GET READY FOR HALLOWEEN

Halloween is coming! This year’s Halloween party will be on **Friday, October 27th**. This party is a great opportunity to get to know students in our sister department, Second Language Studies. **The Second Language Studies Student Association (SLSSA) co-hosts this event**, so expect to meet some new people!

Please see page 2 for more details and keep an eye on your inbox in the next couple weeks!

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

LSM acknowledges that we live and work on the lands of the Hawaiian people. We affirm our kuleana to support and promote the vitality of the Hawaiian people and their culture, land, and language.

JOINT SLSSA–LSM HALLOWEEN PARTY

Friday, October 27th
5-7 PM

Follow us on socials!
Instagram: @lingsocmanoa
Facebook: @LinguisticSocietyofManoa
Discord UH Ling Mailroom: https://discord.gg/dzZPdwyt2c
UPCOMING SOCIAL EVENTS

Join LSM and SLSSA in celebrating spooky season on Friday, October 27th, 5-7PM! You can look forward to the following at our joint Halloween Party:

- **Costume contest**: be sure to come dressed up in your best costume for a chance to win some nifty prizes! We’ll be voting on our favorites during the party!
- **Door decorating contest**: If you have an office, get into the spirit of the season and dress up your door as well as yourself this Halloween! Party-goers will vote on their favorites during the party and the winner will receive a prize!
- **Tasty treats**: If nothing else, come for the free food and candy!

LSM will also be holding a bake sale during the week leading up to the party. Keep an eye on your email for more details and how to sign up!

LINGUIST LUNCH

Need a break? Want somebody to have lunch together? Come join us!

The next Linguist Lunch is Tuesday, October 17th at 12PM. Undergraduate and graduate students, faculty, staff and visiting scholars all welcome. Keep your eye on your inbox for future dates!

- **WHEN**: Tuesday, October 17th at 12PM
- **WHERE**: the grassy area in front of Paradise Palms
- **Bring Your Own Lunch**

A few snapshots from our social events last month! Thanks to everyone who came out!
Have an accomplishment or good news you’d like to share? Let us know for a chance to be featured in the next LSM newsletter! Nothing is too mundane!
Click [HERE](https://example.com) or email lingssoc@hawaii.edu

**YOUNGIN LEE**

Youngin presented her research titled "Examining Incremental Sentence Processing in Korean: The Case of Control Constructions" at the 4th International Conference on Theoretical East Asian Psycholinguistics (ICTEAP-4) in Seoul, Korea on August 17th.

Youngin’s project on negated disjunction in (native and) nonnative Korean was also accepted for an oral presentation at the 48th annual Boston University Conference on Language Development (BUCLD 48).

Additionally, her study on the incremental processing of Korean control constructions was accepted for a poster presentation at the Architectures and Mechanisms for Language Processing (AMLaP) Asia 2023, which will be held at the Chinese University of Hong Kong in December.

*Congratulations, Youngin!*  

**HANNA SANDERS**

Hannah has recently joined the Language Documentation Training Center (LDTC) for the Fall semester.

*Welcome, Hannah! We hope you find it a rich and rewarding experience!*

**ORLYN JOYCE ESQUIVAL**

Orlyn presented several papers this summer and fall! She presented her paper titled “Philippines’ linguistic landscape: Perceptions on ethnolinguistic vitality, identity, and power” at the Michicagoan Conference in Linguistic Anthropology at the University of Chicago on May 12th. She presented her paper titled “Using SIL’s Bloom in revitalizing indigenous languages” at the Annual Symposium on Language Research at the University of California Davis on May 26th as well. She also presented her paper titled “The language of kinship in the Philippines” at the 2023 Annual Conference of the Linguistic Association of Canada and the United States at the University of Toledo in July, and her paper titled “Exploring language use among second-generation Iolkano Americans in Hawaii at RUEG2023: Linguistic Variability in Heritage Language Research at Humboldt University of Berlin in September.

Orlyn has received several scholarships and grants as well! She has received the Dr. Teresita V. Ramos Endowment for Philippine Languages, Literature, and Culture from the University of Hawai’i Foundation and the Research in Linguistics Award from the UH Manoa Department of Linguistics.

Orlyn also illustrated Professor Blust’s publication titled *The dragon and the rainbow: Man’s oldest story* and documented and assessed the endangered Ayta Magbukun language of Mariveles, Bataan in the Philippines this summer.

*Congratulations, Orlyn!*
ARMANDO MOLINA GOMEZ

Armando taught a session, along with other members of the UH Manoa Linguistics Department, at the Summer LDTC Workshop for Micronesian Languages held July 27-29 at Moore Hall.
He also wrote an essay on Theatre and Language Revitalization for the educational guide which accompanied the Hawaiian language hana keaka Kaisara. He is excited to be progressing with his Hawaiian language learning as well, both inside and outside of the classroom.

Congratulations, Armando!

SARAH KU

Sarah studied abroad in Nagoya, Japan this summer where she was able to get Japanese language credit. She was also excited to find many parallels between her elective class on contemporary Japanese culture through the gender perspective and the phenomena discussed in her Language and Gender class this semester. She found her Japanese language class most enjoyable as she was able to see things from a linguist's point of view and apply knowledge from her linguistics classes. Sarah also joined the a cappella circle at her university in Japan and observed differences in how sung notes line up with the moras in the lyrics of Japanese rather than syllabs, which is more typical of English. Studying linguistics has unlocked a whole new worldview for Sarah, as she is able to demystify phenomena that non-linguists might consider arbitrary and utterly incomprehensible.

Congratulations, Sarah! We’re so happy to have you in the program!

MID-SEMESTER FEEDBACK SURVEY

Please give your valuable feedback on the linguistics department by filling out the Linguistics Department Mid-Semester Feedback Survey HERE! Responses are anonymous unless you choose to provide your email for potential follow-up.

Mahalo nui!

Clé Mayer, Student Representative

AUSTRONESIAN CIRCLE OPEN CALL

Are you excited about Austronesian languages? Do you want to share your fabulous research paper/dissertation on (an) Austronesian language(s)? Do you have a particularly problematic dataset that you want more eyes on? Have you been annoying your partner/parent/friends/cat by endlessly talking about voice systems? Come join us at the Austronesian circle! The Austronesian meets every other week on Wednesdays from 1:30-2:30pm, with the next meeting happening on October 25th (topic TBA).
We currently have an open call for any presentations, discussion topics, readings, workshops, research feedback etc., with slots still open from November 22nd onward. If you’d like to host an Austronesian Circle, message me via Discord or email me at cjmayer@hawaii.edu. Mahalo and see you in the circle!

Clé Mayer,
Austronesian Circle organizer (interim)