Conversational Chatbot with Flow-Based Interview

Objective

Develop a conversational chatbot powered by a Large Language Model (LLM) that conducts structured interviews using a **tree-based flow** to minimize hallucinations. The chatbot must navigate nodes (prompts) and edges (conditions) to guide the conversation dynamically.

Requirements

1. Tree Structure Implementation

- Use the provided JSON format to define nodes and edges (see example below).
- Nodes contain prompts for the LLM to generate chatbot responses.
- Edges define conditions (e.g., "user is John") and map to target nodes.

2. LLM Integration

- Generate chatbot responses using the LLM (e.g., OpenAl GPT, Llama, or open-source alternatives).
- Evaluate user responses: Use the LLM to determine which edge condition matches the user's input (e.g., classify whether the user is "John" or not). Avoid hardcoding keywords.

3. Conversation Flow

- o Start at the root node and traverse the tree based on conditions.
- Handle edge cases (e.g., no matching edges) gracefully.

4. Example Scenarios

Ensure your chatbot handles the following flows:

- Scenario 1: User is John and ready.
- Scenario 2: User is John but not readv.
- Scenario 3: User is not John.
 (Refer to the scenario examples below for details.)

Technical Guidelines

- **Language**: Python preferred.
- Frameworks: You may use libraries like LangChain, LlamaIndex, or OpenAl API.
- **LLM**: Specify your choice (e.g., GPT-4, Claude, or Mistral etc.).

Deliverables

1. Source Code

• Code for parsing the tree, integrating the LLM, and managing conversation flow.

2. **README**

- Instructions to run the chatbot.
- Explanation of design choices (e.g., how edge conditions are evaluated using the LLM).

3. Demo (bonus points for deployment)

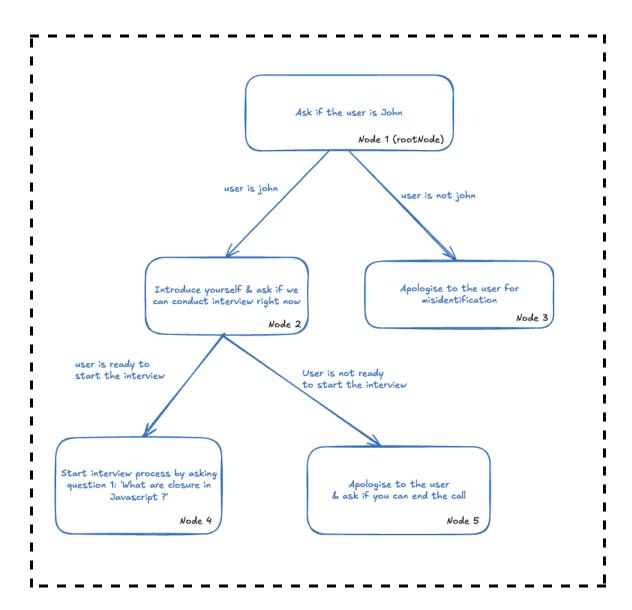
o Deployment over any cloud platform like netlify, vercel or heroku etc.

Example Al Agent System Prompt:

You are Monika, an AI interviewer for the Frontend Developer role. Follow the tree-based flow strictly to conduct the interview.

- Always use polite and professional language.
- Do not deviate from the prompts defined in the nodes.
- Classify user responses to match edge conditions using the LLM (e.g., determine readiness or identity).

Example Al Agent Conversation Flow:



Example Tree (JSON)

```
}
  ]
},
   "nodeld": "node2",
   "prompt": "Introduce yourself & ask if we can conduct interview right now",
   "edges": [
     {
        "condition": "user is ready to start the interview",
        "targetNodeId": "node4"
     },
        "condition": "User is not ready to start the interview",
        "targetNodeId": "node5"
  ]
},
   "nodeld": "node3",
   "prompt": "Apologise to the user",
   "edges": []
},
   "nodeld": "node4",
   "prompt": "Start interview process by asking question 1: 'What are closure in Javascript?"",
   "edges": []
},
   "nodeld": "node5",
   "prompt": "Apologise to the user & ask if you can end the call",
   "edges": []
}
```

Example Scenarios

Scenario 1: User is John and Ready

- 1. Node: node1
 - Prompt: "Ask if the user is John"
 - Al Response: "Hello! Are you John?"

- User Input: "Yes, I'm John."
- Condition: "user is John" → Moves to node2

2. Node: node2

- Prompt: "Introduce yourself & ask if we can conduct interview right now"
- Al Response: "Great to meet you, John. I'm Monika, the Al agent here to conduct your Frontend Developer interview. Are you ready to begin the interview right now?"
- User Input: "Yes, I'm ready."
- Condition: "user is ready to start the interview" → Moves to node4

3. Node: node4

- Prompt: "Start interview process by asking question 1: 'What are closure in Javascript ?'"
- Al Response: "Excellent! Let's get started. First question: What is a closure in JavaScript?"

Scenario 2: User is John but Not Ready

- NOde: node1 [rootNode]
 - o Prompt: "Ask if the user is John"
 - Al Response: "Hello! Are you John?"
 - User Input: "Yes, that's me."
 - Condition: "user is John" → Moves to node2

2. Node: node2

- Prompt: "Introduce yourself & ask if we can conduct interview right now"
- Al Response: "Wonderful to meet you, John. I'm Monika, your Al interviewer for the Frontend Developer role. Are you prepared to begin the interview at this moment?"
- User Input: "Actually, I'm not ready right now. I need some time."
- Condition: "User is not ready to start the interview" → Moves to node5

3. Node: node5

- o Prompt: "Apologise to the user & ask if you can end the call"
- Al Response: "I understand, no problem at all. I'm sorry for catching you at a busy time. Would you like me to end the call now, and we can reschedule for a more convenient time?"

Scenario 3: User is Not John

- 1. Node: node1
 - Prompt: "Ask if the user is John"
 - Al Response: "Hello! Are you John?"
 - User Input: "No, I'm not John."
 - Condition: "user is not John" → Moves to node3
- 2. Node: node3
 - Prompt: "Apologise to the user"
 - Al Response: "I apologize for the confusion. It seems I've reached the wrong candidate. Thank you for your time, and I'm sorry for any inconvenience. Have a great day!"

Example Format Explanation

- Node: The current node in the tree.
- Prompt: The prompt used to generate the Al's response.
- Al Response: The chatbot's output based on the prompt.
- User Input: The user's response to the chatbot.
- Condition: The condition evaluated from the user's input, which determines the next node.

Evaluation Criteria

- 1. **Correctness**: Follows the tree structure and scenarios accurately.
- 2. **LLM Utilization**: Uses the LLM effectively for both response generation and condition evaluation.
- 3. Code Quality: Clean, modular, and well-documented code.
- 4. Edge Cases: Handles unexpected inputs (e.g., typos, ambiguous answers).

Note: Focus on demonstrating your ability to control LLM behavior through structured workflows.