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Bio

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Assistant Professor, Linguistics

PROGRAM AFFILIATIONS

- Center for Comparative Studies in Race and Ethnicity (CCSRE)
- Symbolic Systems Program

LINKS

- My website: http://nandisims.github.io

Teaching

COURSES

2026-27

- Introduction to Contact Linguistics: LINGUIST 259A (Aut)
- Language, Race, and Ethnicity: LINGUIST 154 (Spr)
- Public Outreach in Sociolinguistics: LINGUIST 151P, LINGUIST 251P (Aut)
- TA Training Workshop: LINGUIST 394 (Aut)

2025-26

- Analysis of Variation: LINGUIST 258 (Spr)
- Language, Race, and Ethnicity: CSRE 157, LINGUIST 154 (Win)
- TA Training Workshop: LINGUIST 394 (Aut)

2023-24

- Analysis of Variation: LINGUIST 258 (Spr)
- CVC Research Lab: LINGUIST 259L (Aut, Win, Spr)
- Introduction to Contact Linguistics: LINGUIST 259A (Win)

STANFORD ADVISEES

Doctoral Dissertation Reader (AC)

Evelyn Fernandez-Lizarraga, Yin Lin Tan, Anissa Zaitsu

Publications

PUBLICATIONS

- **Evidence of second-stage new-dialect formation in South Florida preadolescents** *LANGUAGE VARIATION AND CHANGE*
  Sims, N.
  2026
- **THE ENGLISH PROSODIC RHYTHM OF AFRICAN AMERICANS AND HAITIAN AMERICANS IN SOUTH FLORIDA** *AMERICAN SPEECH*
  Sims, N.
  2025; 100 (3): 367-400
- **Verbal -s Variation in Earlier African American English** *JOURNAL OF ENGLISH LINGUISTICS*
  Sims, N.
  2024
- **Inheritance and Innovation in the Evolution of Rural African American English (Book Review)** *JOURNAL OF ENGLISH LINGUISTICS*
  Book Review Authored by: Sims, N.
  2024