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PROFILE

Machine Learning Engineer with 5 years of experience in ML, DL, NLP, and Recommendation Systems. Well-versed with a wide range of ML frameworks including PyTorch, Scikit-learn, Pandas, NumPy, etc. Proven track record of research and publications in top-tier journals and conferences. Enthusiastic about problem-solving and Generative AI.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Computer Science/AI, Toronto Metropolitan University, Toronto **(4.13/4.33)** Jan 2021 -May 2025 (Expected) **Graduate Courses: Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Advanced Natural Language Processing**

RELEVANT SKILLS & KNOWLEDGE

Languages: Python, C, MATLAB, SQL

Models: LLMs, Multimodal Learning, Transformer Models, CNN, RNN, LSTM

Technologies/Frameworks: PyTorch, Scikit-Learn, LangChain, NLTK, SpaCy, Huggingface, Git, Linux, SLURM, CUDA

WORK HISTORY

Applied Machine Learning Intern | Vector Institute, Toronto

May 2024- Present

- Investigated the recent development in Multimodal LLM and identified approaches to Fake News detection.
- Applied Multimodal LLM (e.g. Mistral, LLaMA) to annotate News articles, preparing a novel Multimodal dataset.
- Developed a fairness-aware advanced recommender system, enhancing accuracy and trustworthiness.
- Designed applications to mitigate the biases in news media articles and ensure the responsible use of AI.

Research Assistant | Toronto Metropolitan University, Toronto

Jan 2021- Present

- Conducted thorough research into the latest advancements in **deep learning based** RecSys, and state-of-the-art solutions, identified the challenges, and proposed potential solutions.
- Applied Machine Learning and NLP techniques to develop a recommendation system by leveraging review.
- **Designed, trained, and fine-tuned machine learning,** and developed a recommendation system, achieving 23% and 19% performance improvement in terms of MAE and MSE compared to the state-of-the-art models.
- Applied LLMs (e.g. Llama) to summarize the document to create user and item profiles, developing RecSYs.
- Wrote research papers for publication and effectively **communicated complex analytical** concepts and results to non-technical audiences through presentations at conferences and seminars.

Teaching Assistant, Toronto Metropolitan and Northeastern University, Toronto

Jan 2021 - Present

- Facilitated tutorials on diverse topics including database management, statistics, Python, ML, NLP, and SQL.
- Assessed assignments and final projects for a class of 200 students, offering constructive feedback and support.

MACHINE LEARNING PROJECTS

Document Summarization

Jan 2021-April 2021

- Developed document summarizer by using transformer decoder architecture e.g. T5, BART, and Pegasus.
- Conducted rigorous testing and evaluation of document **summarization models, fine-tuning parameters** to achieve optimal performance and accuracy in summarizing long text.

Fake News Classification

Jan 2021-April 2021

- Cleaned and analyzed unstructured data such as text data and extracted features for ML Modeling.
- Developed a Fake News classifier for early detection, leading to a decreased risk of rumor propagation.
- Experimented with various classification algorithms such as Naïve Bayes, Logistic Regression, XGboost, SVM,
 LSTM, and BERT, achieving 97% accuracy with transformer encoder (e.g. BERT).