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BIOGRAPHY

Jiangjie Chen (陈江捷) is a final year Ph.D. candidate at Fudan University in the School of Computer Science, Shanghai, China. His interested research topics are mostly around **autonomous generative agents**, including (but are not limited to):

- **Autonomous Generative Agents:** Developing advanced methods for autonomous, trustworthy, and personalized language agents. This extends towards the exploration of their interactions with multiple agents and real environments.
- **Cognitive Modeling in Language Models:** Focusing on integrating elements from cognitive science into language models, such as the aspects of belief systems, analogical reasoning, Theory-of-Mind, etc. The goal is to augment the understanding of these agents regarding themselves and others, hence enabling them to generate more cognitively-aligned and human-like responses.
- **Reasoning and Strategic Planning:** Advancing research on equipping generative agents with human-level reasoning abilities and strategic planning capabilities. This involves designing and implementing methodologies to incorporate decision-making, counterfactual thinking, and other complex reasoning tasks in generative models.
- **Evaluation and Simulation Environments:** Establishing evaluation frameworks and creating simulation environments to assess the progress of generative agents. These aim to capture the multi-faceted aspects of generative intelligence, from basic belief consistency to advanced reasoning and planning capabilities.

EDUCATION

- Fudan University** (Shanghai). Ph.D. in School of Computer Science 2019 - 2024
- [Shanghai Key Laboratory of Data Science, Knowledge Works Laboratory.](#)
 - Ph.D. Advisor: [Yanghua Xiao](#).
 - Topics: Reasoning and Planning in Language Models, Knowledge-guided Language Generation.
- Fudan University** (Shanghai). B.S. in School of Computer Science (graduated with *honors*) 2014 - 2019
- [Shanghai Key Laboratory of Data Science, Knowledge Works Laboratory.](#)
 - Advisor: [Yanghua Xiao](#).
 - Topics: Taxonomic Knowledge Graph Construction.

EXPERIENCES

- Allen Institute for AI** (Seattle, WA, USA) Jun 2023 - Sep 2023
- Role: Research Intern, at [Aristo Team](#)
 - Mentor: [Kyle Richardson](#)
 - Manager: [Peter Clark](#)
 - Responsibilities: Work on multi-agent reasoning and planning with large language models.
- UC Santa Barbara** (Remote) Sep 2021 - May 2023
- Role: Visiting Research Intern
 - Host: [Lei Li](#)
 - Responsibilities: Work on machine reasoning over language with large language models.
- ByteDance AI Lab** (Shanghai, China) Nov 2019 - May 2023
- Role: Research Intern
 - Mentors: [Lei Li](#), [Hao Zhou](#), [Changzhi Sun](#), [Jiaze Chen](#)
 - Manager: [Lei Li](#)
 - Responsibilities: Work on knowledge-guided text generation, and machine reasoning over language.
- Knowledge Works Laboratory at Fudan University** (Shanghai, China) Sep 2019 - Present
- Role: Student Research Lead
 - Responsibilities: Lead a research team on language generation and reasoning. Mentored nearly 20 graduate and undergraduate students over the past years. Together, we co-authored and published several research papers, including one that received an Outstanding Paper Award in ACL 2023.

SELECTED AWARDS

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| Excellent Graduates of Shanghai | 2024 |
| ACL 2023 Outstanding Paper Award | 2023 |
| Huawei Scholarship | 2023 |
| China National Scholarship for Doctoral Students | 2022 |
| Honors Student Award in Computer Science of Top Talent Undergraduate Training Program | 2019 |

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

[*: Equal Contribution; ♥: Me as Corresponding Author; ♠: Student I Mentored]

