

# XIN MAO

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## Research Interests

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### Natural Language Processing & Data Mining

Graph Neural Networks, Graph Embedding, Entity Alignment, Link Prediction, Information Extraction.

## Education & Employment

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**East China Normal University**, Shanghai, China

2018 - Present

—Ph.D Student (Advisor: Prof. Man Lan)

**East China Normal University**, Shanghai, China

2013 - 2018

—B.S. in Computer Science (Advisor: Prof. Man Lan)

**Alibaba Group**, Hangzhou, China

2018 - 2019

—NLP Research Intern (Mentor: Mrs. Wenting Wang)

**Meituan**, Shanghai, China

2021

—NLP Research Intern (Mentor: Mr. Zongyu Wang)

## Publications

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### First Author

LightEA: A Scalable, Robust, and Interpretable Entity Alignment Framework via Three-view Label Propagation  
The Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (**EMNLP 2022**)

**Xin Mao**, Wenting Wang, Yuanbin Wu, Man Lan

An Effective and Efficient Entity Alignment Decoding Algorithm via Third-Order Tensor Isomorphism  
Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (**ACL 2022**)

**Xin Mao**, Meirong Ma, Hao Yuan, Jianchao Zhu, Zongyu Wang, Rui Xie, Wei Wu, Man Lan

Are Negative Samples Necessary in Entity Alignment?: An Approach with High Performance, Scalability and Robustness

International Conference on Information & Knowledge Management (**CIKM 2021**)

**Xin Mao**, Wenting Wang, Yuanbin Wu, Man Lan

From Alignment to Assignment: Frustratingly Simple Unsupervised Entity Alignment

The Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (**EMNLP 2021**)

**Xin Mao**, Wenting Wang, Yuanbin Wu, Man Lan

Boosting the Speed of Entity Alignment 10×: Dual Attention Matching Network with Normalized Hard Sample Mining

The Web Conference (**WWW 2021**)

**Xin Mao**, Wenting Wang, Yuanbin Wu, Man Lan

Relational Reflection Entity Alignment

International Conference on Information & Knowledge Management (**CIKM 2020**)

**Xin Mao**, Wenting Wang, Huimin Xu, Yuanbin Wu, Man Lan

MRAEA: An Efficient and Robust Entity Alignment Approach for Cross-lingual Knowledge Graph

International Conference on Web Search and Data Mining (**WSDM 2020**)

**Xin Mao**, Wenting Wang, Huimin Xu, Yuanbin Wu, Man Lan

## Co-Author

Scaling up Open Tagging from Tens to Thousands: Comprehension Empowered Attribute Value Extraction from Product Title

Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (**ACL 2019**)

Huimin Xu, Wenting Wang, **Xin Mao**, Xinyue Jiang, Man Lan

Target-dependent Event Detection: A New Task to Event Extraction from News

IEEE International Conference on Big Data (**Big Data 2021**)

Tiantian Zhang, **Xin Mao**, Dejian Li, Meirong Ma, Hao Yuan, Jianchao Zhu, Man Lan

A Simple Temporal Information Matching Mechanism for Entity Alignment Between Temporal Knowledge Graphs

International Conference on Computational Linguistics (**COLING 2022**)

Li Cai, **Xin Mao**, Meirong Ma, Hao Yuan, Jianchao Zhu and Man Lan

## **Awards & Competitions**

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National Scholarship (Ph.D.) **2022**

ECNU Wisdom Scholarships (Ph.D., Top 5%) **2021**

ECNU Scholarships (B.S.) **2014, 2015, 2016**

ACM-ICPC Asia Regional Programming Contest Qingdao Site **Silver Medal 2016**

CCPC National Programming Contest Ningbo Site **Bronze Medal 2016**

International Workshop on Semantic Evaluation (SemEval 2018) Emoji Prediction Task **Rank 4**

## **Review Services**

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Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (**ACL**)

The Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (**EMNLP**)

Annual Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (**NAACL**)

International Conference on Computational Linguistics (**COLING**)

ACL Rolling Review (**ARR**)