Anubhav Jangra

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Education

Bihar, India IIT Patna Jul 2017 – Jul 2021

• Bachelor of Technology in Computer Science and Engineering, GPA: 8.78/10, Major GPA: 9.12/10 (CS+MA)

Work Experience

Pre-doctoral researcher

Google Research India

Jul 2021 - Present

• Working on Natural Language Generation problems in the Advertising Sciences team.

Global Research Mentee

IBM

Jun 2021 - Jul 2021

• Developed the project framework for project *Health Care App*, that uses knowledge graphs and named-entity recognition to help user self-diagnose themselves using the developed platform.

Project Member

Huawei Technologies Co., Ltd

Dec 2020 - Mar 2021

• Developed a Proof of Concept (POC) for the task of automatic tagline generation and product description using existing neural summarization systems for the upcoming collaborative project of IIT Patna and Huawei

Reserach Intern

GREYC Lab, ENSI-CAEN

Jul 2020 - Aug 2020

- Worked on patch-based identification of lexical semantic relation using PageRank-based attention mechanism.
- Adopted a novel multi-view framework to mimic the human perception using pattern-based, vision-based and cognition-based distributional features.

Research Intern

TCS Innovation Lab

Dec 2019 - Jan 2020

- Worked on a novel approach to tackle the insufficiency of data in time-series signals with Generative modeling.
- Achieved a 76.84% accuracy (72% without GAN) on Arrowhead dataset using proposed model (RESNET+GANs).

Research Intern

Kyoto University

May 2019 – Jun 2019

- Worked on a novel problem statement in the field of multi-modal summarization. Developed a new dataset.
- Formulated and implemented a novel joint-ILP framework that achieved 0.074 ROUGE-2 score for text summary, 59.9% precision and 38.3% recall for image summary, and 44% accuracy for video summary.

Research Intern

CFILT Lab, IIT Bombay

Dec 2018 - Jan 2019

- Learnt and implemented various Unsupervised NMT Deep Learning models for distant language pairs.
- Developed an unsupervised two-way translation system using WMT-2014 English-Hindi monolingual corpus.
- Exploited various techniques like random swapping of input words, and initializing the model using autoencoder inspired contextual learning using attention based encoder-decoder models.

UG Research Scholar

AI-NLP-ML Lab, IIT Patna

Jul 2018 – Present

• Worked extensively in the area of summarization, varying from extractive and abstractive text summarization to multi-modal summarization with multi-modal outputs. Other explored areas include complaint mining and multi-label classification. Also supervised four students (three interns and one junior) as a member of the lab.

Research Publications

- Anubhav Jangra, Adam Jatowt, Sriparna Saha, Mohammed Hasanuzzaman, "A Survey on Multi-modal Sum-marization". **ACM Computing Surveys 2021** (Impact Factor: **7.990**) (status: under review)
- Apoorva Singh, Sriparna Saha, Mohammed Hasanuzzaman, <u>Anubhav Jangra</u>, "Identifying Complaints based on Semi-Supervised Mincuts". **Elsevier's Expert Systems with Applications**, **2021** (Impact Factor: **5.452**) (status: under review)
- Anubhav Jangra, Sriparna Saha, Adam Jatowt, Mohammed Hasanuzzaman, "Multi-modal Supplementary—Complementary Summarization using Multi-Objective Optimization", **SIGIR 2021** (category **A*** conference) (DOIL https://doi.org/10.1145/3404835.3462877)
- Anubhav Jangra*, Raghav Jain*, Vaibhav Mavi*, Sriparna Saha, Pushpak Bhattacharyya, "Semantic Extractor-Paraphraser based Abstractive Summarization", ICON 2020 (accepted)

