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The status of linguistics as a science

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摘要：

My title is borrowed from a classic paper by Edward Sapir, published in LANGUAGE in 1929. Among its many important contributions, the paper contains an early statement of the famous Sapir-Whorf Hypothesis, which concerns how we represent reality in the context of language, i.e., the physical as well as the mental world. Following Sapir, I will urge studying language from an interdisciplinary perspective, and discuss how such studies shed light on the human condition.