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EDUCATION

B.S.	University of Minnesota Speech and Hearing Sciences Psychology, minor	1996
M.A.	University of Minnesota Communication Disorders, emphasis in Audiology	1999
Ph.D.	University of Minnesota Communication Disorders, emphasis in Hearing Science	2003

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

University of Minnesota, Department of Communication Disorders	
Research Assistant	1997-2003
Teaching Assistant	2000-2002
Clinical Supervisor in Audiology	2001-2002
Mayo Clinic – Rochester, Department of Otolaryngology, Audiology Section	
Clinical Fellow in Audiology	1999-2000
Indiana University School of Medicine, Department of Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery, DeVault Otologic Research Laboratory	
NIH Postdoctoral Research Fellow	2003-2005
Indiana University	
Assistant to Associate Professor, Department of Speech and Hearing Sciences	2005-2013
Associate Member, Cognitive Science Program Faculty	2009-2013
Adjunct Assistant Professor, Department of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, Indiana University School of Medicine	2011-2014
Adjunct Associate Professor, Department of Speech and Hearing Sciences	2013-2014
The Ohio State University	
Professor, Department of Speech and Hearing Science	2020-present
Adjunct Professor, Department of Otolaryngology, College of Medicine	2020-2023
Associate Director, Center for Cognitive and Brain Sciences	2018-2024
Associate Professor, Department of Speech and Hearing Science	2013-2020

LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS

Certificate of Clinical Competence in Audiology, ASHA	2000-present
Title Registered Audiologist with the Minnesota Department of Health	2001-2004
Hearing Instrument Dispenser Certification in Minnesota	2001-2004

RESEARCH SUPPORT

American Speech-Language-Hearing Foundation	
Student Research Grant in Audiology	2002
Project title: "Non-sensory factors in children's speech perception"	
Role: Principal Investigator	Award amount: \$2,000
National Institutes of Health – NIDCD	
Research Service Award for Individual Predoctoral Fellows	2002-2003
Grant Number 1 F31 DC05919	
Project title: "Non-sensory factors in children's speech perception"	
Role: Principal Investigator	Award amount: \$27,120
American Speech-Language-Hearing Foundation	
Research Grant for New Investigators	2005
Project title: "A test of audiovisual integration for children with sensory aids"	
Role: Principal Investigator	Award amount: \$5,000
American Hearing Research Foundation	2005-2006
Project title: "Assessing audiovisual sentence recognition in children with sensory aids"	
Role: Principal Investigator	Award amount: \$19,904
Indiana University	2006
Summer Faculty Fellowship	
Project title: "Developing a speech discrimination procedure for clinical pediatric populations"	
Role: Principal Investigator	Award amount: \$8,000
American Speech-Language-Hearing Foundation	
Research Grant for New Investigators (Carolyn Richie, PI)	2006
Project title: "The contribution of visual cues for vowels and consonants to speech recognition by listeners with hearing loss"	
Role: Consultant	Award amount: \$5,000
National Institutes of Health – NIDCD	2008-2014
Grant Number R01 DC009581 (David Pisoni, PI)	
Project title: "Neurocognitive processes in deaf children with cochlear implants"	
Role: Consultant	Award amount: \$3,098,452

Indiana University	2009-2010
Faculty Research Support Program	
Project title: "Toddlers' speech sound discrimination: A potential diagnostic predictor"	
Role: Principal Investigator	Award amount: \$44,745
National Institutes of Health – NIDCD	2009-2012
Grant Number R21 DC010027 (Tessa Bent, PI)	
Project title: "Children's perception of foreign-accented speech"	
Role: Consultant	Award amount: \$357,207
Indiana University	2009-2010
Faculty Research Support Program (Siang Lee Hong, PI)	
Project title: "Hearing loss, working memory, and visuomotor development in children"	
Role: Co-investigator	Award amount: \$37,574
National Institutes of Health – CHHD	2010-2013
Grant Number T32 HD007475 (Linda Smith, PD)	
Project title: "Training Program in Integrative Developmental Processes"	
Role: Core Faculty	Award amount: \$1,053,971 (Y1-Y3)
Indiana University	2012-2013
Indiana University Collaborative Research Grant	
Project title: "Family Environment and its Role in Outcomes in School-Age Children with Hearing Loss"	
Role: Principal Investigator	Award amount: \$67,064
National Science Foundation	2018-2021
Grant Number 1461039 (Kathryn Campbell-Kibler Nikole Patson, PIs)	
Project title: "REU Site: The Science of Language and the Language of Science"	
Role: Faculty Mentor	Award amount: \$353,750
Indiana and Purdue Universities	2016-2017
Indiana Clinical and Translational Science Award (funded by the NIH)	
Project title: "Executive Functioning in Children and Adolescents with Mild to Severe Hearing Loss: A Pilot Study" (William Kronenberger, PI)	
Role: Co-Investigator	Award amount: \$22,957
National Institutes of Health – NIDCD	8/1/2016-5/1/2024
Grant Number R01 DC014956 (David Pisoni, Co-PI)	
Project title: "Family Processes in Developmental Outcomes of Pediatric Hearing Loss"	
Role: Principal Investigator	Total Costs: \$2,554,843
National Institutes of Health – NIDCD	3/1/2017-2/28/2020
Grant Number R21 DC06134 (Irina Castellanos, PI)	
Project title: "Psychosocial Outcomes in Deaf Children with Cochlear Implants"	
Role: Consultant	Total Direct Costs: \$477,866

Oberkottter Foundation	8/1/2017-7/31/2018
Community Collaboration – Planning Grant (Derek Houston, PD)	
Project title: “Children’s Hearing and Language Development Resource Network (CHLDRN) of Ohio”	
Role: OSU SHS Representative	Award amount: \$98,937
National Institutes of Health – NIDCD	8/1/2017-7/31/2019
Grant Number 1R56 DC015492 (Tina Grieco-Calub, PI)	
Project title: “Effects of hearing experience on audiovisual speech perception in children”	
Role: Consultant	Total Direct Costs: \$402,530
National Science Foundation	3/1/2020-2/28/3025
Grant Number BCS – 1941662 (Tessa Bent, co-PI)	
Project title: “Collaborative research: How accent distance impacts word recognition across development”	
Role: Co-PI	Total Direct Costs: \$415,752
National Institutes of Health – NIDCD	3/1/2020-7/31/2025
Grant Number R01 DC018596 (Tina Grieco-Calub, PI)	
Project title: “The influence of visual speech on lexical access in children”	
Role: Consultant	
The Ohio State University	7/1/2024-6/30/2026
Center for Cognitive and Brain Sciences (Zeynep Saygin, co-PI)	
Project title: “Prenatal neural architecture of the linguistic mind”	
Role: Co-PI	Total Direct Costs: \$100,000
Center for Clinical and Translation Science and Nationwide Children’s Hospital	8/01/2024-7/31/2025
Pilot Translational and Clinical Students Program (Zeynep Saygin, PI)	
Project title: “Perinatal neurobiological markers of cognitive outcome in normotensive and preeclampsia pregnancies”	
Role: Co-I	Total Direct Costs: \$49,868
National Institutes of Health – NIDCD	8/01/2026-07/31/2031
Grant Number 2R13 DC015399 (R. McCreery, PI)	
Project title: “Building the Next Generation of Clinical Researchers - American Auditory Society”	
Role: Co-I	Total Direct Costs: \$229,250

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL HONORS

Phi Beta Kappa Honor Society	
Member	1996

American Academy of Audiology	
Student Research Forum Award Winner	2002
Project title: "Evaluating the benefit of directional patterns in hearing aids"	
Minnesota Speech-Language-Hearing Foundation	
Scholarship Recipient	2002
Association for Research in Otolaryngology Audiologist Travel Award	2005
<i>Nature</i> featured a story on my research on the importance of early cochlear implantation: Peplow, M. (2005). Language learning declines after second year of life. <i>Nature</i> . [http://www.nature.com/news/2005/050516/full/news050516-1.html]	2005
American Speech Language Hearing Association <i>Lessons for Success Conference: Developing the Emerging Scientist</i> Fellowship	2008
<i>ASHA Leader</i> featured my research on the cochlear implantation in infants younger than 12 months of age: Early Cochlear Implantation, <i>ASHA Leader</i> (September 23, 2008).	2008
Trustees Teaching Award, Indiana University	2009
Paper selected for dissemination to the media through the World Wide Press Room, Acoustical Society of America, Portland, OR. Lay-language paper title: <i>Keepin' it real: The importance of maintaining the natural color spectrum of video recordings</i>	2009
<i>ASHA Leader</i> featured my research on the role of family environment in pediatric cochlear implant outcomes: Development in Children with CIs. <i>ASHA Leader</i> (March 13, 2012).	2012
Provost Travel Award, Indiana University	2013
International Travel Grant (\$2500), Ohio State University	2017
Invited research symposium speaker, AG Bell Listening and Spoken Language Symposium, Madrid, Spain (June 30 – July 3, 2019)	2019
Citation of Merit, Society for Music Theory	2019
<i>Routledge Companion to Music Cognition</i>	
Invited chapter in this volume: Bergeson, T. R., & Holt, R. F. (2017). Assisted music listening in hearing impairment. In R. Ashley & R. Timmers (Eds.), <i>The Routledge Companion to Music Cognition</i> (pp. 237-248). New York, NY: Routledge	
Joan N. Huber Fellowship, College of Arts and Sciences, Division of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Ohio State University	2024
American Speech-Language-Hearing Association Fellow	2024

