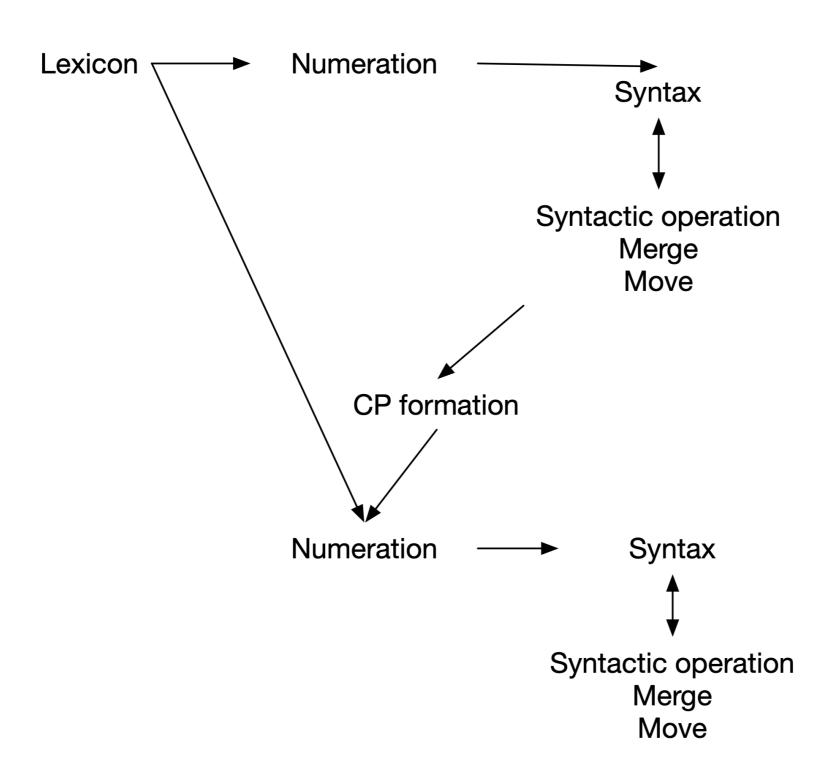
#### Phases Class III

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### Up until now

- CP is a phase
  - Evidence from Numeration Chunking required for Merge over Move
  - Spell-out involves adding CP to a new Numeration

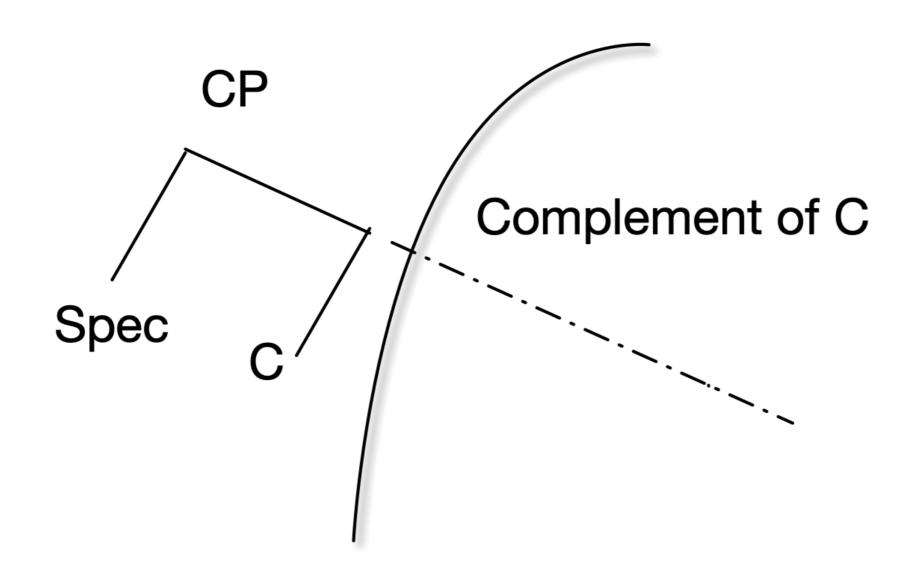
#### CP in the numeration



## Not everything is frozen

- PIC needed, if not for anything else than for CP to be Cselected by higher functional heads.
  - Head C and Spec CP are available for subsequent syntactic computations.
  - Complement of C is not

