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#### **EDUCATION**

Beihang University

Beijing, China

PhD student in Technology of Computer Application

Sept. 2021 - now

Core Courses: Frontier in Big Data, Machine Learning

Beihang University

Beijing, China

Master of Computer Science and Technology, Rank: 2/144

Aug. 2019 - July 2021

Core Courses: Data Science Foundations, Theory of Computation, Principles of Artificial Intelligence

Lund University

Lund, Sweden

Exchange Student of Computer Science

Jan. 2019 - May 2019

Core Courses: Applied Artificial Intelligence

Beihang University

Beijing, China

Bachelor of Computer Science and Technology, GPA: 3.7/4.0

Sept. 2015 - June 2019

Core Courses: Introduction of Data Mining, Principles of Compilers, Operating System

### Research Interest

Spatio-Temporal Data Mining, Interpretable Machine Learning, Urban Computing.

#### **Publications**

- 1. **Jiahao Ji**, Jingyuan Wang, Zhe Jiang, Jiawei Jiang, Hu Zhanng, "STDEN: Towards Physics-guided Neural Networks for Traffic Flow Prediction", AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (**AAAI**), 2022.
- 2. **Jiahao Ji**, Jingyuan Wang, Zhe Jiang, Jingtian Ma, and Hu Zhang, "Interpretable Spatiotemporal Deep Learning Model for Traffic Flow Prediction based on Potential Energy Fields", IEEE International Conference on Data Mining (**ICDM**), 2020. (short paper)
- 3. Jingyuan Wang, **Jiahao Ji**, Zhe Jiang, Leilei Sun. "Traffic Flow Prediction based on Potential Energy Fields", (submitted to **TKDE**).
- 4. "Precision CityShield Against Hazardous Chemicals Threats via Location Mining and Self-supervised Learning", (submitted to **KDD** 2022).
- 5. "Robust Traffic Flow Prediction with Spatio-Temporal Graph Contrastive Learning", (working paper).

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

#### Citywide Unknown High-risk Locations Discovery

Mar. 2021 - Now

Advisor: Prof. Jingyuan Wang, Proj. Yu Zheng

JD Intelligenct Cities Research, Beijing

- Proposed a framework for hazardous chemicals-related locations (HCLs) recognition and HCL risk level classification via location mining and self-supervised learning.
- Devised a vehicle id-aware clustering algorithm to accurately recognize HCLs using transportation trajectory data.

- Designed a pre-training-based HCL representation learning methods for HCL classification, including introducing HCL graph to model HCL relations and designing four self-supervised tasks for pre-training.
- Deployed a system in Nantong, China, which has discovered 173 high-risk Unknown HCLs for the local government and successfully moved the hazardous chemicals management of Nantong to the prevention rather emergency response side.

Interpretable Traffic Flow Prediction under Physical Guidance

Advisor: Prof. Jingyuan Wang, Prof. Zhe Jiang

BIGScity, Beihang University

- Proposed to use latent Spatiotemporal Potential Energy Fields (ST-PEF) to model the physics of urban traffic flow, similar to the gravity field drives water flow.
- Developed a Poly-Tree Decomposition (PTD) algorithm to extract the ST-PEF from the traffic flow graph and conducted theoretical analysis on the proposed algorithm to prove its correctness.
- Designed a Poly-tree Based Graph Attention Network (PB-GAT) to incorporate context information into the original GAT, better capturing spatial dependencies of ST-PEF.
- Incorporated traffic flow theory into neural networks to enhance the interpretability of traffic flow predictions while maintain the prediction accuracy.

Population Flow Drives Spatiotemporal Distribution of COVID-19 Apr. 2020 – Nov. 2020 Advisor: Prof. Jingyuan Wang, Prof. Huaiyu Tian BIGScity, Beihang University

- Analyzed the mobility pattern of the population using cellular signaling data during the first two months of the epidemic in Wuhan.
- Reconstructed the full transmission dynamics of COVID-19 in Wuhan.
- Simulated the effect of Non-Pharmaceutical Interventions (NPIs) for COVID-19 in Wuhan.
- By applying the study result to the precise prevention and control of Beijing's second wave of epidemic at the street level, the intensity of traffic control decreased from 90% of the first wave of epidemics to 20%.

#### Uncertainties in Artifical Neural Networks

Oct. 2018 – June 2019

Advisor: Prof. Jingyuan Wang

BIGScity, Beihang University

- Implemented the Sequential Monte Carlo (SMC) sampling algorithm, optimized the SMC algorithm, and obtained nearly 22 times' speedup ratio.
- Developed an algorithm that uses Gaussian mixture distribution to approximate the posterior distribution of parameters in neural networks according to variational inference method.
- Conducted uncertainty analysis on a 3-layer neural network about air quality prediction in KDD Cup 18.

#### AI identification of thyroid tumors in ultrasound images.

Nov. 2017 – May 2018

Advisor: Prof. Jingyuan Wang

BIGScity, Beihang University

- Used the transfer learning to make up for the lack of data sample.
- Finetuned each layer of GoogleNet and obtained an accuracy of 0.85.
- Conducted sensitivity analysis on the tumor images to interpret the model prediction.
- Obtained the second prize in the 27th "Fengru Cup" Competition out of 176 teams.

## PROJECTS

**COVID-19 Platform** | Platform of risk assessment and trend prediction.

Mar. 2020 – May 2020

- Designed the layout, content and display of the weather section and lead a 5-person student team to complete it.
- Participated in the design of meteorological risk assessment model for epidemics, and verified its correctness through historical data.
- Responsible for the monitoring and maintenance of the weather module, including exceptions of the model and the page display.

CCF BDCI | Precisely locate the store where the user is located in the mall. Oct. 2017 – Dec. 2017

- Conducted visualization and feature extraction of user behavior and store information.
- Used LightGBM for multi-classification to construct candidate sets.
- Expanded the dataset according to the cadidate sets and then performed binary classification.
- Obtained an accuracy of 0.9075 and a rank of top 4% in nearly 3,000 teams.

## Honors & Awards

Huawei Scholarship: 2021 CASC Scholarship: 2020

CETC The 14TH Research Institute Glarun Scholarship: 2020 Scholarships for Postgraduate Studies: the First Prize, 2021, 2020, 2019

Outstanding Freshman Scholarship: 2019

National Encouragement Scholarship: 2018, 2017, 2016

Innovation and Entrepreneurship Scholarship of the MIIT: 2018 ASC18 - ASC Student Supercomputer Challenge: the First Prize, 2018 COMAP's Mathematical Contest in Modeling: Meritorious Winner, 2018

The 27th "FengRu Cup" Scientific and Technological Invention Competition: the Second Prize, 2018

Merit Student of Beihang University: 2020, 2018, 2017

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, R, JavaScript Frameworks: PyTorch, ECharts

**Developer Tools**: Git, VS Code, QGIS, RStudio **Libraries**: Pandas, Matplotlib, GeoPandas, NumPy