

Luigi Rizzi

CURRICULUM VITAE

Né à Gênes, Italie, le 3 juin 1952.

Poste actuel:

- Titulaire de la chaire de linguistique générale au Collège de France.

Expérience professionnelle:

- Professeur ordinaire de linguistique générale au Département de linguistique, Université de Genève 2014-2017. Principal Investigator du projet ERC SynCart, Département de linguistique, Université de Genève, 2014-2019.
- Professeur ordinaire de linguistique à l'Université de Sienne, 1996-2019.
- Professeur ordinaire de linguistique générale au Département de linguistique, Université de Genève 1985-1996; puis, Professeur associé, 1996-2014.
- Associate Professor, Department of Linguistics and Philosophy, MIT, Cambridge, Mass., 1983-1985.
- Professore associato, Università della Calabria, 1981-1983.
- Professore incaricato, Università della Calabria, 1979-1981.
- Ricercatore, Scuola Normale Superiore, Pisa, 1980-1981.
- Perfezionando, Scuola Normale Superiore, Pisa, 1976-1979.

Activités comme professeur invité:

- Ecole Normale Supérieure, Département d'Etudes Cognitives, Professeur invité à plusieurs reprises, Paris, dès 2002.
- UCLA, Visiting Professor, Los Angeles, 2000.
- Scuola Internazionale Superiore di Studi Avanzati (SISSA), Professeur extraordinaire chargé de la coordination du secteur des Sciences Cognitives du Laboratoire pour les sciences humaines et naturelles, Trieste, 1991-1993.
- Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales, Professeur invité, Paris, 1988.
- University of Massachusetts at Amherst, Visiting Assistant Professor, Amherst, Mass., 1981.

Etudes :

- Scuola Normale Superiore de Pise et Université de Pise; Laurea in lettere à l’Université de Pise (1975).

Honneurs académiques :

- Honorary Member of the Linguistic Society of America (1993-)
- Corresponding Fellow (FBA) of the British Academy (2000-)
- Member of the Academia Europaea (2007-)
- Chaire internationale d’excellence Blaise Pascal (ENS, Paris, 2011)
- ERC Advanced Grant SynCart (2013)
- International Honorary Member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences (2017-)
- Professeur honoraire, Université de Genève (2017-)
- Professeur émérite, Université de Sienne (2020-)
- International Member, National Academy of Sciences, EU (2021-)

Autres activités académiques :

- Directeur du Département de linguistique, Université de Genève, 1990-1993.
- Member of the Scientific Committee of the Netherlands Graduate School of Linguistics (LOT), 1997-2000.
- Member of the Scientific Advisory Board of the NORMS Project, Nordic Research Council for the Humanities and the Social Sciences, 2006-2009.
- Coordinateur du premier et deuxième projet national “The Cartography of Syntactic Structures”, Universités de Florence, Milan, Sienne et Venise, 1997-2001; directeur de l’équipe de Sienne dans le troisième, quatrième et cinquième projet 2003 – 2005 - 2007.
- Membre du comité d’experts pour la constitution de l’Institut des sciences cognitives, Lyon, 1994-1995.
- Membre du comité scientifique des Trieste Encounters in Cognitive Science, SISSA, Trieste, 1989-1997; Chairman en 1992.
- Member of the Advisory Board of the Tokyo Conference on Psycholinguistics, Keio University, Tokyo, 2000.
- Directeur du département de Scienze della comunicazione, Université de Sienne, 2007-2010.
- Directeur du Centro Interdisciplinare di Studi Cognitivi sul Linguaggio (CISCL), Université de Sienne (1999-2014).

Activités éditoriales :

- Co-direttore di Rivista di grammatica generativa, 1980-2017 (Italie)

