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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- 2007- Distinguished Chair Professor (講座教授), National Chung Cheng University
Director of Research Center for Humanities and Social Sciences (人文與社會科學研究中心主任); Director of Taiwan Center for Sign Linguistics (2016-2017)
- 2008- (Feb-Sept) Vice-President, National Chung Cheng University (國立中正大學副校長)
- 2003-2004 Director-General, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences,
National Science Council, Taiwan (國科會人文與社會科學人文發展處處長)
- 1998-2002 National Chung Cheng University (國立中正大學文學院院長)
Dean, College of Humanities
- 1995- National Chung Cheng University
Professor (and founding director), Graduate Institute of Linguistics
- 1995- Ohio State University
Adjunct Professor of Chinese Linguistics
- 1997 summer Cornell University
LSA Linguistic Institute, Visiting Professor
- 1987-95 Ohio State University
Associate Professor of Chinese Linguistics
- 1970-87 Southern Illinois University
- 1974-87 Associate Professor of Chinese and Linguistics
- 1970-74 Assistant Professor of Chinese and Linguistics
- 1978-79 University of Massachusetts
Visiting Associate Professor, Department of Asian Studies
- 1977-78 Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Visiting Scientist, Department of Linguistics and Philosophy
- 1968-70 University of Texas at Austin
Research Assistant in Linguistics (NSF Grant)

EDUCATION

- 1970 Ph.D., Linguistics. Indiana University, U.S.A.
- 1967 M.A., Linguistics. Indiana University, U.S.A.
- 1964 B.A., English Language and Literature, Chinese Philology
National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan

FIELDS OF SPECIALIZATION

Chinese Linguistics (syntax, semantics/pragmatics), Cognitive Linguistics, Sign Linguistics

GRANTS

- 2016-2017 Book Project on Language and Aging , (MOST 105-2420-H-194-003-2E) NT3,145,000
- 2015-2018 Research Grant, Ministry of Science and Technology, (MOST 104-2410-H194-082-MY3) “Constructing Complexity Metrics of Chinese Grammar for Measuring Language Attrition of the Elderly in Taiwan”(NT4,409,000)
- 2012-2015 Research Grant, National Science Council, Taiwan. (NSC 101-2410-H194-115--MY3) “Language Performance of the Elderly in Taiwan” (NT5,526,000)
- 2010-2013 Book Project on Anthrological Linguistics, National Science Council, Taiwan (NSC 99- 2420-H-194-096-2E3,) NT\$6,500,000
- 2008-2011 Research Grant, National Science Council, Taiwan. (NSC 97-2410-H-194-073-MY3) Modality Effects on Linguistic Structure of Sign Language and their Implications for Language Universals. (NT\$6,904,000)
- 2008-2009 Book Project on Visual Linguistics, National Science Council, Taiwan (NSC 96-2420-H-194-008-2E, NSC97-2420-H-194-001-2E) NT\$4,460,000
- 2005-2008 Research Grant, National Science Council, Taiwan. (NSC 94-2411-H-194-016, NSC 95-2411-H-194-004, NSC 96-2411-H-194-001) A Cross-Linguistic Study of Signed Languages. (NT\$5,498,000)
- 2001-2005 Research Grant, National Science Council, Taiwan. (Grant Number NSC90-2411-H-194-025, NSC91-2411-H-194-030, NSC92-2411-H-194-007, NSC93-2411-H-194-001). “A Study of Taiwanese Sign Language: Phonology, Morphology, Syntax, and Digital Graphic Dictionary I-IV” (NT\$5,693,100)
- 2001-2002 Research Grant, National Science Council, Taiwan. (Grant Number NSC90-2411-H-194-024). “Categorization Patterns of Classifiers in Hakka and their Cognitive Principles II” (NT\$439,500)
- 2000-2001 Research Grant, National Science Council, Taiwan. (Grant Number NSC89-2411-H-194-056). “Categorization Patterns of Classifiers in Hakka and their Cognitive Principles” (NT\$479,100)
- 1998-2001 Research Grant, National Science Council, Taiwan. (Grant Numbers, NSC87-2418-H-194-013; NSC88-2418-H-194-004; NSC89-2418-H-194-047-MB). “Non-autonomous Syntax and Mental Representation” (NT\$2,135,600)
- 1997-2000 Research Grant, National Science Council, Taiwan. (Grant Numbers NSC87-2411-H-194-017, NSC88-2411-H-194-004, NSC89-2411-H-194-035). “Cognition-based Chinese Grammar” (NT\$2,424,776)
- 1996-1999 Research Grant, National Science Council, Taiwan. (Grant Numbers NSC86-2511-S-194-003, NSC87-2511-S-194-004, NSC88-2511-S-194-001). “Chinese grammar and evaluation of Chinese reading ability of science-gifted high school students” (NT\$1,611,900)
- 1996 Research Grant, National Science Council, Taiwan. (Grant Number 86-2411-H-194-005). “Categorization patterns of classifiers in Taiwanese Southern Min and their cognitive principles” (NT\$318,000)

