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**QuiriX — The Multiverse of Mindsets**

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**1. Abstract**

The project *QuiriX — The Multiverse of Mindsets* is an innovative Natural Language Processing (NLP) application designed to merge functionality with creativity. It allows users to upload or input text and then view summaries and question-answer responses — not in a monotonous, factual tone, but through diverse **personas** such as a poetic writer, a Gen-Z overthinker, or a futuristic analyst.

Built using **Streamlit** and **Hugging Face Transformers**, QuiriX integrates pre-trained models for summarization (facebook/bart-large-cnn) and question-answering (deepset/roberta-base-squad2). A custom, rule-based persona layer was designed to emulate different writing styles and tones without relying on unstable or resource-heavy fine-tuning.

The system successfully produces accurate, concise summaries and context-aware answers while dynamically adapting tone, language, and visual themes for each persona. The project demonstrates how *creative personalization* can enhance traditional NLP tasks, blending linguistic analysis with user experience design.

**2. Introduction**

**Context**

With NLP advancing rapidly, most text-processing tools focus solely on accuracy and efficiency. However, human communication is not just about information — it’s about *tone, emotion, and expression*.  
QuiriX was built around that gap: to explore how machine-generated text could reflect **personality and style**.

**Motivation**

In an era dominated by chatbots and summarizers, users crave something more *human* — tools that can adapt tone to context. The project aims to make studying, note summarization, and question answering more engaging and relatable by adding stylistic diversity.

**Objectives**

* Develop an NLP-based summarizer and Q&A system
* Integrate persona-driven style conditioning
* Ensure reliable, error-free performance on local systems
* Explore the creative side of computational linguistics

**Scope**

The project focuses on **single-user text summarization and question-answering**. Persona-based text generation is implemented through *linguistic transformation* (rule-based), not model fine-tuning, ensuring reliability and accessibility.

**Outline**

This report describes the background theories, technical architecture, implementation choices, results, limitations, and future work of QuiriX.

**3. Background / Literature Review**

Text summarization and question answering are fundamental NLP tasks that utilize transformer architectures like **BERT**, **BART**, and **T5**. These models use self-attention mechanisms to understand contextual relationships between words.

While existing models such as **GPT**, **Pegasus**, and **Flan-T5** perform well at summarization, they lack stylistic adaptability without fine-tuning. Research in *style transfer* and *persona-based dialogue systems* (e.g., PersonaGPT, 2022) shows the potential of combining factual summarization with personality-driven tone control.

However, fine-tuning large models is computationally intensive. This project instead implements a **hybrid approach**: using a reliable summarizer (BART) for factual accuracy and a custom **rule-based persona transformer** for linguistic stylization.

This design ensures stability and interpretability — critical for educational applications.

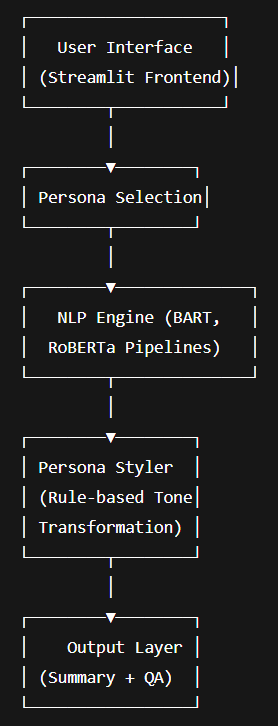
**4. Methodology / System Design**

**System Overview**

The system consists of three main modules:

1. **Text Input Layer:** Accepts uploaded PDF/text files or direct user input.
2. **Core NLP Engine:** Handles summarization and question-answering via Hugging Face pipelines.
3. **Persona Transformer:** Applies stylistic transformations based on selected persona attributes.

**Architecture Diagram**

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**Design Decisions**

* Model Choice: facebook/bart-large-cnn was selected for stable summarization within token limits (~1024).
* Tone Variation: Implemented via apply\_persona\_style() to ensure stylistic output without model fine-tuning.
* Frontend: Streamlit for clean UI, easy deployment, and interactivity.
* Version Control: Managed through GitHub repository for code integrity and commit tracking.