### What is sent to PF (S-M)

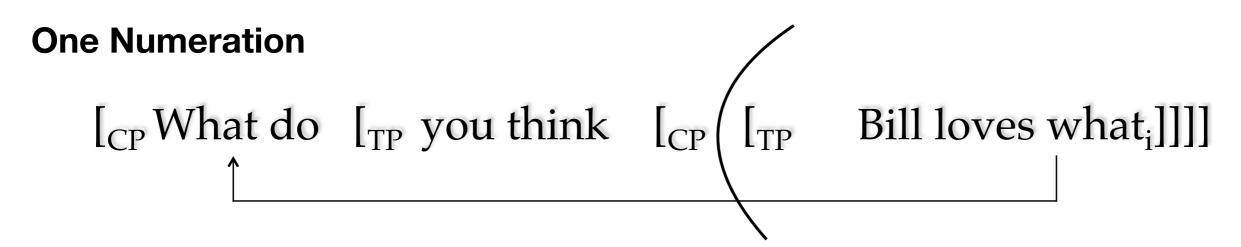


- C and Spec-C need to be accessible to further computation that affects PF and LF
- Complement of C is 'frozen' PF wise

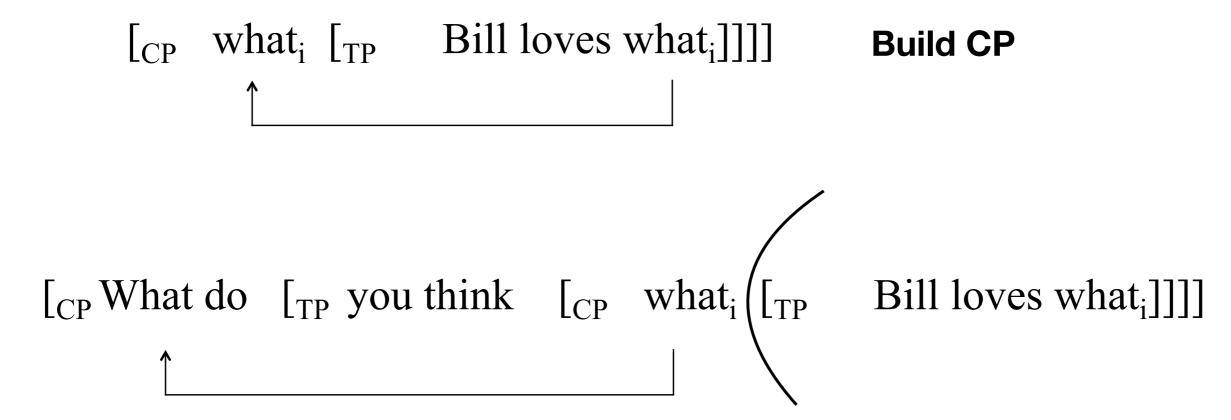
# PIC provides escape hatch for cyclic move

- Spec CP is available for movement out of CP that does not terminate at CP but moves up further
- Note there is an inherent 'look ahead' in such an approach
- We need to have a C with EPP/P features a priori before we have access to the terminal C that actually triggers move

#### Phases and PIC force cyclicly



#### **Two Numerations**



Add CP to new Numeration - making CP edge accessible

### Evidence for cyclic move

- CP cyclic movement is supported by
  - Stranding effects bits and pieces of moved wh are left behind in intermediate CP's
  - Agreement at CP wh moves via CP and triggers C-Wh agreement
  - Languages with dedicated CP's for movement are sensitive to cyclic move
  - V2 is triggered in cyclic movement
  - Inversion phenomena in embedded CP's

### Wh All stranding

- Stranded all in West Ulster English (James McCloskey. 2001. Quantifier float and wh-movement in an Irish English. Linguistic Inquiry 31:57-84.)
- a. What all did he say (that) he wanted?
- b. What did he say (that) he wanted all?
- c. What did he say all (that) he wanted?
- a. Where do you think all they'll want to visit?
- b. Who did Frank tell you all that they were after?
- c. What do they claim all (that) we did?