- 1995 Research Grant, National Chung Cheng University, Taiwan. "Study of classifiers in Mandarin and Southern Min spoken in Taiwan" (NT\$217,000)
- 1993 Travel Grant, University of California at Berkeley, to attend International Conference on the Biological Basis of Language, Taipei, Taiwan (\$1,300).
- 1993 Conference Grant, Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange. "Workshop on Interfaces and the Chinese Language," with Marjorie Chan (\$11,200).
- 1993 University Small Grant, College of Humanities, Ohio State University, with Marjorie Chan, (\$1,500).
- 1993 Travel Grant, Ecole des Hautes Etude en Sciences Sociales, to attend Second International Conference on Chinese Linguistics, Paris, France (Francs 8,000).
- 1992 Grant-in-aid, College of Humanities, OSU (\$500).
- International Travel Grant, Office of Research, OSU (\$500).
- 1990 Travel Grant from Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan to attend the First International Symposium on Chinese Languages and Linguistics, (\$1,200).
- 1987 Summer Research Grant. Research Office, United States Information Agency, (\$9,900). "Language Change in the People's Republic of China Since 1976." (Declined)
- 1982-1984 Japan Foundation Grant. "Staff expansion in Japanese at Southern Illinois University at Carbondale," with Helmut Liedloff and John Gillespie (\$35,000).
- 1982 Travel Grant, American Council of Learned Societies (\$1,400).
- 1977 Research Grant, Research Office, United States Information Agency. "Phonological Change in Standard Chinese in Mainland China Since 1949," May to December (\$13,600 plus necessary equipment and materials).
- 1976 Summer Research Grant, Research Office, United States Information Agency. "Syntactic and Stylistic Changes in Standard Chinese in Mainland China Since 1949" (\$10,500 plus necessary equipment and materials).
- 1974-1975 Summer Research Grant, Research Office, United States Information Agency. "Lexical Change in Standard Chinese in Mainland China Since 1949" (\$23,950 plus necessary equipment and materials).
- 1971-1973 Summer Research Grant, College of Arts and Sciences. Southern Illinois University at Carbondale (\$3,000 each summer)

AWARDS

- 2010, March Life-Time Achievement Award from Taiwan Linguistics Society.(台灣語言學會終身成就獎)
- 2008-2011 Research Project for Outstanding Scholars (傑出學者研究計畫), National Science Council.
- 2000-2001 Outstanding Research Award (傑出研究獎), National Science Council.
- 1999 Research Award (甲種研究獎勵), National Science Council.
- 1997-1998 Outstanding Research Award (傑出研究獎), National Science Council.
- 1996 Research Award (甲種研究獎勵), National Science Council.
- 1995 Research Award (甲種研究獎勵), National Science Council.
- 1992 Special Research Assignment Award, Ohio State University, Autumn Quarter.
- 1989 Special Research Assignment Award, Ohio State University, Autumn Quarter.
- 1988-1989 Lilly Teaching Endowment Mentorship, Ohio State University.
- 1971-1973 Three Summer Research Awards, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS/SERVICE**Membership in Professional Organizations**

International Association of Chinese Linguistics

Linguistic Society of America

Linguistic Society of Taiwan

Editorship

- 2012- Advisory Board, *Journal of Chinese Grammar*
 2011- Editor-in-Chief, *Journal of Chinese Language Teaching*
 2007- Editorial Board, *EASTLING*
 2000- Advisory Board, *Concentric: Studies in Linguistics*
 1999-2009 Editorial Board, *Language and Linguistics*
 2002- Editorial Board, *Contemporary Linguistics*
 1987-1994 Editor-in-Chief, *Journal of the Chinese Language Teachers Association*
 1976- Associate Editor, *Journal of Chinese Linguistics*

