



Education

- M.Phil. Artificial Intelligence, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (Guangzhou)** 09/2024 – Now
- GPA: 4.00/4.3 - Supervisor: [Prof. Li Liu](#) - Co-supervisor: [Prof. Yi R. \(May\) Fung](#) (HKUST)
- M.Sc. Computer Science, The University of Hong Kong** 09/2022 – 10/2023
- GPA: 3.35/4.3
- Degree Project: *Towards Robust Speaker Recognition through Crafting Imperceptible Adversarial Speech Samples* (Grade: A+)
- B.Eng. Software Engineering, East China Normal University (985 / Double First Class)** 09/2018 - 06/2022
- GPA: 3.52/4.0 - Ranking: 30/186 (16.13%)
- Degree Thesis: *RNN Adversarial Samples Generation Approach based on Weighted Finite Automaton Abstraction* (Grade: A)

Publications & Preprints

*: Corresponding author(s)

As The 1st Author:

[Preprint] ***Robust Alignment: Harmonizing Accuracy and Robustness in Adversarial Training***

Yanyun Wang, Qingqing Ye, Li Liu, Zi Liang, Haibo Hu*

Under review (TIFS'25)

[Preprint] ***New Paradigm of Adversarial Training: Releasing Accuracy-Robustness Trade-Off via Dummy Class***

Yanyun Wang, Li Liu*, Zi Liang, Yi R. (May) Fung, Qingqing Ye, Haibo Hu

Under review (ICLR'25 6665 rej -> NeurIPS'25)

[ICCV'25] ***Failure Cases Are Better Learned But Boundary Says Sorry: Facilitating Smooth Perception Change for Accuracy-Robustness Trade-Off in Adversarial Training***

Yanyun Wang, Li Liu*

International Conference on Computer Vision (CCF-A) Accepted to appear

[ECAI'24] ***TSFool: Crafting Highly-Imperceptible Adversarial Time Series through Multi-Objective Attack***

Yanyun Wang, Dehui Du*, Haibo Hu*, Zi Liang, Yuanhao Liu

European Conference on Artificial Intelligence (CCF-B) Oral

[SMC'23] ***Meta Pattern Concern Score: A Novel Evaluation Measure with Human Values for Multi-classifiers***

Yanyun Wang, Dehui Du*, Yuanhao Liu

IEEE International Conference on Systems, Man, and Cybernetics (CCF-C)

As Co-Author:

[Preprint] ***Virus Infection Attack on LLMs: Your Poisoning Can Spread "VIA" Synthetic Data***

Zi Liang, Qingqing Ye, Xuan Liu, Yanyun Wang, Jianliang Xu, Haibo Hu*

Under review (NeurIPS'25)

[Preprint] ***BackdoorDM: A Comprehensive Benchmark for Backdoor Learning on Diffusion Model***

Weilin Lin, Nanjun Zhou, Yanyun Wang, Jianze Li, Hui Xiong, Li Liu*

Under review (NeurIPS'25)

[ACL'25] ["Yes, My LoRD." Guiding Language Model Extraction with Locality Reinforced Distillation](#)

Zi Liang, Qingqing Ye, **Yanyun Wang**, Sen Zhang, Yaxin Xiao, RongHua Li, Jianliang Xu, Haibo Hu*

Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (CCF-A) **Main conference**

[AAAI'22] [Efficient Adversarial Sequence Generation for RNN with Symbolic Weighted Finite Automata](#)

Mingjun Ma, Dehui Du*, Yuanhao Liu, **Yanyun Wang**, Yiyang Li

SafeAI Workshop @ AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (CCF-A) **Best paper award nomination**

Research & Intern Experience

Research Assistant, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University	10/2023 - 06/2024
- Laboratory: Applied Security, Trust And Privacy Lab for Enterprise (ASTAPLE) - Supervisor: <u>Prof. Haibo Hu</u>	
Research Assistant (part-time), East China Normal University	12/2021 - 09/2023
- Laboratory: Shanghai Key Laboratory of Trustworthy Computing - Supervisor: <u>Prof. Dehui Du</u>	
Algorithm Engineer, Ping An Technology Co., Ltd	08/2021 - 11/2021
- Department: NLP Innovation Research and Development Department, OLATOP Knowledge Graph Team	
Software Development Engineer, Dareway Software Co., Ltd	07/2020 - 08/2020

Extracurricular Practice

Summer Workshop Student, School of Computing, National University of Singapore	05/2021 - 07/2021
- Topic: AI/ML for Financial Services - Grade: A+	
- Project: <i>Portfolio Management - Based on LSTM Models and Optimal Combination</i>	
Participant, Shanghai College Students' Innovation and Entrepreneurship Training Program	10/2019 - 10/2020
- Project: <i>Jiangnan Mengxun</i> – a 2.5D indie word adventure game - Grade: Provincial Level - B	
Associate Director, Human Resource Center of Students' Union	06/2019 - 06/2020

Honors & Awards

Excellent Graduate Award, East China Normal University	2022
Excellent Bachelor's Degree Thesis Award, Software Engineering Institute, East China Normal University	2022
People's Choice Award, School of Computing Summer Workshop, National University of Singapore	2021
Excellent Undergraduate Student, East China Normal University	2021
Second-class Scholarship, East China Normal University	2021
Excellent Undergraduate Student, East China Normal University	2020
First-class Scholarship, East China Normal University	2020

Services

Conference Reviewer: CVPR (2025, 2024), ICCV (2025), AAAI (2025)

Journal Reviewer: TKDE