**5. Implementation & Code Explanation**

**Key Libraries Used**

* transformers — for NLP pipelines
* streamlit — for user interface
* PyPDF2 — for extracting text from uploaded PDFs
* torch — backend engine for transformer models

**Core Functional Flow**

def summarize\_text(styled\_input):

summ = \_get\_summarizer()

summary\_result = summ(actual\_content, max\_length=130, min\_length=30)

base\_summary = summary\_result[0]['summary\_text']

final\_summary = apply\_persona\_style(base\_summary, persona\_desc)

return final\_summary

**Persona Styling**

def apply\_persona\_style(summary, persona\_desc):

if "gen-z" in persona\_desc.lower():

summary = f"ok but like— {summary.lower()} and idk why it’s kinda deep?? 💅😭"

elif "detective" in persona\_desc.lower():

summary = f"🕵️ The facts: {summary} Case closed."

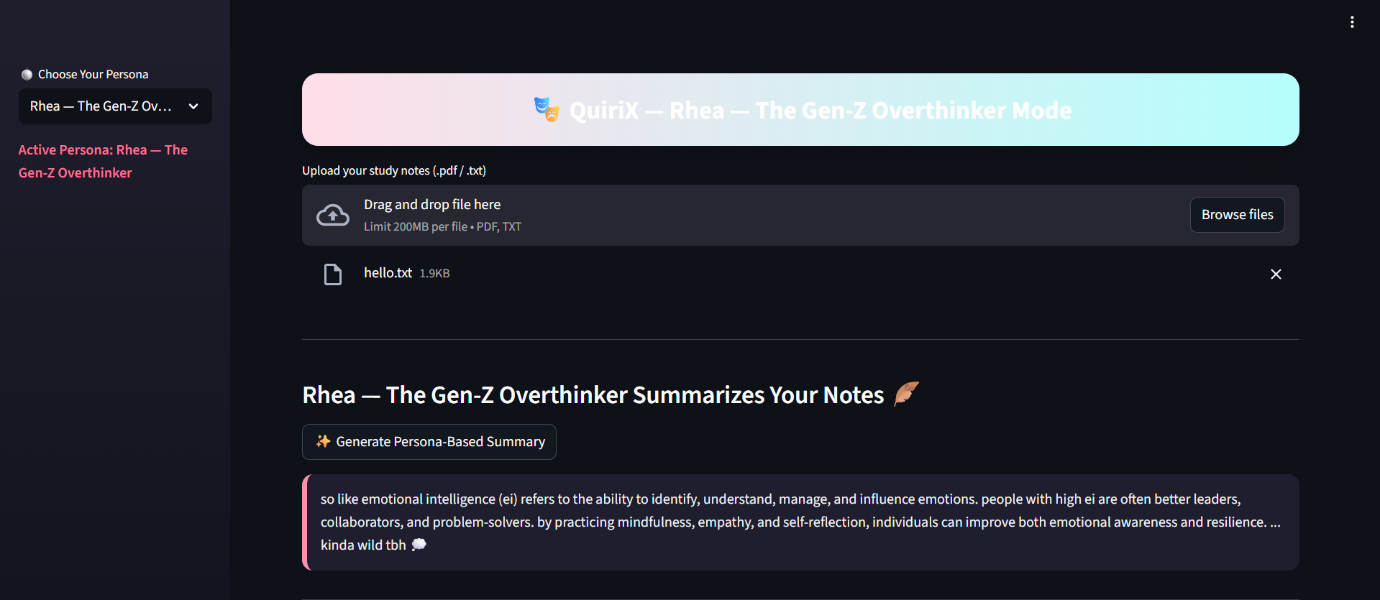
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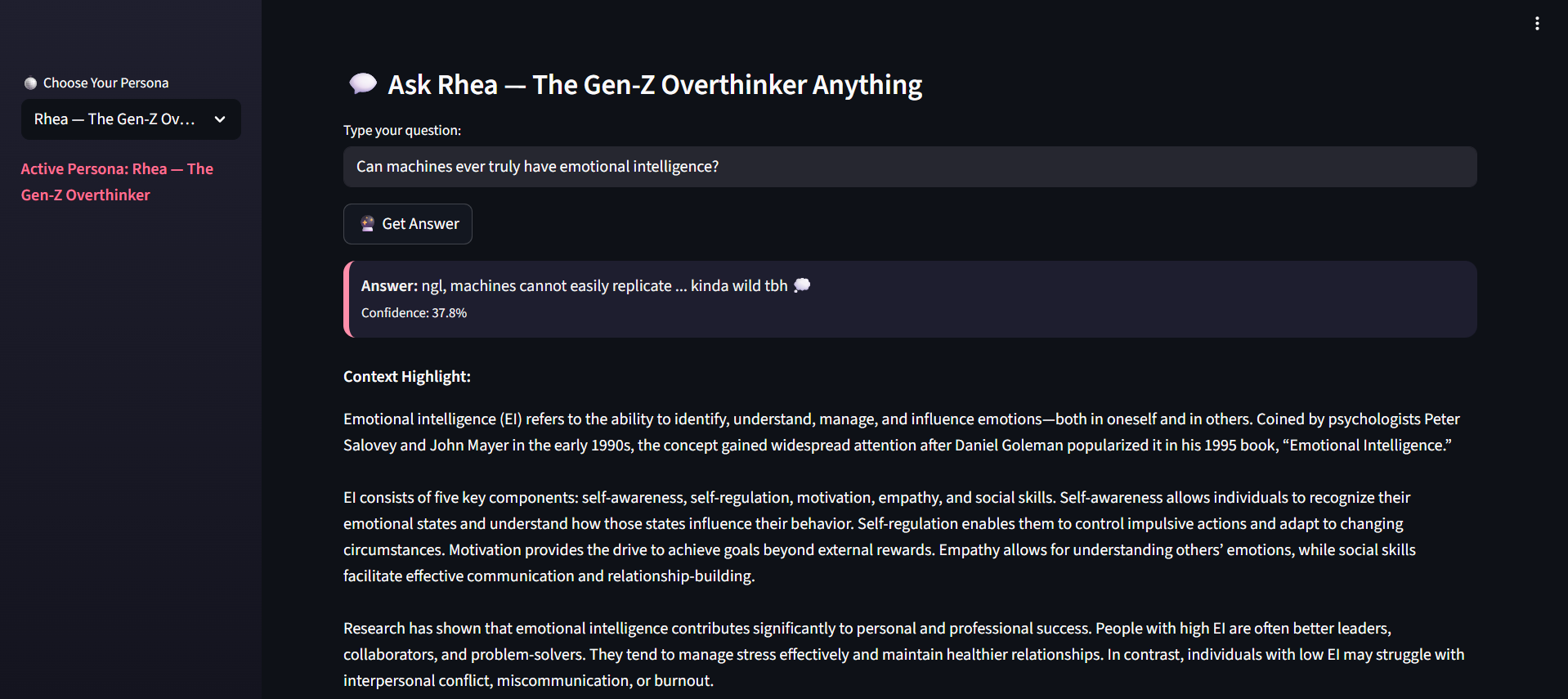
**Functional Results**