# Irish all stranded at intermediate position

- The data is argued to show that 'all' is left behind in an intermediate position of movement
- All does not need to check an wh feature
- Whatever P feature intermediate C had was checked via wh movement, so was the EPP
- Wh expression must raise further to license wh feature

## Agreement in CP

- K-u Isaa foog [CP k-u a bëgg]? agr-c Isaa think agr-c 2sg love 'Who does Isaa think you love?'
- F-u Isaa wax ne [CP f-u-ma jàng-e taalif y-a]? agr-c Isaa say frc agr-c-1sg read-loc poem def 'Where did Isaa say that I read the poems?'
  - (Torrence 2012:22) Wolof phi agreement between C and moved wh phrase as far as class.
- Agreement in lower C suggests a local configuration between C and WH - this is called parasitic agreement.

#### 2 CP in Irish

- Creidim [CP gu-r inis sé bréag].
   believe.1sgc.dcl-past tell he lie
   'I believe that he told a lie.'
- an fhiliocht [CP a chum. si\_\_\_]
   the poetry. c.ext composed she
   'the poetry that she composed'
- There two types of C in Irish, one via which an XP has moved, and one which has not (McCloskey 2002:185– 186)

### Cyclic movement trigger Extraction trace

- an t-ainm [CP a hinnseadh dúinn [CP a bhí \_\_\_\_ ar an áit]]
  the name. c.ext was-told. to-us. c.ext was on the place
  'the name that we were told was on the place'
  - (McCloskey 2002:185)
- Wh movement triggers a movement type C in embedded Cps

#### V2 effects

- Wen sagt Johan [CP\_sehe er\_]?
   who. acc says Johan see.sbj he
   'Who does Johan say that he is seeing?'
- \*Wen sagt Johan [CP er sehe\_\_]?
   who.acc says Johan he see.sbj
   'Who does Johan say that he is seeing?'
- German has V2 effects (German; Thiersch 1978:135)

# V2 effects in cyclic move Coppe Von Urk (2020)

- In welche Schule sagte Leo [ CP \_\_\_ sei er gegangen]?
   to which school said Leo is.sbj he went
   'To which school did Leo say he went?'
- \*In welche Schule sagte Leo [CP er sei gegangen] to which school said Leo he is.sbj went 'To which school did Leo say he went?'

#### Inversion in Belfast English

- Who did John hope [CP would he see \_\_\_]?
- What did Mary claim [CP did they steal \_\_\_]?
- Irish fires inversion in embedded CP (Belfast English; Henry 1995:109)

# CP spell out predicts that There should be C-I and SM effects

- CP's are propositions semantic units
- CP's are targets of binding, quantifier scope resolution
- Phonological processes, such as ellipsis are CP sensitive

# Sluicing

- Sluicing elision of TP
- I met someone but I do not who I met
- Susan though that John met someone but I do not know who Susan though that John met
- Ellipsis targets complement of C but spares its Spec.
- Ellipsis is Suppression of PF

#### Reconstruction and Binding

- We also observe reconstruction effect that are CP sensitive
  - Binding conditions apply at intermediate positions
  - Scope interpreted at intermediate positions

#### QR

- There needs to be a component of syntactic computation that has no effect on PF:
- Some boy read every book
  - One book read every book
  - For every book there was a boy who read it
- Quantifier Raising (here movement of every above some) derives second meaning
- QR has no effect on word order
  - Need for syntactic computation after word order is established

# Binding/reconstruction effects

- Reconstruction in Wh movement
  - Condition A reconstruction has to be below Sam above Kim
  - Which picture of herself1/2 did you tell Sam1 ✓ [Kim2 likes\_]?

