# Chih-Hao Wang

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## **EDUCATION**

**Carnegie Mellon University** 

Intelligent Information Systems, M.S.

Aug 2021 - Dec 2023

Pittsburgh, US

**Waseda University** Tokyo, Japan

Sep 2015 – Mar 2020 Computer Science and Engineering, B.E. - GPA: 3.94/4.00

**National University of Singapore** 

Singapore One-year exchange program Aug 2017 – May 2018

## **PUBLICATION**

Wang, C.H., Kato, S., and Sakai, T.: RSL19BD at DBDC4: Ensemble of Decision Tree-based and LSTM-based Models, Proceedings of WOCHAT and DBDC, IWSDS 2019, pdf at arXiv:1905.01799

- Investigated Decision Trees and DNN approaches for the Fourth Dialogue Breakdown Detection Challenge.
- Ranked 1st, 2nd place on English and Japanese dataset, respectively.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

Waseda University Sakai Laboratory – Research Member

Sep 2018 – Mar 2020

Advisor: Prof. Tetsuya Sakai

Investigated ML approaches for NLP, including sentiment analysis and dialogue breakdown detection.

**LeapMind** – Summer Intern (Deep Learning) – Internship Blog

Aug – Sep 2019

- Developed a DNN for optical flow estimation on CPU and FPGA-based devices using TensorFlow.
- Reduced the inference time by 53% with low-bit quantize-aware training.

**Yahoo!** – *Intern (E-commerce Backend Engineer)* 

July - Aug 2018

- Created RESTful APIs by working with 2 designers and 2 frontend engineers in a scrum team.
- Increased throughput by 274% with 95th percentile response time less than 200ms using Redis.
- Scaled the project with load balancing and boosted performance using proxy caching.
- Tools: Node.js, Swagger, Apache Traffic Server, Redis, MySQL, JMeter, Screwdriver.cd

## **PROJECTS** (more at github.com/OscarWang114)

Multimodal Video Ads Tagging Challenge – Tencent Advertising Algorithms Competition

May - July 2021

- Semi-final rank 25 / 50 Score 3% below 1st place, 16% above baseline
  - Performed multi-label classification of video ads containing 3 modalities: image, audio, and text. Fused cross-modality temporal information using multimodal Transformers.

### Address Elements Extraction Challenge – Shopee Code League

Mar 2021

Rank 37 / 1034 • Score 8% below 1st place

- Extracted entities from Indonesian addresses using BERT for token-level classification.
- Increased score by 3% through handling mismatches between input data and labels.

### WasedaTime – www.wasedatime.com

Dec 2017 - Sep 2020

Founder • Source Code

- Led a 6-person team to develop a full-stack web application for Waseda students.
- Acquired more than 5,000 returning users and 400K page views.
- Tools: JavaScript, React, Redux, Node.js, MongoDB, Travis CI

#### **SKILLS**

- IT: Python, C, Java, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, SQL Databases, MongoDB
- Languages: English (TOEFL: 117/120), Japanese (N1), Chinese (Native)