Anthony Liu

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Education

09/2019 - present University of Michigan (CSE)

Ann Arbor, MI PhD in Computer Science

Advisor: Honglak Lee

09/2015 - 05/2019 University of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI BSE in Computer Science

> Minor in Mathematics

GPA: 3.93/4.0

Awards: University Honors

James B. Angell Scholar

Publications

Conference Papers (C)

- C.4 Liu, A.Z.*, Sohn, S.*, Qazwini, M., Lee, H. (2021) Learning Parameterized Task Structure for Generalization to Unseen Entities NeurIPS 2021 RL Workshop. In submission to AAAI 2022.
- C.3 Lee, K. H., Fischer, I., Liu, A.Z., Guo, Y., Lee, H., Canny, J., Guadarrama, S. (2020) Predictive Information Accelerates Learning in RL. NeurIPS 2020, Vancouver, Canada.
- C.2 Ramesh, D., Liu, A.Z., Song, J., Waytowich, N., Lasecki, W.S. (2020) Yesterday's Reward is Today's Punishment: Contrast Effects in Human Feedback to Reinforcement Learning Agents AAMAS 2020, Auckland, New Zealand. May 2020. Best Student Paper
- C.1 Liu, A.Z., Guerra, S., Fung, I., Matute, G., Kamar, E., Lasecki, W.S. (2020) Towards Hybrid Human-AI Workflows for Unknown Unknown Detection WWW'20, Taipei, Taiwan. April 20-24.

Professional Experience

05/2018 - 08/2018 Bloomberg L.P. Data Science Intern

New York City, NY Implemented SOTA active learning algorithms in a framework for various ML teams in Bloomberg.

Awards

10/2017 Finalist in the University of Michigan's Campus of the Future Design Competition

Winners received \$25,000 in funding. Won finalist in the competition (Top 5 of 50 teams). The only only-undergraduate team in the Top 5.

Teaching

2017 Teaching Assistant

University of Michigan EECS 482 (Introduction to Operating Systems).

Taught discussion, helped draft exams, held office hours. Q. Explained the material clearly: 4.77/5.0 (University median: 4.67/5.0)

2018 Teaching Assistant

University of Michigan EECS 492 (Introduction to Artificial Intelligence).

Taught discussion, helped draft homework and exams, held office hours. Q. Explained the material clearly: 4.8/5.0 (College median: 4.5/5.0)

2020 Fall - present Graduate Student Instructor

University of Michigan EECS 376 (Introduction to Theoretical Computer Science).

Taught discussion, helped draft homework and exams, held office hours, managed undergraduate instructors and graders for homework creation and grading.