# Congda Ma

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Programming Language: Python

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Language: Chinese, Japanese, English

# **Education**

Institute of Science Tokyo (formerly Tokyo Institute of Technology)

Apr 2021 - Now, Japan

PhD candidate in Okumura-Funakoshi Lab

Japan Advanced Institute of Science and Technology

Apr 2019 - Mar 2021, Japan

M.S. of Information Science in Natural Language Processing

**Nanjing University of Chinese Medicine** 

Sep 2011 - Jun 2015, China

B.S. of Science in Applied Psychology

# **Experience**

### **Research Internship, Sony Group Corporation**

Aug 2023 - Sep 2023

Well under control in the generated dialog by applying a novel method combining prompt learning and RAG. This method can train a dialog generation character by using a small amount of training data. It <u>outperformed in human evaluation</u>.

### Research Internship, rinna

May 2022 - Dec 2022

Getting the <u>state-of-the-art performance</u> in control ability in single attribute text generation task with LLMs by mitigating bias with a novel method based on PEFT.

### Internship, Mitsubishi Heavy Industries

Jan 2020 - Feb 2020

Getting <u>10% increase</u> in accuracy of the information extract system by applying a seq2seq model.

### **Honor and Award**

- Tsubame Scholarship
- JAIST Scholarship
- Ishikawa Scholarship
- Language and Intelligence Challenge 2020 (Machine Reading Comprehension): Top 5%

## **Publication**

### **Debiasing Large Language Models with Structured Knowledge**

Findings of ACL 2024

Congda Ma, Tianyu Zhao, and Manabu Okumura

### **Coherent Story Generation with Structured Knowledge**

**RANLP 2023** 

Congda Ma, Kotaro Funakoshi, Kiyoaki Shirai, and Manabu Okumura

#### Focused Prefix Tuning for Controllable Text Generation

ACL 2023

Congda Ma, Tianyu Zhao, Makoto Shing, Kei Sawada, and Manabu Okumura

## Certification

- JLPT N1
- Microsoft Certified: Azure Cosmos DB Developer Specialty
- Microsoft Certified: Security Operations Analyst Associate