-2024-2025/html>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2024) Raising to object: a graph-theoretic analysis. *Evolutionary Linguistic Theory* 5(2). 128-161.

García Fernández, L. & **D. G. Krivochen** (2023) La perífrasis <dar + gerundio> en el español andino. *Anuari de filologia. Estudis de lingüística* 13/2023. 113-134.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2023) Towards a theory of syntactic workspaces: neighbourhoods and distances in a lexicalised grammar. *The Linguistic Review* 40(2). 311-360. <https://doi.org/10.1515/tlr-2023-2004>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2023) The search for Minimal Search. *Biolinguistics* 17. <https://doi.org/10.5964/bioling.9793>

**Krivochen, D. G.**, R. González Rodríguez & L. García Fernández (2022) Variación y teoría gramatical. *Archiletras científica* 8. 219-231.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2022) Sobre la sintaxis de las oraciones de relativo: Un análisis de adjunción con estructura compartida. *Borealis – An International Journal of Hispanic Linguistics* 11(3). 305–377. <https://doi.org/10.7557/1.11.3.6661>

**Krivochen, D. G.** & S. F. Schmerling (2022) A Categorical Grammar of Spanish auxiliary chains. *Isogloss* 8(1). 1-49. <https://revistes.uab.cat/isogloss/article/view/v8-n1-krivochen-schmerling>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2022) From *n*-grams to trees in Lindenmayer systems. Ms. <https://psyarxiv.com/v493k>

**Krivochen, D. G.** & L. García Fernández (2022) On Coordination and Clitic Climbing in Spanish Auxiliary Verb Constructions. *Studies in Hispanic and Lusophone Linguistics* 15(1). 111-139.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2021) I like this analysis, but I don't think every linguist will: syntactic NOT-transportation, VP ellipsis, and VP pronominalisation. *Atlantis* 43(2). 68-89.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2021) Introduction. *Evolutionary Linguistic Theory* 3(2). 123-128.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2021) Mixed computation: grammar up and down the Chomsky hierarchy. *Evolutionary Linguistic Theory* 3(2). 215-244.

**Krivochen, D. G.** & A. Padovan (2021) Lexicalised locality: local domains and non-local dependencies in a lexicalised tree adjoining grammar. *Philosophies* **2021**, 6(3), 70. <https://doi.org/10.3390/philosophies6030070>

García Fernández, L., **D. G. Krivochen** & F. Martín Gómez (2020) Los elementos intermedios en las perífrasis verbales. *Lingüística Española Actual* XLII/2. 167-200.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2020) On NEG lowering into quantifiers. *Acta Linguistica Hafnensia* 53 (1). 91-125. <https://doi.org/10.1080/03740463.2020.1759347>

García Fernández, L. & **D. G. Krivochen** (2020) Formas no finitas duplicadas en las cadenas de verbos auxiliares. *Revista Internacional de Lingüística Iberoamericana* 35. 143-170.

Vender, M., **D. G. Krivochen**, A. Compostella, B. Phillips, D. Delfitto & J. D. Saddy (2020) Disentangling sequential from hierarchical learning in Artificial Grammar Learning: Evidence from a modified Simon Task. *PLOS ONE* 15(5): e0232687. <https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0232687>

**Krivochen, D. G.** & L'. Lacková (2020) Iconicity in syntax and the architecture of linguistic theory. *Studies in Language* 44(1). 95-131. <https://doi.org/10.1075/sl.19017.lac>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2019) On intensive endophoric devices in English. *Studia Anglica Posnaniensia* 54. 81-112. <https://doi.org/10.2478/stap-2019-0005>

**Krivochen, D. G.** & A. Bravo (2019) Dobles pasivas y auxiliares de pasiva léxicos. *Revista de la Sociedad Española de Lingüística* 49(4). 73-100.

