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Research Interests

Federated Learning, Efficient NLP System, Speech Privacy.

Education

09/2021 – present PhD in Computer Science and Technology, BUPT

Advisor: Prof. Shangguang Wang, Prof. Mengwei Xu

• Remote Advisor: Prof. Felix Xiaozhu Lin

09/2017 – 07/2021 BS in Communication Engineering, BUPT

• Advisor: Prof. Lin Fan

Employment & Experience

07/2021 – 12/2021 **Research Intern**, Webank

• Mentor: Dr. Lixin Fan

Honors & Awards

- Travel Grant, EuroSys, 2024
- National Scholarship, Ministry of Education, 2023
- Outstanding Graduate Student, BUPT, 2023
- Excellent Ph.D. Students Foundation, BUPT, 2023
- Outstanding Graduate Student, State Key Laboratory of Networking and Switching Technology, 2022/2023
- First-class academic scholarship, BUPT, 2022
- National-Level, Innovation and Entrepreneurship Projects for College Students, 2019

Academic Services

TPC Member

MobiSys'24 AE, MobiCom'24 AE, NCSC-edge'22, TURC-SIGBED-China'23

Reviewer

TMC, TKDE, IoTJ, SAGC'22, ICASSP'24.

• External Reviewer

EIS'21, ICWS'23

Conference Publications (* = equal contributions)

(full list at https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=dlimkboAAAAJ&hl=zh-CN)

- [1] "FedRDMA: Communication-Efficient Cross-Silo Federated LLM via Chunked RDMA Transmission"
 - Zeling Zhang*, **Dongqi Cai***, Yiran Zhang, Mengwei Xu, Shangguang Wang, Ao Zhou, in *Proceedings of the 4rd Workshop on Machine Learning and Systems* (*EuroMLSys*), colocated with European Conference on Computer Systems (EuroSys, CCF-A), 2024.
- [2] "Rethinking Mobile AI Ecosystem in the LLM Era"
 - Jinliang Yuan*, Chen Yang*, **Dongqi Cai***, Shihe Wang, Xin Yuan, Zeling Zhang, Xiang Li, Dingge Zhang, Hanzi Mei, Xianqing Jia, Shangguang Wang, Mengwei Xu, in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Mobile Computing and Networking* (*MobiCom, CCF-A*), 2024.
- [3] "Federated Few-shot Learning for Mobile NLP"
 - **Dongqi Cai**, Shangguang Wang, Yaozong Wu, Felix Xiaozhu Lin, Mengwei Xu, in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Mobile Computing and Networking* (*MobiCom, CCF-A*), 2023.
- [4] "Efficient Federated Learning for Modern NLP"
 - **Dongqi Cai**, Yaozong Wu, Shangguang Wang, Felix Xiaozhu Lin, Mengwei Xu, in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Mobile Computing and Networking* (*MobiCom, CCF-A*), 2023.
- [5] "Towards Practical Few-shot Federated NLP"
 - **Dongqi Cai**, Yaozong Wu, Haitao Yuan, Shangguang Wang, Felix Xiaozhu Lin, Mengwei Xu, in *Proceedings of the 3rd Workshop on Machine Learning and Systems* (*EuroMLSys*), colocated with European Conference on Computer Systems (EuroSys, CCF-A), 2023.
- [6] "GPT4D: Automatic Cross-Version Linux Driver Upgrade Toolkit"
 - Borui Yang, Hongyu Li, **Dongqi Cai**, in the 8th EAI International Conference on Machine Learning and Intelligent Communications (MLICOM), 2023.
- [7] "FedAdapter: Efficient Federated Learning for Mobile NLP"
 - **Dongqi Cai**, Shangguang Wang, Yaozong Wu, Mengwei Xu, in *Proceedings of the ACM Turing Award Celebration Conference (TURC)*, 2023.
- [8] "Towards ubiquitous learning: A first measurement of on-device training performance"
 - **Dongqi Cai**, Qipeng Wang, Yuanqiang Liu, Yunxin Liu, Shangguang Wang, Mengwei Xu, in *Proceedings of the 5th International Workshop on Embedded and Mobile Deep Learning* (*EMDL*), co-located with ACM International Conference on Mobile Systems, Applications, and Services (MobiSys, CCF-B), 2021.
- [9] "Mitigating App Collusion using Machine Learning"
 - Xuefei Duan, Hua Lu, Jinliang Yuan, Qiyang Zhang, **Dongqi Cai**, in *IEEE 7th International Conference on Big Data Intelligence and Computing (DataCom)*, 2021.

Journal Publications

[1] "Accelerating Vertical Federated Learning"

Dongqi Cai, Tao Fan, Yan Kang, Lixin Fan, Mengwei XU, Shangguang Wang, Qiang Yang, early access in *IEEE Transactions on Big Data (IEEE TBD)*, 2022.

[2] "Implementation of an E-payment security evaluation system based on quantum blind computing"

Dongqi Cai, Xi Chen, Yuhong Han, Xin Yi, Jinping Jia, Cong Cao, Ling Fan, in *International Journal of Theoretical Physics (IJTP)*, 2020.

Patents

- [1] "A Federated Learning Method, System, and Apparatus Based on Forward Gradient"

 Mengwei Xu; Yaozong Wu; **Dongqi Cai;** Shangguang Wang
- [2] "A Federated Few-Shot Learning Method, System, and Device for Natural Language Models"

Mengwei Xu; Dongqi Cai; Ao Zhou; Xiao Ma; Shangguang Wang

- [3] "A Federated Learning Method, Device, and System for Pre-trained Models" Mengwei Xu; **Dongqi Cai**; Ao Zhou; Xiao Ma; Shangguang Wang,
- [4] "Vertical Federated Learning Modeling Optimization Method, Device, Medium, and Program"

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