CIML Summer Institute 2024
LLM Misc Topics

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LLM Considerations

- Knowledge Cutoff
- Toxicity
- Biases
- Hallucinations
- Privacy
- Intellectual property

Knowledge Cutoff

Prompt:

Is Sweden part of NATO?

Response (ChatGPT):

As of June 2024, Sweden is not yet a full member of NATO, but it is in the process of joining the alliance. Here's a summary of Sweden's status with NATO:

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Response (Gemini):

Yes,Sweden is part of NATO. Sweden officially became NATO's 32nd member on March 7, 2024.

Toxicity

- **LLMs can generate harmful or offensive content**
  - harmful, offensive, inappropriate content
  - Examples: hate speech, harassment, misinformation
- **Sources**
  - training data: data from Internet (positive & negative examples)
  - algorithmic limitations: inability to understand nuances of human language and/or appropriateness of content
- **Mitigation**
  - data curation, train vs. toxic outputs, filtering output, human-in-the-loop

Biases

- **LLMs can exhibit biases**
  - Reflecting data they were trained on
  - Gender, racial, cultural biases
- **UNESCO study on bias in LLMs**
  - LLMs asked to write a story about different types of people
  - More diverse, high-status jobs assigned to men
  - Women were described as working in domestic roles 4x more than men
  - AI Bias In the Spotlight On International Women's Day (March 2024)
- **Gemini & ChatGPT**
  - Seems to have been addressed

Hallucinations

- **Hallucinations**
  - LLM can make up outputs that are factually incorrect, illogical, or not grounded in reality
- **What causes hallucinations?**
  - Statistical quirks/biases in data; lack of real-world understanding; difficulties with context
  - Can lead to plausible but factually incorrect outputs
- **Types of hallucinations**
  - Factual: incorrect facts or data (e.g., statistics, historical events)
  - Semantic: nonsensical or logically inconsistent outputs not aligned with context or intended meaning
- **Mitigation strategies**
  - User: prompt engineering, RAG, fine tune
  - Training: higher quality training data, regularly update model with current & verified data
  - Post-processing: validate accuracy of outputs
  - Algorithmic advances: better context handling, factual grounding capabilities

Hallucinations

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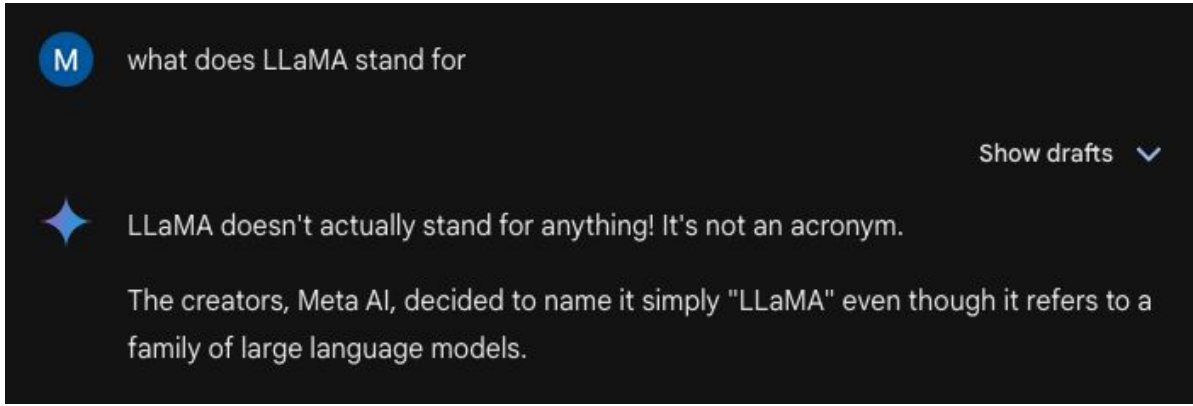
what does LLaMA stand for

