



# Rule Learning from Knowledge Graphs Guided by Embedding Models

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## 1. Motivation

- **Knowledge Graphs**: huge collections of positive unary and binary facts treated under **Open World Assumption** (e.g. *isMarriedTo(alice, bob)*, *researcher(mat)*)
- Automatically constructed, thus **incomplete**  $\Rightarrow$  **Knowledge Graph Completion**

### Rule-based approach

*livesIn(X, Z)  $\leftarrow$  spouse(X, Y), livesIn(Y, Z)*

- + Interpretable
- + Limited training data
- Local patterns
- Not extendable

### Embedding-based approach

*score(< Jack, livesIn, Chicago >) = 0.8*

- Hard to interpret
- A lot of training data
- + Global patterns
- + Extendable (e.g., text)

### Our approach:

Mine rules with support from KG embeddings

- **Challenges**: **OWA**, **Huge size** of KGs, **how to combine** the 2 approaches
- **Contributions**:
  - Framework for rule learning guided by external sources
  - Concrete framework instantiation utilizing feedback from embedding models
  - Interactive non-monotonic rules mining mechanism
  - Experiments on real-world Knowledge Graphs

## 3. Embedding-based Rule Evaluation

- **Realization of  $f$  using embeddings [with additional textual data]**:

$$f(a) = 0.5 \times (1/\text{subject\_rank}(a) + 1/\text{object\_rank}(a))$$

- **Realization of  $\mu_1$** :

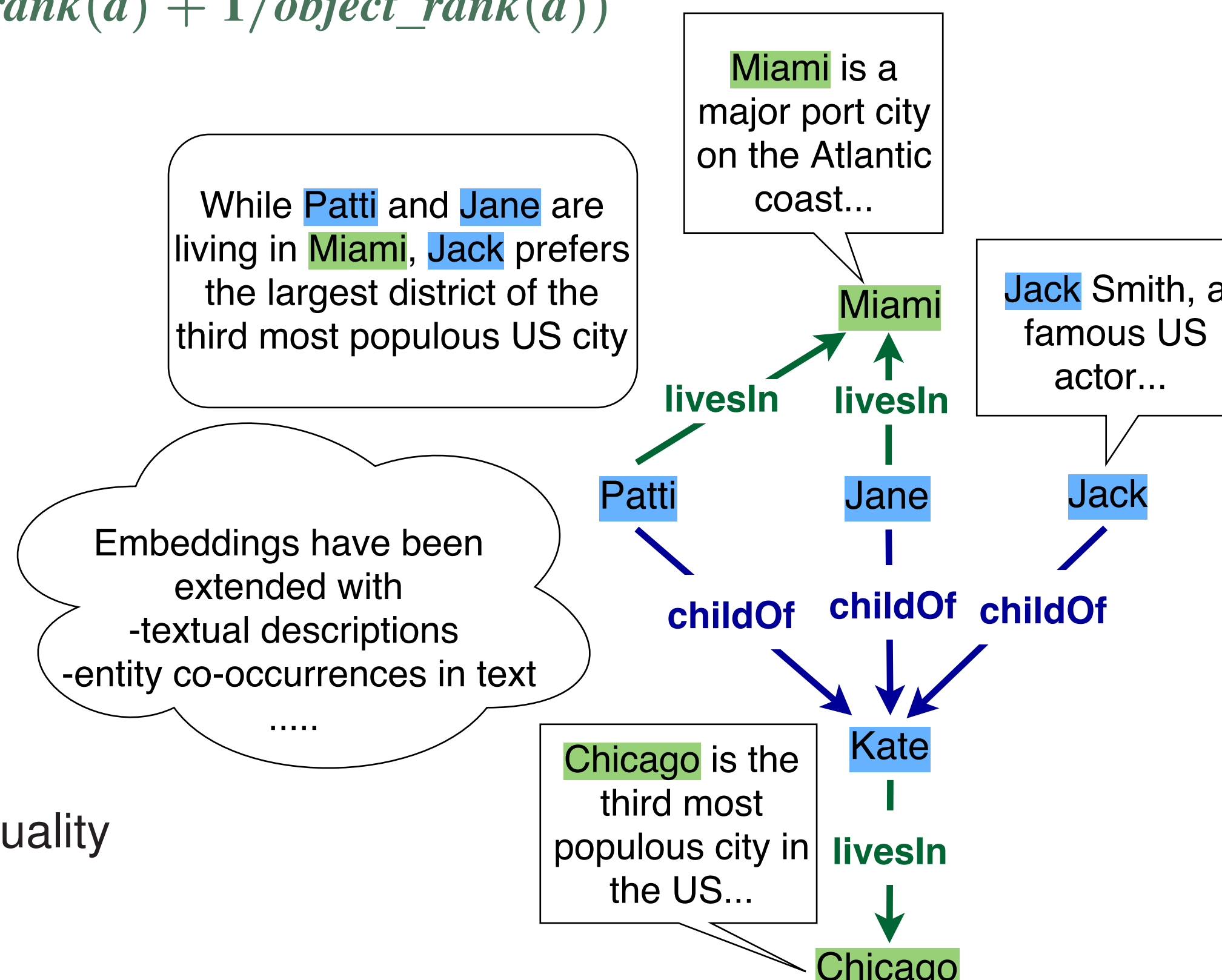
- Standard Confidence (*conf*)
- PCA Confidence (*conf<sub>pca</sub>*)
- Soft Confidence (*conf<sub>soft</sub>*)
- ...

