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EDUCATION

- 09/2024 – Yale University
Ph.D. Student in Linguistics
- 09/2019 –01/2024 New York University Shanghai
B.S. (Honors) in Mathematics, *summa cum laude*

NON-DEGREE PROGRAMS

- 07/2024 –08/2024 Fudan International Summer School of Linguistics on Linguistic Typology and Language Variations
Attending Student
- 03/2023 –06/2023 Seoul National University
Visiting Student in Linguistics

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 01/2024 –05/2024 New York University Shanghai
Teaching Assistant for Introduction to Linguistics NEUR-SHU 303
- 06/2022 –08/2022 New York University
Research Assistant for Richard Kayne in Syntax

PUBLICATIONS

Conference Proceedings

- 2024 **Florence Zhang-Yukun.** 2024. The Non-Negative Negator in Mandarin and “Neg-cleft”. In Tae Sik Kim (ed.), *Proceedings of SICOOG XXV*, 273–288.
- 2023 **Florence Zhang-Yukun.** 2023. On the Left Branch Extraction of Adjectives in East Asian Languages. In Sara Williams et al. (eds.), *Japanese/Korean Linguistics 30*, 607–614.

Book Chapters

- forthcoming* Linmin Zhang; **Florence Zhang-Yukun.** 2025. *Comparative morphemes are additive particles: English -er/more vs. Chinese gèng.* Lingbuzz Manuscript.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

漢: Presented in Chinese

Refereed Presentations

- 08/2024 Linmin Zhang; **Florence Zhang-Yukun.** Comparative Morphemes are additive particles: English -er/more vs. Chinese gèng and Korean te Talk at *The 26th Seoul International Conference on Generative Grammar*, Jeonbuk National University, Jeonju.

- 07/2024 **Florence Zhang-Yukun;** Dingfan Lin. A Unified Account of Degree Reduplication.^漢 Talk at *The 1st International Symposium on Contemporary Phonology*, Beijing Language and Culture University, Beijing.
- 06/2024 **Florence Zhang-Yukun;** Dingfan Lin. Degree Phrase Reduplicated.^漢 Talk at *The 5th Symposium on the Syntax and Semantics of Adverbs in Modern Chinese*, Guangdong University of Foreign Studies, Guangzhou.
- 04/2024 Linmin Zhang; **Florence Zhang-Yukun.** Does Chinese have a Comparative Morpheme?^漢 Talk at *The 3rd International Symposium on Formal Approaches to Meaning in Chinese*, Zhejiang University, Hangzhou.
- 02/2024 **Florence Zhang-Yukun.** Misalignment between Syntax and Phonology: Evidence from Mandarin. Talk at *The 21st Old World Conference in Phonology*, Universität Leipzig, Leipzig.
- 10/2023 **Florence Zhang-Yukun.** The Syntax of the Non-Negative Negator in Mandarin. Talk at *The 10th International Conference on Formal Linguistics*, Tsinghua University, Beijing.
- 08/2023 **Florence Zhang-Yukun.** The Non-Negative Negator in Mandarin and “Neg-cleft”. Poster at *The 25th Seoul International Conference on Generative Grammar*, Dongguk University, Seoul.
- 03/2023 **Florence Zhang-Yukun.** On the Left Branch Extraction of Adjectives in East Asian Languages. Poster at *The 30th Japanese/Korean Linguistics Conference*, Simon-Fraser University, Vancouver.

LEADERSHIP

- 09/2020 –06/2021 Philosophia Club at NYU Shanghai
Vice President

HONORS & AWARDS

- 2024, 2025 Sterling Fellowship Prize
- 2019, 2020, 2021 NYU Shanghai Dean’s Honors List for Academic Year
- 2019 NYU Shanghai Global Quintessence Scholarship

LINGUISTIC SKILLS

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| | Mandarin | Native |
| | Shanghainese | Passive |
| | English | L2 |
| | Korean | Familiar |
| 2021 | Japanese | Familiar (JLPT-N1 Certificate) |