STUDENT HONORS

Aileen Wong

American Speech-Language-Hearing Association	2008
Minority Student Leadership Program Fellowship	
Conference registration waiver for quality of student paper submission	
<i>Say that again: The effects of repetition on speech discrimination</i>	

Kaylah Lalonde

Indiana University GPSO/TUGS Recognition Award	2010
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Featured as Graduate Student of the Month

National Institutes of Health/American Auditory Society 2011
Resident and Graduate Student Poster Session Awardee
Modified Change/No-Change procedure for assessing toddlers' speech discrimination

National Institutes of Health/American Auditory Society 2012
Resident and Graduate Student Poster Session Awardee
Accounting for variability in normal-hearing toddlers' speech discrimination

National Institutes of Health/American Auditory Society 2013
Resident and Graduate Student Poster Session Awardee
Four-year-olds benefit from Integration of Auditory and Visual Speech Cues

American Speech-Language-Hearing Association 2013
Audiology/Hearing Science Research Travel Award
Benefit from Integration of Auditory and Visual Speech Cues in Preschoolers

Kierra Villines

Acoustical Society of America 2011
Undergraduate Research Exposition Travel Awardee
The influence of talker and accent variability on spoken word identification and discrimination

Lindsay Smith

Indiana University Chuck Watson Thesis Award 2012
Assessing toddlers' audiovisual speech perception

Sarah Mabie

The Ohio State University 2014
Arts and Sciences Honors Committee Undergraduate Research Scholarship
Individual Differences in Children's Perception of Foreign-Accented Speech: The Role of Temperament

The Ohio State University 2015
Weisenberger Undergraduate Research Writing Award
Individual Differences in Children's Perception of Foreign-Accented Speech: The Role of Temperament

Angela Hill

The Ohio State University 2014
Arts and Sciences Honors Committee Undergraduate Research Scholarship
Individual Differences in Children's Perception of Foreign-Accented Speech: The Role of Executive Function

The Ohio State University	2014
Undergraduate Research Scholar Award	
<i>Individual Differences in Children's Perception of Foreign-Accented Speech: The Role of Executive Function</i>	
Katherine Miller	
The Ohio State University	2017
Center for Cognitive and Brain Sciences Summer Graduate Fellowship	
<i>Children's Perception of Accented Speech</i>	
Andrew Blank	
The Ohio State University	2018
Center for Cognitive and Brain Sciences Summer Graduate Fellowship	
<i>Contributions of Caregiver Stress and Self-Efficacy to Language and Neurocognitive Outcomes for Children with Hearing Loss</i>	
National Institutes of Health/American Auditory Society	2019
Resident and Graduate Student Poster Session Awardee	
<i>Parental Stress Affects Inhibitory Control via Language in Children with Hearing Loss</i>	
Council on Academic Program in Communication Sciences and Disorders	2020
CAPSCD PhD Scholarship	
American Speech-Language-Hearing Association	2021
Awarded Meritorious Poster Designation	
<i>Associations Between Paternal Play and Executive Function in Children with Hearing Loss</i>	
Kristina Bowdrie	
American Academy of Audiology	2019
2019 James and Susan Jerger Award for Excellence in Student Research	
<i>Naturalistic Use of Tense and Aspect in Children with Hearing Loss</i>	
The Ohio State University	2020
Center for Cognitive and Brain Sciences Summer Graduate Fellowship	
<i>The influence of temperament and family-related environmental confusion on spoken language in children who are deaf or hard-of-hearing</i>	
The Ohio State University	2020
Speech and Hearing Science DEI Student Retention Award	
American Cochlear Implant Alliance	2022
Best Student Poster in Audiology Award	

The interaction between temperament and family-related environmental confusion on spoken language in children who are deaf and hard-of-hearing

American Academy of Audiology Foundation & Oticon, Inc. 2022
2022 Empowering Students Scholarship

Vanderbilt University Department of Speech and Hearing Sciences 2023
2023 Rising Star Award Recipient

Minority White Coat Foundation 2023
2023 Award

University of Illinois College of Applied Health Sciences 2024
2024 Emerging Scholars Presentation

American Speech-Language-Hearing Foundation 2024
2024 New Century Scholars Doctoral Scholarship

American Auditory Society 2026
2026 New Investigator Podium Travel Award

Izabela Jamsek

American Academy of Audiology 2019
2019 James and Susan Jerger Award for Excellence in Student Research
Maternal Sensitivity and Developmental Outcomes in Hearing Children and Children with Hearing Loss

American Academy of Audiology Foundation 2022
2022 Jerry Northern Scholarship in Pediatric Audiology

The Ohio State University 2024
Center for Cognitive and Brain Sciences Summer Graduate Fellowship
Parental Sensitivity, Intrusiveness, and Child Language: Effects of Child Hearing Status and Time

Wiley Language Learning 2024
Language Learning Dissertation Grant
Context-Dependent Parental Communication with School-Age Children Who Are Hard-of-Hearing

Jada Hudgins

Council on Undergraduate Research 2019
Selected to Represent OSU's REU Program at the *Research Experiences for Undergraduates Symposium*, Alexandria, VA

Holly Lind-Combs

Ohio State University	2021
3 rd place awardee in the Social and Behavioral Sciences division at the 35 th Edward F. Hayes Graduate Research Forum, Virtual <i>Parental Stress Influences Parents' Sensitivity to Language Needs of Children with Hearing Loss</i>	
American Speech Language Hearing Association	2021
Audiology/Hearing Science Research Travel Award <i>The Effect of Parent Mental State Language on Inhibitory Control in Children with Hearing Loss</i>	
The Ohio State University	2021
Center for Cognitive and Brain Sciences Summer Graduate Fellowship <i>Using Dynamic Time Warping and Levenshtein Distances to Predict Variability in Perception of Non-Ambient Accents</i>	
Council on Academic Programs in Communication Sciences and Disorders	2023
CAPSCD PhD Scholarship	
American Auditory Society	2024
NIH Mentored Student Research Presentation Travel Award Foundraisers Student Award <i>Visual Social Attention and Pragmatics in Adolescents who are Deaf/Hard-of- Hearing</i>	
Journie Dickerson	
American Speech-Language-Hearing Association	2023
Awarded Meritorious Poster Designation <i>Associations Between Paternal Play and Executive Function in Children with Hearing Loss</i>	
American Speech-Language-Hearing Association	2024
Audiology/Hearing Science Research Travel Award <i>Linguistic Complexity and Noise Influence Intelligibility for L1- and L2-Accented English</i>	
American Auditory Society	2025
NIH Mentored Student Research Presentation Travel Award <i>Family Environment Influences DHH Children's Language Through Parents' Language</i>	
American Speech-Language-Hearing Association	2026
Research Mentoring-Pair Travel Award (RMPTA) Mentor: Jennifer Zuk, Ph.D., CCC-SLP (Boston University)	

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Articles

1. **Holt, R. F.**, & Kirk, K. I. (2005). Speech and language development in cognitively delayed children with cochlear implants. *Ear and Hearing*, 26, 132-148.
2. **Holt, R. F.**, Kirk, K. I., Eisenberg, L. S., Martinez, A. S., & Campbell, W. (2005). Spoken word recognition development in children with residual hearing using cochlear implants and hearing aids in opposite ears. *Ear and Hearing*, 26 (Suppl.), 82S-91S.
3. **Holt, R. F.**, & Carney, A. E. (2005). Multiple looks in speech sound discrimination in adults. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 48, 922-943.
4. **Holt, R. F.**, & Carney, A. E. (2007). Developmental effects of multiple looks in speech sound discrimination. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 50, 1404-1424.
5. Kirk, K. I., Hay-McCutcheon, M. J, **Holt, R. F.**, Gao, S., Qi, R., & Gehrlein, B. L. (2007). Audiovisual spoken word recognition by children with cochlear implants. *Audiological Medicine*, 5, 250-261.
6. **Holt, R. F.**, & Svirsky, M. A. (2008). An exploratory look at pediatric cochlear implantation: Is earliest always best? *Ear and Hearing*, 29, 492-511. doi: 10.1097/AUD.0b013e31816c409f
7. **Holt, R. F.**, Kirk, K. I., & Hay-McCutcheon, M. (2011). Assessing multimodal spoken word-in-sentence recognition in children with normal hearing and children with cochlear implants. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 54, 632-657.
8. **Holt, R. F.** (2011). Enhancing speech discrimination through stimulus repetition. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 54, 1431-1447.
9. **Holt, R. F.**, & Lalonde, K. (2012). Assessing toddlers' speech-sound discrimination. *International Journal of Pediatric Otorhinolaryngology*, 76, 680-692. doi:10.1044/1092-4388
10. Beer, J., Harris, M. S., Kronenberger, W. G., **Holt, R. F.**, & Pisoni, D. B. (2012). Auditory skills, language, and adaptive behavior of children with cochlear implants and additional disabilities. *International Journal of Audiology*, 51, 491-498.
11. **Holt, R. F.**, Beer, J., Kronenberger, W. G., Pisoni, D. B., & Lalonde, K. (2012). Contribution of family environment to pediatric cochlear implant users' speech and language outcomes: Some preliminary findings. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 55, 848-864. doi: 10.1044/1092-4388

