

Curriculum Vitae for Beáta Megyesi

Current and Previous Positions

Professor of computational linguistics, Department of Linguistics, Stockholm University, Sweden 2023 –

Professor of computational linguistics, Department of Linguistics and Philology, Uppsala University, Sweden 2021 – 2023 (on leave)

Senior lecturer in computational linguistics, Dept. of Linguistics and Philology, Uppsala University, Sweden, 2006–2021;

Substitute senior lecturer in computational linguistics, Dept. of Linguistics and Philology, Uppsala University, Sweden, 2004–2006;

Researcher at the Centre for Speech Technology and Dept. of Speech, Music and Hearing, KTH, Stockholm, Sweden, 2002–2005;

Research engineer at the Centre for Speech Technology, KTH, 2000–2002;

Visiting researcher at the Dept. of Computer Science, New York University, New York, USA, April–June 1999;

Teaching assistant (amanuensis) in general linguistics, Dept. of Linguistics, Stockholm University, Sweden, 1999–2000;

Education

- Associate professor/Reader (Docent), Computational Linguistics, Uppsala University, 2013;
- PhD in speech communication, KTH. Dissertation title: *Data-driven Syntactic Analysis — Methods and Applications for Swedish*, 2002;
- Bachelor of arts in computational linguistics, Stockholm University, 2000.

Leadership and Academic Positions (selected)

- Member of the board of the National Research School in Digital Philology (DigPhil), Sweden, 2023-;
- Member of the board at the Center for Digital Humanities, Uppsala University, Sweden, 2020-2023;
- President of the Northern European Association for Language Technology (NEALT), 2020-2021;
- Vice president of the Northern European Association for Language Technology (NEALT), 2018-2019;

- Head of Department of Linguistics and Philology, 2009-2018;
- Director of the English Park Campus, Uppsala University, 2017-2018;
- Auditor and deputy auditor of the Northern European Association for Language Technology (NEALT), 2016-2017; 2012-2015
- Member of the board at the Dept. of Linguistics and Philology, 2007–2009, 2010-2012, 2012-2015, 2016-2018, 2022-2023;
- Member of the board of the Faculty of Languages, Uppsala University, 2008-2011, 2011-2014, 2019-2020;
- Director of studies at the Dept. of Linguistics and Philology, 2007-2009;
- Program coordinator for the Language Technology Program, Uppsala University, 2004-2007;
- Member of the board at the Dept. of Speech, Music and Hearing, 2003-2004.

Research Activities

Publications: Over 110 scientific publications consisting of 8 edited volumes, 1 dissertation, 11 journal papers, 3 book chapters, 70 peer-reviewed conference papers and 18 scientific reports.

Over 60 presented papers at national and international conferences; over 40 presentations at seminars and conferences in Sweden and abroad.

Participation in 10 externally funded projects, in four as project leader.

- *DECRYPT: Automatic Decoding of Historical Manuscripts*, Swedish Research Council (VR), Grant 2018-06074, 2018-2024, Main applicant, PI. Total: 29 580 000 SEK;
- *HistoCrypt 2018 — The 1st International Conference on Historical Cryptology*, Riksbankens Jubileumsfond. Research Initiation Grant F18-1091:1, Main applicant. Total: 400 000 SEK;
- *DECODE: Automatic Decoding of Historical Manuscripts*, Swedish Research Council, 2015-2017, Main applicant, PI. Total: 6 042 000 SEK;
- *SweLL — L2 infrastructure: Research Infrastructure for Swedish as a second language*, Gothenburg University, PI: Elena Volodina, financed by Riksbankens Jubileumsfond, Grant IN16-0464:1, 2017-2019, Co-applicant, researcher. Total ca 1 500 000 SEK;
- *An Infrastructure for Swedish Language Technology*, Språkbanken, Gothenburg University, PI: Lars Borin, financed by the Swedish Research Council, 2007-2008 and 2012. Co-applicant and researcher. Total ca 600 000 SEK for the Uppsala team.

Scientific and Academic Merits (selected past 5 years)

- Chair for the linguistics review panel at the Swedish Research Council 2024, vice chair (2023) and panel member 2021-2024; Reviewer for the Wallenbergs Foundation (MAW) 2020-2023, and KAW (2023);
- Program chair: International Conference on Historical Cryptology (HistoCrypt) 2018, 2020; Workshop on NLP and Pseudonymization, 2019; Workshop om pseudonymisering av textdata, 2019; Nordic Conference of Computational Linguistics (NoDaLiDa) 2015;
- Program committee member for over 40 international conferences;
- Member of Assessment Committees for readers at various universities and Member of the assessment committee for the evaluation of research at the Faculty of Humanities at Turku University, Finland, 2022; the 1st and 2nd cycle education of the main area of linguistics, the communicator program, and the international master's program in language technology, Gothenburg University, 2020; Chair of the assessment committee for the 3rd cycle education including Natural language processing, Nordic languages, and Swedish as a second language at the Department of Swedish, Gothenburg University, 2020;
- External evaluator of 6 PhD thesis defenses.