García Fernández, L. & **D. G. Krivochen** (2019) Dependencias no locales y cadenas de verbos auxiliares. *Verba* 43. 207-244. <http://dx.doi.org/10.15304/verba.46.4567>

Vender, M., **D. G. Krivochen**, B. Phillips, D. Delfitto & J. D. Saddy (2019) Implicit learning, bilingualism and dyslexia: Insights from a study assessing AGL with a modified Simon Task. *Frontiers in Psychology: Language Sciences* 2019(10): 1647. <https://www.frontiersin.org/articles/10.3389/fpsyg.2019.01647/full>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2019) De Morgan's laws and NEG-raising: a syntactic view. *Linguistic Frontiers* 9(1). 1-10. DOI: 10.2478/lf-2018-0009

**Krivochen, D. G.** & L. García Fernández (2019) On the position of subjects in Spanish periphrases: Subjecthood left and right. *Borealis: An international journal of Hispanic linguistics* 8(1). 1-33. <https://doi.org/10.7557/1.8.1.4687>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2019) On trans-derivational operations: Generative Semantics and Tree Adjoining Grammar. *Language Sciences* 74. 47-76. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.langsci.2019.04.002>

**Krivochen, D. G.**, B. Phillips & J. D. Saddy (2018) Classifying points in Lindenmayer systems: Transition probabilities and structure reconstruction (v. 1.1). *arXiv*. <https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.25719.88484>

Schmerling, S. F. & **D. G. Krivochen** (2018) On Non-Progressive 'Being'. *Canadian Journal of Linguistics* 63(1). 112-119. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1017/cnj.2017.38>

García Fernández, L., **D. G. Krivochen** & A. Bravo (2017) Aspectos de la semántica y sintaxis de las cadenas de verbos auxiliares en español. *Moenia* 23. 1-28.

**Krivochen, D. G.** & J. D. Saddy (2016) Structure mapping: Uniformity vs. Mixture in Displacement. *Czech and Slovak Linguistic Review* 2/2016. 17-46.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2016) Divide and...conquer? On the limits of algorithmic approaches to syntactic-semantic structure. *Czech and Slovak Linguistic Review* 1/2016. 15-38.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2016) Economía computacional y categorías procedimentales. *Estudios Interlingüísticos* 4. 77-98.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2016) On the Realism-Conceptualism debate about the ontology of linguistic objects: theoretical and epistemological consequences. *Linguistic and Philosophical Investigations* 15. 115-166.

**Krivochen, D. G.** & S. F. Schmerling (2016) Two kinds of coordination and their theoretical implications: rethinking structural uniformity. Ms.

Bravo, A., L. García Fernández & **D. G. Krivochen** (2015) On Auxiliary Chains: Lexical and Functional Auxiliaries at the syntax-semantics interface. *Borealis: An International Journal of Hispanic Linguistics*, 4(2). 71-101. <https://doi.org/10.7557/1.4.2.3612>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2015) Copies and Tokens: Displacement Revisited. *Studia Linguistica* 70(3). 250-296. <https://doi.org/10.1111/stul.12044>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2015) On Phrase Structure building and Labeling algorithms: towards a non-uniform theory of syntactic structures. *The Linguistic Review* 32(3). 515-572. <https://www.degruyter.com/view/journals/tlir/32/3/article-p515.xml>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2014) Language, chaos and entropy: A physical take on biolinguistics. *IBERIA* 6. 27-74. <https://ojs.publius.us.es/ojs/index.php/iberia/article/view/3006/2618>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2014) (Anti-)Causativity and the Morpho-Phonology-Semantics Tension. *Semantics-Syntax Interface* 1(2). 82-117.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2014) Clitics, Procedural elements, and Spanish Syntax. *ReVEL* 12(22). 43-79. <http://www.revel.inf.br/files/c1309914d42b1e7c2fd5cc9f5f75f6a0.pdf>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2013) Verbos de ascenso como expresiones modales. *Anuari de Filologia. Estudis de Lingüística* 3 (2013). 33-56.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2013) Dependencias (Anti-)Locales en latín. *AUSTER* (17). 97-122.

