# Karl Pichotta

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## Education

2013

2008

Ph.D (in progress), Computer Science, University of Texas at Austin (2016, expected). MS, Computer Science, University of Texas at Austin.

BS, Symbolic Systems (Honors), Minor in Mathematics, Stanford University.

## Research Interests

Natural Language Processing, Document and Discourse-level Computational Semantics, Machine Learning.

# **Publications**

#### JOURNAL ARTICLES

Vladimir Lifschitz, Karl Pichotta and Fangkai Yang. Relational Theories with Null Values and Non-Herbrand Stable Models. *Theory and Practice of Logic Programming*, 12(4-5):565-582. 2012.

#### Conference Proceedings

Karl Pichotta and Raymond J. Mooney. Statistical Script Learning with Multi-Argument Events. To Appear in the Proceedings of the 14th Conference of the European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (EACL 2014).

Karl Pichotta and John DeNero. Identifying Phrasal Verbs Using Many Bilingual Corpora. Proceedings of the 2013 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2013).

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Karl Pichotta. Processing Paraphrases and Phrasal Implicatives in the Bridge Question-Answering System. Undergraduate Honors Thesis, Symbolic Systems Program, Stanford University. 2008.

## Honors, Awards, & Fellowships

2010 Microelectronics and Computer Development (MCD) Fellowship, University of Texas

at Austin.

Summer Research Fellowship, Stanford University.

Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship.

National Merit Scholarship.

# **Talks**

"Advanced Speech Recognition Techniques and Experiences." Panel Discussion, SpeechTEK

Europe Conference, London.

#### Teaching

#### STANFORD UNIVERSITY

2006-2008 Section Leader, Programming Methodology & Programming Abstractions: Fall 2006–Spring

2008.

# Research Positions

2012-2013 Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, Deep Exploration and Filtering of Text

(DEFT) Program, Graduate Research Assistant.

Google, Research Intern (Google Translate).

2011-2012 Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, Machine Reading Project (MRP) Pro-

gram, Graduate Research Assistant.

SRI Artificial Intelligence Center, Student Associate.

PARC (Palo Alto Research Center) Natural Language Theory and Technology Group,

Research Intern.

Stanford University Electrical Engineering Department, Research Assistant.

# Other Experience

2008–2010 Versay Solutions, Software Engineer.

2004,2005 Motorola, Engineering Intern.

## **Professional Activities**

Member, Association for Computational Linguistics.

2009 Member, Association for Symbolic Logic.

Secondary Reviewer, ICAPS'08 Scheduling and Planning Applications Workshop.

# Languages

English (native).
Spanish (conversational).
Sanskrit (can read with dictionary).
Ancient Greek (can read with dictionary).
French (good).

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