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# He Bai (Richard)

#### 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.

09/2012- Harbin Institute of Technology,

07/2016 Control Science and Engineering, Bachelor of Engineering.

### Research Experience

May 2022- ML Research Intern, APPLE, SCV.

Aug. 2022 • LLM pretraining.

May 2021- Research Intern, MICROSOFT RESEARCH, MONTREAL.

Jul. 2021 • Language model trained with WordNet knowledge.

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 (spotlight paper).
- He Bai, Tong Wang, Alessandro Sordoni, 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

2022 Outstanding Reviewer (top 10%) of the International Conference of Machine Learning (ICML).

2021-now Reviewer of Association for Computational Linguistics Rolling Review (ARR).

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

#### Insterests

Research Sequence Modeling, Unsupervised Learning, Multilingual NLP

Personal Yoga, Cooking