Kosta, P. & **D. G. Krivochen** (2013) Some Thoughts on Language Diversity, UG and the Importance of Language Typology: Scrambling and Non-Monotonic Merge of Adjuncts and Specifiers in Czech and German. *Zeitschrift für Slavistik* 57(4): 377-407.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2012) Cuantificadores y Determinantes: Una perspectiva de interfaz. *Iauna* 12. 57-84. <http://www.romaniaminor.net/ianua/Ianua12/04.pdf>

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2011) The Syntax of Spanish Relational Adjectives. *Sorda y Sonora* 1(2). 15-28.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2011) An Introduction to Radical Minimalism I: on Merge and Agree. *IBERIA* 3(2). 20-62. <http://www.siff.us.es/iberia/index.php/ij/article/view/54/59>

Work in progress / manuscripts:

**Krivochen, D. G.** (in preparation) Extensions and applications of graph-theoretic syntax: ditransitive constructions. Ms.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2025) Routes to computation and chaos: cellular automata, formal grammars, and symbolic encoding of dynamical systems. Ms.

[https://www.academia.edu/128179807/Routes\\_to\\_computation\\_and\\_chaos\\_cellular\\_automata\\_formal\\_grammars\\_and\\_symbolic\\_encoding\\_of\\_dynamical\\_systems](https://www.academia.edu/128179807/Routes_to_computation_and_chaos_cellular_automata_formal_grammars_and_symbolic_encoding_of_dynamical_systems)

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2025) Visions of symmetry: refining a classification of Lindenmayer systems. Ms.

[https://www.researchgate.net/publication/389309234\\_Visions\\_of\\_symmetry\\_refining\\_a\\_classification\\_of\\_Lindenmayer\\_systems](https://www.researchgate.net/publication/389309234_Visions_of_symmetry_refining_a_classification_of_Lindenmayer_systems)

Book chapters (peer reviewed):

**Krivochen, D. G.** (in press) Head movement as External Merge. To appear in Anna Bondaruk & Sławomir Zdziebko (eds.) *Minimalism in syntax and phonology. Core operations and interface conditions*. Amsterdam: John Benjamins.

García Fernández, L. & **D. G. Krivochen** (in press) Verbal periphrases. To appear in Cristina Sánchez López (ed.) *A Guide to Spanish Dialects: Descriptive and theoretical aspects of linguistic variation in the Hispanic world*. Oxford: OUP.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (in press) Algunos problemas de la sintaxis de los auxiliares modales. To appear in Ana Bravo & Claudia Borgonovo (eds.) *Los verbos modales y la expresión de la modalidad*. Madrid: Arco Libros.

**Krivochen, D. G.** & L'. Lacková (2026) Iconicity in generative grammar. In Olga Fischer, Akita Kimi & Pamela Perniss (eds.) *Handbook of iconicity in language*. Oxford: OUP. 105-122.

García Fernández, L. & **D. G. Krivochen** (2024) Auxiliary verbs. In Anna-Maria Di Cesare & Giampaolo Salvi (eds.) *Manual of Romance word classes*. Berlin: De Gruyter. 325-344.

Matlach, V., **D. G. Krivochen** & J. Milicka (2021) A method for comparison of general sequences via type-token ratio. In Adam Pawłowski, Jan Mačutek, Sheila Embleton, George Mikros (eds.) *Language and Text: Data, models, information and applications*. Amsterdam: John Benjamins. 37-54.

**Krivochen, D. G.** & L. García Fernández (2020) Variability in syntactic-semantic cycles: evidence from auxiliary chains. In Melvin González-Rivera & Sandro Sessarego (eds.) *Interface-Driven Phenomena in Spanish: Essays in honor of Javier Gutiérrez-Rexach*. London: Routledge. 145-168.

