

FOREWORD

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Linguistics has been taught at La Trobe University for a number of years. A Division attached to the Department of Philosophy was formalised in 1979, with a full-time Head appointed in 1981. Linguistics became a full Department within the School of Humanities in 1988, and is scheduled to become a School within the restructured Faculty of Humanities in 1994.

Research interests currently emphasised are phonology, syntax, semantics, language typology, sociolinguistics, psycholinguistics, historical linguistics, applied linguistics, lexicography, discourse analysis, Australian Aboriginal languages, Papuan languages, African languages, South-East Asian languages and Germanic languages.

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Phonetics, sociolinguistics, Chinese and Japanese dialectology, Southeast Asian and Smb-Tibetan historical comparative linguistics

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Language acquisition, bilingualism, semantics, interpreting and translation

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