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Education _____

City, University of London

London, UK

PHD IN COMPUTER SCIENCE, NATURAL LANGUAGE PROCESSING

2020 - present

- Advisor: Dr. Tillman Weyde and Dr. Pranava Madhyastha
- Thesis Topic: Knowledge-Grounded Natural Language Understanding and Generation
- Research Interest: Faithfulness, Knowledge and Reasoning, Cross-lingual

University College London & University of Erlangen

London, UK & Erlangen, Germany

2015 - 2018

- MSc Electrical Engineering & Signal Processing
- Advisor: Prof. Dr.-Ing. André Kaup and Prof. Dr.-Ing. Walter Kellermann
- Topic: Speech and Audio Processing, Image Processing

Xi'an Jiaotong University

Xi'an, China

BSc Information & Computer Engineering

2011 - 2015

Professional Experience _____

- 2023 Research Assistant, Mohamed Bin Zayed University of Artificial Intelligence (MBZUAI), Remote
- 2022 Research Scientist Intern, Amazon, Alexa Al, Cambridge, United Kingdom
- 2021 Research Scientist Intern, Huawei, Noah's Ark Lab, London, United Kingdom
- 2021-2023 Machine Learning Engineer, Replicate AI, Remote
- 2019-2020 Machine Learning Engineer, HP Inc, London, United Kingdom
 - 2018 Computer Vision Engineer, Inpixon, Berlin, Germany
 - **2017 Computer Vision Engineer Intern**, Siemens AG, Nuremberg, Germany

Publications ____

- 1. **Chenxi Whitehouse**, Clara Vania, Alham Fikri Aji, Christos Christodoulopoulos and Andrea Pierleoni. "WebIE: Faithful and Robust Information Extraction on the Web" *Proceedings of the 61st Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics* (*ACL 2023*).
- 2. **Chenxi Whitehouse**, Tillman Weyde and Pranava Madhyastha. "Towards a Unified Model for Generating Answers and Explanations in Visual Question Answering". In: *Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics:* **EACL 2023**
- 3. **Chenxi Whitehouse**, Fenia Christopoulou and Ignacio Iacobacci. "EntityCS: Improving Zero-Shot Cross-lingual Transfer with Entity-Centric Code Switching". In: *Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics*: **EMNLP 2022**
- 4. **Chenxi Whitehouse**, Tillman Weyde, Pranava Madhyastha and Nikos Komninos. "Evaluation of Fake News Detection with Knowledge-Enhanced Language Models". In: *Proceedings of the Sixteenth International AAAI Conference on Web and Social Media (AAAI-ICWSM 2022)*

Additional Experiences and Awards _____

- 2022 **Lisbon Machine Learning School**, Instituto Superior Técnico, with Google Scholarship
 - Oxford Machine Learning Summer School, University of Oxford
- 2020-2024 **PhD Studentship**, City, University of London
- 2016-2017 Erasmus Scholarship, University College London
- 2012-2015 Outstanding Student Scholarship, Xi'an Jiaotong University