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EDUCATION BACKGROUND

Ph.D. The University of Melbourne

Dec. 2020 – Mar. 2025 (Expected)

School of Computing and Information Systems

Supervised by Prof. Eduard Hovy and Dr. Jey Han Lau

M.S. Chinese Academy of Sciences

Aug. 2017 - July 2020

Institute of Software, Chinese Academy of Sciences GPA 88.31/100 (6th/102)

B.S. Northeastern University

Aug. 2013 – July 2017

School of Computer Science and Technology GPA 88.75/100 (9th/272)

RESEARCH INTRERESTS

- Multi-Document Reasoning: making computers correlate and integrate information from multiple documents
- Language Modelling: effectively modelling natural language sequences focused on opinionated semantics
- Grounded Text Generation: ensuring machine-generated texts fluent and contextually aligned with sources

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- · Proficient with problem formulation, modelling and evaluation methodology for language generation
- Familiar with programming in PyTorch and Python frameworks for foundation models (e.g., Transformers)
- Experienced in post-training and experimenting with large language models particularly for long-context tasks
- Understanding well natural language processing, deep learning and fundamental statistical machine learning

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

• NewsBench: A Systematic Evaluation Framework for Assessing Editorial Capabilities of Large

ACL'24

Language Models in Chinese Journalism

Miao Li, Ming-Bin Chen, Bo Tang, Shengbin Hou, Pengyu Wang, Haiying Deng, Zhiyu Li,

Feiyu Xiong, Keming Mao, Peng Cheng, and Yi Luo

Proceedings of the 62nd Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics

• A Sentiment Consolidation Framework for Meta-Review Generation

ACL'24

Miao Li, Jey Han Lau, Eduard Hovy

Proceedings of the 62nd Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics

<u>Summarizing Multiple Documents with Conversational Structure for Meta-review Generation</u>

EMNLP'23

<u>Miao Li</u>, Eduard Hovy, Jey Han Lau

Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: EMNLP 2023

• DeltaScore: Fine-grained Story Evaluation with Perturbations

EMNLP'23

Zhuohan Xie, Miao Li, Trevor Cohn, Jey Han Lau

Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: EMNLP 2023

• <u>Compressed Heterogeneous Graph for Abstractive Multi-document Summarization</u>

AAAI'23

Proceedings of the 37th AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence

Personalized Abstractive Opinion Tagging

SIGIR'22

Mengxue Zhao, Yang Yang, *Miao Li*, Jingang Wang, Wei Wu, Pengjie Ren, Maarten de Rijke and Zhaochun Ren

Proceedings of the 45th International ACM SIGIR Conference on Research and Development in Information Retrieval

• A Benchmark and Comprehensive Survey on Knowledge Graph Entity Alignment via

VLDBJ'22

Representation Learning

Rui Zhang, Bayu Distiawan Trisedy, <u>Miao Li</u>, Yong Jiang, Jianzhong Qi The International Journal on Very Large Data Bases

• <u>A Topic Augmented Text Generation Model: Joint Learning of Semantics and Structural Features</u> EMNLP'19 Hongyin Tang, *Miao Li*, Beihong Jin

Proceedings of the 2019 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing and the 9th International Joint Conference on Natural Language Processing

A New Effective Neural Variational Model with Mixture-of-Gaussians Prior for Text Clustering
 ICTAI'19

 Miao Li, Hongyin Tang, Beihong Jin, Chengqing Zong

2019 IEEE 31st International Conference on Tools with Artificial Intelligence

Clustering Large-Scale Origin-Destination Pairs: A Case Study for Public Transit in Beijing
 UIC'18
 Miao Li, Beihong Jin, Hongyin Tang, Fusang Zhang

The 15th IEEE International Conference on Ubiquitous Intelligence and Computing

HONORS & AWARDS

Google Conference Scholarship, Google Inc.	Jan. 2023
AAAI-23 Student Scholarship, AAAI	Jan. 2023
 National Scholarship for Graduates (<top 2%),="" china<="" education="" li="" ministry="" of=""> </top>	Nov. 2018
• First Prize Scholarship of University of Chinese Academy of Sciences (<top 8%)<="" td=""><td>Oct. 2017 & 2018</td></top>	Oct. 2017 & 2018
Excellent Student Cadre of University of Chinese Academy of Sciences, twice	Jun. 2018 & 2019
Merit Student of University of Chinese Academy of Sciences, twice	Jun. 2018 & 2019
Outstanding Graduate of Northeastern University	Jun. 2017
 Outstanding Graduate Thesis Award of Northeastern University (Top 1/272) 	Jul. 2017
• National Scholarship for Undergraduates (<top 2%),="" china<="" education="" ministry="" of="" td=""><td>Oct. 2016</td></top>	Oct. 2016
• The first prize scholarship of Northeastern University, twice (<top 4%)<="" td=""><td>Oct. 2015 & 2016</td></top>	Oct. 2015 & 2016
Excellent Student Cadre of Northeastern University, twice	Sep. 2015 & 2016
Honorable Mention in MCM/ICM 2015	Mar. 2015

OTHER EXPERIENCES

•	Chairman of The Graduate Student Council at Chinese Academy of Sciences	Sep. 2018 – Oct. 2019
•	Class Monitor in School of Computer Science at Chinese Academy of Sciences	Sep. 2017 - Aug. 2018
•	Undersecretary of Northeastern University Volunteers Association	Nov. 2013 – Nov. 2014

HOBBIES & SPECIALTY

Drogramming	Reading	Communication	Basketball	Table Tennis
Programming	Reading	Communication	Dasketball	Table Tellills