Saddy, J. D., K. Sloan & **D. G. Krivochen** (2019) Whoever that likes relatives... In Ken Ramshøj Christiansen, Henrik Jørgensen & Joanna L. Wood (eds.) *The Sign of the V: Papers in Honour of Sten Vikner*. Aarhus University. 523-544.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2017) Dinamicidad topológica en fractales sintácticos. In Manuel Leonetti, Isabel Pérez Jiménez & Silvia Gumiel Molina (eds.) *Investigaciones actuales en Lingüística* Vol. III. Universidad de Alcalá. 79-93.

Kosta, P. & **D. G. Krivochen** (2014) Inner Islands and Negation: The Case of Which-Clauses and As-clauses Revisited. In Jacek Witkos and Sylwester Jaworski (eds.) *New Insights into Slavic Linguistics*. 203-217.

Kosta, P. & **D. G. Krivochen** (2014) Flavors of Movement: Revisiting A vs. A'. In Peter Kosta, Steven Franks, Teodora Radeva-Bork & Lilia Schürks (eds.) *Minimalism and Beyond: Radicalizing the Interfaces*. Amsterdam: John Benjamins. 251 – 282.

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2014) La Teoría del Ligamiento en cuestionamiento: Anáforas a Larga Distancia y sintaxis latina. In Julián Macías (ed.) *La antigüedad grecolatina en debate*. Buenos Aires, Rthesis. 62-72.

Book reviews:

**Krivochen, D. G.** (2013) At the Interface of (Bio)linguistics, Language Processing, and Neuropsychology (review of Montserrat Sanz, Itziar Laka & Michael Tanenhaus (eds.) (2013) *Language Down the Garden Path: The Cognitive and Biological Basis for Linguistic Structures*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.). *Biolinguistics* 8. 141–162. <http://www.biolinguistics.eu/index.php/biolinguistics/article/view/347/333>

Peer-reviewed conference presentations:

\* Indicate poster presentations

- June 17, 2026 \*Syncategorematicity in natural languages: evidence from Spanish Auxiliary Verb Constructions. Poster presented at the *73rd Canadian Linguistics Association Conference*. University of Calgary, Canada.
- October 7, 2021 NOT-transportation as downwards movement. *International Workshop on Negation*. University of the Basque Country (UPV/EHU), Vitoria-Gasteiz, Basque Country.
- July 5, 2018 Randomness classification. *QUALICO*, 2018. Wrocław, Poland. (Matlach, V., **D. G. Krivochen**, J. Milicka & L. Zamecnik)
- January 26, 2018 Dobles pasivas y auxiliares de pasiva léxicos. *XLVII Congreso de la Sociedad Española de Lingüística*. Universidad de Alicante, Spain. (**Krivochen, D. G.** & A. Bravo)
- September 7, 2017 Perífrasis verbales y *verum focus*. *VI Coloquio internacional sobre Tiempo y Aspecto*. Universidad Complutense, Madrid, Spain. (García Fernández, L. & **Krivochen, D. G.**)
- October 27, 2016 [Eliminating Mismatches: Phrase Structure and Coordination at the Syntax-Semantics Interface](#). *International Workshop 'Hierarchical Structures in Phonology, Morphology, and Syntax'*, CASTL, Tromsø.
- May 23, 2016 [Dinamicidad topológica en fractales sintácticos](#). *XII Congreso de Lingüística General*, Alcalá de Henares, Spain.
- June 9, 2016 Measuring string 'randomness': Applications of quantitative methods to natural and formal languages. *OLINCO 2016*, Palacky University, Olomouc. (Matlach, V. & **D. G. Krivochen**)
- October 23, 2015 Quantitative Properties of Formal Grammars. *Prague Linguistics 2015*. Charles University, Prague. (Matlach, V. & **D. G. Krivochen**)
- September 19, 2014 Interconexiones entre auxiliaridad y estatividad: consecuencias para las cadenas de auxiliares. *V Seminario de Investigación sobre Tiempo y Aspecto*. Facultad de Letras, Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha. (García Fernández, L., A. Bravo & **D. G. Krivochen**)

