# SUYU GE

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#### **EDUCATION**

# Tsinghua University, Beijing, China

08/2017 - 07/2021 (expected)

B.Eng. in Electronic Engineering, GPA: 3.80/4.00, Rank: 30/278

# **SELECTED PUBLICATIONS**

- **Suyu Ge**, Chuhan Wu, Fangzhao Wu, Tao Qi, Yongfeng Huang, "*Graph Enhanced Representation Learning for News Recommendation*", in the Web Conference (WWW), p. 2863-2869, 2020, arXiv 2003.14292 [PDF]
- Suyu Ge, Tao Qi, Chuhan Wu, Fangzhao Wu, Xing Xie, Yongfeng Huang, "Helpfulness-aware Review Based Neural Recommendation", in CCF Transactions on Pervasive Computing and Interaction, p. 285–295, 2019, [PDF]
- Suyu Ge, Tao Qi, Chuhan Wu, Yongfeng Huang, "Detecting and Extracting of Adverse Drug Reaction Mentioning Tweets with Multi-Head Self Attention", in the Fourth Social Media Mining for Health Applications (SMM4H) Workshop, colocated with ACL, W19-3214, 2019, [PDF]

#### Under Review:

- Suyu Ge, Fangzhao Wu, Chuhan Wu, Tao Qi, Yongfeng Huang, Xing Xie, "FedNER: Medical Named Entity Recognition with Federated Learning", Preprint, submitted to a conference, arXiv 2003.09288, 2020, [PDF]
- **Suyu Ge**, Lu Cheng, Huan Liu, "*Improving Cyberbully Detection with User Interaction*", **Preprint**, submitted to a conference, 2020, arXiv 2011.00449, [PDF]

For a full publication list, please visit here.

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

# Data Mining Group (DMG), University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

07/2020 - Present

Topic: Topic-based Corpus Summarization with Minimal Supervision

Advisor: Prof. Jiawei Han

- Initiated a novel text mining task for topic-based corpus summarization with only seed topics, which facilitated automatic knowledge discovery and organization.
- Mined hierarchical topic structures from large corpora and profiled the corpora by generating sentiment-aware summarization for each topic. *Work in progress*.

# Data Mining and Machine Learning lab (DMML), Arizona State University

02/2020 - 10/2020

Topic: Cyberbully Detection Advisor: Prof. Huan Liu

- Designed a graph attention network based architecture to model the temporal and semantic repetition in cyberbully.
- Outperformed baselines in terms of Recall, F1, and AUC on Instagram and Vine. First-author paper under review.

#### **New Generation Network Group (NGN)**, Tsinghua University

10/2018 - 05/2020

Topic: Text-based Recommendation and Privacy-preserving Named Entity Recognition (NER)

Advisor: Prof. Yongfeng Huang

Mentor: Fangzhao Wu@Microsoft Research Asia (MSRA)

- (News Rec.) Enhanced representation learning by exploring high-order relatedness in the user-news interaction graph. Outperformed baselines by AUC, MRR and nDCG on Microsoft News. *First-author paper at WWW 2020*.
- (Item Rec.) Devised a framework to improve review based recommendation with predicted helpfulness levels of reviews. Achieved lower RMSE scores on four Amazon Reviews datasets with partially labeled helpfulness levels. First-author paper at CCF Transactions on Pervasive Computing and Interaction.
- (Privacy-preserving NER) Applied federated learning to protect medical data privacy in the training process of a decomposed NER model. Improved F1 scores over both single- and multi-task counterparts with provided privacy guarantee on three benchmark medical NER datasets. *First-author paper under review*.

# Health Language Processing Lab (HLP), University of Pennsylvania

07/2019 - 08/2020

Topic: Medical Non-adherence Discovery Advisor: Prof. Graciela Gonzalez Hernandez

- Performed semi-automatic analysis of social media with active and transfer learning to detect non-adherence.
- Reduced needed annotation by 50% and discovered 8 non-adherence reasons. Second-author poster at ISMB 2020.

# **ACADEMIC EVALUATION**

# Text Mining for Health in Social Media, SMM4H 2019 Shared Task

colocated with ACL 2019

System Description: Detecting and Extracting of ADR Mentioning Tweets with Multi-Head Self Attention [PDF]

- Proposed a language model enhanced Self-Att architecture for adverse drug effect classification and extraction.
- Our system ranked  $2^{nd}$  in the adverse effect extraction subtask. First-author paper accepted by the workshop.

#### Contextual Emotion Detection in Text, SemEval 2019 Task 3

colocated with NAACL 2019

System Description: Dialog Emotion Classification using Attentional LSTM-CNN [PDF]

- Proposed an attentional LSTM-CNN model to classify the emotions of short turns of dialogues.
- Our system ranked top 10% among 165 participants. First-author paper accepted by the workshop.

#### **Toponym Resolution in Scientific Papers**, SemEval 2019 Task 12

colocated with NAACL 2019

System Description: Toponym Detection and Disambiguation on Scientific Papers [PDF]

- Proposed a TagLM-based NER model with various domain features for toponym detection and resolution.
- Our system ranked  $2^{nd}$  in the toponym detection subtask. Second-author paper accepted by the workshop.

#### AWARDS AND HONORS

#### Nanxiang Jiang Scholarship

2019

• 40/3300+ in Tsinghua University

# The First Prize of Tsinghua Research Challenge Cup

2020

• 10/200+ in Tsinghua University

#### Research Excellence Scholarship

2019/2020

• ∼20/278 in Electronic Engineering Department

#### Academic Excellence Scholarship

2019

• ~20/278 in Electronic Engineering Department

# Philobiblion Scholarship

2018

• 5/278 in in Electronic Engineering Department

#### **EXTRACURRICULAR**

Electronic Engineering Student Association of Science and Technology, Tsinghua University 2018-2020 Committee Member of Software Department

• Designed front-end webpages of 2 coding competitions jointly with other members.

# Electronic Engineering Swimming Team, Tsinghua University

2017-2021

Captain

• Participated and organized 6 swimming competitions.

# **MISCELLANEOUS**

# Languages:

- TOEFL: 109 (Reading 29; Listening 28; Speaking 27; Writing 25)
- GRE: 327 (Verbal 157; Quantitative 170; Writing 4.0)

#### **Skills:**

- Programming: Python, C/C++, MATLAB, Bash, JavaScript, SQL
- Machine Learning: Keras, Tensorflow, PyTorch, scikit-learn