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Research Interest and Highlights

My research interests spread across several AI fields, including **LLMs** (current emphasis), Machine Learning, Natural Language Processing, Multimodal.

Large Language Models: focus on pre-training data management, data synthesis for LLMs.

Unsupervised Model Evaluation: focus on contrastive, energy-based Unsupervised model evaluation on varied test environments.

Machine Translation: focus on multi-modal (vision-language), sign, text-only machine translation.

Previously, I have conducted extensive research on the full LLM pipeline, covering both data and model sides. I maintain two popular GitHub repository in LLM-Synthetic-Data (340+ stars) and TableGPT (600+ stars, 33.5k downloads last month). Google Scholar citations 3300+.

Education

Zhejiang University

Ph.D. of Computer Science

Guangdong University of Technology

M.S. of Communication Engineering

Liaoning Technical University

B.E. of Communication Engineering

Sep 2022 - Present

Advisor: Junbo Zhao and Gang Chen

Sep 2017 - Jul 2020

Advisors: Yi Fang and Tianyong Hao

Sep 2013 - Jul 2017

Work Experience

Publications

Qwen Pre-training Team, Alibaba Group

Oct 2023 - April 2025

Research Intern on Large Lanuguage Models

Mentor: Dayiheng Liu, Junyang Lin and Chang Zhou

- Contributed to the Qwen 1.5/2/2.5/3 series base models.
- Developed the Data Manager (DataMan) to select and mix data for pre-training large language model.
- Contributed to data synthesis in open-ended tasks for the Qwen series models.

Institute of Computer Innovation, Zhejiang University

Sep 2021 - Sep 2022

Research Intern on Machine Translation and Automated Model Evaluation

Mentor: Junbo Zhao and Peng Lu

ATTL Lab, NICT

Jul 2020 - Sep 2021

Research Intern (Remote) on Machine Translation

Mentor: Kehai Chen

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Ruize Gao, Shanghaoran Quan, Shen Huang, Shuai Bai, Shuang Luo, Sibo Song, Song Chen, Tao He, Ting He, Wei Ding, Wei Liao, Weijia Xu, Wenbin Ge, Wenbiao Yin, Wenyuan Yu, Xianyan Jia, Xianzhong Shi, Xiaodong Deng, Xiaoming Huang, Ximing Zhou, Xinyu Wang, Xipin Wei, Xuejing Liu, Yang Liu, Yang Yao, Yang Zhang, Yibo Miao, Yidan Zhang, Yikai Zhu, Yinger Zhang, Yong Li, Yongan Yue, Yuanzhi Zhu, Yunfei Chu, Zekun Wang, Zhaohai Li, Zheren Fu, Zhi Li, Zhibo Yang, Zhifang Guo, Zhipeng Zhang, Zhiying Xu, Zile Qiao, Ziye Meng. Qwen Team. Arxiv 2025.

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- [8] Embedding and Gradient Say Wrong: A White-Box Method for Hallucination Detection. Xiaomeng Hu, Yiming Zhang, Ru Peng, Haozhe Zhang, Chenwei Wu, Gang Chen, Junbo Zhao. Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2024.
- [9] Inference-Time Decontamination: Reusing Leaked Benchmarks for Large Language Model Evaluation. Qin Zhu, Qingyuan Cheng, Runyu Peng, Xiaonan Li, Tengxiao Liu, Ru Peng, Xipeng Qiu, Xuanjing Huang. Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: EMNLP 2024.
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- [11] Energy-based Automated Model Evaluation.

Ru Peng, Heming Zou, Haobo Wang, Yawen Zeng, Zenan Huang, Junbo Zhao. The Twelfth International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR), 2024.

[12] CAME: Contrastive Automated Model Evaluation.

Ru Peng, Qiuyang Duan, Haobo Wang, Jiachen Ma, Yanbo Jiang, Yongjun Tu, Xiu Jiang, Junbo Zhao. IEEE/CVF International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV), 2023.

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[14] HybridVocab: Towards Multi-Modal Machine Translation via Multi-Aspect Alignment. Ru Peng, Yawen Zeng, Junbo Zhao. International Conference on Multimedia Retrieval (ICMR), 2022. (Oral)

[15] Deps-SAN: Neural Machine Translation with Dependency-Scaled Self-Attention Network. Ru Peng, Nankai Lin, Yi Fang, Shengyi Jiang, Tianyong Hao, Boyu Chen, Junbo Zhao. The 29th International Conference on Neural Information Processing (ICONIP), 2022. (Oral)

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Ru Peng, Zhitao Chen, Tianyong Hao, Yi Fang.
The 15th China Conference on Machine Translation (CCMT), 2019. (Best Paper Candidates 3th)

Preprints

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- [2] Better Sign Language Translation with Monolingual Data. Ru Peng, Yawen Zeng, Junbo Zhao. arXiv preprint arXiv:2304.10844, 2023.
- [3] Image classification prediction method, device, equipment and storage medium. Qiuyang Duan, Ru Peng, Junbo Zhao, Yongjun Tu, Xiu Jiang. C.N. Patent, 2023.

Awards

Merit Student, Zhejiang University, 2022 – 2024 Academic Scholarship, GDUT, 2017 – 2019 Outstanding Student Scholarship, LNTU, 2016

Professional Service

Conference Reviewer: ICLR 2024, 2025; ICML 2023, 2025; NeurIPS 2022, 2023, 2024; CVPR 2025; ICCV 2023, 2025; ECCV 2024; ACL 2024; AISTATS 2025; COLM 2024

Journal Reviewer: IEEE Transactions on Big Data (TBD), Transactions of Machine Learning Research (TMLR)

Publication Chair: International Conference on Natural Language Processing (ICNLP) 2025

Invited Talks

Feb 2025, DataMan: Data Manager for Pre-training Large Language Models. Synced (机器之心). Nov 2024, Energy-based Automated Model Evaluation. Renmin University of China March 2024, Energy-based Automated Model Evaluation. DataWhale

Skills

Programming Languages: Java, Python, C, C#, Matlab, Shell, Perl Deep Learning Frameworks: Pytorch, Tensorflow, Theano, Keras, Ray

Machine Learning Libraries: LLama-Factory, Megatron, Verl, Vllm, NumPy, SciPy, Sklearn, Matplotlib, Pandas,

NLTK, etc

AI Experience: Rich experience in theories, toolkits, codebases, experiments for AI fields