# Christina Youn

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#### **EDUCATION**

# University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

Ph.D. in Computer Science

May 2021 - Present

GPA: 3.83

#### **University of Notre Dame**

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

May 2021

Magna Cum Laude

GPA: 3.856

# **HONORS**

## **Honor Society Membership**

Tau Beta Pi Upsilon Pi Epsilon November 2020 - Present September 2020 - Present

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Lanyu Shang, Yang Zhang, **Christina Youn**, Dong Wang. **SAT-Geo: A social sensing based** content-only approach to geolocating abnormal traffic events using syntax-based probabilistic learning, *Information Processing & Management*, 2022

Lanyu Shang, Christina Youn, Yuheng Zha, Yang Zhang, Dong Wang. KnowMeme: A Knowledgeenriched Graph Neural Network Solution to Offensive Meme Detection, 2021 IEEE 17th International Conference on eScience (eScience), 2021

Ziyi Kou, Lanyu Shang, Yang Zhang, **Christina Youn**, Dong Wang. **FakeSens: A Social Sensing Approach to COVID-19 Misinformation Detection on Social Media**, 2021 17th International Conference on Distributed Computing in Sensor Systems (DCOSS), 2021

Lanyu Shang, Yang Zhang, Yuheng Zha, Yingxi Chen, **Christina Youn**, Dong Wang. **AOMD: An Analogy-aware Approach to Offensive Meme Detection on Social Media**, *Information Processing & Management*, 2021

# **RESEARCH**

#### **Undergraduate Research**

Social Sensing Lab – Dr. Dong Wang

Fall 2020 - May 2021

Offensive Meme Detection

- Labeled memes from Reddit as offensive or non-offensive
- Summarized key observations for implicit memes
- Produced word clouds and began initial data analysis

**COVID-19 Misinformation Detection** 

- Labeled relational entities from COVID-19 articles

# Mobile Computing Lab – Dr. Christian Poellabauer

Fall 2018 - May 2021

SpeechMarker

- Created a web portal for audio file emotion analysis
- Worked with GWT and AWS

Team Edge

- Implemented data cleansing on GPS coordinates
- Started a map-matching program for deep learning

Koios

- Developed a mobile application to predict user activity
- Researched battery efficiency to collect sensor data

#### **REU Summer Program**

IoT-SITY - Dr. Nalini Venkatasubramanian

Summer 2020

- Worked to produce a sensor placement solution for stormwater
- Simulated stormwater networks using SWMM
- Met with industry professionals to gain further insight

NIMBUS Lab - Dr. Carrick Detweiler

Summer 2019

- Trained a model for real-time drone detection
- Used YOLO (You Only Look Once) deep learning architecture
- Presented the research at a poster symposium

#### **EXPERIENCES**

### **Teaching Assistant**

Operating System Principles Fall 2020
Systems Programming Spring 2020, Spring 2021
Fundamentals of Computing Fall 2019
Introduction to Engineering Systems Fall 2018, Spring 2019

#### **IEEE Integrated STEM Education Conference**

External Conference Paper Reviewer

January 2019

- Reviewed paper submissions to IEEE conference
- Provided constructive criticism

#### **First-Year Asian Campus Ministry Retreat**

Retreat Leader Fall 2018

- Presented and discussed retreat vision with university staff
- Delegated leadership positions within the retreat
- Met with speech-givers and edited speech drafts

#### **SKILLS**

Programming Languages:

Python, C, C++, Java, Shell Scripting, MatLab, Verilog

Tools: Git, Linux Terminal

Computer-Aided Design Software: SolidWorks, Creo

Android Studio Autodesk Maya

Korean Language (fluent)