# Binding combined with scope

- Relative clause does not need to be interpreted in base position:
  - [DP Which argument that John; made] did he; believe?
- Condition C wh expression has to reconstruct to t' for 'every student' >he, and no violation of Condition C
- [Which (of the) paper(s) that he1 gave to Ms. Brown2] did every student1 hope [CP t' that she2 will read t?]
- \*[Which (of the) paper(s) that he1 gave to Ms. Brown2] did she2 hope [CP t' that every student1 will revise t?]
- (Fox 1999: 173, citing Lebeaux 1990, Citko 2014, van Urk 2020)

### CP phase

- Shows overt syntactic evidence of phase
- Binding/ reconstruction evidence of phase at C-I
- Ellipsis evidence of phase at S-M

### Spell out~transfer

- For PIC to operate for such operations like Move, we only need to have spell out to S-M since Move changes word order
- How about 'covert' operations, like Agree or covert move argued to be responsible for English multiple wh-move or Japanese Wh move
- Is Move blocked at the same time as covert operations?

# The nature of covert operations crucial

- We can have simultaneous C-I and S-M Transfer if we assume that covert movement is copies spelled out in situ (movement has no PF effect)
- This predicts that covert movement is not different from overt i.e same island sensitivity in covert phrasal movement
- That is problematic

# Islands in wh and QR QR behaves like wh

- Coordinate Structure Constraint: movement must not originate from only one conjunct.
- (2) \*Which beer did someone [ate fries and drink t] after leaving class?
- Someone [ate fries and drank every beer] after leaving class
  - \*every>someone no wide scope for every beer there was a student who drank it after class

# Islands in WH and QR QR does not behave like wh

- subject are islands for wh movement (Subject Island Constraint).
- \*What country does [someone in t] adores Chomsky?
- [Someone in every country] adores Chomsky.
  - every> someone For every country, there is someone who adores Chomsky

#### Intervention effects

- German: intervention above wh-in-situ, rescued by scrambling
- Wer hat Luise wo angetroffen?
   who has Luise where met
   'Who met Luise where'?
- \*Wer hat <u>niemanden</u> wo angetroffen? who has no one where met
- Wer hat wo <u>niemanden</u> angetroffen? who has where no one met 'Who didn't meet anybody where'?
- Covert move pair list reading. John in Boston, Mary in Syracuse, etc (Beck 1996)
- Covert wh move does not alleviate intervention effects, which are arguably not PF effects.
- Covert and overt wh are not identical.

### Maybe PF has an impact

- Fox & Pesetsky 2005, linearization (via C-command a la Kayne 1995) at Phase edge
  - wh>C1
  - C2>C1
  - wh>C2->wh>C1
- Richards 2011 Wh-movement is PF driven (Prosodic locality between C and WH)
  - Japanese vs English

# PF deletion impacts Islands

- Well known facts, sluicing alleviates islands
- They hired a linguist who spoke some dialect but I do not know which dialect [they hired a linguist who spoke]
- Island alleviation maybe associated with
  - Linearization wh does not need to move because of PF deletion
  - Deletion of intermediate copies alleviates (Fox and Lasnik 2001) - but then islands are not derivational but representational

#### VP Phases

- vP's seem to have phase properties
- PF vP ellipsis
  - Mary will buy groceries on Monday and Bob will too buy groceries on Monday

### vP cyclic movement Effects (via von Urk 2020)

- Defaka -kè appears on all intermediate verbs (Bennett et al. 2012:294):
- Bruce ndò Bòmá jírí-kè [CP\_\_\_ á ésé-mà]
   Bruce foc Boma. know-ext her see-nfut
   'It is Bruce that Boma knows saw her.'
- áyá jíkà ndò Bòmá ì bíè-kè [CP ì ísò\_\_\_ sónó-mà-kè]
   new house foc Boma I ask-ext I iso buy-nfut-ext
   'It is a new house that Boma asked me if I'm going to buy.'
- First example subject long distance extraction, Second non subject wh.
- Note no ke in subordinate vP in Su extraction since that is where Su originates.