- May 27, 2014 Interfaces, Impaired Merge, and the Theory of the Frustrated Mind. Symposium *Informational fundamentals of life: genomes and languages*. Palacký University, Olomouc, Czech Republic. (Kosta, P. & **D. G. Krivochen**)
- October 26, 2013 Inner Islands and Negation in Czech, German, English and Spanish: The case of which-clauses and as-clauses revisited. Presented at the *Eighth Annual Meeting of the Slavic Linguistics Society*, Szczecin University (Poland). (Kosta, P. & **D. G. Krivochen**)
- August 30, 2013 Partitive Constructions are not all the same. *Poznan Linguistic Meeting 2013*. Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznan, Poland. (Miechowicz-Mathiasen, K. & **D. G. Krivochen**)
- October 6, 2011 Some (Radically Minimalist) Thoughts on Merge. Conference *Minimalist Program, Quo Vadis?* Universität Potsdam, Germany. (Kosta, P. & **D. G. Krivochen**)

Invited lectures and conference presentations:

- May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025 *Computation, grammars, and consciousness*. Spiritual and Scientific approaches to consciousness (seminar convened by Prof. T. G. Bever & Prof. M. Piattelli-Palmarini). University of Arizona.
- September 22, 2024 [Naturally frustrated: conflict resolution and natural law](#). 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Bilingualism and Language Acquisition. Beijing Foreign Studies University, China. Special panel: *How do Natural Laws Affect Linguistic Universals in the Minimalist Program?* (discussant: Prof. Tom Bever, University of Arizona).
- June 20-21, 2024 *The architecture of Agreement* (with J. D. Saddy & A. Sheehan). Beyond Agreement workshop. University of Geneva, Switzerland.
- March 20-21, 2024 [Problems of form and interpretation: syntax, semantics, and other objects of wonder](#). Invited lecture, University of Verona, Italy.
- February 24, 2024 *Against strong uniformity: Neural connectivity, multilingualism, and mixed computation* (with J. D. Saddy & A. Sheehan). 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference in Iranian Linguistics. Tehran, Iran.
- August 16, 2023 [Foundations of \('old' and 'new'\) Minimalist syntax](#). Two lectures at the Hopf Algebra seminar, coordinated by Prof. Andras Kornai, Budapest Institute of Technology, Hungary. Recordings available: [Lecture 1](#), [Lecture 2](#).
- May 5, 2023 [Mixing it up: computation in dynamical systems](#). Invited contribution to the Bilingualism panel. *1<sup>st</sup> International Conference on Language and the Brain*. Tehran, Iran.
- December 8, 2022 *Reconciling complexity in syntax and brains*. Palacký University, Olomouc, Czech Republic.
- March 4, 2022 [Physics of Language: an overview and some proposals](#). National Brain Mapping Laboratory in collaboration with Neuro-Psycholinguistics working group. Tehran, Iran.
- February 21, 2022 [Grammar up and down the Chomsky Hierarchy](#). General Linguistics Seminar. University of Oxford, UK.