12. **Holt, R. F.**, Beer, J., Kronenberger, W. G., & Pisoni, D. B. (2013). Developmental effects of family environment on outcomes in pediatric cochlear implant recipients. *Otology and Neurotology*, 34, 388-395.
13. Beer, J., **Holt, R. F.**, & Harris, M. S. (2013). Cochlear implantation in children with additional diagnoses: Current trends and outcomes. *Otorhinolaryngologia: Cutting edge Otolaryngology Special Issue*, 63, 1-16.
14. Bent, T., & **Holt, R. F.** (2013). The influence of talker and foreign-accent variability on spoken word identification. *Journal of the Acoustical Society of America*, 133, 1677-1686. doi: 10.1121/1.4776212
15. Lalonde, K., & **Holt, R. F.** (2014). Cognitive and linguistic sources of variance in 2-year-olds' speech-sound discrimination. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 57, 308-326. doi:10.1044/1092-4388
16. Lalonde, K., & **Holt, R. F.** (2015). Preschoolers benefit from visually salient speech cues. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 58, 135-150. doi:10.1044/2014
17. Phan, J., Houston, D. M., Ruffin, C., Ting, J., & **Holt, R. F.** (2016). Factors affecting speech discrimination in children with cochlear implants: Evidence from early-implanted infants. *Journal of the American Academy of Audiology*, 27, 480-488.
18. Lalonde, K., & **Holt, R. F.** (2016). Audiovisual speech perception development at varying levels of perceptual processing. *Journal of the Acoustical Society of America*, 139, 1713-1723. doi: 10.1121/1.4945590
19. **Holt, R. F.** & Bent, T. (2017). Children's use of semantic context in perception of foreign-accented speech. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 60, 223-230. doi: 10.1044/2016
20. Bent, T., & **Holt, R. F.** (2017). Representation of speech variability. *Wiley Interdisciplinary Reviews: Cognitive Science*, 1-14. doi: 10.1002/wcs.1434. [Invited]
21. Youngdahl, C. L., Healy, E. W., Yoho, S. E., Apoux, F., & **Holt, R. F.** (2018). The effect of remote masking on the reception of speech by young school-aged children. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 61, 420-427. doi:10.1044/2017
22. Bent, T., & **Holt, R. F.** (2018). Shhh... I need quiet! Children's understanding of American, British, and Japanese Speakers. *Language and Speech*, 61(4), 657-573.
23. Moberly, A. C., Vasil, K., Wucinich, T. L., Safdar, N., Boyce, L., Roup, C., **Holt, R. F.**, Adunka, O. F., Castellanos, I., Houston, D. M., & Pisoni, D. B. (2018). How does aging affect recognition of spectrally degraded speech? *Laryngoscope*, 128 (Suppl. 5), S1-S16. doi:10.1002/lary.27457

24. Bent, T., **Holt, R. F.**, Miller, K., & Libersky, E. (2019). Sentence context facilitation for children's and adults' recognition of native and nonnative-accented speech. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 62, 423-433. https://doi.org/10.1044/2018_JSLHR-H-18-0273
25. **Holt, R. F.** (2019). Assistive hearing technology for deaf and hard-of-hearing spoken language learners. *Education Sciences*, 9, 153-175. doi:10.3390/educsci9020153 [Invited]
26. Davenport, C., & **Holt, R. F.** (2019). Influence of family environment on developmental outcomes in children with cochlear implants: A matched case study. *Volta Review*, 119, 29-55.
27. Blank, A., **Holt, R. F.**, & Wagner, L. (2019). Inhibitory control and receptive vocabulary influence on aspect comprehension in children. *Applied Psycholinguistics*, 1-19. doi: 10.1017/S0142716419000432
28. **Holt, R. F.** (2019). Family environment contributions to children's neurocognitive development. *The Volta Review*, 119, 125-141. [Invited]
29. Blank, A., **Holt, R. F.**, Pisoni, D. B., & Kronenberger, W. G. (2020a). Associations between parental stress, language comprehension, and inhibitory control in children with hearing loss. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 63, 321-333. doi.org/10.1044/2019_JSLHR-19-00230
30. **Holt, R. F.**, Beer, J., Kronenberger, W. G., Pisoni, D. B., Lalonde, K., & Mulinaro, L. (2020). Family environment in children with hearing aids and cochlear implants: Associations with spoken language, psychosocial functioning, and cognitive development. *Ear & Hearing*, 41, 762-774. DOI: 10.1097/AUD.0000000000000811
31. Lee, Y., Ahn, S., **Holt, R. F.**, & Schellenberg, G. (2020). Rhythm and syntax processing in school-age children. *Developmental Psychology*, 56, 1632-1641.
32. Blank, A., **Holt, R. F.**, Pisoni, D. B., & Kronenberger, W. G. (2020b). Family-level executive functioning and at-risk pediatric hearing loss outcomes. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 64, 218-229. https://doi.org/10.1044/2020_JSLHR-20-00342
33. Bowdrie, K., **Holt, R. F.**, Blank, A., & Wagner, L. (2021). Naturalistic use of aspect morphology in deaf and hard-of-hearing children. *Journal of Child Language*, 49(2), 366-381. doi:10.1017/S0305000921000080
34. Davenport, C. A., Houston, D. M., Bowdrie, K., & **Holt, R. F.** (2021). The role of early intervention in parental self-efficacy for families of children who are deaf/hard-of-hearing. *Journal of Early Hearing Detection and Intervention*, 6, 38-47. <https://doi.org/10.26077/cf34-9189>

35. Jamsek, I. A., **Holt, R. F.**, Kronenberger, W. G., & Pisoni, D. B. (2021). Differential at-risk pediatric outcomes of parental sensitivity based on hearing status. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 64, 3668-3684. http://doi.org/10.1044/2021_JSLHR-20-00491
36. Bent, T. C., **Holt, R. F.**, Van Engen, K. J., Jamsek, I. A., Arzbecker, L. J., Liang, L., & Brown, E. E. (2021). How pronunciation distance impacts word recognition for children and adults. *Journal of the Acoustical Society of America*, 150, 4102-4117. <https://doi.org/10.1121/10.0008930>
37. **Holt, R. F.**, Kronenberger, W. G., & Pisoni, D. B. (2022). Family environment differentially influences spoken language in children with and without hearing loss. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 65 (1), 361-377. doi: 10.1044/2021_JSLHR-21-00220
38. Blank, A., & **Holt, R. F.** (2022). Associations between paternal play and executive function in deaf and hard-of-hearing children. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 65 (8), 3056-3078. https://doi.org/10.1044/2022_JSLHR-21-00661
39. Bowdrie, K. **Holt, R. F.**, & Houston, D. M. (2022). Interactive effects of temperament and family-related environmental confusion on spoken language in children who are deaf or hard-of-hearing. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 65 (9), 3566-3582. https://doi.org/10.1044/2022_JSLHR-21-00665
 **The Informed SLP highlighted the clinical relevance of this paper on their website in March 2023 (<https://www.theinformedslp.com/review/environment-temperament-and-language-learning-for-dhh-kids>)
40. Lind-Combs, H., & **Holt, R. F.** (2022). Associations between parent mental state language and child inhibitory control in children who are deaf or hard of hearing. *Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research*, 65 (8), 3129-3145. https://pubs.asha.org/doi/10.1044/2022_JSLHR-22-00005
41. Jamsek, I. A., Kronenberger, W. G., Pisoni, D. B., & **Holt, R. F.** (2022). Executive functioning and spoken language skills in young children with hearing aids and cochlear implants: Longitudinal findings. *Frontiers in Psychology*, 13:987256. doi: 10.3389/fpsyg.2022.987256
42. Findlen, U. M., Davenport, C., Cadieux, J., Gehred, A., **Holt, R. F.**, Vaughn, L. M., Houston, D. M., & Hunter, L. L. (2023). Barriers to and facilitators of early hearing detection and intervention: A systematic review. *Ear & Hearing*, 44, 448-459. doi: 10.1097/AUD.0000000000001312
43. Bent, T. C., Lind-Combs, H., **Holt, R. F.**, & Clopper, C. G. (2023). Perception of regional and nonnative accents: A comparison of museum laboratory and online data collection. *Linguistics Vanguard*, 9(s4), 361-373. <https://doi.org/10.1515/lingvan-2021-0157>

44. Bowdrie, K., Lind-Combs, H., Blank, A., & **Holt, R. F.** (2023). The influence of caregiver language on the association between child temperament and spoken language in children who are deaf and hard-of-hearing. *Ear & Hearing*, 44(6), 1367-1378. DOI: 10.1097/AUD.0000000000001378
45. Lind-Combs, H., Bent, T., **Holt, R. F.**, Clopper, C., & Brown, E. (2023). Comparing Levenshtein distance and dynamic time warping in predicting listeners' judgments of accent distance. *Speech Communication*, 155. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.specom.2023.102987>
46. Blank, A., **Holt, R. F.**, & Schoppe-Sullivan, S. (2024). Broadening understanding of executive function in children with different hearing histories: The roles of fathers and coparenting. *Early Childhood Research Quarterly*, 67, 239-251. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ecresq.2024.01.005>
47. Henry, M., Bent, T., & **Holt, R. F.** (2024). They sure aren't from around here: Children's perception of accent distance in native and nonnative varieties of English. *Journal of Child Language*, 52 (4), 762-758. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0305000924000138>
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2. Grogan, M. J., Trine, T. D., Van Tasell, D. J., Nelson, P. B., Recker, K., & **Frush, R.** (2002, April). *Advanced signal processing: What we learned from field trials*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Audiology, Philadelphia, PA.
3. **Frush, R.**, Nelson, P., & Van Tasell, D. J. (2002, April). *Evaluating the benefit of directional patterns in hearing aids*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Audiology, Philadelphia, PA.
4. **Holt, R. A. F.**, & Carney, A. E. (2002, November). *The effects of multiple looks on speech perception in children*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association conference, Atlanta, GA.
5. Svirsky, M. A., **Holt, R. F.**, Neuburger, H. & Teoh, S-W. (2003, November). *Outcomes of pediatric cochlear implantation as a function of age at implant*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Chicago, IL.
6. **Holt, R. F.**, & Kirk, K. I. (2004, April). *Speech and language development in children with cochlear implants and cognitive delays*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Audiology, Salt Lake City, UT.