- [1] **SelfGoal: Your Language Agents Already Know How to Achieve High-level Goals**
Ruihan Yang♠, **Jiangjie Chen**♥, Yikai Zhang♠, Siyu Yuan♠, Aili Chen♠, Kyle Richardson, Yanghua Xiao, Deqing Yang.
Preprint, 2024.
- [2] **TimeArena: Shaping Efficient Multitasking Language Agents in a Time-Aware Simulation**
Yikai Zhang♠, Siyu Yuan♠, Caiyu Hu♠, Kyle Richardson, Yanghua Xiao, **Jiangjie Chen**♥.
Long paper, in: **ACL 2024**.
- [3] **TravelPlanner: A Benchmark for Real-World Planning with Language Agents**
Jian Xie*♠, Kai Zhang*, **Jiangjie Chen**, Tinghui Zhu♠, Renze Lou, Yuandong Tian, Yanghua Xiao, Yu Su.
Regular paper, in: **ICML 2024**, *Spotlight*.
- [4] **Adaptive Chameleon or Stubborn Sloth: Revealing the Behavior of Large Language Models in Knowledge Conflict**
Jian Xie*♠, Kai Zhang*, **Jiangjie Chen**, Renze Lou, Yu Su.
Regular paper, in: **ICLR 2024**, *Spotlight*.
- [5] **Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is: Evaluating Strategic Planning and Execution of LLM Agents in an Auction Arena**
Jiangjie Chen, Siyu Yuan♠, Rong Ye, Bodhisattwa Prasad Majumder, Kyle Richardson.
Preprint, 2023.
- [6] **Distilling Script Knowledge from Large Language Models for Constrained Language Planning**
Siyu Yuan♠, **Jiangjie Chen**♥, Ziquan Fu♠, Xuyang Ge♠, Soham Shah, Charles Robert Jankowski, Yanghua Xiao, Deqing Yang.
Long paper, in: **ACL 2023**, *Outstanding Paper Award*.
- [7] **E-KAR: A Benchmark for Rationalizing Natural Language Analogical Reasoning**
Jiangjie Chen, Rui Xu♠, Ziquan Fu♠, Wei Shi♠, Zhongqiao Li♠, Xinbo Zhang, Changzhi Sun, Lei Li, Yanghua Xiao and Hao Zhou.
Long paper, in: **Findings of ACL 2022**.
- [8] **LoReN: Logic-Regularized Reasoning for Interpretable Fact Verification**
Jiangjie Chen, Qiaoben Bao♠, Changzhi Sun, Xinbo Zhang, Jiaze Chen, Hao Zhou, Yanghua Xiao, Lei Li.
Regular paper, in: **AAAI 2022**.

MORE PUBLICATIONS

[*: Equal Contribution; ♥: Me as Corresponding Author; ♠: Student I Mentored]

- [9] **From Persona to Personalization: A Survey on Role-Playing Language Agents**
Jiangjie Chen*, Xintao Wang*♠, Rui Xu*♠, Siyu Yuan*♠, Yikai Zhang*♠, Wei Shi*♠, Jian Xie*♠, Shuang Li♠, Ruihan Yang♠, Tinghui Zhu♠, Aili Chen♠, Nianqi Li♠, Lida Chen♠, Caiyu Hu♠, Siye Wu♠, Scott Ren♠, Ziquan Fu, Yanghua Xiao.
Preprint, 2024.
- [10] **SurveyAgent: A Conversational System for Personalized and Efficient Research Survey**
Xintao Wang*♠, **Jiangjie Chen***, Nianqi Li♠, Lida Chen♠, Xinfeng Yuan♠, Wei Shi♠, Xuyang Ge♠, Rui Xu♠, Yanghua Xiao.
Preprint, 2024.
- [11] **AnalogyKB: Unlocking Analogical Reasoning of Language Models with A Million-scale Knowledge Base**
Siyu Yuan*♠, **Jiangjie Chen***, Changzhi Sun, Jiaqing Liang, Yanghua Xiao, Deqing Yang.
Long paper, in: **ACL 2024**.
- [12] **InCharacter: Evaluating Personality Fidelity in Role-Playing Agents through Psychological Interviews**
Xintao Wang♠, Yunze Xiao, Jen-tse Huang, Siyu Yuan♠, Rui Xu♠, Haoran Guo, Quan Tu, Yaying Fei, Ziang Leng, Wei Wang, **Jiangjie Chen**, Cheng Li, Yanghua Xiao.
Long paper, in: **ACL 2024**.
- [13] **GumbelSoft: Diversified Language Model Watermarking via the GumbelMax-trick**
Jiayi Fu♠, Xuandong Zhao, Ruihan Yang♠, Yuansen Zhang, **Jiangjie Chen**, Yanghua Xiao.
Long paper, in: **ACL 2024**.
- [14] **EASYTOOL: Enhancing LLM-based Agents with Concise Tool Instruction**
Siyu Yuan*♠, Kaitao Song*, **Jiangjie Chen**, Xu Tan, Yongliang Shen, Ren Kan, Dongsheng Li, Deqing Yang.
Regular paper, in: **ICLR 2024 Workshop on LLM Agents**.