# Subject in Spec-v Does not trigger ke

- Ke- does not show up in simple clause Su raising to T
- But in simple clause non su extraction out of vP triggers ke
- ì kò Bòmá ésé-kà-rè
   Ifoc.sbj Boma. see-fut-neg
   'It is me that will not see Boma.'
- tárì ndo Àmànyà ómgbìnyà sónò àmà-kè\_\_\_ kí!á !té?
   who foc Amaya shirt buy. give-ext market p
   'Who did Amaya buy a shirt for at the market?'

# Phase edge can be filled Via Merge

- External arguments are assumed to be Merged in Spec-v
- Extraction of non-subjects out of vP requires multiple Specifiers since even after subject raises to Spec-T it leaves a copy
- An EPP/P feature on a phase head can license an additional Spec
- English v has multiple Spec's
- But C cannot since then we would have multiple wh like in Slavic
- Komu co Ja chce by Jan kupił whom what I want subj Jab buy whom what What do I want John to buy for whom

## Parasitic agree on vP

- Wot nit pahtoliyas [CP Mali elitahasi-c-il this that priest Mary ic.think-3conj-part.obv
   [CP eli wen kisi-komutonom-ac-il]
   C someone perf-rob.ao-3conj-part.obv
   'This is the priest that Mary thinks someone robbed.'
- il 3rd person obviate agreement (Passamaquoddy; Bruening 2006:34) via Coppe van Urk (2020)

#### V2 in vP/CP

- Dinka (von Urk & Richard 2015) has v2 in CP and vP
- CP V2
- Yè ŋà yùukù luêeel [CP\_\_\_ cé cuîin câam]?
   be who hab.1pl say.nf prf food eat.nf
   'Who do we say [CP\_\_\_ has eaten food]?'
- \*Yè ŋà yùukù luêeel [CP cuîin à-cíi câam]?
   be who hab.1pl say.nf food 3sg-prf.ov eat.nf
   'Who do we say [CPhas eaten food]?'

#### V2 in vP

- vP has V2 effect:
- Yîin cé [vP Àyén gàam cáa].
   you prf.sv Ayen give.nf milk
   'You have given Ayen milk.'
- \*Yîin cé [ vP\_\_\_ gàam cáa Àyén].
   you prf.sv give.nf milk Ayen
   'You have given Ayen milk.'

## V2 in vP cyclic move

- Object extraction
- Yè ŋó [CP cíi môc [vP\_\_\_ yiĚEn Bòl]]?
   be what prf.ov man.gen give.nf Bol
   'What has the man given Bol?'
- \*Yè ŋó [CP cíi môc [vP Bòl yiĚEn]]
   be what prf.ov man.gen. Bol. give.nf"
   'What has the man given'

# Does movement Go through vP and CP edge?

- All-stranding at vP and CP in East Derry English:
- What did he [vP all do \_\_\_\_ in Derry]?
- What did he say [CP all that he did \_\_\_\_ in Derry]?
- What did he [vP all say [CP that he did \_\_\_\_ in Derry]]?
- (Henry 2012:31)

# Reconstruction to intermediate vP (Legate 2003) - showing passive v a phase head

- [At which of the parties that he<sub>i</sub> invited Mary<sub>j</sub> to] was every man<sub>i</sub> \_\_√\_ introduced to her<sub>j</sub> \_\*\_\_
- \*[At which of the parties that hei invited Maryi to] was shei
   \_\*\_\_ introduced to every mani \_\*\_\_?
- Clauses with a wh-phrase must reconstruct below every man/woman in order for he/she to be bound, and above Mary/John for the construction to obey Condition C.