Professional Service

- 2012- Chair of Supervising Council, Taiwan Society of Cognitive Neuroscience
 2008-2010 Supervisor, Linguistic Society of Taiwan
 2004-2005 President, International Association of Chinese Linguistics
 2003-2004 Vice President, International Association of Chinese Linguistics
 1999-2000 Executive Board member, Linguistic Society of Taiwan.
 1994- Advisory Board, *Contemporary Chinese Linguistics*
 1992-1996 Editorial Board, *Journal of East Asian Linguistics*
 1992- Advisory Board, *Journal of Macrolinguistics*
 1992-1994 Treasurer, International Association of Chinese Linguistics
 1987-1990 Executive Board member, Chinese Language Teachers Association

Doctoral Dissertations Directed at the Ohio State University

- 1997 Rozer, Jack *Ontological Metaphor in Chinese Syntax*.
 1996 Wu, Xiaoqi. 'Zai', 'Dao', and 'Gei' Constructions--A Study of Chinese Word Order.
 1995 Hu, Wenzhe. *Functional Perspectives and Chinese Word Order*.
 1994 Christensen, Matthew. *Variation in Spoken and Written Narrative Discourse*.
 Wang, Lianqing. *Origin and Development of Classifiers in Chinese*.
 1992 Chiang, Mienwha. *A Study of Anaphora in Chinese Recipe Discourse*.
 He, Baozhang. *Situation Types and Aspectual Classes of Verbs in Mandarin Chinese*.
 1991 Miracle, Charles. *Discourse Markers in Mandarin Chinese*.
 1990 Bourgerie, Dana. *A Quantitative Study of Sociolinguistic Variation in Cantonese*.
 McGinnis, Scott. *A Pragmatic Analysis of Mandarin Interrogatives: Data from Modern Taiwan Drama*.
 Sergent, Wallace. *The Study of the Oral Reading Strategies of Advanced and Highly Advanced Second Language Readers of Chinese*.
 1989 King, Brian. *The Conceptual Structure of Emotional Experience in Chinese*.

PUBLICATIONS

Tsay, Jane, James H.-Y. Tai, Hsin-Hsien Lee, Yijun Chen, & Qiong-Yi Yu. *Taiwan Sign Language Online Dictionary*. 2nd Edition. Institute of Linguistics, National Chung Cheng University, Taiwan. 2009. <http://tsl.ccu.edu.tw/web/browser.htm>

Monographs:

- Tai, James H.-Y., & Jane Tsay (eds). 2009. *Taiwan Sign Language and beyond*. (《台灣手語研究》)。台灣人文研究叢書第十冊，國立中正大學台灣人文研究中心。
- 戴浩一、顏尚文。(編) 2008. 《台灣史三百年面面觀》。台灣人文研究叢書第七冊，國立中正大學台灣人文研究中心。
- Myers, James, & James H.-Y. Tai. (eds.) 2005. *Language and Linguistics*, 6.2. Special Issue on Taiwan Sign Language.
- 戴浩一、薛鳳生。(編) 1994. 《功能主義與漢語語法》。北京語言學院出版社。
- Tai, James H.-Y., & Frank Hsueh. 1989. *Functionalism and Chinese Grammar*. *Journal of the Chinese Language Teachers Association*, Monograph Series, no. 1.
- Tai, James H.-Y. 1973. *Coordination Reduction*. (Ph.D. dissertation, Indiana University, 1970.) Bloomington, IN: Indiana University Linguistics Club.