- [15] **How Easily do Irrelevant Inputs Skew the Responses of Large Language Models?**
Siye Wu[✳], Jian Xie[✳], **Jiangjie Chen**, Tinghui Zhu[✳], Kai Zhang, Yanghua Xiao.
Preprint, 2024.
- [16] **Agent Group Chat: An Interactive Group Chat Simulacra For Better Eliciting Collective Emergent Behavior**
Zhouhong Gu, Xiaoxuan Zhu, Haoran Guo, Lin Zhang, Yin Cai, Hao Shen, **Jiangjie Chen**, Zheyu Ye, Yifei Dai, Yan Gao, Yao Hu, Hongwei Feng, Yanghua Xiao.
Preprint, 2024.
- [17] **Character is Destiny: Can Large Language Models Simulate Persona-Driven Decisions in Role-Playing?**
Rui Xu[✳], Xintao Wang[✳], **Jiangjie Chen**, Siyu Yuan[✳], Xinfeng Yuan[✳], Jiaqing Liang, Zulong Chen, Xiaoqing Dong, Yanghua Xiao.
Preprint, 2024.
- [18] **Evaluating Character Understanding of Large Language Models via Character Profiling from Fictional Works**
Xinfeng Yuan[✳], Siyu Yuan[✳], Yuhan Cui[✳], Tianhe Lin[✳], Xintao Wang[✳], Rui Xu[✳], **Jiangjie Chen**, Deqing Yang.
Preprint, 2024.
- [19] **Piecing Together Clues: A Benchmark for Evaluating the Detective Skills of Large Language Models**
Zhouhong Gu, Lin Zhang, Xiaoxuan Zhu, **Jiangjie Chen**, Zihan Li, Zheyu Ye, Yan Gao, Yao Hu, Yanghua Xiao, Hongwei Feng.
In submission, 2024.
- [20] **Translate Meanings, Not Just Words: IdiomKB’s Role in Optimizing Idiomatic Translation with Language Models**
Shuang Li[✳], **Jiangjie Chen**[♡], Siyu Yuan[✳], Xinyi Wu[✳], Hao Yang, Shimin Tao, Yanghua Xiao.
Regular paper, in: **AAAI 2024**.
- [21] **Beneath Surface Similarity: Large Language Models Make Reasonable Scientific Analogies after Structure Abduction**
Siyu Yuan[✳], **Jiangjie Chen**[♡], Xuyang Ge[✳], Yanghua Xiao, Deqing Yang.
Long paper, in: **Findings of EMNLP 2023**.
- [22] **Say What You Mean! Large Language Models Speak Too Positively about Negative Commonsense Knowledge**
Jiangjie Chen, Wei Shi[✳], Ziquan Fu[✳], Sijie Cheng, Lei Li, Yanghua Xiao.
Long paper, in: **ACL 2023**.
- [23] **Converge to the Truth: Factual Error Correction via Iterative Constrained Editing**
Jiangjie Chen^{*}, Rui Xu[✳], Wenxuan Zeng[✳], Changzhi Sun, Lei Li, Yanghua Xiao.
Regular paper, in: **AAAI 2023**.
- [24] **Unsupervised Explanation Generation via Correct Instantiations**
Sijie Cheng, Zhiyong Wu, **Jiangjie Chen**, Zhixing Li, Yang Liu, Lingpeng Kong.
Regular paper, in: **AAAI 2023**.
- [25] **Harnessing Knowledge and Reasoning for Human-Like Natural Language Generation: A Brief Review**
Jiangjie Chen, Yanghua Xiao.
Invited paper, in: **Bulletin of the IEEE Technical Committee on Data Engineering (2022)**
- [26] **Neighbors Are Not Strangers: Improving Non-Autoregressive Translation under Low-Frequency Lexical Constraints**
Chun Zeng[✳], **Jiangjie Chen**^{*}, Tianyi Zhuang[✳], Rui Xu[✳], Hao Yang, Ying Qin, Shimin Tao, Yanghua Xiao.
Long paper, in: **NAACL 2022**.
- [27] **FalCon: A Faithful Contrastive Framework for Response Generation in TableQA Systems**
Shineng Fang[✳], **Jiangjie Chen**, Xinyao Shen[✳], Yunwen Chen, Yanghua Xiao.
Long paper, in: **DASFAA 2022**.
- [28] **Unsupervised Editing for Counterfactual Stories**
Jiangjie Chen, Chun Gan, Sijie Cheng, Hao Zhou, Yanghua Xiao, Lei Li.
Regular paper, in: **AAAI 2022**.
- [29] **Diversified Query Generation Guided with Knowledge Graph**
Xinyao Shen[✳], **Jiangjie Chen**, Jiaze Chen, Chun Zeng[✳], Yanghua Xiao.
Long paper, in: **WSDM 2022**.
- [30] **Harvesting More Answer Spans from Paragraphs beyond Annotation**
Qiaoben Bao[✳], **Jiangjie Chen**, Linfang Liu[✳], Jiaqing Liang, Jingping Liu, Yanghua Xiao.

Long paper, in: **WSDM 2022**.