7. Svirsky, M. A., **Holt, R. F.**, & Neuburger, H. (2004, May). *Age at implantation and communicative outcome in pediatric cochlear implant users: Is younger always better?* Paper presented at the VIII International Cochlear Implant Conference, Indianapolis, IN.
8. Kirk, K. I., Eisenberg, L. S., **Holt, R. F.**, Martinez, A. S., Ying, E., Campbell, W., Collison, E., & Miyamoto, R. T. (2004, May). *Combined cochlear implant and hearing aid use in children with preimplant residual hearing: Longitudinal effects.* Paper presented at the VIII International Cochlear Implant Conference, Indianapolis, IN.
9. **Holt, R. F.**, Kirk, K. I., Davis, R. A. O., & Miyamoto, R. T. (2004, May). *Speech and language development in implanted children with developmental delays.* Paper presented at the VIII International Cochlear Implant Conference, Indianapolis, IN.
10. Svirsky, M. A., **Holt, R. F.**, Neuburger, H., & Teoh, S-W. (2004, May). *Language development in cochlear implant users: Is the glass half-full or half-empty?* Paper presented at the 7th European Symposium on Paediatric Cochlear Implantation, Geneva, Switzerland.
11. **Holt, R. F.**, & Carney, A. E. (2004, May). *Non-sensory factors in speech perception.* Poster session presented at the spring meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, New York, NY.
12. **Holt, R. F.**, & Kirk, K. I. (2004, November). *Speech and language development in cognitively delayed children with cochlear implants.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Philadelphia, PA.
13. **Holt, R. F.**, & Svirsky, M. A. (2005, February). *Communication outcomes as a function of age at cochlear implantation in congenitally deaf infants and children: Is younger always better?* Poster session presented at the midwinter meeting of the Association for Research in Otolaryngology, New Orleans, LA.
14. Kirk, K. I., **Holt, R. F.**, Ying, E., Henning, S. C., & Miyamoto, R. T. (2005, March). *Effects of age at implantation on spoken word recognition in children entering elementary school.* Paper presented at the 10th Symposium on Cochlear Implants in Children, Dallas, TX.
15. Svirsky, M. A., & **Holt, R. F.** (2005, March). *Speech perception and language in congenitally deaf children implanted in the first year of life.* Paper presented at the 10th Symposium on Cochlear Implants in Children, Dallas, TX.
16. **Holt, R. F.**, & Kirk, K. I. (2005, March). *Binaural acoustic-electric stimulation in children with residual hearing: Communication outcomes.* Paper presented at the 10th Symposium on Cochlear Implants in Children, Dallas, TX.
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19. **Holt, R. F.**, Kirk, K. I., Pisoni, D. B., Burckhartmeyer, L., & Lin, A. (2005, October). *Lexical and context effects in children's audiovisual speech recognition*. Poster session presented at the fall meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, Minneapolis, MN.
20. Kirk, K. I., Henning, S., **Holt, R. F.**, & Ying, E. (2005, November). *Effects of early cochlear implantation in six-year-old children*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American-Speech-Language-Hearing Association, San Diego, CA.
21. **Holt, R. F.**, & Kirk, K. I. (2005, November). *Developing audiovisual sentence test materials for children with sensory aids*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American-Speech-Language-Hearing Association, San Diego, CA.
22. Ting, J. Y., **Holt, R. F.**, Smith, J. P., Benson, M. K., Houston, D. M., & Miyamoto, R. T. (2007, April). *Assessing speech discrimination in individual infants: Effects of hearing loss and contrast difficulty*. Paper presented at the 11th International Conference on Cochlear Implants in Children, Charlotte, NC.
23. **Holt, R. F.**, Kirk, K. I. & Howell, S. (2007, April). *The Audiovisual Lexical Neighborhood Sentence Test: Test development and preliminary results from pediatric cochlear implant recipients*. Paper presented at the 11th International Conference on Cochlear Implants in Children, Charlotte, NC.
24. **Holt, R. F.**, Kirk, K. I., Hay-McCutcheon, M. J., & Howell, S. (2008, June). *Audiovisual integration of speech by children with cochlear implants*. Paper presented at the 2008 Newborn Hearing Screening Conference, Cernobbio, Italy.
25. Wong, A., Russell, K., & **Holt, R. F.** (2008, November). *Say that again: The effects of repetition on speech discrimination*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Chicago, IL.
26. **Holt, R. F.**, Bent, T., & Hernandez, L. (2009, May). *Color effects in audiovisual spoken word recognition*. Poster session presented at the spring meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, Portland, OR.
27. Lalonde, K., & **Holt, R. F.** (2011, March). *Modified Change/No-Change procedure for assessing toddlers' speech discrimination*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.
28. **Holt, R. F.**, Beer, J., Lalonde, K., Kronenberger, W. G., & Pisoni, D. B. (2011, July). *Family Environment of Pediatric Cochlear Implant Recipients and its Potential Role in Intervention*.

Paper presented at the 13th Symposium on Cochlear Implants in Children (CI2011), Chicago, IL.

29. Beer, J., Harris, M., Kronenberger, W. G., **Holt, R. F.**, & Pisoni, D. B. (2011, July). *Outcomes after cochlear implantation in children with additional disabilities*. Poster session presented at the 13th Symposium on Cochlear Implants in Children (CI2011), Chicago, IL.
30. **Holt, R. F.**, Beer, J., Quigley, T., & Pisoni, D. B. (2011, October). *Executive Function Prior to Cochlear Implantation in Younger and Older Post-Lingually Deaf Adults*. Poster session presented at the 2011 Aging and Speech Communication conference, Bloomington, IN.
31. Villines, K., Bent, T., & **Holt, R. F.** (2011, November). *The influence of talker and accent variability on spoken word identification and discrimination*. Poster session presented at the fall meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, San Diego, CA.
32. Lalonde, K., & **Holt, R. F.** (2012, March). *Accounting for variability in normal-hearing toddlers' speech discrimination*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.
33. Lalonde, K., & **Holt, R. F.** (2012, June). *Identifying sources of variability in normal-hearing two-year-olds' speech discrimination*. Poster session presented at the 2012 Newborn Hearing Screening Conference, Cernobbio, Italy.
34. **Holt, R. F.**, Beer, J., Kronenberger, W., & Pisoni, D. B. (2013, March). *Family influences on social and cognitive skills in hearing-impaired children*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.
35. Lalonde, K., & **Holt, R. F.** (2013, March). *Four-year-olds benefit from integration of auditory and visual speech cues*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.
36. **Holt, R. F.**, Beer, J., Kronenberger, W., Pisoni, D., Smith, L., & Lalonde, K. (2013, October). *Family matters: The influence of family dynamics on spoken, language, social and cognitive development in children with sensory aids*. Poster session presented at the Cochlear Implant 2013 Symposium, Washington, DC.
37. Bergeson, T., Beer, J., & **Holt, R. F.** (2013, October). *The role of family language environment in outcomes in school-age children with cochlear implants*. Poster session presented at the Cochlear Implant 2013 Symposium, Washington, DC.
38. Lalonde, K., & **Holt, R. F.** (2013, November). *Benefit from integration of auditory and visual speech cues in preschoolers*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Chicago, IL.

39. Lalonde, K., & **Holt, R. F.** (2014, March). *How does level of perceptual processing affect audiovisual integration?* Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.
40. Lalonde, K., & **Holt, R. F.** (2014, October). *Audiovisual speech integration development at varying levels of perceptual processing.* Poster session presented at the fall meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, Indianapolis, IN.
41. Mabie, S., **Holt, R. F.**, & Bent, T. (2015, March). *Children's perception of foreign-accented speech: The role of temperament.* Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.
42. Hill, A., **Holt, R. F.**, & Bent, T. (2015, March). *Children's perception of foreign-accented speech: The role of executive function.* Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.
43. Youngdahl, C., Yoho, S., **Holt, R. F.**, Apoux, F., & Healy, E. (2015, May). *Effect of spectrally-remote maskers on sentence recognition by adults and children.* Poster session presented at the spring meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, Pittsburgh, PA.
44. Youngdahl, C., Yoho, S., Apoux, F., **Holt, R. F.**, & Healy, E. (2015, November). *Effect of spectrally-remote noise on sentence recognition in children.* Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Denver, CO.
45. Bent, T., **Holt, R. F.**, Wilcox, T., Mabie, S., & Neczypor, L. (2016, May). *Children's perception of native dialects and nonnative accents.* Poster session presented at the spring meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, Salt Lake City, UT.
46. Youngdahl, C., Yoho, S., **Holt, R. F.**, Apoux, F., & Healy, E. (2016, May). *Effects of interleaved noise on speech recognition in children.* Poster session presented at the spring meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, Salt Lake City, UT.
47. Hager, A., & **Holt, R. F.** (2017, February). *Pragmatic Skills in School-Aged Children with Hearing Loss.* Poster session presented at the 2017 Ohio Audiology Conference, Columbus, OH.
48. Miller, K. E., **Holt, R. F.**, Bent, T., & Blank, A. (2017, June). *Development of Semantic Context Facilitation for Nonnative-Accented Speech.* Poster session presented at the spring meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, Boston, MA.
49. Wagner, L., Clopper, C., McCullough, E., **Holt, R. F.**, Durrant, S., & Evans, B. (2017, July). *Children's Understanding and Use of Sociolinguistic Variation in Language Acquisition.* Symposium presented at the 14th International Congress for the Study of Child Language, Lyon, France.

