# YONGKANG LI

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### **EDUCATION**

Peking University, Yuanpei College

Beijing, China

Bachelor of Science, Data Science

Sept. 2018-Jun. 2022

**GPA**: 3.60/4.0

**Core Courses**: Advanced Algebra (86%, 89%), Programming in C&C++(90%), Python Programming (97%), Data Structures (88%), Algorithm Design and Analysis (90%), Undergraduate Research (99%)

**University of California Berkeley** 

Berkeley, California

Master of Engineering, Industrial Engineering and Operation Research

Sept. 2023-Jun. 2024

### **PUBLICATIONS**

**Yongkang Li**, Sheng Wang, *BioLlama: Biomedical Inference Via Tool-Augmented Large Language Model*, in submission to Nature Communications

Yifan Wang, **Yongkang Li**, et al., Deep Graph Mutual Learning for Cross-domain Recommendation, Proceeding of the 27<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Database Systems for Advanced Applications (DASFAA), 2022

Shuai Li, Yifan Wang, **Yongkang Li**, et al., *GMR-Rec: Graph Mutual Regularization Learning for Multi-Domain Recommendation*, Submitted to Expert Systems with Applications (under review)

### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

## University of Washington (online)

Seattle, USA

Research Intern at Sheng's Lab

Sep. 2023.-Now

- Perform biomedical inference by tuning large language models to master biomedical tools via documents.
- Achieve significant improvements using finetuned Llama7B over GPT4 in all experimental setting. Submit the results to a journal publication.

**Peking University** 

Beijing, China

Research Assistant at Dlib Group

Jun. 2020-Mar. 2022

#### Research on Multi-Domain Recommendation Model

- Passionately explored Multi-Domain Recommender Model. Employed graph neural network to obtain
  extensive features for the cold-start users and employed mutual learning method to enhance the users'
  representation in the target domains
- Presented convincing findings of the work at a prestigious conference. Extended the work and submitted the results to a journal publication

#### WORKING EXPERIENCE

Meituan Corp.

Beijing, China

Algorithm Strategy Intern

Nov. 2020-Jan. 2022

- Habituated with the *Dianping APP* (the most widely used consumer review application in China) and identified the potential corners for improvements
- Professionally designed, developed, and implemented a deep graph recommendation algorithm for the application. Wangled ratification for the improvements

Peking UniversityBeijing, ChinaTeaching AssistantMar. 2021-Jul. 2021

## • Assisted the professor in Algorithm Design and Analysis course

- Prepared lessons, arranged discussions and tutorials
- Graded students' quizzes, programming assignments, and exam papers

## SELECTED AWARDS AND HONORS

Henan College Entrance Exam (Ranked 2 <sup>nd</sup> out of 983,000)	Jun. 2018
First Prize of Freshmen Scholarship (Worth \$7,600)	Dec. 2018
Annual Undergraduate Research Award	Mar. 2022
Yuanpei College Academic Star & Outstanding Graduate	Jun. 2022

## **SKILLS**

Language: Chinese (Native), Fluent English (TOEFL: 108)

**Programming:** C/C++, Python

Certifications: MIT 6.431x Probability, MIT 6.86x Machine Learning