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## Education

- Start from **University of Waterloo**,  
09/2019 *Computer Science*, PhD,  
Supervisor: Ming Li.
- 09/2017–**Institute of Automation, Chinese Academy of Sciences**,  
07/2019 *Pattern Recognition and Intelligent System*, Master of Science,  
Supervisor: Yu Zhou, Chengqing Zong.

## Research Experience

- May 2022– **ML Research Intern**, APPLE, CUPERTINO.  
Aug. 2022 ○ My research project would be the large language model pre-training for text generation. We will answer this research question: can multiple experts outperform a super expert in the context of GPT3 pre-training?
- Sep. 2021– **NLP Research Intern**, BAIDU USA, SUNNYVALE.  
Mar. 2022 ○ Speech-text pre-training for speech editing and prompt-based one-shot speech synthesis.
- May 2021– **Research Intern**, MICROSOFT RESEARCH, MONTREAL.  
Jul. 2021 ○ Language model trained with curriculum learning and hypernym prediction task.
- Jul. 2018– **NLP Research Intern**, IBM RESEARCH, BEIJING.  
Oct. 2018 ○ Chinese Openai-GPT model pre-training.

## Publications

- He Bai, Renjie Zheng, Xintong Li, Junkun Chen, Liang Huang.  **$A^3T$ : Alignment-Aware Acoustic and Text Pretraining for Speech Synthesis and Editing**. *ICML 2022 (full paper)*.
- He Bai, Tong Wang, Alessandro Sordani, Peng Shi. **Better Language Model with Hypernym Class Prediction**. *ACL 2022 (full paper)*.
- Peng Shi, Rui Zhang, He Bai, Jimmy Lin. **Cross-Lingual Training with Dense Retrieval for Document Retrieval**. *EMNLP-MSR 2021 (workshop paper)*.
- He Bai, Peng Shi, Jimmy Lin, Luchen Tan, Kun Xiong, Wen Gao, Jie Liu, Ming Li. **Semantics of the Unwritten: The Effect of End of Paragraph and Sequence Tokens on Text Generation**. *ACL-SRW 2021 (workshop paper)*.
- He Bai, Peng Shi, Jimmy Lin, Yuqing Xie, Luchen Tan, Kun Xiong, Wen Gao, Ming Li. **Segatron: Segment-aware Transformer for Language Modeling and Understanding**. *AAAI 2021 (full paper)*.
- Peng Shi, He Bai, Jimmy Lin. **Cross-Lingual Training of Neural Models for Document Ranking**. *Findings of EMNLP 2020 (short paper)*.
- He Bai, Yu Zhou, Jiajun Zhang and Chengqing Zong. **Memory Consolidation for Contextual Spoken Language Understanding with Dialogue Logistic Inference**. *ACL 2019 (short paper)*.
- He Bai, Yu Zhou, Jiajun Zhang, Liang Zhao, Mei-Yuh Hwang and Chengqing Zong. **Source Critical Reinforcement Learning for Transferring Spoken Language Understanding to a New Language**. *COLING 2018 (full paper)*.

## Program Committees and Peer Review

- 2021-now **Association for Computational Linguistics Rolling Review (ARR)**.  
2022 **International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML)**.

- 2022 **International Conference on Computational Linguistic (COLING).**
- 2022 **Workshop on Multilingual Information Access (MIA).**
- 2021 **Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL).**
- 2020 **Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL).**
- 2020 **AAAI Conference on Artificial Interlligence (AAAI).**
- 2020 **International Conference on Computational Linguistics (COLING).**
- 2019 **Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP).**

## **Insterests**

Research Language Sequence Modeling, Unsupervised Learning, Multilingual NLP  
Personal Traveling, Cooking