Jinglin (JJ) Jian

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EDUCATION

University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, School of Information Sciences

Illinois, US

M.S. in Information Management/Sciences, GPA: 4.0/4.0

Aug 2023 - Dec 2024

Course: Large Language Models, Machine Learning, Text Mining, Database, Data Mining, Data Warehousing, Sociotechnical Info Systems, Independent Study

Peking University, National School of Development

Beijing, China

B.Econ. (Double Major)

Sep 2021 - Jul 2023

Beijing Normal University, Faculty of Education

Beijing, China

B.S. in Educational Technology, GPA: 3.76/4.0

Sep 2017 - Jul 2021

Course: Data Structure, Database, Software Engineering, WebDev, Computer Network, Intelligent System

PUBLICATIONS

[1] Haoyang Liu, Yijiang Li, **Jinglin Jian**, Yuxuan Cheng, Jianrong Lu, Shuyi Guo, Jinglei Zhu, Mianchen Zhang, Miantong Zhang, and Haohan Wang. "Toward a Team of AI-made Scientists for Scientific Discovery from Gene Expression Data." arXiv preprint arXiv:2402.12391 (2024). [Paper] [Code]

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Toward a Team of AI-made Scientists for Scientific Discovery from Gene Expression Data [Paper] [Code]

Aug 2023 - Feb 2024

Advisor: Prof. Haohan Wang (UIUC)

- Developed a **multi-agent system** called Team of AI-made Scientists (TAIS), the first work to automate
- scientific discovery using Python and Large Language Models (LLMs).

 Wrote Python to grab data from GEO and TCGA & stored meta-data and raw-data for efficient I/O & Implemented Data Engineer agents to automate data preprocessing, integration, and selection.
- Implemented Lasso regression and linear mixed models and advanced techniques such as confounding factor correction using Python to enhance the accuracy and robustness.
- Established **collaborative workflow** and **feedback loop** among AI agents using **asynchronous programming** and message passing based on **event-driven stream processing**.

Semi-automatic Knowledge Graph Construction [Web]

Sep 2020 - Jul 2021

Advisor: Prof. Qinhua Zheng (Beijing Normal University)

- Designed and implemented an interactive system for domain experts to work with AI models to construct educational knowledge graphsfrom unstructured text, reducing workload by 80%.
- Developed a semi-automated framework, integrating a BiLSTM-CRF model with human involvement for entity recognition and improving F1-score from 0.54 to 0.76.
- Utilized Word2Vec model to vectorize entities, used sliding window technique for text segmentation to obtain specific entity relationships, and stored them in Neo4j graph database.

Using Hypervideo to Facilitate Online Interactions [Paper]

Sep 2019 - Aug 2020

Advisor: Prof. Jingjing Zhang (Beijing Normal University)

- Summarized processes as per role and permissions and illustrated processes with Swimlane charts and E-R diagrams, designed the prototype of hypervideo using Azure RP.
- Reviewd literature of **cognitive load** and assisted in on-site **pre-test** and **post-test** experiments, conducted the **paired sample t-test** and analyzed **behavior patterns** by **Gephi**, culminating in a publication [Link] on 2021 International Conference on Advanced Learning Technologies (ICALT).

Professional Experience

Research Assistant

Aug 2023 – Present

Supervisor: Prof. Mackenzie Alston, Gies College of Business, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

- Contributed to a global experimental economics study investigating the impact of Twitter on scholars' academic visibility.
- Conducted literature review on designing randomized controlled trials (RCTs) with outcomes influenced by unobserved effort and incentives to enhance follow-up participation rates using **Zotero**.
- Analyzed data from 1,000+ academic profiles, developed algorithms to **identify** tweets, scraped academic information from Google Scholar, and utilized **Python** to manage 2,000+ emails.

Head on Online Learning Department

May 2019 - Aug 2022

China Starry Night (NGO / Startup) [Web]

- Directly reported to the CTO, expanded team from 5 to 30 members, increased the views of videos on Bilibili channel to 22k in 4 months.
- Won a **national award (Top 1%)** and was invited to the 5thChina Education Innovation Expo.

Selected Projects

- ChemTutor: AI Q&A system with Inorganic Chemistry Textbooks [Code] LLM Q&A system Question a 700-page Textbook LangChain	2024
- HMM-DRL Model for Data-driven Auto-Trading [PDF] Reinforcement Learning Hidden Markov Model Time Series Data Financial Index	2022
 Evolution of Key Themes in Learning Sciences [Web] Topic Model: LDA Data Visualization TF-IDF Text Mining 	2020

Honors and Awards

- National Innovation and Entrepreneurship Training Program, Ministry of Education	2021
- Jianghaiziqiang Scholarship (1%), Beijing Normal University	2020

- First-class Scholarship for Competition Excellence (1%), Beijing Normal University 2019

- Outstanding for Academic Excellence, Beijing Normal University 2017 - 2021

SKILL SET

Machine Learning & NLP	LangChain, TensorFlow, PyTorch, SciPy, sklearn, gensim, NLTK
Programming Language	Python, Java, C, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Matlab, Stata
Framework & Database	React, Node.js, RESTful API, MySQL, MongoDB, Neo4j
Cloud	AWS - EC2, S3, Lambda FaaS, API Gateway
Code Management & Writing	Git/Github, Docker, Unit Testing, Tableau, LATEX