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Holt, R.F., Bent, T., Miller, K., & Jones, A. (2017, July). *Children's dialect and foreign-accent perception in noise*. Symposium presented at the 14th International Congress for the Study of Child Language, Lyon, France.

50. Miller, K. E., **Holt, R. F.**, Bent, T., Skratt Henry, M. G., Martin, M. M., & Wagner, L. (August, 2017). *Recognition of native and nonnative accents: Support for a perceptual continuum*. Poster session presented at the Fourth Annual OSU Cognitive and Brain Sciences Member Fall Retreat, Mt. Sterling, OH.
51. Ahn, S, Goldthwaite, I., Corbeil, K., Byrer, A., Perry, K., PolaKampalli, A., Miller, K., **Holt, R. F.**, & Lee, Y. S. (November, 2017). *Rhythm sensitivity assists in overcoming acoustic and syntactic challenges during speech listening*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society of the Neurobiology of Language, Baltimore, MD.
52. Clopper, C. G., **Holt, R. F.**, & Wagner, L. (January, 2018). *Health and Wellness Outreach at the Language Sciences Research Lab*. Poster session presented at Ohio State University's 2018 Community Engagement Conference, Columbus, OH.
53. Reed, J., & the **Children's Hearing and Language Development Resource Network [CHLDRN] of OH**. (January, 2018). *Parent and professional perspectives of Ohio's early intervention system for families with children who are deaf or hard of hearing: A community collaborative approach*. Poster session presented at Ohio States University's 2018 Community Engagement Conference, Columbus, OH.
54. **Holt, R. F.**, Pisoni, D. B., Kronenberger, W. G., Castellanos, I., & Henning, S. (March, 2018). *A Social-Behavioral Risk Model Approach to Understanding Cognitive and Language Outcomes of Pediatric Hearing Loss*. Paper presented at CI2018 Emerging Issues in Cochlear Implantation Meeting, Washington, DC.
55. **Holt, R. F.**, Bent, T., Miller, K. E., Henry, M. G., Martin, M. M., Jamsek, I., & Green, D. E. (May, 2018). *Word recognition for regional dialects and nonnative accents in children and adults: Influence of psycholinguistic distance*. Poster session presented at the spring meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, Minneapolis, MN.
56. Blank, A., **Holt, R. F.**, Pisoni, D. B., & Kronenberger, W. K. (February, 2019). *Relations between Parental Stress and At-Risk Pediatric Hearing Loss Outcomes*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.
57. Bowdrie, K., **Holt, R. F.** Blank, A., & Wagner, L. (February, 2019). *Naturalistic Temporal Verb Morphology Usage in Children with Hearing Loss*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.
58. Jamsek, I. A., **Holt, R. F.**, Kronenberger, W. G., & Pisoni, D. B. (February, 2019). *Maternal Sensitivity, Inhibitory Control, and Language: DHH and Hearing Children*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.

59. Blank, A., **Holt, R. F.**, & Wagner, L. (March, 2019). *Inhibitory Control and Receptive Vocabulary Affect Children's Access to Aspectual Interpretations*. Poster session presented at the biennial meeting of the Society of Research in Child Development, Baltimore, MD.
60. Blank, A, Colatruglio, B., Mason, C., Heath, A., Kronenberger, W., Pisoni, D. B., & **Holt, R. F.** (March, 2019). *What's Stress Got to do with it? Parental Stress and At-Risk Outcomes for Children with Hearing Loss*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Audiology, Columbus, OH.
61. Bowdrie, K., Blank, A., Heath, A., Wagner, L., & **Holt, R. F.** (March, 2019). *Naturalistic Use of Tense and Aspect in Children with Hearing Loss*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Audiology, Columbus, OH.
62. Jamsek, I. A., Chapman, J., Davenport, C., Kronenberger, W. G., Pisoni, D. B., & **Holt, R. F.** (March, 2019). *Maternal Sensitivity and Developmental Outcomes in Hearing Children and Children with Hearing Loss*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Audiology, Columbus, OH.
63. Brown, E., Jamsek, I. A., Liang, L., **Holt, R. F.**, & Bent, T. (May, 2019). *Predicting children's word recognition accuracy with two distance metrics*. Poster session presented at the spring meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, Louisville, KY.
64. Wagner, L., McClain, K., Gryboski, S., & **Holt, R. F.** (November, 2019). *Hard is hard: Connections between early learning and later processing in the domain of temporal semantics*. Poster session presented at the Boston University Conference on Language Development, Boston, MA.
65. **Holt, R. F.**, Kronenberger, W. K., Pisoni, D. B., Bowdrie, K., & Henning, S. (March, 2020). *Family functioning differentially influences language in DHH and NH children*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.
66. Bent, T., **Holt, R. F.** (December, 2020). *Predicting children's word recognition accuracy from accent distance metrics*. Paper presented at the Acoustical Society of America's Acoustics Virtually Everywhere conference, Virtual Conference.
67. Davenport, C., Houston, D. M., Bowdrie, K., & **Holt, R. F.** (February, 2021). *The role of early intervention in parental self-efficacy for families of deaf and hard-of-hearing children*. Poster session presented at the 2021 Early Hearing Detection and Intervention (EDHI) Annual Conference, Virtual Conference.
68. Lind-Combs, H. C., O'Malley, C., Heath, A., Shrivastava, S., & **Holt, R. F.** (April, 2021). *Parental stress influence parents' sensitivity to DHH child language*. Poster session presented at the CI2021 Cochlear Implants in Children and Adults Conference, Virtual Conference.

69. **Holt, R. F.** (June, 2021). *Applied Hearing Aids and Signal Processing for Aural (Re-) habilitation*. Paper presented at the Acoustical Society of America: Acoustics in Focus Meeting, Virtual Conference.
70. Lind-Combs, H., Shrivastava, S., & **Holt, R. F.** (November, 2021). *The effect of parent mental state language on inhibitory control in children with hearing loss*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Washington, D.C, Hybrid Conference.
71. Bowdrie, K., Lind-Combs, H., Blank, A., & **Holt, R. F.** (November, 2021). *The protective influence of caregiver language on temperament and language in children with hearing loss*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Washington, D.C, Hybrid Conference.
72. Blank, A., Heath, A., Mogan, S., Patel, R., O'Malley, C., & **Holt, R. F.** (November, 2021). *Associations between paternal play and executive function in children with hearing loss*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Washington, D.C, Hybrid Conference.
**Awarded Meritorious Poster Designation by ASHA
73. Lind-Combs, H., Bent, T., & **Holt, R. F.** (December, 2021). *Comparing Levenshtein distance and dynamic time warping in predicting listeners' judgements of accent distance*. Poster session presented at the fall meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, Seattle, WA.
74. Findlen, U. M., Davenport, C., Houston, D. M., **Holt, R. F.**, & Hunter, L. (March, 2022). *Barriers to and facilitators of EHDI: Learning from our past for a better future*. Paper presented at the 2022 Early Hearing Detection and Intervention (EDHI) Annual Conference, Cincinnati, OH (moved virtually).
75. Bowdrie, K., **Holt, R. F.**, & Houston, D. M. (May, 2022). *The interaction between temperament and family-related environmental confusion on spoken language in children who are deaf and hard-of-hearing*. Poster session presented at the CI2022 Emerging Issues in Cochlear Implantation Meeting, Washington, DC.
*Received the Best Student Poster in Audiology Award
76. Henry, M., Bent, T., & **Holt, R. F.** (May, 2022). *Children's perception of accent distance for native and nonnative varieties*. Poster session presented at the spring meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, Denver, CO.
77. Henry, M., Bent, T., & **Holt, R. F.** (October, 2022). *Children's sensitivity to accent strength of native and nonnative varieties*. Poster presented at MidPhon 27, Washington University of St. Louis, St. Louis, MO.
78. **Holt, R. F.**, Lind-Combs, H., Bowdrie, K., & Jamsek, I. (November, 2022). *Promoting resiliency in children who are deaf and hard-of-hearing: The essential role of families*. Paper

presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, New Orleans, LA.

