

# JIALIN CHEN

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## EDUCATION

**Shanghai Jiao Tong University (SJTU)**

September 2018 - June 2022(expected)

*B.Sc. in Mathematics and Applied mathematics*

- Selected to Zhiyuan Honors Program (Top 10% at SJTU)
- Research Interests: Mathematical Machine Learning, Signal Processing, Graph Neural Networks

## PUBLICATIONS

### 1. Modeling Hierarchical Logical Reasoning Chains

*Jialin Chen, Z. Zhang, H. Zhao. Submitted to AAAI 2022*

### 2. Fast Tensor Needlet Transforms for Tangent Vector Fields on the Sphere

*Ming Li, Jialin Chen, Philip Broadbridge, Andriy Olenko, Yu Guang Wang. Submitted to Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) Transactions on Signal Processing*

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

### Spherical Needlet CNN

July 2021- Current

*Advisors: Yuguang Wang, School of Mathematical Sciences, Institute of Natural Sciences, SJTU*

*Pietro Liò, Department of Computer Science and Technology, University of Cambridge*

- "Spherical Needlet CNN" (**Paper in progress**)
- Proposed a new spherical convolution which is expressive and rotation-equivariant using multi-resolution spherical Needlets.
- Applied Shrinkage mechanism on high-pass signals as nonlinear activation for denoising and estimated the rotation-equivariant error bound caused by it.
- Experiments show model's strong performance on artificial datasets like rotated-MNIST and real-world datasets, such as 3D LiDAR point cloud, molecular atomization energies, detection of brain tumor from MRI.

### Fast Tensor Needlet Transforms for Tangent Vector Fields on the Sphere

July 2021 – October 2021

*Advisor: Yuguang Wang, School of Mathematical Sciences, Institute of Natural Sciences, SJTU*

- Constructed a semi-discrete tight frame of tensor needlets associated with a quadrature rule for tangent vector fields on the two-dimensional sphere.
- Proposed fast tensor needlet transforms, the corresponding decomposition and reconstruction algorithms with nearly linear computational complexity and low redundancy rate based on FFTs.
- Conducted detailed numerical studies on three artificial fields and one real-world wind field to demonstrate the effectiveness and efficiency of the developed fast algorithms.

### Modeling Logical Inference Graph in Natural Language

March 2021 - July 2021

*Advisor: Hai Zhao, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, SJTU*

- Designed key-phrases extraction algorithm and logical reasoning chain as the components of the proposed holistic graph-based framework handling texts at both discourse level and word level.
- Leveraged dual-level attention mechanism to capture the interaction information between phrases and discourses and the attention map provides retrospect of the reasoning process.
- Experiments on ReClor and LogiQA (two benchmark logical reasoning datasets) show the great improvement over baselines and the capability to understand more complex logical relationships.

### Detection of Social Bias in Financial Text Via Domain Adaptation

May 2020 - February 2021

*Advisor: Yang Bao, Antai College of Economics and Management, SJTU*

- Proposed a BERT-based framework with downstream fine-tuning mechanisms, FC layers and Text-CNN.
- Performed unsupervised domain adaptation from the social media text (e.g. SBIC dataset) to the business text (e.g. conference call of S&P1500) with a certain loss function.
- Detected the implicit social bias in language; Predicted the most vulnerable groups (disability, gender, etc.)
- Obtained state-of-the-art performance on SBIC and substantially improved results on social bias detection.

## **COURSE PROJECTS**

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### **Numerical Methods and Deep Learning Frameworks for Solving Monge-Ampere Equation**

- Reviewed related numerical methods and used the monotonicity properties to approximate the operator.
- Used multigrid with Gauss-Seidel operations on it and did sufficient numerical experiments.
- Compared the performances of several classical networks in solving Monge Ampere equations.

### **Exploration of Basic Reproduction Number and Equilibrium Points in Epidemic Model**

- Discussed about the concept of target reproduction number and its applications in ecology and epidemiology.
- Took SIVS model as an example to analyze the stability of equilibrium points and gave the type of equilibrium points under different initial conditions.

### **An Opioid Crisis Characterization and Prediction Model Based on Factor Analysis**

- Built a comprehensive model to explain the two causes of increase in drug use, referring to Bass Model, Linear Model and Force Directed Model on the basis of Field Theory in Physics.
- Carried out cluster analysis, decision tree, pearson correlation coefficient analysis, which provide a reliable guarantee for exploratory factor analysis.

## **AWARDS AND HONORS**

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- Meritorious Winner of the Mathematical Contest in Modeling (Top 7%)
- Hanyingjuhua Alumni Scholarship (Top 5%)
- Annual Undergraduate Merit Scholarship (Top 10%)
- Annual Zhiyuan Honorary Scholarship (Top 10%)
- The 2nd Prize of China Undergraduate Physics Tournament

## **LEADERSHIP AND VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCES**

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- Student Union Minister of Organization Department
- Secretary of Piano Association of Shanghai Jiao Tong University
- 2019 Shanghai Full Marathon volunteer
- 2019 China Coordinates·Shanghai City Orienteering volunteer

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

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- Programming Language: Python, C++, MATLAB
- Interests: Piano (amateur of 10th level), Taekwondo (red belt) , Photography, Badminton