- European Co-editor of Linguistic Inquiry, 1981-83, 1986-1994 (MIT, EU)
- Co-editor of the monograph series Studies in Natural Language and Linguistic Theory, Kluwer, 1988-1991 (EU, Pays Bas)
- Co-director of the monograph series of Rivista di grammatica generativa (Italie)
- Member of the Editorial Board of Linguistic Inquiry (EU)
- Member of the Editorial Board of Natural Language and Linguistic Theory, 1983-1986. (Pays Bas, EU)
- Member of the Editorial Board of Sistemi Intelligenti (Italie)
- Member of the Editorial Board of Probus (Pays Bas)
- Member of the Editorial Board of Language Acquisition (EU)
- Member of the Editorial Board of Cognition, 1991-1996
- Member of the Editorial Board of Journal of Linguistics, 1994-1996 (UK)
- Member of the Editorial Board of Studia Linguistica (Suède)
- Member of the Editorial Board of English Linguistics (Japon)
- Member of the Editorial Board of the book series Language Acquisition and Language Disorders (John Benjamins, Pays Bas)
- Member of the Editorial Board of Studies in Chinese Linguistics (ISSN1017-1274), Spring 2012- (Hong Kong)
- Member of the Honorary Editorial Board of Semantics – Syntax Interface (E-ISSN 2383-2010), University of Tehran, 2015- (Iran).

Organisation de colloques :

- GLOW Conference, SNS, Pisa, Italie, 1979 (co-organisateur)
- European Science Foundation Workshop on the Typology of European Languages, Genève, Suisse, 1990
- Co-organisateur (avec K. Wexler) du workshop “Language Acquisition and Development” dans le cadre des Trieste Encounters in Cognitive Sciences, SISSA, Trieste, Italie, juillet 1993
- XXV Incontro di Grammatica Generativa, Siena, Italie, 1997 (co-organisateur)
- Cartographic Workshop “The Structure of CP and IP”, Siena, Italie, 1999
- Ealing 2003, Fall Linguistic Institute, Ecole Normale Supérieure, (Rue d’Ulm), Paris, (co-organisateur)
- GALA 2005, Siena, Italie, (co-organisateur)
- Latsis Conference on Language Acquisition and Language Pathology 2006, Genève, Suisse, (co-organisateur).
- XXXV Incontro di Grammatica Generativa, Université de Sienna, Italie, février 2009 (co-organisateur).
- SynCart workshop on Syntactic Cartography, Chiusi – Siena, Italie, juillet 2016 (co-organisateur).

- Why “Why” is different, workshop at the Meeting of the Societas Linguistica Europaea, Zurich, Suisse, septembre 2017 (co-organisateur).
- Language, Brain and Learning, DISPOC, Université de Sienne, Septembre 2020 (co-organisateur).
- The representation of language in brains and machines, co-organisé avec Stanislas Dehaene et Stéphane Mallat, Collège de France, juin 2021.

Conférences invitées (liste partielle) :

- Keynote speaker, XIV Linguistic Symposium on Romance Languages, USC, 1984.
- Keynote speaker (Henry Sweet Lecturer), the 1988 Meeting of the Linguistic Association of Great Britain, Durham, RU, mars 1988.
- Plenary speaker, 10th Annual Meeting of the English Linguistic Society of Japan, Tokyo, 1992.
- Plenary speaker, Bressanone Meeting in Neuropsychology, 1994.
- Invited speaker, Going Romance 1995, Utrecht, Pays-Bas
- Invited speaker, Linguistic Association of Israel, Tel-Aviv, 1995
- Plenary speaker, 16ème Congrès International des Linguistes, Paris, juin 1997.
- Plenary speaker, the 22nd Boston University Conference on Language Development, (“Remarks on Early Null Subjects”), USA,.novembre 1997,
- Invited speaker, Going Romance, Amsterdam, Pays-Bas, décembre 2001.
- Keynote speaker, XXXII Linguistic Symposium on Romance Languages, Toronto, Canada, avril 2002.
- Invited speaker, CGSW XVII, Comparative Germanic Association, Reykjavik, Islande, août 2002.
- Conférence inaugurale, Ecole Normale Supérieure (rue d’Ulm), Paris, France, septembre 2003.
- Invited speaker, XXX IGG, Venezia, Italie, février 2004.
- Invited speaker, 2nd Lisbon Meeting on Language Acquisition, (“Performance-driven Parametric Discontinuity”), Portugal, juin 2004
- Invited speaker, Workshop The Romance Turn: On the Acquisition of Syntax in the Romance Languages, (“On the Nature of Grammatically-based Omissions in Child Language”), Madrid, Espagne, septembre 2004
- Invited speaker, Syntax Tutorial Leader, 1st GALANA meeting (Generative Approaches to Language Acquisition in North America) Honolulu, USA, décembre 2004.
- Keynote speaker, XXXVII Linguistic Symposium on Romance Languages, (“Criterial Freezing, EPP and ECP Effects”), University of Pittsburgh, USA, 15-18 mars, 2007.
- II Annual Joshua and Verona Whatmough Lecture, (“Locality Effects in Natural Language”), Harvard University, USA, 19 mars, 2007.
- Invited speaker, GLOW 2008 Conference, (“On Delimiting Movement”), Newcastle, RU, 27 mars, 2008.
- Invited speaker, Linguistic Society of Japan, Tokyo, juin 2009.
- Keynote speaker, Going Romance 2009, Nice, France, 4 décembre, 2009.