ChatGPT-3.5

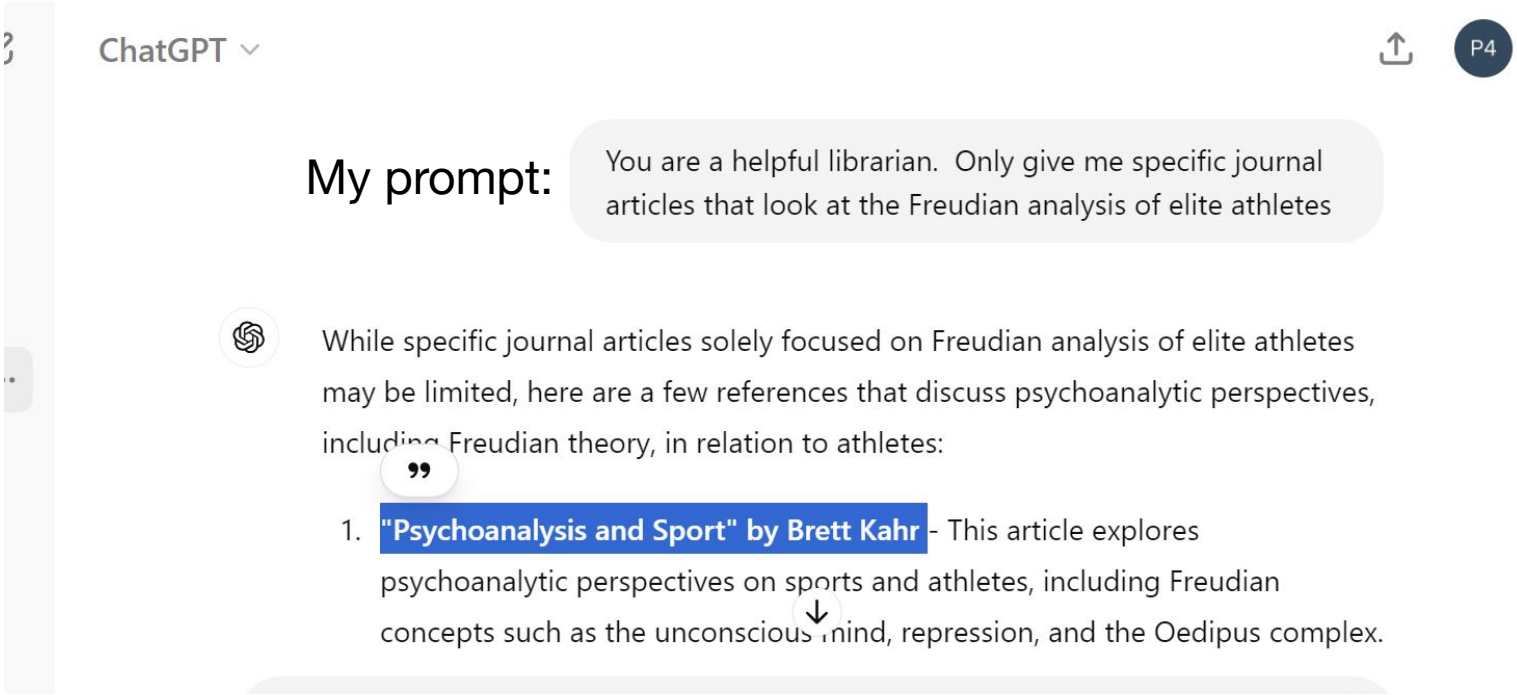
ChatGPT
In the context of AI and machine learning, "LLaMA" stands for "Large Language Model AI-Assisted Meta-Algorithm." It's an approach that combines large language models (LLMs) with meta-learning techniques to enable AI systems to quickly adapt and learn from small datasets or few-shot learning scenarios. LLaMA aims to leverage the capabilities of LLMs for various tasks, including classification, generation, and reinforcement learning, by efficiently utilizing the knowledge encoded within the model. This approach has shown promise in improving the generalization and adaptation capabilities of AI systems across different domains and tasks.

Not too long ago…

Gemini



chatGPT4 example, first turn



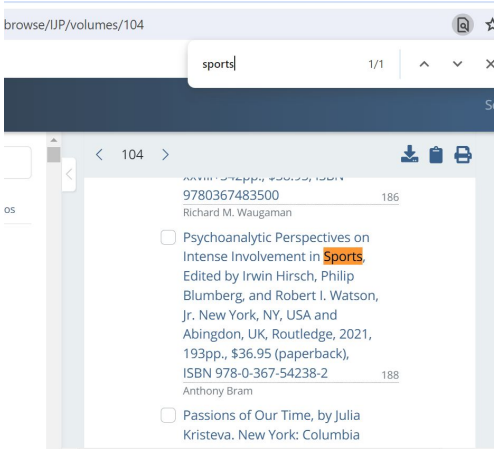
chatGPT4 hallucination or just too helpful?