Articles:

- Tai, James H.-Y., & Jane Tsay. 2017. Sign Languages, Táiwan. *Encyclopedia of Chinese Language and Linguistics*, Vol. 4, ed. by Rint Sybesma, Wolfgang Behr, Yueguo Gu, Zev Handel, C.-T. James Huang & James Myers, 92-99. Leiden & Boston: Brill Academic Publishers.
- Tai, James H.-Y., & Pei-fen Du. 2016. "Nage" Before vs. After Relative Clauses in Chinese: A Processing View. *Commemorative Essays for Professor Yuen Ren Chao: Father of Modern Chinese Linguistics*, ed. by Andy Chin Chi-on, Kwok Bit-chee, & Benjamin K. Tsou, 275-292. Taipei: Crane Publishing.
- 劉貫立、戴浩一. 2016. 從認知語言學角度分析漢字。《漢字與漢文教育》(Han-Character and Classical written language Education) 40:103-122。
- 戴浩一. 2015. 漢語「在」處所片語詞序在日文與韓文的對應，《臺灣華語教學研究》11:1-8。
- Tai, James H.-Y., & Jane Tsay. 2015. Taiwan Sign Language. *Sign Languages of The World*, ed. by Julie Bakken Jepsen, Goedele De Clerck, Sam Lutalo Kiingi & William B. McGregor, 771-809. Germany: De Gruyter Mouton.
- Tai, James H.-Y., & Jane Tsay. 2015. Taiwan Sign Language: History, Structure, and Adaptation. *The Oxford Handbook of Chinese Linguistics*, ed. by William S.-Y. Wang & Chaofen Sun, 729-750. UK: Oxford University Press.
- Tai, James H.-Y. 2014. Two Theoretical Approaches to Second Language Acquisition 《鄧守信教授 75 華誕論壇：語法理論與華語教學的對話》，臺灣師範大學。
- 田意民、許儷絹、戴浩一、楊育芳. 2014. 以工作記憶與創造力解析資優生的句法理解歷程，《中華心理學刊》56.3: 257-276。
- 黃惠華、戴浩一. 2014. 時間順序結構與時貌標記「著」(Temporal Sequence Structure and the Aspect Marker *-zhe* in Chinese). *Journal of Chinese Linguistics* 42.1:39-54.

- Tai, James H-Y. 2013. Reflections on Typological Characterization of Chinese Grammar. *Human Language Resources and Linguistic Typology*, ed. by Chiu-yu Tseng, 59-87. Papers from the Fourth International Conference on Sinology, Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan.
- Tai, James H-Y., & Shiou-fen Su. 2013. Encoding Motion Events in Taiwan Sign Language and Mandarin Chinese: Some Typological Implications. *Breaking Down the Barriers: Interdisciplinary Studies in Chinese Linguistics and Beyond*, Vol. I, ed. by Cao Guangshun, Hilary Chappell, Redouane Djamouri & Thekla Wiebusch, 79-98. Taipei: Academia Sinica.
- 戴浩一. 2013. 從範疇化看漢語關係子句。《漢語語法研究的新拓展》，57-69。上海教育出版社。
- Tai, James H-Y. 2013. On Modality Effects and Relative Uniformity of Sign Languages. *Eastward Flows the Great Rivers: Festschrift in honor of Professor William S-Y. Wang on his 80th Birthday*, ed. by Peng Gang & Shi Feng, 283-300. City University of Hong Kong Press.
- Tai, James H-Y. 2011. Entrenchment of Pragmatics in Syntax. *Diversity of Languages: Papers in Honor of Professor Feng-fu Tsao on the Occasion of his Retirement*, ed. by Chung Raung-fu et al, 349-367. Taipei: Crane Publishing.
- 戴浩一. 2011. 再論時間順序原則《認知語法與對外漢語教學論文集》。催希亮 主編，66-85。北京語言大學出版社。
- Tai, James H-Y., & Jane Tsay. 2010. Taiwan Sign Language Corpus: Digital Dictionary and Database. *Proceedings of 2010 TELDAP International Conference*, 41-47. Taipei: Academia Sinica.
- Tai, James H-Y., & Yichun Chen. 2010. Modality and Variation in Sign Languages. *A Festschrift in Honor of Professor William S-Y. Wang on his Seventy-fifth Birthday*, ed. by Pan Wuyun & Shen Zhongwei, 330-348. Shanghai Education Press.
- 戴浩一、蔡素娟. 2009. 手語的本質：以台灣手語為例。《語言、文化與認知》。蘇以文、畢永娥（編），125-176。國立台灣大學出版社。
- Chen Yichun, & James H-Y. Tai. 2009. Lexical variation and change in Taiwan Sign Language. *Taiwan Sign Language and Beyond*, ed. by James H-Y. Tai & Jane Tsay, 131-148. 國立中正大學台灣人文研究中心。
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- Su, Shioufen, & James H-Y. Tai. 2009. Lexical comparison of signs from Taiwan, Chinese, Japanese, and American Sign Languages: Taking iconicity into account. *Taiwan Sign Language and Beyond*, ed. by James H-Y. Tai & Jane Tsay, 149-176. 國立中正大學台灣人文研究中心。
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- Tai, James H-Y. 2008. The Nature of Chinese Grammar: Perspectives from Sign Language. *Proceedings of the 20th North American Conference on Chinese Linguistics*, 21-40. Ohio, Columbus: The Ohio State University.
- Tai, James. 2008. Entrenchment of Pragmatics in Syntax. *Handbook of The Second Conference on Language, Discourse and Cognition*, 1-19. Institute of Linguistics, National Taiwan University.
- 戴浩一. 2008. 新世紀臺灣語言學研究之展望。《輔仁外語學報》5:23-32。轉載自《漢學研究》18: 511-519。
- 戴浩一. 2008. 漢語認知功能語法—回顧與前瞻。《中國語學》255:226-233。
- 戴浩一. 2007. 中文構詞與句法的概念結構。《華語文教學研究》4.1:1-30。

