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ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

- **PhD (Linguistics) Queen Mary, University of London (2013)**
Dissertation title: *Language ideologies and discourses of national identity in Canadian newspapers: a cross-linguistic corpus-assisted discourse study.*
Supervisors: Leigh Oakes, Colleen Cotter. *Examiners:* Kieran O'Halloran (King's College, London), Vera Regan (University College Dublin)
Funding: Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC) National doctoral award (\$60,000 CAD); Queen Mary, University of London (QMUL) PhD Studentship (international fees; living stipend; approx. £85,000); Conference funding and grants in excess of £3000; Ontario Graduate Scholarship (provincial doctoral award) (\$15,000 CAD) (*declined*)
- **MA (Applied Language Studies) Carleton University (2009) (Distinction)**
Dissertation title: *The role of language in the popular discursive construction of belonging in Quebec: A corpus assisted discourse study of the Bouchard-Taylor Commission briefs.*
Supervisor: Guillaume Gentil. *Examiners:* Jaffer Sheyholislami, Diane Belcher (Georgia State)
Funding and awards: University Medal for Outstanding Master's Work (Carleton University); J. Armand Bombardier Canada Graduate Scholarship (National award) (\$17,500 CAD); Carleton University Graduate Scholarship (\$5000 CAD); Carleton University Dean of Graduate Students Scholarship (\$2000 CAD)
- **BA (Hon) (French) Mount Allison University (2006) First Class Honours with Distinction**
Honours thesis: *Recherche et refus d'identité chez Amélie Nothomb.* Supervisor: Mark Lee.
Funding and awards: Prize of the Ambassador of France (2006); Graham Atlantic Creative Writing Prize (\$500 CAD); Research Fellowship, Mount Allison University (\$5,000 CAD); Entrance Scholarship, Mount Allison University (\$16,000 CAD); Sharp Scholarship, Mount Allison University (\$8,000 CAD)

OTHER QUALIFICATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- Associate Fellow in the Higher Education Academy (UK)
- Teaching Award, Newcastle University (2016) (MA level course in Academic Practice accredited by the Higher Education Academy of the United Kingdom)
- Certificate in Advanced Studies in Academic Practice, Newcastle University (2014-2015) (Qualification for teaching in higher education accredited against the UK Professional Standards Framework and the UK Higher Education Academy)
- Certificate of bilingualism (English/French), Mount Allison University, Canada (2006)
- Diplôme Avancé d'Études Françaises, Université Marc Bloch, France (2006)

UNIVERSITY APPOINTMENTS

- Assistant Professor, Carleton University (2020-present)
- Lecturer B in Applied Linguistics, Birkbeck, University of London (2017-2020)