### QR, AC and VP

- ACD resolution via QR (Fox 1995)
- Infinite regress
- I visited every city that you did visit every city [that you did visit every city [that you....
- Need an antecedent with no DP and RC (RC late insertion)
   QR of Every City
- I every city visited t [that you did visited t]
- How do we know QR is vP

### QR to vP

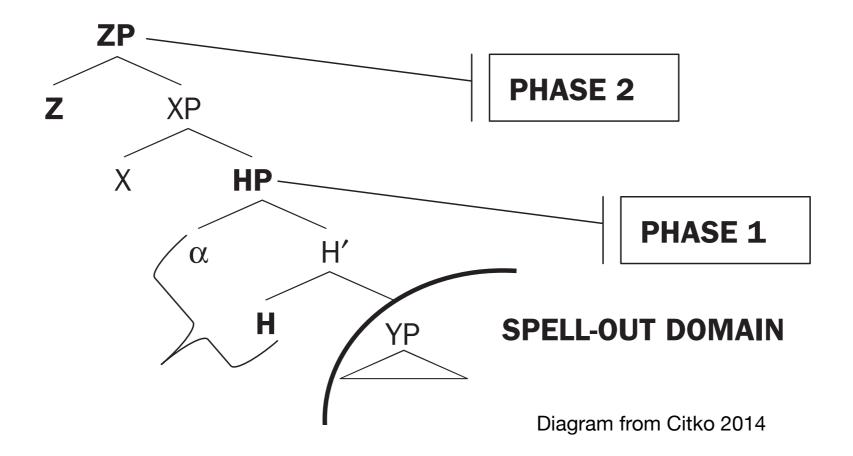
- Negative polarity
- Mary didn't [vp introduce John to [DP anyone you did [vP2e]]].
- Scope
- Some woman [vp gave John [DP every message you did [vP2 e]]].

# Agreement

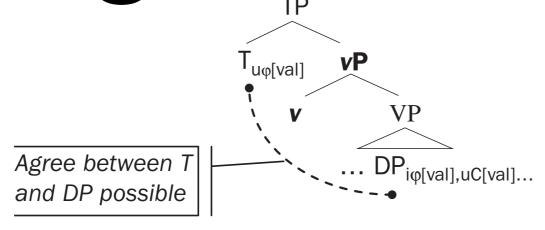
- Examine PIC to account for Agreement
- Since we now have CP and vP how do they Spell out respective to each other.

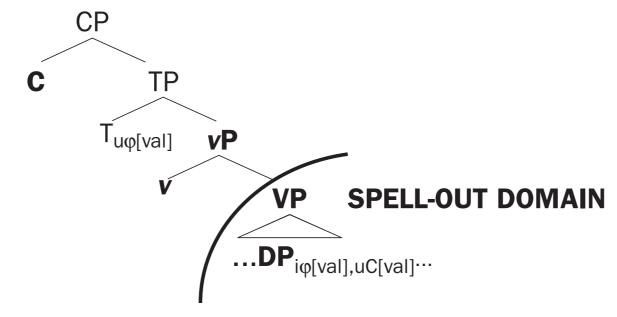
#### PIC revised

- The domain of H is not accessible to operations outside HP only H and its edge are accessible to such operations. STRONGPIC/PIC1 "Minimalist Inquiries"
- The domain of H is not accessible to operations at ZP only H and its edge are accessible to such operations. WEAKPIC/PIC2 "Derivation by phase"