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- Tai, James H-Y. 2007. 漢語認知功能語法—回顧與前瞻。日本中國語學會第 57 回全國大會予稿集，12-29。
- 戴浩一. 2006. 分類詞「尾」在台灣閩南語與客語中的範疇結構之比較，【門內日與月：鄭錦全先生七秩壽慶論文集】《語言暨語言學》專刊外篇之七，中央研究院語言學研究所。59-73。
- 戴浩一. 2006. 靜態空間關係在中文的呈現。《現代中國語研究》8:1-7。
- 戴浩一、蘇秀芬. 2006. 台灣手語的呼應方式。【百川會海：李壬癸先生七秩壽慶論文集】《語言暨語言學》專刊外篇之五，中央研究院語言學研究所。341-363。
- 戴浩一、吳莉雯. 2006. 台灣四縣客語量詞“尾(mi24)”的範疇結構 《語言暨語言學—客語專輯》*Language and Linguistics* 7.2:501-521。
- Tai, James H-Y. 2005. Conceptual Structure and Conceptualization in Chinese. *Language and Linguistics* 6.4:539-574.
- Tai, James H-Y. 2005. Modality Effects: Iconicity in Taiwan Sign Language. *POLA FOREVER: Festschrift in Honor of Professor William S-Y. Wang on his 70TH Birthday*, ed. by Dah-an Ho and Ovid J. L. Tzeng, 19-36. Taipei: Institute of Linguistics, Academia Sinica.
- Chang, Jung-hsing, Shiou-fen Su, & James H-Y. Tai. 2005. Classifier Predicates Reanalyzed, with Special Reference to Taiwan Sign Language. *Language and Linguistics* 6.2:247-278.
- 戴浩一. 2004. 專題演講8—語言與文化。【世界文明之窗—人文素養系列講座】，財團法人時報文教基金會。246-261。
- 戴浩一. 2003. 認知功能語法與漢語教學。《語言理論與語言教學》34-45。香港教育學院。
- Tai, James H-Y. 2003. Cognitive Relativism: Resultative Construction in Chinese. *Language and Linguistics* 4.2:301-316.
- Tai, James H-Y. 2002. Temporal Sequence in Chinese: A Rejoinder. *Form and Function: Linguistic Studies in Honor of Shuanfan Huang*, 331-351. Taipei: Crane Publishing.
- 戴浩一. 2002. 概念結構與非自主性語法：漢語語法概念系統初探。《當代語言學》4.1:1-12。
- 戴浩一. 2000. 新世紀臺灣語言學研究之展望。《漢學研究》18:511-519。
- Tai, James H-Y. 1999. Verb-Copying in Chinese Revisited. *Chinese Language and Linguistics V: Interactions in Language*, 97-119. Symposium Series of the Institute of History and Philology, no.2, Academia Sinica.
- Tai, James H-Y. 1999. A Note on the Classifier *bue53* 尾 in Southern Min. *Contemporary Studies on the Min Dialects*, ed. by Pang-Hsin Ting. *Journal of Chinese Linguistics Monograph Series* 14:225-228.
- Tai, James H-Y. 1999. Chinese Grammar and Bio-Cognitive Bases of Human Language. *Biological Bases of Languages*, ed. by Ovid Tzeng. *Journal of Chinese Linguistics Monograph Series* 13: 130-146.
- Tai, James H-Y., & Marjorie Chan. 1999. Some Reflections on the Periodization of the Chinese Language. *In Honor of Mei Tsu-Lin: Studies on Chinese Historical Syntax and Morphology*, ed. by Alain Peyraube & Chaofen Sun, 223-239. Paris: Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales.
- Tai, James H-Y. 1997. ‘Topic’, ‘Subject’ and Argument Selection in Chinese. *Tsing Hua Journal of Chinese Studies*, New Series XXVII 1:83-101.

