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#### **EDUCATION**

### Southwest University, Chongqing, China

2021 - current

Major: Computer Science, WAM: 86.42/100;

Courses: Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning, Network Science, Knowledge Analysis and Knowledge Discover Research Interests: Knowledge Tracing, Contrastive Learning, Graph Embedding, Time Series Prediction

## **Chongqing Jiaotong University, Chongqing, China**

2017 - 2021

Major: Information and Computing Science, GPA:3.24/4, Junior/Senior GPA: 3.89/4;

Courses: Mathematical Analysis, Discrete Mathematics, Complex Analysis, Digital Signal Processing, Ordinary Differential Equation

#### **AWARD AND ACHIEVEMENTS**

First Class Academic Scholarship(top 20%)	2021, 2022
<ul> <li>HUAWEI Cup National Graduate Student Mathematical Contest in Modeling 2nd Prize</li> </ul>	2021, 2022
Merit Student Award(top 5%)	2022
American Mathematical Contest in Modeling H Prize	2021

#### **SELECTED PROJECTS**

1. Dynamic real-time monitoring and optimal maintenance of municipal utility tunnel, Research Assistant

2019 - 2020

- Gathered data from sensors deployed in tunnels, progressing the data for subsequent analysis.
- Leveraged SVM algorithms to analyze and assess the breakdown situations within the utility tunnel.
- Introduced the innovative approach of employing Genetic Algorithms (GA) to optimize the hyperparameters of SVM, resulting in improved classification performance.
- 2. Research on adaptive micro-open learning supported by artificial intelligence, Research Assistant

2021 - 2022

- Developed an IRT-based deep learning model, predicting student performance in responding to the given questions.
- Implemented contrastive learning to alleviate the issue of sparse model input, enhancing the robustness of our proposed model.
- In the end, our proposed model achieved state-of-the-art of knowledge tracing at the time.
- 3. Research on knowledge tracking model based on causal representation, Project Manager

2023 — current

- Analysed the causal dependencies of learning interactions within learning interactions, constructing the corresponding cause-effect graphs.
- Design a directed graph embedding method to update the interaction embeddings. Additionally, proposed a regularization method to mitigate representation collapse.
- Modified the attention mechanism to enhance our model's long-term prediction ability, resulting in improved accuracy performance.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

## **Preprint Articles**

- 1. **Shuaishuai Zu**, Li Li and Jun Shen, "CAKT: Coupling Contrastive Learning with Attention Networks for Interpretable Knowledge Tracing", IJCNN, **2023**, CCF: C
- 2. **Shuaishuai Zu**, Li Li, Jun Shen and Yafei Liu, "Contrastive Learning Augmented Graph Auto-Encoder for Graph Embedding", ICONIP, **2023**, CCF: C
- 3. Ge Zhao, **Shuaishuai Zu**, Li Li and Zhisheng Yang, "Multi-level Noise Filtering and Preference Propagation Enhanced Knowledge Graph Recommendation", ADMA, **2023**, CCF: C
- 4. Yafei Liu, **Shuaishuai Zu** and Li Li, "Improving Distance Based Knowledge Graph Embedding via Contrastive Learning", ADMA, **2023**, CCF: C

#### **Peer-reviewed Articles**

- 1. Shuaishuai Zu, Li Li and Jun Shen, "Causal-KT: Causality Inspired Knowledge Tracing", Neurocomputing, 2023, CCF: B
- 2. Ge Zhao, **Shuaishuai Zu**, Li Li and Zhisheng Yang, "Enhancing Knowledge-aware Recommendation with An Efficient Cross-view Contrastive Learning", under review.
- 3. Shiyu Zhu, Li Li, Shanxiong Chen, **Shuaishuai Zu**, Zhisheng Yang, Wei Li and Wenwen Zhao, "Personalized Index Autoencoders is Knowledge Tracking Need", under review.

## **Invention Patent**

1. A topic recommendation method and system based on personalized ability, 2022