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# **EDUCATION**

#### Shanghai Jiaotong University (SJTU)

Sep. 2019 - Now

Ph.D in Computer Science and Technology

· Apex Lab.

· Advisor: Prof. WeinanZhang

### Southwest Jiaotong University (SWJTU)

Sep. 2015 - Jul. 2019

B.S. in Computer Science and Technology

· Overall GPA: 3.84/4.0 Ranking: 1/98

· Key Lab of Cloud Computing and Intelligent Technology

· Advisor: Tianrui Li

### RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

Generative Adversarial Exploration for Reinforcement Learning Feb. 2019 - Apr. 2019 Advisor: Prof. Weinan Zhang

- · This work proposed a novel method for the exploration problem in Reinforcement Learning with Generative Adversarial Network
- · As a main author, write the most of the paper
- · Submitted to IJCAI19

# Automatic Proofreading in Chinese: Detect and Correct Spelling Errors in Character-level with Deep Neural Networks Apr. 2017 - Apr. 2018

Advisor: Prof. Tianrui Li

- · This study focused on automatic detection and correction spelling errors in Chinese text
- $\cdot$  Proposed the candidate attentive checker and the double attentive checker, using confusion sets and attention mechanism

# DATA MINING COMPETITION EXPERIENCE

# TOP 6, Sports Analytics Challenge sponsored by PSG SOLO

Mar. 2019 - May. 2019

- · This task requires to predict the identity of a player who has performed certain actions as well as predictions about the team information and ball coordidates of the next event on that game
- $\cdot$  I considered the above questions as 3 types: a Fine-grained Classification problem, a 2-class classification problem and a regression problem
- $\cdot$  I made a lot of work on pre-processing the given data which is in xml format and is event-unit sequence data of different matches
- $\cdot$  I proposed 2 solutions: a GBDT solution for the 2-class classification and the regression problem; a Deep Learning solution with RNN for the Fine-grained Classification, the 2-class classification and the regression problem
- · This competition has no leaderboard and I became a finalist beyond more than 3000 participants

# TOP 5, Liver Cancer Imaging AI Diagnosis

Jan. 2019 - Mar. 2019

With the other three team mates

- $\cdot$  This competition is to predict the tumor diagnosis given the desensitized CT data of numbers of patient
- . We proposed 3D convolution network with Res-IBN Block, Batch Normalization and mixed  $2\mathrm{D}/3\mathrm{D}$  Downsampling

 $\cdot$  We set up a online tumor diagnosis system which can predict the condition of given CT data and make a model visualization using CAM to give the proof of diagnosis to help doctors locate the lesion as fast as possible

### TOP 10, SCADA Data Missing Repair Competition

Jan. 2019 - Mar. 2019

With the other two team mates

- · This task need a prediction of missing SCADA data, the meaning of data is desensitized
- $\cdot$  We did temporal and spacial feature engineering and use ensemble model of GBDT, Decision Tree and designed interpolation methods

#### TOP 3, AI Challenger 2018 in Weather Forecasting

Oct. 2018 - Nov. 2018

With the other one team mates

- $\cdot$  This competition requires to make the weather indicators prediction, containing the temperature, humidity and the wind speed
- · We did feature engineering from temporal data and use a single GBDT model without ensemble to model the 3 indicators respectively

# 28 / 175, Guoneng Rixin Photovoltaic Power Forecast Contest Oct. 2018 - Nov. 2018 With the other two team mates

- $\cdot$  This task is to make the prediction of the photovoltaic power generation at certain time given the sensor data sampled from the environment
- $\cdot$  We did feature engineering from temporal data and related variables, using a single GBDT model without ensemble
- $\cdot$   $\,$  The gap between us and the No.1 is only 0.02 on averaged mae evaluation metric

# PROJECTS EXPERIENCE

# StarCraftII Minigame AI

Jul. 2018 - Aug. 2018

Advisor: Lisen Mu, Jingchu Liu

- · This is a work in Deecamp 2018, which gained Great Demo Award
- · Use reward shapping and hierarchical reinforcement learning, gain higher results than benchmarks on minigame CollectMineralShards and BuildMarines

#### **Verication Code Identication**

Mar. 2017 - Apr. 2017

· A naive implementation of BP and CNN based on Numpy and Matlab

#### AWARDS & HONORS

National First Prize, China Undergraduate Mathematical Contest in Modeling 2017

Meritorious Winner, Mathematical Contest In Modeling

2017

Third Prize, ACM Programming Competition in Southwest Division of China. 2017

### China National Scholarship

2016&2017

The highest honor for undergraduates nationally by Ministry of Education of China

#### Tang Lixin Scholarship

2017

· Only 60 students the whole school (including the M.S and the Ph.D students)

#### IBM Scholarship

2017

· Only 3 students the whole school

# **SKILLS**

Machine Learning: Pytorch, Tensorflow, Scikit-Learn, lightGBM

Programming Languages: Python, MATLAB, C / C++, Java, LATEX

Standard Tests: TOFEL(88 for now), CET-6(574), CET4(616)

Hobbies and Interests: Soccer Swimming