79. **Holt, R. F.**, Pisoni, D. B., Marlow, E., Jamsek, I., Dickerson, J., Malhotra, P., & Kronenberger, W. G. (March, 2023). *Longitudinal effects of families on spoken language in DHH children*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.
80. Jamsek, I., **Holt, R. F.**, Kronenberger, W. K., & Pisoni, D. B. (April, 2023). *Longitudinal executive functioning and language development in children who are deaf or hard-of-hearing*. Paper presented at the American Academy of Audiology Meeting, Seattle, WA.
81. **Holt, R. F.**, Bent, T., Lind-Combs, H., & Kunath, A. (August, 2023). *Developmental differences in intelligibility of unfamiliar accents*. Poster session presented at the International Congress of Phonetic Sciences 2023, Prague, Czech Republic.
82. Bent, T., & **Holt, R. F.** (August, 2023). *Predicting intelligibility from pronunciation distance metrics*. Paper presented at the International Congress of Phonetic Sciences 2023, Prague, Czech Republic.
83. Dickerson, J., **Holt, R. F.**, Siegel, K., & Kronenberger, W. (November, 2023). *Longitudinal effects of specific family environmental influences on spoken language outcomes in DHH children*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Boston, MA.
**Awarded Meritorious Poster Designation by ASHA
84. Lind-Combs, H., & **Holt, R. F.** (November, 2023). *Visual social attention and pragmatics in children with cochlear implants: Results from an eye-tracking study*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Boston, MA.
85. Lind-Combs, H., & **Holt, R. F.** (February, 2024). *Visual social attention and pragmatics in adolescents who are deaf/hard-of-hearing*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.
86. Bowdrie, K., & **Holt, R. F.** (February, 2024). *Effortful control and spoken language in DHH children: Caregiver contributions*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.
87. Henry, M. H., Bent, T., **Holt, R. F.**, & Lind-Combs, H. C. (May, 2024). *The contribution of suprasegmental cues to perceived L1 and L2 accent distance*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, Ottawa, Canada.
88. Lind-Combs, H. C., Bent, T., **Holt, R. F.**, & Henry, M. H. (May, 2024). *How rhythmic cues influence perception of accent distance across L1 and L2 English speakers*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, Ottawa, Canada.

89. Song, Y, Wagner, L., **Holt, R. F.**, Stanhope, R., White, S., & Speer, S. R. (June, 2024). *The acquisition of prosodic prominence to disambiguate compounds and phrases*. Poster presented at the LabPhon 19, Seoul, Korea.
90. Wagner, L., Song, Y. J., Speer, S., White, S., Stanhope, R., & **Holt, R. F.** (July, 2024). *The prosody of compound nouns: Direct comparison of tunes helps children (and adults)*. Paper presented at the 16th International Congress for the Study of Child Language, Prague, Czech Republic.
91. Bent, T., Henry, M. H., & **Holt, R. F.** (November, 2024). *Accent distance perception in children and adults*. Paper presented at the Psychonomic Society's 2024 Annual Meeting, New York, NY.
92. Henry, M. H., Dickerson, J., Lind-Combs, H. C., **Holt, R. F.**, & Bent, T. (December, 2024). *Linguistic complexity and noise influence intelligibility for L1- and L2-accented English*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Seattle, WA.
93. Dickerson, J., Bowdrie, K., **Holt, R. F.**, Pisoni, D. B., & Kronenberger, W. G. (February, 2025). *Family environment influences DHH children's language through parent's language*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.
94. Lind-Combs, H., & **Holt, R. F.** (May, 2025). *Variability in perceived pragmatic language skills in deaf or hard of hearing children: The role of assessment type*. Poster presented at CI2025: Conference on Cochlear Implants, Boston, MA.
95. Hiersch, K., Wang, X., Quatrala, A., Dickerson, J., Taylor, G. H., Hamilton, J., Constantine, M., **Holt, R. F.**, & Saygin, Z. (September, 2025). *Connectivity-based prediction of putative language regions in the fetal brain*. Poster presented at FLUX 2025 (Developmental Cognitive Neuroscience conference), Dublin, Ireland.
96. Bent, T., **Holt, R. F.**, Sershen, M., Reusch, P., Hale, R., Ingram, A. C., & Henry, M. (December, 2025). *How children spontaneously describe talkers from speech*. Poster presented at the Joint Meeting of the Acoustical Society of America and the Acoustical Society of Japan, Honolulu, HI.
97. Bowdrie, K., Lecke, M., & **Holt, R. F.** (February, 2026). *Hearing aid benefit in adults: Interactions between temperament and self-efficacy*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Auditory Society, Scottsdale, AZ.
 **Awarded New Investigator Travel Award (to Bowdrie)
98. Bowdrie, K., Lecke, M., Moenter-Rodriguez, D., & **Holt, R. F.** (April, 2026). *Associations between subjective and objective hearing aid outcomes: The role of self-efficacy*. Poster presented at the Ohio Speech-Language-Hearing-Association Convention, Westerville, OH.

99. Bowdrie, K., & **Holt, R. F.** (April, 2026). *The effects of adult temperament on aided speech perception while accounting for self-efficacy*. Poster presented at the Ohio Speech-Language-Hearing-Association Convention, Westerville, OH.
100. Tsai, T-P., Bent, T., **Holt, R. F.**, Hale, R., Kilgore, R., Reusch, P., & Xanders, A. (May, 2026). *Developmental trajectories in perception of gender diverse voices using face spectra*. Poster presented at the spring meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, Philadelphia, PA.
101. Bent, T., **Holt, R. F.**, Hale, R., Henry, M., Ingram, A. C., Kilgore, R., Montgomery, B., Reusch, P., Sershen, M., Tsai, T-P., & Xanders, A. (May, 2026). *Developmental changes in spontaneous descriptions of talkers from speech*. Poster presented at the spring meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, Philadelphia, PA.
102. Henry, M., Bent, T., Henry, J., & **Holt, R. F.** (May, 2026). *Identifying acoustic-phonetic predictors of children's accent distance perception: A machine learning approach*. Paper presented at the 47th Annual International Child Phonology Conference, Madison, WI.
103. Hale, R., **Holt, R. F.**, Bent, T., & Henry, M. (November, 2026). *Category persistence and sequential structure of spontaneous speech descriptors*. Poster to be presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Indianapolis, IN.
104. Dickerson, J., Quatrala, A., Hiersche, K., Wang, X., Saygin, Z., & **Holt, R. F.** (November, 2026). *Associations between family environment and neurocognitive development in infancy*. Poster to be presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Indianapolis, IN.
105. Jamsek, I., & **Holt, R. F.** (November, 2026). *Speech production during home activities between parents and their children who are hard of hearing*. Paper to be presented at the annual meeting of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Indianapolis, IN.

Invited Presentations (State, National, or International)

1. Svirsky, M. A., Jester, A., & **Holt, R. F.** (March, 2006). *A sensitive period for the development of intelligible speech in children with cochlear implants*. Invited paper presented at the 8th European Symposium on Pediatric Cochlear Implantation, Lido di Venezia, Italy.
2. **Holt, R. F.** (March, 2006). *Speech perception in pediatric cochlear implant recipients: Results from new populations served by speech-language pathologists*. Invited paper presented at the annual meeting of the Indiana University Annual National Student Speech-Language-Hearing Association Conference, Bloomington, IN.
3. **Holt, R. F.** (April, 2006). *Cochlear implants in two new pediatric populations*. Invited paper presented at the annual meeting of the Indiana Speech and Hearing Association, Indianapolis, IN.

4. Kirk, K. I., **Holt, R. F.**, & Miyamoto, R. T. (November, 2006). *Age at implantation effects in six-year-old children*. Invited paper presented at the 2006 Chinese University of Hong Kong ENT Conference, Prince of Wales Hospital, Shatin, N.T., Hong Kong.
5. **Holt, R. F.** (June, 2008). *Early intervention for infants with hearing loss*. Invited presentation at the First Steps Conference, All About Infants: Early Intervention for Infants with Special Needs, Indianapolis, IN.
6. **Holt, R. F.** (April, 2011). *Serving children with severe hearing loss and deafness*. Invited presentation at the 2011 Indiana Early Childhood Conference, Indianapolis, IN.
7. **Holt, R. F.** (February, 2012). *Not-so-terrible twos: Toddler speech-sound discrimination assessment and contributing non-sensory factors*. Invited paper presented at Butler University, Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders, Indianapolis, IN.
8. **Holt, R. F.** (September, 2012). *The ear is connected to the brain. Intervention outcomes in children with hearing loss: Family matters*. Invited paper presented at the annual fall meeting of the Indiana Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Indianapolis, IN.
9. **Holt, R. F.** (December, 2013). *Family matters: The influence of family environment on spoken, language, social, and cognitive development in children with hearing loss*. Invited paper presented at Nationwide Children's Hospital, Departments of Otolaryngology and Audiology, Columbus, OH.
10. **Holt, R. F.** (July, 2014). *Family Influences on the Risk-Outcome Relationship in Children with Hearing Loss*. Invited paper presented at Nationwide Children's Hospital, Department of Neuropsychology, Columbus, OH.
11. Bent, T., **Holt, R. F.**, & Miller, K. (February, 2018). *Non-Acoustic Influences on Speech Perception in Normal and Impaired Hearing*. Invited paper presented as part of a reviewed symposium at the Association for Research in Otolaryngology MidWinter Meeting, San Diego, CA.
12. **Holt, R. F.** (July, 2019). *Pathways of influence: Parenting and child outcomes in deaf and hard-of-hearing children*. Invited paper presented at the Research Symposium at the AG Bell Global Listening and Spoken Language Symposium, Madrid, Spain.
13. **Holt, R. F.** (December, 2019). *From noncategorical perception to sources of individual differences in pediatric hearing loss outcomes: Reflecting on the influential research career of Dr. Arlene Earley Carney*. Invited paper presented at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN.
14. **Holt, R. F.** (April, 2020). *Family environment: Pathways of influence on developmental outcomes*. Invited paper presented at the University of Illinois, Champagne-Urbana, IL.