- Tai, James H-Y. 1997. Category Shifts and Word-Formation Redundancy Rules in Chinese. *Chinese Language and Linguistics III: Morphology and Lexicon*, 435-468. Symposium Series of the Institute of History and Philology, no.2, Academia Sinica.
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- Tai, James H-Y. 1994. Chinese Classifier Systems and Human Categorization. *In Honor of Professor William S-Y. Wang: Interdisciplinary Studies on Language and Language Change*, ed. by Matthew Chen & Ovid Tseng, 479-494. Pyramid Publishing Company.
- Tai, James H-Y., & Fangyi Chao. 1994. A Semantic Study of the Classifier *zhang*. *Journal of Chinese Language Teachers Association* 29.3:67-78.
- Tai, James H-Y. 1993. Conceptual Structures of Chinese Spatial Expressions. *Papers From the Parasession on Conceptual Representations, CLS* 29.2: 347-362.
- Tai, James H-Y. 1993. Iconicity: Motivations in Chinese Grammar. *Principles and Prediction: The Analysis of Natural Language*, ed. by Mushira Eid & Gregory Iverson, 153-174. Amsterdam: John Benjamins Publishing.
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- Tai, James H-Y., & Lianqing Wang. 1990. A Semantic Study of the Classifier *tiao*. *Journal of the Chinese Language Teachers Association* 25.1:35-56.
- Chan, Marjorie, & James H-Y. Tai. 1989. A Critical review of Jerry Norman's Chinese. *Journal of the Chinese Language Teachers Association* 24.1:43-61.
- Tai, James H-Y. 1989. Toward a Cognition-based Functional Grammar of Chinese. *Functionalism and Chinese Grammar*, Monograph Series of the Journal of the Chinese Language Teachers Association, no.1:187-226.
- Tai, James H-Y. 1988. People's Republic of China. *International Handbook on Bilingualism and Bilingual Education*, ed. by Christina Bratt Paulston, 185-201. Greenwood Press.
- 戴浩一. 1988. 時間順序和漢語的語序。《國外語言學》第一期，黃河（譯），10-20。
- Tai, James H-Y. 1987. Temporal Sequence and Word Order in Chinese. *Wang Li Memorial Volume*, ed. by Chinese Language Society of Hong Kong, 377-404. Hong Kong: Joint Publishing.
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- Tai, James H-Y. 1986. Semantics and Syntax of 'Inner' and 'Outer' Locatives. *Readings in Chinese Transformational Syntax*, ed. by Shou-hsin Teng, 25-34. reprinted, Taiwan: Crane Publishing.
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- “Chinese Grammar in Cognitive-Functional Perspectives.” **Invited Lecture Series** (two weeks, four lectures), Linguistic Society of America 1997 Linguistic Institute, Cornell University, USA, July 21-August 2, 1997.
- “Creativity in Language Use.” **Invited Lecture**, Chang Chao-Ting Memorial Symposium on the Development in Cognitive and Life Sciences, National Yang Ming University, April, 1997.
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- “From Nouns to Verbs: Verbalization in Chinese Dialects and East Asian Languages.” (with Marjorie Chan). **Invited Lecture**, the Sixth Annual Meeting of North America Conference on Chinese Linguistics, University of Southern California, May 13-15, 1994.
- “Challenging Nativism and the Autonomy Thesis: Iconicity in Chinese.” **Invited Lecture**, Dept. of Linguistics, University of Illinois, April 11, 1994 and Dept. of Linguistics, Indiana University, April 12, 1994.
- “Some Thoughts on the Periodization of Chinese Grammar.” **Invited Lecture**, Symposium on Periodization of Chinese Language, University of California, Berkeley, California, February 18-19, 1994.
- “Iconicity, Chinese Grammar and Bio-Cognitive Bases of Human Language.” **Invited Lecture**, International Conference on the Biological Basis of Language, Taipei, Taiwan, December 20-22, 1993.
- “Some Recent Issues In Iconicity and Chinese Grammar.” **Invited Lecture**, the Second International Conference on Chinese Linguistics, Paris, June 23-25, 1993.
- “A Non-objectivist View of Jackendoff’s Conceptual Semantics.” The Twenty-ninth Regional Meeting of the Chicago Linguistics Society, April 22-24, 1993.
