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Education

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, Case Western Reserve University

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Concentration: Natural Language Processing - Deep Learning

Publications

- Chinh Ngo, TH Trieu, Hieu Tran, Long Phan, Hieu Nguyen, Minh-Thang Luong. "More Pretraining or Supervised Data: the Curious Case of Low-Resource Machine Translation." *EMNLP 2022, submitted*
- Thomas Wang, Teven Le Scao, ... , Long Phan, ... , Yacine Jernite. "The BigScience Corpus A 1.6TB Composite Multilingual Dataset" NeurIPS 2022, submitted
- Long Phan, Hieu Tran, Hieu Nguyen, Trinh H. Trieu. "ViT5: Pretrained Text-to-Text Transformer for Vietnamese Language Generation." NAACL SRW, 2022
- Long Phan, Hieu Tran, Daniel Le, Hieu Nguyen, James Anibal, Alec Peltekian, Yanfang Ye. "CoTexT: Multi-task Learning with Code-Text Transformer." ACL NLP4Prog, 2021
- Hieu Tran, Long Phan, James Anibal, Binh T. Nguyen, Truong-Son Nguyen. "SPBERT: An Efficient Pre-training BERT on SPARQL Queries for Question Answering over Knowledge Graphs." ICONIP, 2021
- Long Phan, James T. Anibal, Hieu Tran, Shaurya Chanana, Erol Bahadroglu, Alec Peltekian, Grégoire Altan-Bonnet. "SciFive: a text-to-text transformer model for biomedical literature." *Bioinformatics*, 2021, *Submitted*
- Hieu Nguyen, Long Phan, Hieu Tran. "VieSum: How Robust Are Transformer-based Models on Vietnamese Summarization?." arXiv preprint arXiv: 2110.04257
- Hieu Tran, Cuong V. Dinh, Long Phan, Son T. Nguyen . "Hierarchical Transformer Encoders for Vietnamese Spelling Correction." IEA/AIE, 2021
- Trung-Hieu Tran, Long Phan, Truong-Son Nguyen, Tien-Huy Nguyen. "Leveraging Transfer Learning for Reliable Intelligence Identification on Vietnamese SNSs (ReINTEL)." VLSP, 2020

Experiences

Twitter, Al Research Intern

May 2022 - present

- Working on Machine Learning Ads Generating project to create value and improve Twitter's internal product
- Developing a Sequential Recommendation with Bidirectional Encoder Representations from Transformer models that leverages transfer learning to predict Tweets interactions

Hugging Face, Guest NLP Researcher - BigScience Project

October 2021 - present

- Collaborating with 600+ NLP Researchers around the world to develop a biggest Multilingual Dataset and Language Model for the BigScience workshop
- Leading the development of the Vietnamese Data co-host team contributing Vietnamese corpus, pipeline, and multiple pretrain language models (300M+ parameters) for the project

VietAI, NLP Researcher (Supervised by Minh-Thang Luong and Google Cloud Platform)

October 2020 - present

- VietAI is a largest non-profit AI organization in Vietnam led by Thang Luong and Thuc Vu to conduct research on nultiple AI topics for the Vietnamese Research Communitites.
- Implemented and built a state-of-the-art English-Vietnamese Machine Translation Model that outperformed Google Translate by more than 2% in BLEU Score
- Released the largest Engish -Vietnamese Translation corpus (4.2M sentence-pairs) which is analyzed to have higher quality on an EMNLP 2021 study on different Transformer architecture settings.
- Gained attention from both academia and industry with 100+ stars on GitHub Repository

Samsung Research America, Al Research Intern

August 2021 - December 2021

- Developed new Question-Answering models and NLP/NLU methods for use in the Bixby Intelligent Assistant
- Implemented a Siamese BERT-Networks with a custom Multiple Negative Ranking Loss and Context Attention in Intent Classification for over 100+ Bixby skills
- Achieved internal state-of-the-art by 3% in accuracy for the Intent Classification tasks for Bixby, Samsung's virtual assistant.

Technical Skills

Languages: Python, Java, JavaScript

Technologies and Libraries: PyTorch, Tensorflow, Tensor2Tensor, HuggingFace, Transformers, JAX, FLAX, Node.js, Flask, React, MongoDB, GCP, AWS, Docker, Spring Boot, Kafka, Elastic Search, Redis, Zookeeper