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- July 4, 2021 [\*Continuity and discontinuity in syntax and brains\*](#). Allameh Tabataba'i University. Tehran, Iran.
- November 4, 2020 [\*Neighbourhoods and distances in syntax\*](#). Arizona State University. Tucson, USA.
- September 30, 2020 [\*On Workspaces in Syntax\*](#). Allameh Tabataba'i University. Tehran, Iran.
- August 28, 2020 [\*Generative vs. model-theoretic approaches to L-systems\*](#). Workshop on Hierarchical Structure Processing, 26-28 August 2020. University of Geneva, Switzerland.
- December 9, 2019 [\*Beyond \(or beside\) the Chomsky Hierarchy\*](#). Università di Verona, Italy.
- December 5, 2019 [\*Gramáticas de Adjunción y cadenas de verbos auxiliares\*](#). Seminario Complutense de Gramática. Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Spain.
- June 11, 2019 [\*'Ascoltando ti sto': verb fronting and the structure of Spanish auxiliary chains\*](#). Ca' Foscari, University of Venice, Italy.
- December 13, 2018 *On NEG lowering into quantifiers*. Palacký University, Olomouc, Czech Republic.
- September 28, 2017 [\*Adjunction, intrusion, and intervenience\*](#) (with J. D. Saddy). 2017 Sommieres Linguistic Institute, Sommieres, France.
- June, 2017 *A derivational expansion of Generative Semantics: constraining dependencies in secondary predication*. Coloquio Formal de Sintaxis Semántica, June 14-15. Universidad de Ingeniería y Tecnología, Lima, Perú.
- December, 2016 [\*Classical Problems, Non-Classical Proposals\*](#). 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Formal Linguistics. Tianjin, China.
- September 16, 2016 [\*Hard constraints and mixed computations: Sharpening our tools for identifying and evaluating \(a\)typical language development\*](#) (with J. D. Saddy). Presented at AThEME Consortium Meeting, 2016. Università di Verona, Italy.
- March, 2016 *Emergent Oscillations and Cyclicity: Physical Aspects of Frustrated Cognitive Systems* (with J. D. Saddy). Presented at the *First International Symposium on the Physics of Language*. Sophia University, Tokyo, Japan. March 3-5, 2016.
- March 7, 2016 [\*Mixed computation for mixed phrase structure\*](#). University of Yokohama, Japan.
- September 19, 2012 [\*\\*Numerals, Numbers and Cognition: Towards a Localist Theory of the Mind\*](#) (with K. Miechowicz-Mathiasen). Poster presented at *Cognitive Modules and Interfaces*, international workshop at SISSA, Trieste, Italy.

## 7. Language skills

Spanish – native speaker  
English – native-like proficiency  
Italian – beginner (A2)  
Turkish – beginner (A1)

## 8. Supervision roles

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#### MPhil thesis supervision:

Kaitlyn Ryda – MPhil (theoretical syntax).

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Eleanor Walsh – MPhil (syntax/philology). Co-supervised with Prof. David Willis.

## 9. Participation in PhD defences

March, 2024	External examiner for PhD thesis in University of Verona, Italy
November, 2022	External examiner for PhD thesis in Universidad Complutense, Madrid, Spain.
October, 2021	External examiner for PhD thesis in Universidad Complutense, Madrid, Spain.
December, 2018	External examiner for PhD thesis in Palacký University, Olomouc, Czech Republic.

## 10. Reviewer for the following journals / book series / publishers

*Frontiers in Psychology: Language Sciences*  
*Glossa: a journal of general linguistics*  
*Iauna: Revista Philologica Romanica*  
*Journal of Cognitive Science*  
*Borealis: An international Journal of Hispanic Linguistics*  
*Linguistic Frontiers*  
*Poznan Studies in Contemporary Linguistics*  
*Journal of Comparative Germanic Linguistics*  
*Zeitschrift für Slawistik*  
*Linguistic and Philosophical Investigations*  
*Revista de Estudos da Linguagem*  
*SKASE Journal of Theoretical Linguistics*  
*Journal of Slavic Linguistics*  
*Anuari de Filologia: Estudis de Lingüística*  
*Atlantis: Journal of the Spanish Association of English Studies*

*Revista de la Sociedad Española de Lingüística*  
*Philosophies (MDPI)*  
*Mathematics (MDPI)*  
*Languages (MDPI)*  
*Encyclopaedia (MDPI)*  
*Evolutionary Linguistic Theory*  
*Language Faculty and Beyond*  
*Potsdam Linguistic Investigations*  
*Biolinguistics*  
*Journal of Language Modelling*  
*The Linguistic Review*  
*Folia Linguistica*  
*Isogloss*  
*MIT Press*  
*Linguistics Beyond and Within*  
*International Journal of Bifurcation and Chaos*



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