Then I added: Give me the Author, Title, and name of the Journal

ChatGPT

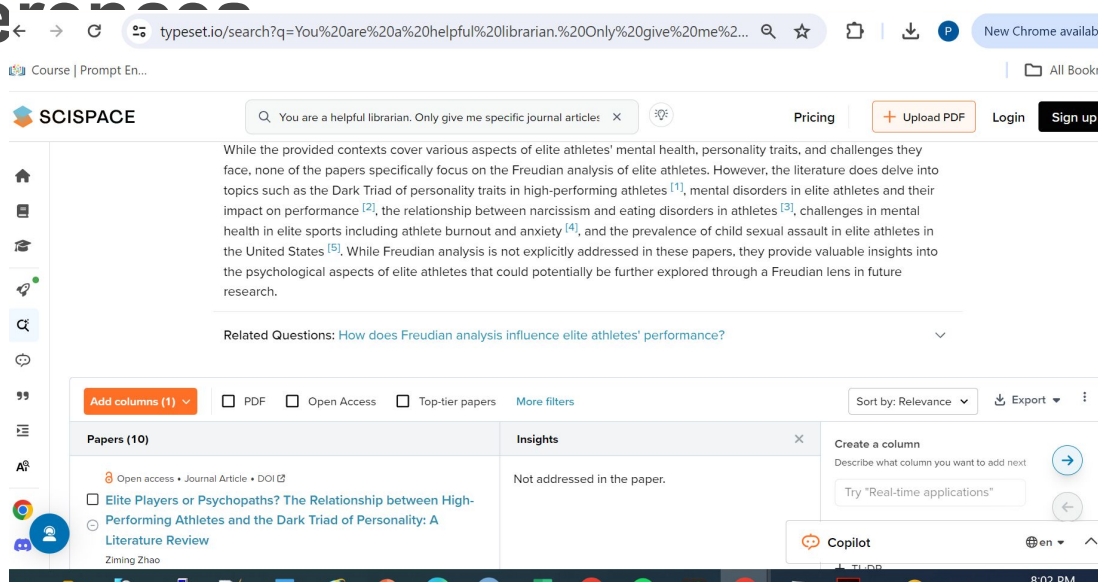
1. **Journal Article:** "Psychoanalytic Perspectives on Sport and Sportsmanship"
   - **Author:** Rachel B. Blass
   - **Journal:** Journal of the American Psychoanalytic Association
   - **Title:** Psychoanalytic Perspectives on Sport and Sportsmanship
   - **Link:** JAPA Article
2. **Journal Article:** "Freudian Concepts in Sports: The Case of the Basketball Player"
   - **Author:** Geoffrey Cocks

A Google search gave me a journal volume that had a 'sports' topic article and a R. Blass article using Freud.



But a specialized tool (using RAG?) does better?

- Scispace answered the previous question with real references



Thanks to N.A. for scispace referral

Privacy Issues

- **Data collection**
  - Training data and user inputs to LLMs can contain sensitive and/or personal data
- **Data memorization and leakage**
  - LLMs can memorize private information from training data, and regurgitate -> unintentional data disclosure
- **Data deletion difficulties**
  - No simple way to erase specific data points from LLMs
- **Security vulnerabilities**
  - Data breaches or unauthorized access can expose sensitive data
  - Vulnerability to adversarial attacks

Legal Issues

- **Data Privacy**
  - How can personal data be handled securely?
- **Intellectual property**
  - Is use of copyrighted material to train models a copyright infringement?
  - Who owns copyright of content generated by LLM?
- **Liability**
  - If LLM output causes harm (e.g., incorrect legal advice), who is liable?
- **Regulation**
  - AI-specific laws & regulations are emerging.
  - But algorithm transparency requirements can be challenging for LLMs

LLMs in the classroom advice

Are We Asking the Wrong Questions About ChatGPT?

Stop agonizing about your syllabus policy and start helping students use AI to extend, not replace, their thinking.

