JIAN WANG

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Skills

- Programming Languages: Python, C/C++, MATLAB, PHP, SQL
- Frameworks: PyTorch, TensorFlow, Git
- Natural Languages: English, Chinese

Experience

Natural Language Understanding (NLU) Scientist, LivePerson

Nov 2018 – present

- Implemented state-of-the-art deep learning sentence classifiers in PyTorch in production environment
- Designed data loading architecture, performance metrics, and data input/output format
- Boosted model performance by applying deep contextualized word representations

Graduate Student Instructor, University of Michigan

Sep 2016 - Apr 2018

- Hosted machine learning challenges, designed machine learning tasks and evaluation metrics
- Taught discussion classes of sizes from 20 to 100 on computer vision and discrete math

Research Assistant, University of Michigan

Summers 2017 & 2018

• Trained deep neural networks to solve question answering and theorem proving tasks

Projects

Question answering through 2d-memory deep neural networks

Sep 2017 – Aug 2018

- Created question-answering datasets for benchmarking spatial-relation understanding
- Designed spatial-aware deep learning models for our datasets. Implemented models in TensorFlow
- Benchmarked our models and other question answering models on our datasets. Our model achieved state-of-the-art performance

Collecting a theorem proving dataset

Sep 2017 – May 2018

- Collected dataset from theorem proving system. Implemented Python interface to enable easy access
- Cooperated with authors of theorem proving system to update APIs and fix their bugs

Premise selection for theorem proving by deep graph embedding

Mar 2017 – Jun 2017

- Constructed neural network in PyTorch to determine useful lemmas in proving a mathematical theorem
- Outperformed the former best model on theorem-proving dataset by 7% accuracy

Parallel simulation of sticky particles

Dec 2016

- Simulated sticky particles in parallel using C++ and Message Passing Interface (MPI)
- Designed load-balancing mechanism for high efficiency

Publications

Think Visually: Question Answering through Virtual Imagery

Ankit Goyal, Jian Wang, and Jia Deng. Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), 2018.

Premise Selection for Theorem Proving by Deep Graph Embedding

Mingzhe Wang, Yihe Tang, Jian Wang, and Jia Deng. Neural Information Processing Systems (NIPS), 2017.

Education

University of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI

Master of Science in Computer Science GPA: 3.87

Sep 2015 - Aug 2018

Coursework: Machine Learning, Parallel Computing, Algorithms, Randomness and Computation

Peking University

Beijing, China

Bachelor of Science in Physics GPA: 3.73

Sep 2011 - Jun 2015

Coursework: Probability Theory and Statistics, Mathematical Modeling, Theoretical Computer Science