- **Realization of  $\mu_2$** :

$$\mu_2(\mathcal{G}_r, \mathcal{P}) = \frac{\sum_{a \in \mathcal{G}_r \setminus \mathcal{G}} f(a)}{|\mathcal{G}_r \setminus \mathcal{G}|}$$

$\Rightarrow$  **average** embedding-based quality of **predicted facts** in  $\mathcal{G}_r$

- Preserve the **accuracy** of rule-based approach and Enhance the **predicting power** of embedding-based approach



## 2. Rule Learning Guided by External Sources

**Given:**

- **Knowledge Graph  $\mathcal{G}$**
- **External Source**
  - Probability function  $f$  reflecting trustfulness of  $\mathcal{G}$ 's missing facts

**Find:**

- **A ordered rule list** extracted from  $\mathcal{G}$  with respect to the support from the quality function  $f$

**Our solution:** Introduce the novel **Hybrid Rule Quality Function  $\mu$**  as follows:

- Measure the **descriptive quality  $\mu_1$**  of rule  $r$  over  $\mathcal{G}$ :

$$\mu_1 : (r, \mathcal{G}) \mapsto \alpha \in [0, 1]$$

$\Rightarrow$  any **classical quality measure** which describes  $\mathcal{G}$  properly

- Measure the **predictive quality  $\mu_2$**  of  $\mathcal{G}_r$  relying on  $\mathcal{P} = (\mathcal{G}, f)$ :