- [31] **Diversified Paraphrase Generation with Commonsense Knowledge Graph**
Xinyao Shen[✉], **Jiangjie Chen**, Yanghua Xiao.
Long paper, in: **NLPCC 2021**.
- [32] **Probabilistic Graph Reasoning for Natural Proof Generation**
Changzhi Sun*, Xinbo Zhang*, **Jiangjie Chen**, Chun Gan, Yuanbin Wu, Jiaze Chen, Hao Zhou, Lei Li.
Long paper, in: **Findings of ACL 2021**.
- [33] **Ensuring Readability and Data-fidelity using Head-modifier Templates in Deep Type Description Generation**
Jiangjie Chen, Ao Wang, Haiyun Jiang, Suo Feng, Chenguang Li, Yanghua Xiao.
Long paper, in: **ACL 2019**.
- [34] **CN-Probase: A Data-driven Approach for Large-scale Chinese Taxonomy Construction**
Jindong Chen, Ao Wang, **Jiangjie Chen**, Yanghua Xiao, Zhendong Chu, Jingping Liu, Jiaqing Liang, Wei Wang.
Short paper, in: **ICDE 2019**. (CN-Probase has achieved near 100 million API calls at <http://kw.fudan.edu.cn/cnprobase>.)

ACADEMIC SERVICES

- Serving as a Program Committee/Reviewer of COLM (2024), ARR (2023-), ACL (2023-), EMNLP (2021-), AAAI (2021-), WSDM (2023), NLPCC (2021-), ICDE (2024), and some corresponding workshops.
- Serving as a Journal Reviewer of TPAMI (2022), APIN (2022-2023).
- Served as a Secondary Reviewer of ACL, EMNLP, EACL, KDD, CIKM, SIGIR, etc.

MENTORING

[*Knowledge Cutoff: Jun 2024]

Siyu Yuan , Ph.D. student at Fudan University [1][2][5][6][12][9][14][20][11][21][17][18]	Feb 2022 - Present
Rui Xu , M.S. student → Ph.D. student at Fudan University [9][7][12][23][26][10][17][18]	May 2021 - Present
Yikai Zhang, Ph.D. student at Fudan University [1][9][2]	May 2023 - Present
Xintao Wang , Ph.D. student at Fudan University [9][12][10][17][18]	Nov 2023 - Present
Ruihan Yang, Ph.D. student at Fudan University [1][9][13]	Jun 2023 - Present
Aili Chen, B.S. student → Ph.D. student at Fudan University [1][9]	Oct 2023 - Present
Lida Chen, Ph.D. student at Fudan University [9][10]	Dec 2023 - Present
Jian Xie , M.S. student at Fudan University [9][3][4][15]	Apr 2022 - Present
Wei Shi, M.S. student at Fudan University [9][7][22][10]	Aug 2021 - Present
Shuang Li, M.S. student at Fudan University [9][20]	Sep 2021 - Present
Jiayi Fu, M.S. student at Fudan University [13]	Nov 2022 - Present
Tinghui Zhu , M.S. student at Fudan University [9][3][15]	Dec 2023 - Present
Xinfeng Yuan, M.S. student at Fudan University [10][17][18]	Sep 2023 - Present
Caiyu Hu, B.S. student at Shanghai University → M.S. student at Fudan University [9][2]	Sep 2023 - Present
Siye Wu, B.S. student at Wuhan University → M.S. student at Fudan University [9][15]	Aug 2023 - Present
Tianhe Lin, B.S. student at Fudan University → M.S. student at Fudan University [18]	Jan 2024 - Present
Scott (Zeshen) Ren, B.S. student at UC Santa Barbara [9]	Aug 2023 - Present
Xuyang Ge, B.S. student at Fudan University → M.S. student at Fudan University [6][21][10]	Jul 2022 - Jan 2024
Ziquan Fu , B.S. student at Minerva University → Research Engineer at System Inc. [9][6][7][22]	May 2020 - May 2023
Xinyi Wu, B.S. student at Fudan University → Ph.D. student at Fudan University [20]	Jul 2022 - Aug 2023
Kerun Yu, B.S. student at Fudan University → M.S. student at Columbia University	Jul 2022 - May 2023
Wenxuan Zeng , B.S. student at UESTC → Ph.D. student at Peking University [23]	Feb 2022 - Nov 2022
Yulin Song , B.S. student at Fudan University → M.S. student at New York University	Sep 2020 - May 2023
Chun Zeng, M.S. student at Fudan University → Engineer at ByteDance [26][29]	Sep 2020 - May 2023
Tianyi Zhuang, M.S. student at Fudan University → Research Engineer at Huawei [26]	Sep 2019 - May 2023
Qiaoben Bao , M.S. student at Fudan University → Research Engineer at ByteDance [8][30]	May 2020 - May 2022
Shineng Fang , M.S. student at Fudan University → Research Engineer at Alibaba [27]	Sep 2019 - Jan 2022
Xinyao Shen , M.S. student at Fudan University → Research Engineer at ByteDance [27][29][31]	Sep 2019 - May 2022