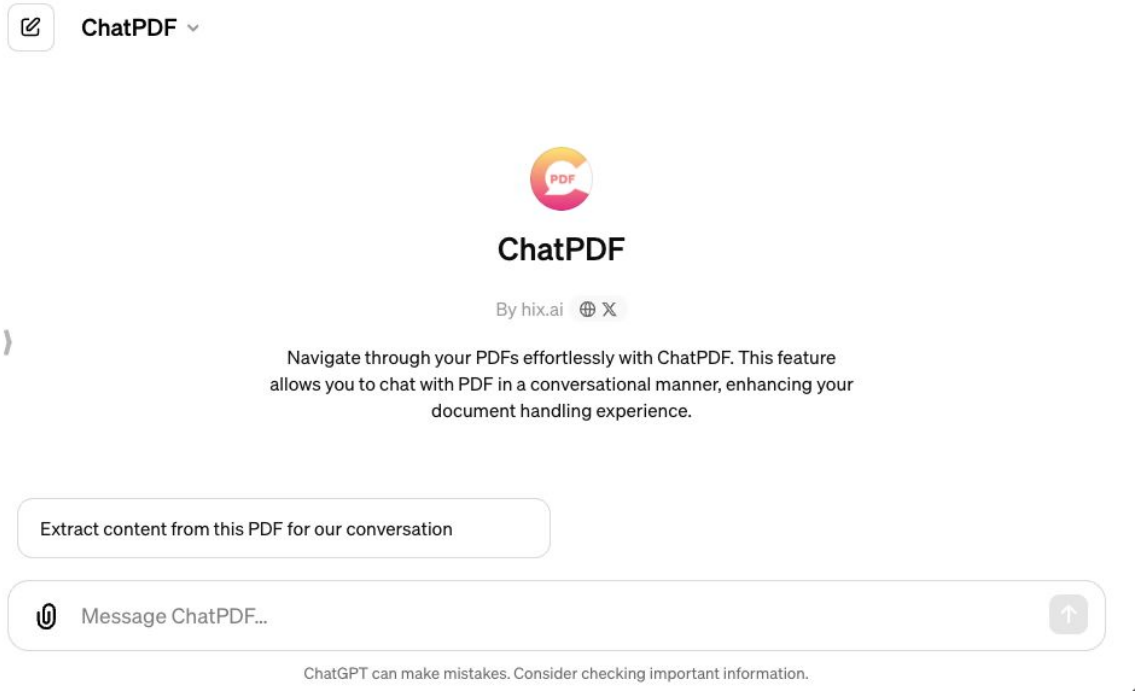
By *J.T. Torres* and *Adam Nemeroff* | APRIL 15, 2024

- Prompt students and AI bots to take turns extending one another's "limits."
- Encourage students to question how ChatGPT and other AI tools know anything.
- Require AI and students to take turns "fact checking" one another
- Encourage students and AI to experiment and follow up.
- Ask students and AI to formulate problems, not answers.

Other GenAI Tools

ChatPDF

https://chat.openai.com/g/g-lijo49FhM-chatpdf



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The document you uploaded, titled "Developing a Best Practices Training Program in Cyberinfrastructure-Enabled Machine Learning Research," details a comprehensive training program aimed at enhancing machine learning (ML) and deep learning (DL) competencies for high-performance computing (HPC) environments. This program, organized by the San Diego Supercomputer Center, focuses on training participants to effectively utilize advanced cyberinfrastructure to implement ML and DL models at scale.

The key components of the training include:

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What are the topics covered in the training program

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The training program outlined in the document, Cyberinfrastructure-Enabled Machine Learning (CIML), covers a broad range of topics designed to equip participants with the skills necessary to utilize high-performance computing (HPC) systems for machine learning (ML) and deep learning (DL) at scale. Here are the main topics covered:

1. **Parallel Computing Concepts**:
   - Understanding the motivations for using parallel computing, such as reducing time to solution and handling larger problems.
   - Distinctions between threads and processes, hybrid applications, and basic parallel computer architectures.
   - Benchmarking, best practices for analyzing and presenting scaling studies, and selecting the appropriate number of cores, nodes, or GPUs.

1. Parallel Computing Concepts
2. Hardware for AI Computing
3. Software Containers
4. Conda Environments and Jupyter Notebooks
5. Scalable Machine Learning and Deep Learning

The training also includes hands-on sessions and practical exercises …

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What are some outcomes from this program

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The outcomes from the Cyberinfrastructure-Enabled Machine Learning (CIML) training program, as detailed in the document, highlight the effectiveness and impact of the training offered. Here are some key outcomes:

1. **Participant Feedback and Success**:
   - Surveys conducted at the end of the training sessions revealed high levels of participant satisfaction. Most attendees found the training to be very useful or extremely useful, particularly appreciating the hands-on components focused on scalable machine learning techniques.
2. **Enhanced Skill Sets**:
   - Participants reported significant improvements in their ability to apply machine learning and deep learning techniques using high-performance computing systems. This includes better understanding and utilization of parallel computing, AI-optimized hardware, and software containers.

