Sihao Chen

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EDUCATION University of Illinois, Urbana Champaign

B.S. in Computer Engineering with Honor

Aug 2014 - Jan 2018 GPA: 3.60/4.0

INTERESTS Natural Language Processing, Machine Learning

RESEARCH Research Programmer **EXPERIENCE**

Cognitive Computation Group @ UPenn

Advised by Prof. Dan Roth

Jun 2017 - Jan 2018 Undergraduate Research Assistant

Cognitive Computation Group @ Illinois

Advised by Prof. Mark Sammons and Prof. Dan Roth

CURRENT **PROJECTS** Sihao Chen, Daniel Khashabi, Wenpeng Yin, Chris Callison-Burch and Dan Roth. See Things from a Different Angle: Finding Diverse Perspectives about Queries (Under Review)

Sihao Chen, Mark Sammons, Dan Roth, Scott Althaus.

"Can The Lady Speak?": A new approach to measuring gender inclusion using sourcing patterns in news coverage. (In preparation for submission)

INTERNSHIP

Software Engineering Intern

May 2015 - August 2015

Jan 2018 - Present

FNDsoft (now acquired by China Pacific Insurance Company), Shanghai, China

 Designed and developed data analysis and visualization libraries for China Pacific Insurance Company (CPIC)

OTHER PROJECTS

Muscle Pressure Detection: Improving Prosthetics Efficacy Senior Thesis project sponsored by Psyonic

· Developed kernel based C-SVC classification model in microcontroller to predict prothestics finger/wrist gesture from upper limb muscle movements.

Mobile Camera Image Quality Enhancement Experiment Technical Report, Class project

· Proposed a new task and dataset for recovering low-dynamic-range, high-circuitnoise images shot by camera phone. Proposed strong GAN-based baselines.

SKILLS

· Python, Java, C, C++, x86, System Verilog, Javascript

AWARDS

· Recipient of the second prize in National Olympics in Informatics in Province in Shanghai, China, 2013