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Zhejiang University HangZhou, China BE in Computer Science Sep 2019 – June 2023

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Open Source Projects

VerlTool: A unified and easy-to-extend tool-agent training framework based on verl.

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LLM-Engines: A Unified and Parallel Inference Engine for Large Language Models

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Publications

StructEval: Benchmarking LLMs' Capabilities to Generate Structural Outputs

Jialin Yang*, <u>Dongfu Jiang*</u>, Lipeng He, Sherman Siu, Yuxuan Zhang, Disen Liao, Zhuofeng Li, Huaye Zeng, Yiming Jia, Haozhe Wang, Benjamin Schneider, Chi Ruan, Wentao Ma, Zhiheng Lyu, Yifei Wang, Yi Lu, Quy Duc Do, Ziyan Jiang, Ping Nie, Wenhu Chen *Under review of EMNLP 2025*.

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Dongfu Jiang*, Max W.F. Ku*, Tianle Li*, Yuansheng Ni, Shizhuo Sun, Rongqi Fan, and Wenhu Chen

MANTIS: Interleaved Multi-Image Instruction Tuning

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MMMU: A Massive Multi-discipline Multimodal Understanding and Reasoning Benchmark for Expert AGI

Xiang Yue, Yuansheng Ni, Kai Zhang, and Tianyu Zheng, Ruoqi Liu, Ge Zhang, Samuel Stevens, Dongfu Jiang, Weiming Ren, Yuxuan Sun, Cong Wei, Botao Yu, Ruibin Yuan, Renliang Sun, Ming Yin, Boyuan Zheng, Zhenzhu Yang, Yibo Liu, Wenhao Huang, Huan Sun, Yu Su, Wenhu Chen CVPR Oral, 2024.

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LLM-Blender: Ensembling Large Language Models with Pairwise Ranking and Generative Fusion

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Experience

Research Intern at Allen Institute of AI

Seattle, US

Advisors: (Bill) Yuchen Lin, Qianhui Qin June 2024 – Sep 2024 Active Learning with Verbalized Human Feedback

Research associate at SeaAI

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Advisors: Qian Liu, Tianyu Pang, Chao Du Feb 2024 – Today MANTIS: Interleaved Multi-Image Instruction Tuning

Research Intern at University of Southern California US (Remote)

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Honors and Scholarships National Scholarship (ZJU, $top\ 1\%$)

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Zhejiang University First-Class Scholarship (ZJU, top 3%)

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