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## Syntactic Categories

*Their Identification and Description in Linguistic Theories*

Gisa Rauh, University of Wuppertal

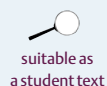
This book offers a systematic account of syntactic categories — the building blocks of sentences and the units of grammatical analysis, and explains their description in different formal as well as functional theories of language, including language typology. Its clear and balanced exposition will be widely welcomed by students.

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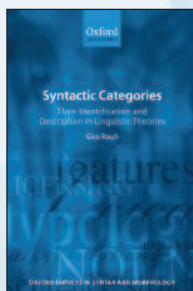
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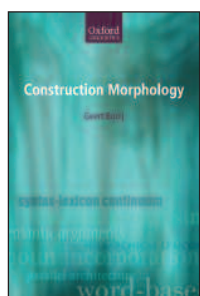


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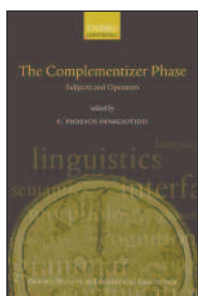
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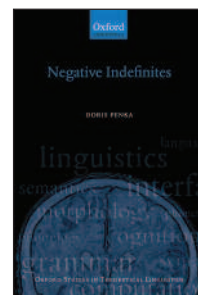
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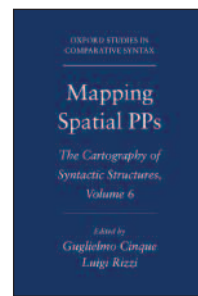
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Ca' Foscari di Venezia, and  
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Studi di Siena

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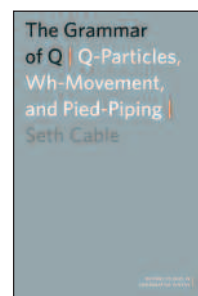
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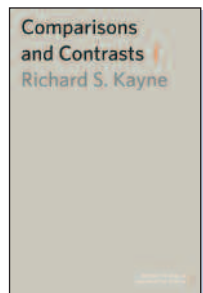
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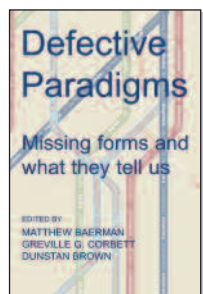


**Richard Kayne**, New York University  
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**Proceedings of the British Academy Vol. 163**  
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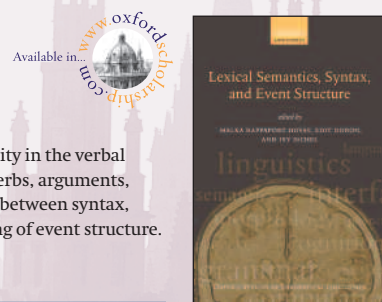
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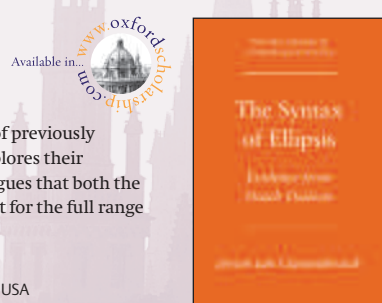
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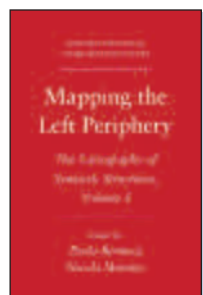
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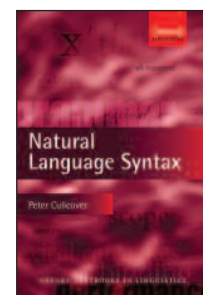
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