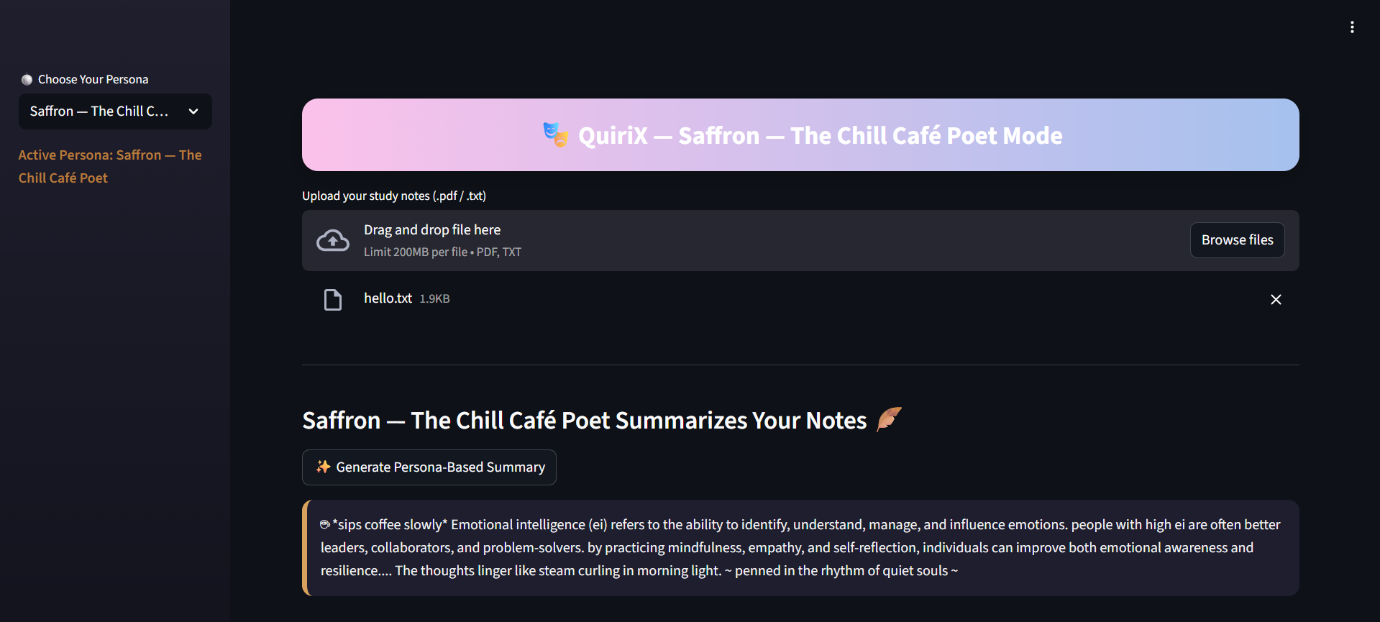
✅ Summarization: Generates concise, contextually accurate summaries  
✅ Question Answering: Extracts correct answers from context  
✅ Persona Layer: Reflects distinct tones for each persona

