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EDUCATION

National Taiwan University

- **Ph.D. in Computer Science** Feb 2020 – Jan 2025
 - Advisor: Prof. Yun-Nung (Vivian) Chen
- **B.B.A. in Information Management** Sep 2015 – Jan 2020
 - Graduated with Presidential Award (Top 5%)

INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

- Google DeepMind**, Research Scientist, Tokyo Jan 2026 – Present
Gemini for APAC
- Meta**, Research Scientist Intern, Menlo Park Jul 2024 – Jan 2025
Stepwise-RL for reasoning and Long Chain-of-Thought reasoning
Mentor: Tengyu Xu, Sainbayar Sukhbaatar, Yuandong Tian
- NVIDIA**, Artificial Intelligence Research Intern - Deep Learning, Taipei Mar 2024 – Jun 2024
Post-hoc correction for speech recognition
Manager: Frank Wang
- Amazon**, Applied Scientist Intern, Sunnyvale May 2023 – Aug 2023
LLM-as-a-Factuality-Judge
Mentor: Seokhwan Kim, Yang Liu
- Amazon**, Applied Scientist Intern, Sunnyvale Jun 2022 – Sep 2022
Rejection sampling for data augmentation
Mentor: Alexandros Papangelis, Dilek Hakkani-Tür
- Amazon**, Applied Scientist Intern, Sunnyvale Jun 2021 – Oct 2021
Online-RL for data augmentation
Mentor: Alexandros Papangelis, Dilek Hakkani-Tür
- IBM Research**, Research Intern, Yorktown Heights Jul 2019 – Sep 2019
First place in n2c2 Clinical Similarity Challenge and TAC 2019 Entity Recognition competitions
Manager: Ching-Huei Tsou

OPEN SOURCE

- **Taiwan-LLM** – first Traditional Chinese Large Language Model suite. [\[Models\]](#) [\[Code\]](#)
 - Continuous pretraining of Llama-3 70B on 500B tokens.
 - Post-training via data flywheel with user data from [twllm.com](#) and [arena.twllm.com](#).
 - Compute granted by NVIDIA; integrated into [NIM platform](#) and featured in [NVIDIA sovereign-AI blog](#).
 - Top open-weight LLMs on knowledge and localization benchmarks.

INVITED TALKS

- Invited speaker at Meta Global Llama Summit and Meta APAC Innovation Symposium.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- [1][Step-KTO: Optimizing Mathematical Reasoning through Stepwise Binary Feedback](#) **Yen-Ting Lin**, Di Jin, Tengyu Xu, Tianhao Wu, Sainbayar Sukhbaatar, Chen Zhu, Yun He, Yun-Nung Chen, Jason Weston, Yuandong Tian, Arash Rahnema, Sinong Wang, Hao Ma, Han Fang, *Preprint*.
- [2][NeKo: Toward Post Recognition Generative Correction Large Language Models with Task-Oriented Experts](#) **Yen-Ting Lin**, Chaohan Yang, Zhehuai Chen, Piotr Zelasko, Xuesong Yang, Zihching Chen, Krishna Puvvada, SzuWei Fu, Ke Hu, Junwei Chiu, Jagadeesh Balam, Boris Ginsburg, Yuchiang Frank Wang, in *Proceedings of ACL 2025 Industry Track*.
- [3][Measuring Taiwanese Mandarin Language Understanding](#) Po-Heng Chen, Sijia Cheng, Wei-Lin Chen, **Yen-Ting Lin**, Yun-Nung Chen, in *Proceedings of COLM 2024*.
- [4][Taiwan LLM: Bridging the Linguistic Divide with a Culturally Aligned Language Model](#) **Yen-Ting Lin**, Yun-Nung Chen, *Preprint*.
- [5][LLM-Eval: Unified Multi-Dimensional Automatic Evaluation for Open-Domain Conversations with Large Language Models](#) **Yen-Ting Lin**, Yun-Nung Chen, in *Proceedings of the 5th Workshop on NLP for ConvAI (NLP4ConvAI)*, 2023.
- [6][Selective In-Context Data Augmentation for Intent Detection using Pointwise V-Information](#) **Yen-Ting Lin**, Alexandros Papangelis, Seokhwan Kim, Sungjin Lee, Devamanyu Hazarika, Mahdi Namazifar, Di Jin, Yang Liu, Dilek Hakkani-Tür, in *Proceedings of EACL 2023*.
- [7][Knowledge-Grounded Conversational Data Augmentation with Generative Conversational Networks](#) **Yen-Ting Lin**, Alexandros Papangelis, Seokhwan Kim, Dilek Hakkani-Tür, in *Proceedings of SIGDIAL 2022*.