$$\mu_2 : (\mathcal{G}_r, \mathcal{P}) \mapsto \alpha \in [0, 1]$$

where  $\mathcal{G}_r$  is a extension of  $\mathcal{G}$  by applying  $r$

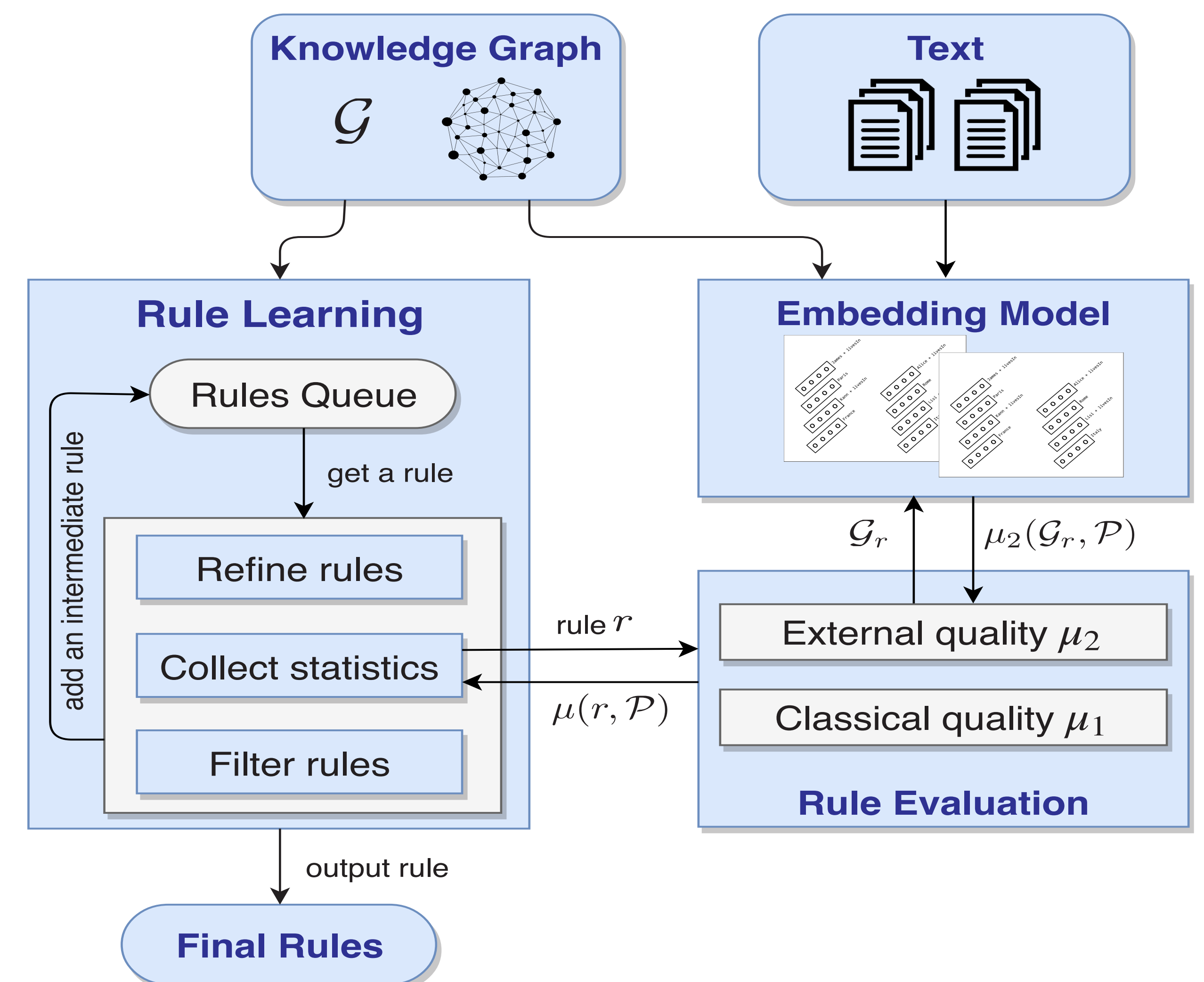
$\Rightarrow$  capture **information about missing facts** in  $\mathcal{G}$  that are relevant for  $r$

- Combine the result as **the weighted sum**:

$$\mu(r, \mathcal{P}) = (1 - \lambda) \times \mu_1(r, \mathcal{G}) + \lambda \times \mu_2(\mathcal{G}_r, \mathcal{P})$$

weighting factor  $\lambda \in [0, 1]$  control the distribution of  $\mu_1$  and  $\mu_2$

## 4. Non-monotonic Rule Mining with Embedding Support



## 5. Rule Refinement and Filters

- **Refinement Operators** add:

- dangling atom
- instantiated atom
- closing atom
- **negated** instantiated atom
- **negated** closing atom