15. **Holt, R. F.** (April, 2020). *It doesn't take much: Effects of parental stress on neurocognition in deaf and hard-of-hearing children*. Invited paper presented at Nationwide Children's Hospital, Department of Neuropsychology, Columbus, OH.
16. **Holt, R. F.** (September, 2020). *Differential effects of family dynamics and environment on development in children with hearing loss*. Invited paper presented at the Nebraska Speech Language Hearing Association 2020 Virtual Fall Convention, Omaha, NE (presented remotely).
17. **Holt, R. F.** (September, 2020). *Transforming research power structures*. Invited paper presented at the University of Minnesota NSF NRT "Diversity in STEM" Series, Minneapolis, MN (presented remotely).
18. **Holt, R. F.** (August, 2022). *Hearing with your brain*. Invited presentation at the STEAM Factory's Columbus Science Pub, Shadowbox Live, Columbus, OH.
19. **Holt, R. F.** (April, 2023). *Family-related contributions to language in oral deaf and hard-of-hearing children*. Diane Kewley-Port invited, annual mentored lecture, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.
20. **Holt, R. F.** (April, 2025). *Family-related contributions to neurocognitive outcomes in oral deaf and hard-of-hearing children*. Invited lecture, Boys Town National Research Hospital, Omaha, NE.
21. **Holt, R. F.** (April, 2025). *Career development workshop: Community-facing research in an anti-science climate*. Invited lecture, Boys Town National Research Hospital, Omaha, NE.
22. **Holt, R. F.** (October, 2025). *The importance of families in spoken language development of DHH children*. Invited presentation, Ohio Speech-Language Supervisory and Audiology Network (OSSPEAC) Conference 2025, Columbus, OH.
23. **Holt, R. F.** (December, 2025). *Listening with your brain*. Invited presentation at the Columbus Science Pub, Shadowbox Live, Columbus, OH.

Invited Presentations (Intramural)

1. **Holt, R.F.** (2005, October). *A new test of audiovisual sentence recognition for children with sensory aids: Test development and initial findings with normal-hearing children*. Invited paper presented in the Speech Research Lab (Pisoni), Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.
2. **Holt, R. F.** (2011, January). *Not-so-terrible twos: Assessing speech-sound discrimination in toddlers*. Invited paper presented at the DeVault Otologic Research Laboratory, Indiana University School of Medicine, Indianapolis, IN.

3. **Holt, R. F.** (May, 2011). *Hearing, Hearing Loss and Audiology*. Invited presentation at the DeVault Otologic Research Laboratory, Indiana University School of Medicine, Indianapolis, IN.
4. **Holt, R. F.** (February, 2012). *Contribution of Family Environment to Spoken Language Development in Children with Cochlear Implants*. Invited paper presented in the Speech Research Lab (Pisoni), Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.
5. **Holt, R. F., & Beer, J.** (August, 2012). *Work in Progress: Family Factors in Hearing-Impaired Children's Academic and Social Development*. Invited paper presented at the DeVault Otologic Research Laboratory, Indiana University School of Medicine, Indianapolis, IN.
6. **Holt, R. F.** (April, 2016). *School-age Children's Perception of Native Dialects and Nonnative Accents*. Invited paper presented at Language Acquisition Research Interest Group (Lacqueys), Department of Linguistics, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

The Ohio State University (2013-present)

Course Instruction

Undergraduate Level

SPHHRNG 4540 Introduction to Audiology

Graduate Level

SPHHRNG 6735 Hearing Aids I

SPHHRNG 6858 Introduction to Auditory Neuroscience

SPHHRNG 7805 Pediatric Audiology I

SPHHRNG 8931 Cochlear Implants

CSE/LING/PHILOS/PSYCH/ SPHHRNG 5891 Proseminar in Cognitive Science

Student Training and Mentoring

Post-doctoral Fellow

Carrie Davenport, Ph.D. 2017-2019

Current Position: CEO, Building Bridges Consulting

Ph.D. Students, Chair

Andrew Blank, Au.D., Ph.D. 2016-2021

Current Position: Lecturer, Ohio State University

Caitlin Kjeldsen, Ph.D. co-mentor w/ N. Maitre 2019-2023

Current Position: Post-doctoral Fellow, Emory University

Holly Lind-Combs, Ph.D., CCC-SLP, 2019-2024

Current Position: Assistant Professor, Towson University

Kristina Bowdrie, Au.D, Ph.D. 2018-2025

Current Position: Assistant Professor, Case Western Reserve University

Izabela Jamsek, Au.D., Ph.D.	2017-2025
Current Positions: Pediatric Audiologist, Nationwide Children's Hospital	
Research Audiologist, Nationwide Children's Hospital	

Journie Dickerson	2022-present
Ryan Hale	2024-present
Xiaoxue Zhang (co-mentor w/ T. Tamati)	2026-present

Ph.D. Committees

Carla Youngdahl (Speech and Hearing Science)	2013-2015
Matthew Davis (Speech and Hearing Science)	2014-2015
Sarah Yoho (Speech and Hearing Science)	2014-2016
Britney Carter (Speech and Hearing Science)	2017-2020
Geoffrey Greene (Speech and Hearing Science)	2019-2023
Eric Johnson (Speech and Hearing Science)	2020-2022
Lian Arzbecker (Speech and Hearing Science)	2022-2023
Victoria Sevich (Speech and Hearing Science)	2022-2025
Aaron McDaniel (Nursing)	2022-present
Jessie Lewis (Speech and Hearing Science)	2023-2026
Nicole Viola (Speech and Hearing Science)	2024-2025
Sophia Nicols (Speech and Hearing Science)	2026-present

Ph.D. Committee, Graduate Faculty Representative

Dylan Poorboy (Evolution, Ecology, & Organismal Biology)	2024
Alison Casey (Sociology)	2025

M.A. Thesis Students, Advisor

Katherine Miller	2016-2018
Elise Marlowe (Brubaker)	2022-2023

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Students, Advisor

Sarah Mabie	2013-2015
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Undergraduate Thesis Students, Advisor

Angela Hill	2013-2015
Melike Baspinar (co-advised with Laura Wagner, Ph.D.)	2021-2023
Brianna Montgomery	2026-present

In-House SHS Advisor for EEI Students (Co-Advised)

Lauren Boyce	2014-2015
Natalie Safdar	2016-2017
Hannah Adazzio	2017-2018
Grace Terry	2020-2021

CCBS Undergraduate Summer Institute Students

Piper Reusch	2025
Ace Young	2026

National Science Foundation REU Students (Site Grant #1461039)

Tiarah Wilcox	2015
Akemi Jones	2016
Emma Libersky	2017
Moné Skratt Henry	2017
Melissa Martin	2017
Sarah Binau	2017
Corrin Moss	2017
Laura Liang	2018
Aliya Tull	2018
Lamar McMillan	2019
Abimael Jimenez	2019
Jada Hudgins	2019
Charity Ayebae	2021
Precious-Janae Romain	2021
Sarah White	2023
Raven Glover	2023
Michaela Sershen	2025

Acoustical Society of America SURIEA Student

Ace Young	2026
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Au.D. Capstone Students, Advisor

Samuel Brown	2015-2016
Kayla Fuzer	2015-2016
Amanda Hager	2015-2016
Taylor Wucinich	2016-2017
Leah Benedict	2016-2018
Abby Wills	2017-2019
Kelly Epperson	2017-2019
Emily Stevens	2018-2020
Anna Braam	2019-2022
Alyse Ramirez	2019-2021
Nicki Besse	2020-2021
Erin Pulver	2025-2026
Lucas Coffman	2025-2026

M.A.-SLP Poster Students, Advisor

Erin Stefancin	2018-2019
Mia Eberts	2019-2020
Allison Kinross	2021-2022

Indiana University (2005-2013)

Course Instruction

Undergraduate Level

S478 Rehabilitative Audiology

Graduate Level

S579 Children and Hearing Loss

S515 Cochlear Implants

S677 Implantable Auditory Prostheses

S680 Independent/Directed Study

S778 Educational Audiology

Student Training and Mentoring

Ph.D. Student

Kaylah Lalonde 2009-2014

Current Position: Research Scientist, Boys Town National Research Hospital

Postdoctoral Fellow

Tessa Bent, Ph.D. 2007-2008

Current Position: Professor & Chair, Indiana University

School of Medicine and Au.D. Predoctoral Trainees (funded by T32 DC00012)

Anna Lin 2004

Lisa Burckhartzmeyer 2005

Stacy Howell 2006

Tera Quigley 2011

Courtney Myers 2012

Lindsay Smith 2013

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Students

Chariz Fong 2007-2008

Spencer Smith 2008-2009

Lindsay Smith 2011-2012

Rebecca Trzupek 2012-2013

Training for Research and Academic Careers in Communication Sciences

(TRACCS) Students

Aileen Wong 2007

Kathy Carbonell 2008

Kierra Villines 2011

Ph.D. Committees

Esperanza Miranda Anaya (Psychological and Brain Sciences) 2011-2013

Adrienne Roman (Psychological and Brain Sciences) 2011-2013

Kristin Baar (Speech and Hearing Sciences) DNF

M.A. Thesis Committees

Victoria Cook (Speech and Hearing Sciences) 2010-2011

University of Minnesota (2000-2002)