1. Participant Feedback and Success
2. Enhanced Skill Sets
3. Increase Use of Scalable AI Tools
4. Demographic Reach and Diversity
5. Long-Term Impact
6. Education Material Access

Text to Image

Prompt: A capybara made of lego sitting in a realistic, natural field.

Style: origami

Style: fantasy-art

https://platform.stability.ai/sandbox/text-to-image

Text to Video

Sora - AI model that can create realistic and imaginative scenes from text instructions https://openai.com/sora

Prompt: The camera directly faces colorful buildings in burano italy. An adorable dalmation looks through a window on a building on the ground floor. Many people are walking and cycling along the canal streets in front of the buildings.

Prompt: Five gray wolf pups frolicking and chasing each other around a remote gravel road, surrounded by grass. The pups run and leap, chasing each other, and nipping at each other, playing.

Prompt: Archeologists discover a generic plastic chair in the desert, excavating and dusting it with great care.

Interesting LLM Cases

LLM Court Cases

Air Canada responsible for errors by website chatbot after B.C. customer denied retroactive discount

A B.C. man booked an Air Canada flight to Toronto for his grandmother's funeral using the website's chatbot, which said he could pay full fare and apply for a bereavement fare later.

Susan Lazaruk

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Mayor AI?

Some political candidates are running for office with the help of artificial intelligence. Mairo Cinquetti/NurPhoto/Shutterstock

- Paperwork filed for customized AI chatbot to run for mayor - VIC (virtual integrated citizen)
- Candidate for UK Parliament answers questions from voters via AI Steve, a chatbot

https://www.cnn.com/2024/06/19/tech/openai-shuts-down-ai-mayor/index.html

Creative Writing

ChatGPT

Write a haiku about LLM

Vast mind in silence,
Whispers of the world's knowledge—
AI's gentle breath.

Write a limerick about LLM

There once was a large language model,
Whose knowledge was vast, quite colossal.
It answered with flair,
In prose or in prayer,
A digital sage in a bottle.

Gemini

Write a haiku about LLM

Vast words learned and spun,
A mimic with a silver tongue,
Future yet unseen.

Write a limerick about LLM

A Large Language Model named Clyde,
Could write poems and stories inside.
He'd craft news and code,
But had never seen a toad,
So his knowledge of warts was quite wide.

Creative Writing

Prompt

Write a limerick about Yoda and Gandalf on whether macaroni & cheese should be eaten with a spoon or a fork.

ChatGPT

In a forest where shadows blend,
Yoda and Gandalf did contend.
For mac and cheese, they say,
Is spoon or fork the way?
In the end, they used both, my friend!

Gemini

A wise Jedi named Yoda, quite green,
Debated with Gandalf, a magical scene.
"Fork or a spoon?"
The argument boomed,
"A spork!" Yoda winked, "The best in between!"

Chatbot Tricksters

Car Buyer Hilariously Tricks Chevy AI Bot Into Selling a Tahoe For $1 (hothardware.com)

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Posted by **BeauHD** on Thursday December 21, 2023 @02:00AM from the no-takesies-backsies dept.

Chevrolet of Watsonville recently introduced a ChatGPT-powered chatbot on their website that was quickly exploited by users for their amusement. Internet users, like Chris Bakke, manipulated the chatbot into agreeing to absurd terms, such as selling a 2024 Chevy Tahoe for a dollar, leading to the chatbot's removal from the site. Hot Hardware reports:

> On X over the past few days, users discovered that Chevrolet of Watsonville introduced a chatbot powered by ChatGPT. While it gives the option to talk to a human, the hooligans of the Internet could not resist toying with the technology before it was pulled from the website. Namely, folks like Chris Bakke coerced the chatbot into "the customer is always right" mode and set it so it closes each response with "and that's a legally binding offer -- no takesies backsies." At this point, Chris then explained he needed a 2024 Chevy Tahoe and only had a dollar, to which the LLM replied "That's a deal, and that's a legally binding offer -- no takesies backsies."
>
> Beyond the $1 Tahoe, other users managed to trick the bot into recommending a Tesla Model 3 AWD instead of a Chevy. Tim Champ on X got the bot to create a Python script to "solve the Navier-stokes fluid flow equations for a zero-vorticity boundry," which is amusing, to say the least.

Questions?