- **Filtering rules** on:

- rule form
- support (*supp*)
- head coverage (*hc*)
- confidence (*conf*)

- **the hybrid measure ( $\mu$ )** guides the dynamic rules construction

- **exception confidence**:

$$e\text{-conf}(r, \mathcal{G}) = \text{conf}(r', \mathcal{G})$$

where  $r' : \text{body}^-(r) \leftarrow \text{body}^+(r), \text{not head}(r) \Rightarrow$  ensure the **quality of exceptions**

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## 6. Experiments

- **Data sets**: FB15K, Wiki44K

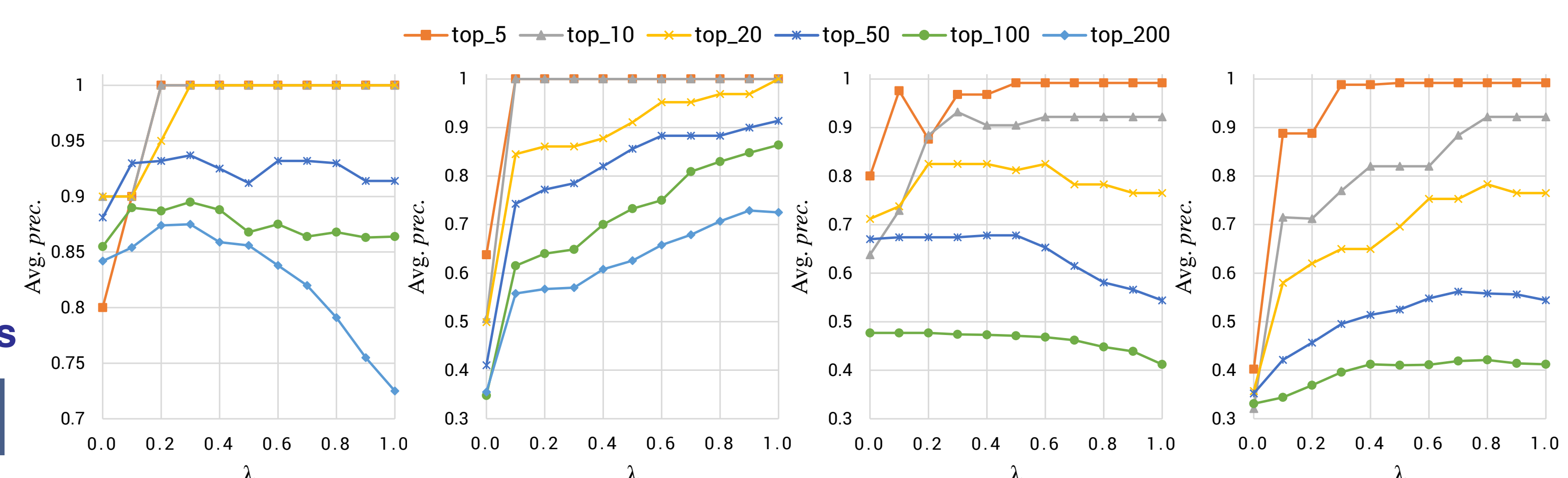
- **Approximated ideal KG**: original
- **Available KG**: random 80% of original KG, preserving the distribution of facts over predicates.



- **Embedding Models**: 2 settings

- Without additional textual data: TransE model, HolE model
- With entities description text: SSP model

- **2 Evaluation settings**: *closed world* setting (CW) and *open world* setting (OW)



Evaluation result on *closed world* setting (CW)

- **Examples of mined rules**:

$r_1$ : *nationality(X, Y)  $\leftarrow$  graduated\_from(X, Z), in\_country(Z, Y), not research\_uni(Z)*  
 $r_2$ : *scriptwriter\_of(X, Y)  $\leftarrow$  preceded\_by(X, Z), scriptwriter\_of(Z, Y), not tv\_series(Z)*