Course Instruction

Undergraduate Level

CDis 4801 Hearing Measurement and Disorders – Teaching Assistant

Graduate Level

CDis 5803 Hearing Loss in Children: Diagnosis – Taught genetics portion of class

CDis 8801 Audiologic Assessment II – Taught vestibular portion of class/Teaching Assistant

CDis 5702 Audiologic Assessment I – Teaching Assistant

CDis 5802 Hearing Aids I – Teaching Assistant

CDis 8305 Signals and Systems in Audiology – Teaching Assistant

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

The Ohio State University

Departmental

Search Committee, Chair	2024-2025
OH-National Black Association of Speech-Language and Hearing, Faculty Advisor	2021-present
Au.D. Subcommittee, Member	2017-present
Au.D. Subcommittee, Chair	2013-2017
Graduate Studies Committee, Member	2013-2017
Promotion & Tenure Committee, Member	2013-present
Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Subcommittee, Chair	2018-2024
Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Subcommittee, Member	2016-2018
Guest Lecturer	
SHS 2230 Introduction to Communication and its Disorders	2013-present
SHS 8900 PhD Proseminar	2016-present

University/Community

Graduate School	
Alumni Grants for Graduate Research and Scholarship Competition	2025
Review Committee Member	
Office of Research Compliance	
Research Integrity Standing Committee, Member	2021-2024
Arts and Sciences (Social & Behavioral Sciences Division)	
Promotion & Tenure Committee, Member	2021-2024
Arts and Sciences Faculty Senate	
Department Representative Alternate	2018-2019
Department Representative	2019-2021
Arts and Sciences Faculty Awards Review Committee	
Social and Behavioral Sciences Representative	2018, 2019
Center for Cognitive and Brain Sciences	
Associate Director	2018-2024
Minor in Cognitive Science Undergraduate, Advisor	

Graduate Interdisciplinary Specialization in Cognitive and Brain Sciences, Graduate Studies Chair	
Member	2017-present
Center for Science and Industry Columbus (COSI) Buckeye Language Pod	
Faculty Member	2014-present
Regular presenter at research open house	2014-present
Pod Executive Committee Member, Advancement Director	2017-present
Children's Hearing and Language Development Resource Network of Ohio (CHLDRN of Ohio), Member	2016-2024
Explorations in Medicine	
Co-Facilitated two sessions at Clintonville International High School	2018
Guest Lecturer	
PSY 5700 Training in Science Education Outreach	2016-present
REU Site Program	2017-present
CCBS Undergraduate Summer Institute (CUSI)	2019-2023
Applied Development Specialization Ph.D. Seminar	2020
Institute for Population Research, Member	2013-present
National	
President	2025-2026
<i>American Auditory Society</i>	
President-Elect, Scientific Program Chair for 2025 annual meeting	2024-2025
<i>American Auditory Society</i>	
Editor-In-Chief	
<i>Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research - Hearing</i>	2024-present
Editor	
<i>Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research - Hearing</i>	2020-2023
<i>Frontiers in Audiology and Otology</i>	2026-2027
Special issue, Topic Editor	
Grant Reviewer	
<i>National Institutes of Health</i> , LCOM Study Section Temporary Member	2017
<i>National Institutes of Health</i> , BDCN Fogarty Study Section Ad-Hoc Member	2018
<i>National Institutes of Health</i> , ZDC1 SRB-K(17) Special Emphasis Panel	2018
(NIDCD Hearing & Balance Fellowships: Fs & Ks)	
<i>American Speech-Language-Hearing Foundation</i> , Student Research Grant	2018
<i>National Institutes of Health</i> , ZGM1 TWD-7 MK MOSAIC	2022
K99/R00 Study Section, Ad-Hoc Member	
<i>University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee</i> , Advancing Research & Creativity Grant	2023
<i>National Institutes of Health</i> , ZGM1 TWD-8 MK MOSAIC	2023
K99/R00 Study Section, Ad-Hoc Member	
<i>National Science Foundation</i> , Division of Behavioral and Cognitive Sciences	
Ad-Hoc Member	2024
Board of Directors, Hearing Science (elected)	
<i>American Auditory Society</i>	2022-2026
Topic Committee for Academic Models of Clinical Education	
<i>American Speech-Language-Hearing Association</i>	2019

Convention Program Committee Member	
<i>American Speech-Language-Hearing Association</i>	2017
<i>American Speech-Language-Hearing Association</i>	2026
Speech Communication Technical Committee Member	
<i>Acoustical Society of America</i>	2014-present
Women in Acoustics	2018-present
Dependent Care Subsidies Reviewer	2019
Dependent Care Subsidies Chair	2019
<i>Acoustical Society of America</i>	
Editorial Board Member	
<i>Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research – Hearing</i>	2017-2020
<i>Otology and Neurotology</i>	2013-2016
Guest Associate Editor	
<i>Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research – Hearing</i>	2013
Editorial Consultant	
<i>Brain and Language</i>	2021
<i>Child Development Perspectives</i>	2013
<i>Cochlear Implants International</i>	2018-2019
<i>Ear and Hearing</i>	2013-2026
<i>Journal of Child Language</i>	2015-2020
<i>Journal of Communication Disorders</i>	2017
<i>Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research</i>	2013-2019
<i>Journal of the Acoustical Society of America</i>	2013-2022
<i>JASA-Express Letters</i>	2021
<i>Otology and Neurotology</i>	2013-2018
<i>American Journal of Audiology</i>	2013-2020
<i>Research in Developmental Disabilities</i>	2015
<i>Speech Communication</i>	2023-2025
Memberships	
<i>Acoustical Society of America</i>	
<i>American Auditory Society</i>	
<i>American Speech-Language-Hearing Association</i>	
<i>American Cochlear Implant Alliance</i>	
<i>National Black Association for Speech-Language and Hearing</i>	
Guest Lecturer	
University of Minnesota	2014-2021
UC-Santa Barbara Undergraduate Linguistics course	2020
University of Pittsburg Undergraduate Aural Rehabilitation course	2024
CWRU-Hampton University IMPACT Program	2025
<i>International</i>	
Grant Reviewer	2014-2015
National Science Centre, Poland	
Indiana University	2005-2013
<i>Departmental</i>	

Guest Lecturer

S110 Survey of Communication Disorders
S201 Speech Anatomy and Physiology
S579 Children and Hearing Loss
S683 Research Forum
TRACCS

Committee Memberships

Diversity Committee
Student Concerns Committee
Collegiality Committee
Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

Au.D. Comprehensive Exams Reader/Evaluator

Au.D. Clinical Gateway Exams Evaluator

Search and Screen Committee Member (Clinical Assistant Professor in Audiology)

Search and Screen Committee Member (Preschool Teacher)

Search and Screen Committee Member (Preschool Teacher)

Search and Screen Committee Member (Assistant Professor in Speech/Hearing Science)

Collaborator, Clinical ABR protocol development for babies who fail UNHS

University

Search and Screen Committee Member 2010

Campus View Child Care Center (Infant/Toddler Teacher)

Grant Reviewer

Indiana University Faculty Research Support Program (FRSP) 2011

Indiana University Collaborative Research Grant (IUCRG) 2013

Community

Bloomington Minority Health Fair Volunteer 2006

Heiny Helpers Co-Founder, Board Member and Volunteer 2011-2014

State

Center for Interactive Learning and Collaboration 2005

Indiana University School of Medicine Expert Lecturer on Hearing and
Hearing Loss for K-12 Education Programs

First Steps 2008

Invited presentation on Early Intervention for Infants with Hearing Loss for
Professionals and Parents

Indiana Association for the Education of Young Children, Inc. 2011

Invited Presentation on Serving Children with Severe Hearing Loss and
Deafness for Professionals

National

Speech Communication Technical Committee Member 2008-2014

Acoustical Society of America

Convention Program Committee Member 2009

American Speech-Language-Hearing Association

Editorial Board Member	
<i>Otology and Neurotology</i>	2013-present
Guest Associate Editor	
<i>Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research</i>	2013
Editorial Consultant	
Published Book Review: <i>Cochlear Implants: What Parents Should Know</i> Holt, R. F. (2010). <i>International Journal of Audiology</i> , 49, 865.	
<i>Jones & Bartlett Learning</i> (reviewed a book proposal on communication training for children with hearing loss)	2011
<i>American Journal of Audiology</i>	2011-2013
<i>American Journal of Speech-Language Pathology</i>	2001
<i>Child Development Perspectives</i>	2013
<i>Cochlear Implants International</i>	2010-2012
<i>Current Psychology Letters</i>	2007-2008
<i>Developmental Medicine and Child Neurology</i>	2006-2007
<i>Ear and Hearing</i>	2002-2013
<i>International Journal of Audiology</i>	2004-2009
<i>International Journal of Pediatric Otorhinolaryngology</i>	2006-2007
<i>Journal of Speech, Language, and Hearing Research</i>	2005-2013
<i>Language, Speech, and Hearing Services in the Schools</i>	2010
<i>Journal of the Acoustical Society of America</i>	2011-2013
<i>Otology and Neurotology</i>	2012-2013
<i>Pediatrics</i>	2009
<i>The Volta Review</i>	2004-2010