- Anubhav Jangra, Sriparna Saha, Adam Jatowt, Mohammed Hasanuzzaman, "Multi-Modal Summary Generation using Multi-objective Optimization", SIGIR 2020 (category A* conference)
 (DOI: https://doi.org/10.1145/3397271.3401232)
- Anubhav Jangra, Adam Jatowt, Mohammed Hasanuzzman, Sriparna Saha, "Text-Image-Video Summary Generation using Joint Integer Linear Programming", ECIR 2020 (category A conference)
 (DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-45442-5_24)
- Naveen Saini, Sriparna Saha, <u>Anubhav Jangra</u>, Pushpak Bhattacharyya, "Extractive Single Document Summarization using Multiobjective Optimization: Exploring Self-organized Differential Evolution, Grey Wolf Optimizer and Water Cycle Algorithm", Elsevier's Knowledge Based Systems, 2018 (Impact Factor: 5.921) (DOI: https://doi.org/10.1016/j.knosys.2018.10.021)

Technical Experience

Reviewer

- Reviewer at ACM Computing Surveys (since Jan 2021) and ACM TALLIP (since May 2020).
- Secondary reviewer at AAAI 2020, EACL 2021, ACL 2021 and EMNLP 2021.

Projects

- **Multi-modal summarization (MMS)** (Jan 2019 present) Have extensively explored this area for the past two years, and have extended this project as my undergraduate thesis.
 - First one ever to propose and solve the problem of text, image, and video summary generation.
 - Developed and implemented various systems using optimization techniques like integer linear programming, differential evolution, grey wolf optimizer etc. utilizing diverse objectives.
 - Formally defined the complementary and supplementary enhanced multi-modal summaries for the first time, and achieved a new state-of-the-art for the task of unsupervised MMS, surpassing the predecessor by almost twice as better ROUGE-2 score.
 - Submitted one of its kind literature survey at ACM Computing Surveys 2021.
- Abstractive Text Summarization using reinforced learning (May 2020 present)
 - Proposed an 'extractor-abstractor' framework to outperform its predecessors by a margin of 0.5 ROUGE-1,
 0.4 ROUGE-2, 1 METEOR, and 0.9 WMS (Word Mover Similarity) scores.
 - A knowledge discovery that the standard sequence-to-sequence networks like PGN model implicitly paraphrases was brought to light through this project.
 - Currently working on an adversarial model that is able combine information from multiple sentences into a latent space; overcoming a major shortcoming of sequence-to-sequence networks.
- Complaint Mining (Jun 2020 Jul 2020)
 - An NLP task of binary classification of a review as a complaint using semi-supervised graph-based approach.
 - The proposed model surpasses the existing state-of-the-art by just utilizing only 50% of training data.
- TensorFlow at the Edge for Wireless Drones (Jan 2019 Apr 2020)
 - Integrated edge computation by incorporating pixel-based motion detection on Raspberry Pi (mimicking the edge device) and object detection using in the intermediate nodes to detect human movement to reduce overloading on servers.
 - Received an AA (highest possible grade) in the CS299 course (Innovation Design Laboratory).
 - Project link: https://github.com/dsciitpatna/tensorflow-at-the-edge

Additional Experience and Awards

- University of Innsbruck (June 2020): Part-time Teaching Assistant in the course 2021S703836 VU (Natural Language Processing). Prepared lectures on automatic summarization.
- Google Research AI summer school (2020): Got selected to participate in the natural language understanding track of the summer school, limited to only 50 students amongst thousands of applicants.
- Attended a short term course and workshop on "Pragmatic Optimization for Practical Problem Solving" conducted by Michigan State university, IIT Roorkee and IISc Bangalore, limited to only 40 students.
- Department Lead ML, Google DSC IIT Patna (2019-2020): Supervised a few projects and gave lectures on Machine Learning theories and its applications.

- PyData Patna Conference (Dec 2020): Invited to give a talk on automatic text summarization.
- Ranked in National Top 0.2% (amongst 1,400,000 candidates) in JEE Mains 2017 and Top 1.5% (amongst 2,00,000 candidates) in IIT-JEE Advanced 2017.

Languages and Technologies

- Python, MATLAB, C/C++, MySql, PHP, Bash, HTML, CSS, JavaScript
- TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch, Git, D3.js, Node.js, LaTeX, MongoDB