MING YIN

EDUCATION

Duke University

Aug 2024 - Present

Pratt School of Engineering Advisor: Prof. Yiran Chen

Ph.D., Electrical and Computer Engineering

University of Science and Technology of China (USTC)

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Advisor: Prof. Weiming Zhang

Sept 2020 - June 2024

B.Eng, Computer Science

PUBLICATIONS

1. Which Agent Causes Task Failures and When? On Automated Failure Attribution of LLM Multi-Agent Systems

Shaokun Zhang*, **Ming Yin***, Jieyu Zhang, Jiale Liu, Zhiguang Han, Jingyang Zhang, Beibin Li, Chi Wang, Huazheng Wang, Yiran Chen, Qingyun Wu

ICML 2025 (Spotlight, 313/12107=2.58%)

2. Poisoning Federated Recommender Systems with Fake Users

Ming Yin*, Yichang Xu*, Minghong Fang and Neil Gong

The Web Conference 2024 (WWW 2024)

3. Robust Federated Learning Mitigates Client-side Training Data Distribution Inference Attacks

Yichang Xu*, Ming Yin*, Minghong Fang and Neil Gong

The Web Conference 2024 (WWW 2024)

4. LoBAM: LoRA-Based Backdoor Attack on Model Merging

Ming Yin, Jingyang Zhang, Jingwei Sun, Minghong Fang, Hai Li, Yiran Chen

ICLR 2025 Workshop, also under review as a conference paper

5. Keyframe-oriented Vision Token Pruning: Enhancing Efficiency of Large Vision Language Models on Long-Form Video Processing

Yudong Liu, Jingwei Sun, Yueqian Lin, Jingyang Zhang, **Ming Yin**, Qinsi Wang, Jianyi Zhang, Hai Li, Yiran Chen

Under review

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

GenAI Research Intern	May 2025 - Aug 2025 (Expected)
Zoom	Superviser: Dr. Zheng Chen

Honors & Awards

Excellent Student Scholarship Gold (TOP 3%)	Oct 2023
Qiangwei Progress Scholarship (TOP 5%)	Oct 2023
Excellent Student Scholarship Bronze (TOP 20%)	Oct 2022
Anhui Collegiate Programming Contest (Second Place)	Oct 2021
Excellent Student Scholarship Gold (TOP 3%)	Oct 2020

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