- Invited speaker, IGG 2010, University of Milano-Bicocca, Italie, 25 février, 2010.
- Invited speaker, GLOW Asia, Beijing, Chine, 18 août, 2010.
- Keynote speaker, Annual Meeting of the German Linguistic Society (DGfS), (“Complexity and Locality: Evidence from Comparative Syntax and Language Acquisition”) Frankfurt, RFA, 9 mars, 2012.
- Keynote speaker, Architecture and Mechanism for Language Processing (AMLaP), (“Locality and Complexity in Syntactic Theory and Language Acquisition”) Riva del Garda, Italie, septembre 2012.
- Plenary speaker, XLVI International Conference of the Società di Linguistica Italiana (SLI), (“The Cartography of Syntactic Structures: Results and Perspectives”) Siena, Italie, septembre 2012.
- Plenary speaker, VIII International Congress of the Brazilian Society of Linguistics (ABRALIN), the Federal University of Rio Grande do Norte (UFRN), (“The Cartography of the Left Periphery: Criteria and Labeling”), Natal, Brésil, 30 janvier - 2 février, 2013.
- Keynote speaker, International Workshop on Syntactic Cartography, University of Foreign Languages and Cultures, Beijing, Chine, décembre 2015,
- Invited speaker, Workshop to Honor Ken Wexler, MIT, Cambridge MA, 30 avril, 2016.
- Invited speaker, Cambridge Comparative Syntax Workshop (CamCoS 5), Cambridge, RU, 2016.
- Invited speaker, Annual meeting of the Società Italiana di Glottologia, Perugia, Italie, 2-3 décembre 2016.
- Invited speaker, Word order in the Left Periphery, (“Cartography and explanatory principles: locality, labeling, interpretive procedures”), University of Oslo, Norvège, 17 octobre 2017.
- Keynote speaker, Left Periphery Reloaded, University of Zurich, Suisse, 1er décembre 2017.
- Keynote speaker, Second International Workshop on Cartography, (“Cartography and explanation”), University of Foreign Languages and Cultures, Beijing, Chine, 29 octobre 2017.
- Keynote speaker, Workshop Cartography and explanatory adequacy, UAB, Barcelona, Espagne 24-25 mai, 2018
- Invited speaker, Workshop Linguistic Structures and Language Processing 10th Year Anniversary of the Foundation Marica De Vincenzi, (“Formal linguistic constraints and parsing principles”), Palazzo della Società Dante Alighieri, Rome, Italie, 8-9 juin, 2018
- Invited speaker, Workshop Crosslinguistic Variation in the Left Periphery at the Syntax-Discourse Interface, International Conference on Linguistics, (“Cartography and the explanatory role of grammatical principles”), Seoul National University, Corée du Sud, 15-16 juin 2018,
- Keynote speaker, 3d EISSI Syntax, Semantics Interfaces and Cognition, (“The cartography of the left periphery: The role of grammatical and interface principles”), Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina, Florianopolis, Brésil, 25-29 juin 2018
- Keynote speaker, Inaugural ceremony for the birth of the Department of Linguistics, University of Foreign Languages and Cultures, Beijing, Chine, octobre 2018.
- Keynote speaker, 3rd International Workshop on Cartography, University of Foreign Languages and Cultures, Beijing, Chine, 29 octobre, 2019.

- Keynote Speaker, Workshop on Autism, Linguistic Society of Japan, University of Nagoya, November 17, 2019.
- Invited Speaker, Abralin ao vivo – Linguistics online. Associação Brasileira de Linguística, Brazil, July 27, 2020
- Keynote Speaker, Fourth International Workshop on Syntactic Cartography, University of Foreign Languages and Cultures, Beijing, China, October 29, 2021.