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Fully Funded Ph.D. Position in Second Language Studies with a Specialization in Learner Corpus Research

The Michigan State University (MSU) Second Language Studies (SLS) Ph.D. Program and the MSU College of Arts and Letters seeks a L2-focused doctoral student to work as a **graduate research assistant** focusing on **learner corpora** while obtaining a Ph.D. at MSU.

Start Date: August 16, 2021

Description

- Assist Prof. Sandra C. Deshors with various research projects.
- Help maintain the Corpus Linguistics Lab (co-directed by Prof. Sandra C. Deshors and Prof. Charlene Polio).
- Receive a full MSU tuition waiver, monthly stipend (9 months), health insurance (12 months), and be able to apply for summer funding and travel money.
- Prior research experience suggesting interest in corpus-based approach to second language use and acquisition is desirable.
- Technical skills related to corpus linguistics and web site maintenance are also desirable.

How to apply:

1. Apply directly to the MSU SLS Ph.D. Program by December 11, 2020 at <http://sls.msu.edu/admissions/>
2. Under "Personal Statement," write "Application to be a Graduate Research Assistant in Learner Corpus" at the top.

Questions? Email Sandra C. Deshors
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