- “Category Shifts and Word-Formation Redundancy Rules in Chinese.” The Third International Symposium on Chinese Languages and Linguistics, Tsing Hua University, Taiwan, July 1-3, 1992.
- “Topic’, ‘Subject’, and Argument Selection in Chinese.” **Invited Lecture**, the First International Conference on Chinese Linguistics, Singapore, June 24-26, 1992.
- “Iconicity: Motivations in Chinese Grammar.” The Seventeenth Minnesota Conference on Language and Linguistics, University of Minnesota, October 24-26, 1991.
- “Spatial Expressions in Chinese: Jackendoff’s Conceptual Semantics.” **Invited Lecture**, the Third North American Conference on Chinese Linguistics, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, May 3-5, 1991.
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- “Iconicity: Motivation in Chinese Syntax.” The First Northeast Conference on Chinese Linguistics, Ohio State University, May 5-7, 1989.
- “Syntactic Errors in Second-year Chinese Students' Compositions.” (with Margie Chan). Annual meeting of the Chinese Language Teachers Association, Monterey, November 19, 1988.
- “Aspect Markers and Temporal Structures of Verbs in Mandarin Chinese.” Annual meeting of the Chinese Language Teachers Association, Atlanta, November 21, 1987.
- “Denominal Verbs.” Annual meeting of Milwaukee Linguistic Conference, Milwaukee, April 10, 1987.
- “A Non-Objectivist View of Chinese Grammar: Space and Time.” **Invited Lecture**, Department of East Asian Languages and Literatures, Ohio State University, February 1987.
- “Space and Time in Chinese Grammar.” **Invited Lecture**, Department of Linguistics, Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana, February 1987.
- “Adverbial Modification and Implicatures in Mandarin.” Annual meeting of the Chinese Language Teachers Association, Dallas, November 21, 1986.
- “Duration and Frequency Expressions in Chinese Verb Phrase.” Nineteenth International Conference on Sino-Tibetan Languages and Linguistics, Columbus, September 14, 1986.
- “Further Evidence of Iconicity in Chinese Syntax.” Conference on Chinese Linguistics, Ohio State University, April 18, 1986.
- “How and Why Chinese is Disyllabic.” Annual meeting of Milwaukee Linguistic Conference, Milwaukee, April 11, 1986.
- “Intrinsic Aspects of Verbs in Mandarin.” Annual meeting of the Chinese Language Teachers Association, New York, November 29, 1985.
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- “Category Shifts in Chinese.” Annual meeting of the Chinese Language Teachers Association, Chicago, November 17, 1984.
- “Verbs and Times in Chinese: Vendler's Four Categories.” Parasession on Lexical Semantics, Chicago Linguistic Society, Chicago, April 28, 1984.
- “On the Absence of Denominal Verbs in Chinese.” Annual meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Minneapolis, December 28, 1983.
- “Vocabulary Changes in the PRC.” **Invited Lecture**, Department of Hebrew and East Asian Languages, University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland, April 15, 1983.
- “Word Order in Chinese and the X-theory.” Annual meeting of the Association for Asian Studies, San Francisco, March 26, 1983.
- “The X Convention and Chinese Syntax.” The Fifteenth International Conference on Sino-Tibetan Languages and Linguistics, Peking, China, August 18, 1982.
- “Relevant Categorical Distinctions in Chinese.” The Eighteenth Regional Meeting of the Chicago Linguistic Society, Chicago, April 15, 1982.
- “Temporal Sequence and Word Order in Natural Languages.” **Invited Lecture**, Department of Linguistics, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota, June 3, 1981.
- “Four Principles of Word Order in Chinese.” Annual meeting of the Chinese Language Teachers Association, Boston, November 23, 1980.

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