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**Education**

- Ph.D. 1983. Linguistics, The University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois
- M.A. 1978. Linguistics, California State University, Northridge
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**PRAGMATICS SURVEY**

**2011 AAAL**

Bardovi-Harlig, K, & Bastos, MT. (2011). *Effects of Intensity of Interaction, Proficiency, and Length of Stay on the Acquisition of Conventional Expressions in L2*

## **Research Interests**

Second language acquisition, second language temporality and tense-mood-aspect systems, interlanguage pragmatics.

## **Personal Statement**

My research interests fall primarily into two main categories; the development of tense-mood-aspect systems in second language and the development of second language discourse and pragmatics. In my early research these seemed to be two distinct tracks, the first grammatical and the second pragmatic. As I continue to work in these areas, however, I have become increasingly aware of how linguistic development interacts with development in interlanguage pragmatics, and how discourse structure (particularly narrative structure) influences tense-aspect use.

My current work expands my research on tense-aspect to include the expression of the future and modality. My investigation of the interrelation of grammar and pragmatics has led to an ongoing study of formulaic sequences in pragmatics.

## **Courses Recently Taught**

- Models of Second Language Acquisition
- Second Language Research Design
- Current Research in SLA
- Seminar in SLA

- Interlanguage Pragmatics Seminar
- Discourse Analysis
- Classroom-Based Research

## **Books & Edited Volumes**

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Bardovi-Harlig, K., Félix-Brasdefer, C., & Omar, A. S. (Eds.) (2006). *Pragmatics and Language Learning 11.* Honolulu, HI: University of Hawai'i, National Foreign Language Resource Center.

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Bardovi-Harlig, K., & Mahan-Taylor, R. (2003). *Teaching Pragmatics.* Washington, DC: United States Department of State.

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Bardovi-Harlig, K., & Hartford, B. S. (Eds.). (1995). *Thematic Issue of Studies in Second Language Acquisition*, 17(2). Constructing discourse: Exploring the texts of nonnative speakers.

## **Selected journal articles and chapters**

### **Tense and Aspect**

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Bardovi-Harlig, K. (2004). Monopolizing the future: How the go-future breaks into will's territory and what it tells us about SLA. *EuroSLA Yearbook*, 4, 177-201. Amsterdam: Benjamins.

Bardovi-Harlig, K. (2004). The emergence of grammaticalized future expression in longitudinal production data. In M. Overstreet, S. Rott, B. VanPatten, & J. Williams (Eds.) *Form and meaning in second language acquisition* (pp. 115-137). Mahwah, NJ: Erlbaum.

Bardovi-Harlig, K. (2002). Analyzing aspect. In R. Salaberry & Y. Shirai (Eds.), *Tense-aspect morphology in L2 acquisition* (pp. 129-154). Amsterdam: John Benjamins.

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temporal semantics: Tense-aspect research in SLA. State of the art article. *Studies in Second Language Acquisition*, 21(3), 341-382.

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## **L2 pragmatics**

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Bardovi-Harlig, K. (2010). Exploring the pragmatics of interlanguage pragmatics: Definition by design. In A. Trosborg (Ed.) *Pragmatics across languages and cultures* (Vol. 7 of *Handbook of pragmatics*; pp. 219-259). Berlin : Mouton de Gruyter.

Bardovi-Harlilg, K. (2010). Revised for second edition. Pragmatics and second language acquisition. In R. Kaplan (Ed.), *The Handbook of Applied Linguistics* (pp. 232-243). Oxford: Oxford University Press. [see original, Bardovi-Harlig, K. (2001c)] Bardovi-Harlig, K. (2010). Recognition of conventional expressions in L2 pragmatics. In G. Kasper, H. t.

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National Foreign Language Resource Center.

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## Faculty and Student Publications

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## Service to the Field

- American Association of Applied Linguistics (AAAL) Leadership, 2005-09
- Editor, *Language Learning* 2002-05
- SSLA Editorial Board
- National Foreign Language Resource Center (NFLRC) University of Hawaii 1994-06

