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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University
Ph.D., Computer Science Department

Pittsburgh, PA Aug 2021 - Present

Advisors: Christos Faloutsos and Leman Akoglu

Carnegie Mellon University

Pittsburgh, PA

Research Scholar, Information Systems and Public Policy

Aug 2019 - Aug 2020

Advisors: Christos Faloutsos and Leman Akoglu

National Chiao Tung University
M.S., Computer Science and Engineering

Hsinchu, Taiwan July 2017 - July 2019

Advisor: Vincent S. Tseng

National Taiwan Normal University
B.S., Computer Science and Information Engineering

Taipei, Taiwan

Sept 2013 - June 2017

AWARDS AND GRANTS 2022 IEEE Visualization Conference (IEEE VIS)

Best Paper Honorable Mention

Oct 2022

2021 IEEE Visualization Conference (IEEE VIS)

Best Poster Honorable Mention

Oct 2021

AWS Cloud Credit for Research

\$19,000 AWS Credits, and my project Linear First is involved

Sept 2021

National Chiao Tung University

Dean's List Award

Feb 2019

REFEREED
PUBLICATIONS
APPEARED

- 1. Yoo, J.*, Lee, M.C.*, Shekhar, S., and Faloutsos, C., "Less is More: SLIMG for Accurate, Robust, and Interpretable Graph Mining". ACM SIGKDD Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (KDD), 2023.
- 2. Vajiac, C., **Lee, M.C.**, Kulshrestha, A., Levy, S., Park, N., Olligschlaeger, A., Jones, C., Rabbany, R., and Faloutsos, C., "DeltaShield: Information Theory for Human-Trafficking Detection". *ACM Transactions on Knowledge Discovery from Data (TKDD)*, 2023.
- Cazzolato, M., Vijayakumar, S., Zheng, X., Park, N., Lee, M.C., Chau, D.H., Fidalgo, P., Lages, B., Traina, A., and Faloutsos, C., "TGRAPP: Anomaly Detection and Visualization of Large-Scale Call Graphs". AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2023.
- 4. Cazzolato, M., Vijayakumar, S., Zheng, X., Park, N., **Lee, M.C.**, Fidalgo, P., Lages, B., Traina, A., and Faloutsos, C., "TgraphSpot: Fast and Effective Anomaly Detection for Time-Evolving Graphs". *IEEE International Conference on Big Data (BigData)*, 2022.

- Vajiac, C., Chau, D.H., Olligschlaeger, A., Mackenzie, R., Nair, P., Lee, M.C., Li, Y., Park, N., Rabbany, R., A., and Faloutsos, C., "TrafficVis: Visualizing Organized Activity and Spatio-Temporal Patterns for Detecting and Labeling Human Trafficking". IEEE Visualization Conference (IEEE VIS), 2022. (Best Paper Honorable Mention)
- Nair, P., Li, Y., Vajiac, C., Olligschlaeger, A., Lee, M.C., Park, N., A., Chau, D.H., Faloutsos, C., and Rabbany, R., "VisPaD: Visualization and Pattern Discovery for Fighting Human Trafficking". ACM International World Wide Web Conference (WWW), 2021.
- 7. Lee, M.C.*, Shekhar, S.*, Faloutsos, C., Hutson, T.N., and Lasemidis, L., "GEN²OUT: Detecting and Ranking Generalized Anomalies". *IEEE International Conference on Big Data (BigData)*, 2021.
- 8. Lee, M.C., Nguyen, H., Berberidis, D., Tseng, V.S., and Akoglu, L., "GAWD: Graph Anomaly Detection in Weighted Directed Graph Databases". *IEEE/ACM International Conference on Advances in Social Network Analysis and Mining (ASONAM)*, 2021.
- 9. Vajiac, C., Olligschlaeger, A., Li, Y., Nair, P., **Lee, M.C.**, Park, N., Rabbany, R., A., Chau, D.H., and Faloutsos, C., "TrafficVis: Fighting Human Trafficking through Visualization". *IEEE Visualization Conference (IEEE VIS)*, 2021. (Best Poster Honorable Mention)
- Lee, M.C.*, Vajiac, C.*, Kulshrestha, A., Levy, S., Park, N., Jones, C., Rabbany, R., and Faloutsos, C., "InfoShield: Generalizable Information-Theoretic Human-Trafficking Detection". 37th IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering (ICDE), 2021.
- Lee, M.C., Zhao, Y., Wang, A., Liang, P.J., Akoglu, L., Tseng, V.S., and Faloutsos, C., "AUTOAUDIT: Mining Accounting and Time-Evolving Graphs". *IEEE International Conference on Big Data (BigData)*, 2020.
- 12. Lee, M.C., Huang, Y., Ying, J.J.C., Chen, C., and Tseng, V.S., "DeepIdentifier: A Deep Learning-Based Lightweight Approach for User Identity Recognition". 15th International Conference on Advanced Data Mining and Applications (ADMA), 2019, November.
- 13. Huang, Y., Lee, M.C., Tseng, V.S., Hsiao C.J. and Huang C.C., "Robust Sensor-based Human Activity Recognition with Snippet Consensus Neural Networks". 16th IEEE International Conference on Wearable and Implantable Body Sensor Networks (BSN), 2019.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- 14. Lee, M.C., Shekhar, S., Yoo, J., and Faloutsos, C., "Discovery and Exploitation of Generalized Network Effects". arXiv preprint arXiv:2301.00270.
- Kulshrestha, A., Vajiac, C., Levy, S., Wang, J., Park, N., Jones, C., Eswaran, D., Lee, M.C., Faloutsos, C., and Rabbany, R., "TrafficLight: Holistic Detection of Human Trafficking in Online Escort Market".

