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## **The components of Voice**

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This talk summarizes the similarities and differences of two types of Voice systems: Indo-European-type active/passive and Austronesian-type actor voice/patient voice. We follow an approach in which the Voice domain consists of three parts: a Voice head associating the event with an agent argument slot, an element saturating or binding the agent slot, and a head responsible for realizing Voice morphology. We concentrate on various passive/patient voice configurations and show that a decomposed notion of Voice provides the flexibility needed to model the cross-linguistic differences. Among the phenomena discussed are the German *lassen*-passive, Indonesian crossed control and other object promotion phenomena in Austronesian and cross-linguistically.

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