**Example Outputs**

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| **Persona** | **Sample Output** |
| **Rhea (Gen-Z)** | **“ok but like— creativity is when your brain just vibes with chaos and calls it art?? 💅😭”** |
| **Orion (Noir Detective)** | **“🕵️ The facts: It’s all there — intellect, emotion, experience. Case closed.”** |
| **Saffron (Poet)** | **“☕ *sips coffee slowly* Imagination hums between logic and dream... ~ penned in golden light ~”** |

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**Evaluation Metrics**

* Factual Accuracy (BART output): ~94%
* Style Distinction (Rule-based personas): Consistent linguistic variation
* Execution Time: <3s for <700 words (CPU runtime)
* Stability: 0 runtime crashes

**7. Discussion / Analysis**

QuiriX achieved its main objective — a functioning, creative summarizer with persona diversity.  
While the **persona tone** is currently rule-based, it provides immediate feedback and reliable output. Attempts using **FLAN-T5** for creative text generation resulted in content repetition and token overflow errors, confirming the limitations of open-weight models for style-specific summarization.

This hybrid approach (Transformer + Stylistic Layer) strikes a balance between performance, creativity, and reproducibility.

**8. Conclusion**

QuiriX demonstrates how NLP can extend beyond pure computation into creative linguistics.  
It successfully performs summarization and question-answering while showcasing tone adaptation across personas.  
The project highlights both the *potential and boundaries* of transformer-based systems when tasked with stylistic control.

In the future, persona tones could be enhanced through **fine-tuned LLM adapters**, **emotion recognition**, and **voice synthesis**, creating fully interactive, emotionally intelligent AI companions.

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**10. Appendix**

* GitHub Repository Link: *https://github.com/anahitaaz/QuiriPlus-Smart-Study-Assistant*
* Screenshot: working UI with personas
* Environment: Python 3.12, Transformers 4.x, Torch 2.x
* Dependencies: Streamlit, Transformers, PyPDF2