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- Martha Evens (2022) -
- Junichi Tsujii (2021) - Natural Language Processing and Computational Linguistics [1]
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- Ron Kaplan (2019) - Computational Psycholinguistics [3]
- Sheng Li (2015) - Translating Today into Tomorrow [7]
- Jerry Hobbs (2013) - Influences and Inferences [9]
- Eugene Charniak (2011) - The Brain as a Statistical Inference Engine—and You Can Too [12]
- Fred Jelinek (2009) - The Dawn of Statistical ASR and MT [14]
- Martin Kay (2005) - A Life of Language [18]
- Aravind Joshi (2002)

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A sampling of other papers that touch on the history of computational linguistics:

- Some of the "Last Words" [20] opinion essays in the journal *Computational Linguistics*:
  - Mark Steedman - On Becoming a Discipline [21] (ACL presidential address, 2008)
    - Book review [26] by Jörg Schütz
  - Aravind Joshi and Philip Hopely - A Parser from Antiquity [27] (1999)
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