# Agreement

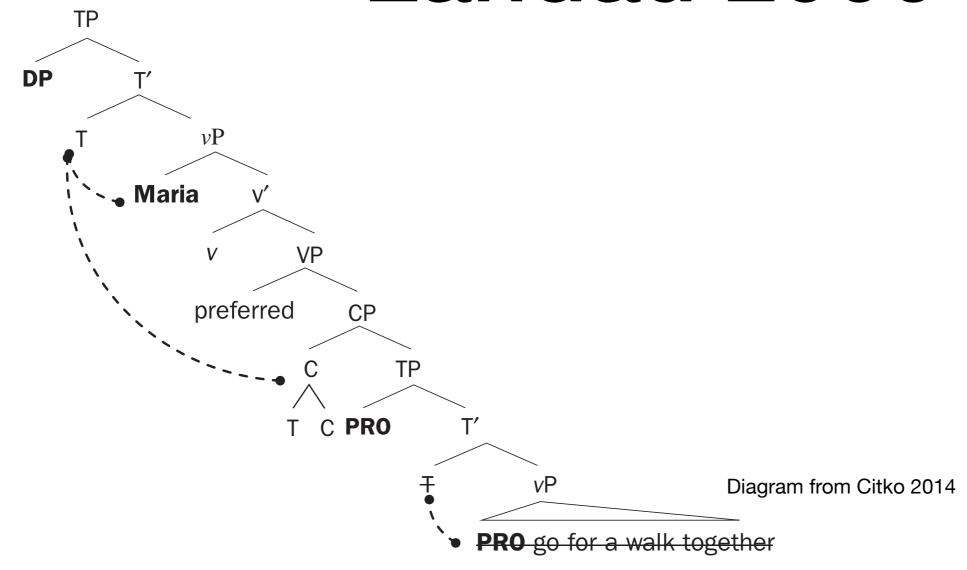




- Henni höfðu leiðstÞeir. [Icelandic]
  her.DAT had.3PLbored.at they.NOM
  'She had found them boring.' (Sigurðsson2002: 692)
- Marii podobała się ta książka. (Polish Citko 2014)
   Maria.DAT please. REFL this book.NOM
   'Maria liked this book.'

#### **Diagram from Citko 2014**

# Partial control Landau 2000



- Maria1preferred [PRO1+to go for a walk together]
- Partial control allows plural PRO (together)

# Full control Landau 2000

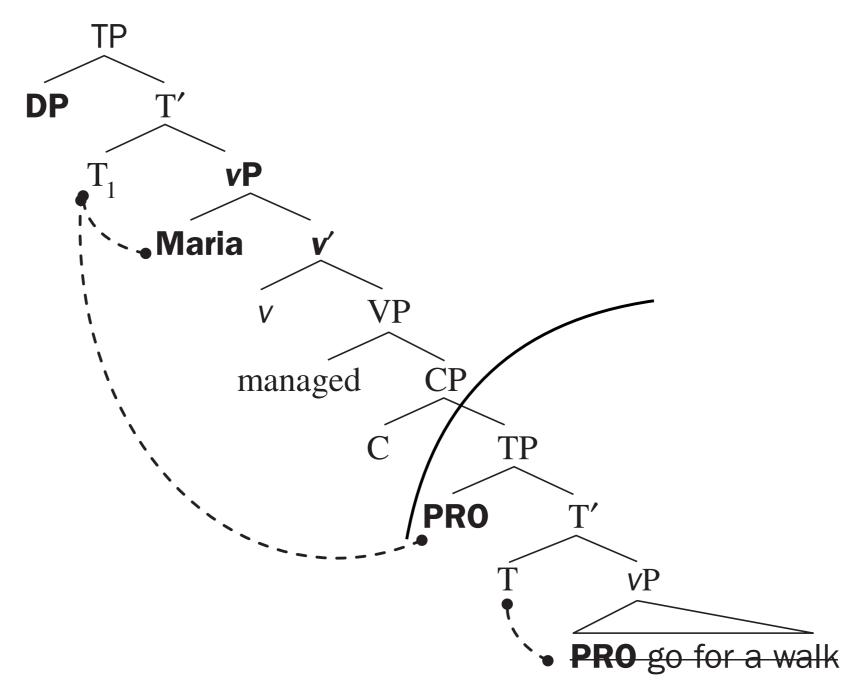


Diagram from Citko 2014

• . Maria1 managed [PRO1 to go for a walk].

#### Control and PIC

- PIC needs to be modified to allow Agree violating PIC if Goal has interpretable features Landau 2000
- Problematic
  - Transfer and PIC are disjoint
  - PIC more a condition on Merge (Internal and External)

## Long Distance Agreement

- enir [užā magalu bāc'rułi] b-iyxo.
   Mother [boy bread.III.ABS ate] III-know
   The mother knows [the boy ate the bread].
   'The mother knows the boy ate the bread.'(Polinsky & Potsdam2001: 584)
- Agreement between matrix verb and embedded object in tensed clause
- LDA either PIC needs revising
- Or there is movement going on here