Work Experience

Amazon
Applied Scientist Intern

Santa Clara, CA May 2023 - Aug 2023

Amazon Applied Scientist Intern Palo Alto, CA May 2022 - Aug 2022

In the News

InfoShield for Human Trafficking Detection

May 2021

- WPXI
- CMU News

Project Experience

Fraud Detection on Phone Call Networks

Advisors: Christos Faloutsos, Matt Fredrikson, Leman Akoglu and Polo

Chau

Dec 2021 - Present

- Collaborated with Mobileum
- Detected fraudulent phone calls in who-calls-whom temporal networks

Open-Ended Classification on Merchant Websites

Advisors: Christos Faloutsos and Leman Akoglu

Dec 2021 - Present

- Collaborated with PNC Bank
- Identified the malicious merchants from the website texts

Anti-Human Trafficking

Advisors: Christos Faloutsos, Reihaneh Rabbany and Polo Chau

Mar 2020 - Present

- Collaborated with McGill University and Marinus Analytics
- Detected human trafficking associations by finding meta-clusters and templates

Data Science and Epilepsy

Advisors: Christos Faloutsos and Leonidas Jassemidis

Mar 2020 - Present

- Collaborated with Louisiana Tech University
- Located seizures and focal channels through brain EEG signal data

Business Graphs Analysis

Advisors: Christos Faloutsos, Leman Akoglu and Pierre Liang

Mar 2020 - Sept 2020

- Collaborated with Tepper School of Business at Carnegie Mellon University
- Identified patterns in syndicated loan datasets

Circadian Rhythm

Advisor: Vincent S. Tseng

Aug 2020 - Sept 2020

- Collaborated with MediaTek (Hsinchu, Taiwan)
- Analyzed circadian rhythm index by wrist-wearable data

Diabetic Retinopathy Severity Diagnosis

Advisor: Vincent S. Tseng

June 2018 - Nov 2018

- Collaborated with Industrial Technology Research Institute (Hsinchu, Taiwan)
- Integrated EMR with fundus images for diabetic retinopathy severity diagnosis

Activity Recognition using Smartphone Sensors

Advisor: Vincent S. Tseng

Sept 2017 - Sept 2018

- Collaborated with Compal Electronics (Taipei, Taiwan)
- Developed analytical techniques of physiological signal with wearable devices

Professional Services

Session Chair

• KDD: 2023

Program Committee

• **SDM**: 2024

Conference Reviewer

• KDD: 2022-2023

• ECML-PKDD: 2023

• **ICDE:** 2023

Programming Languages Proficient: Python, LATEX Familiar: C++, MATLAB

SPOKEN LANGUAGES Mandarin: Native English: Fluent