Fighting the COVID-19 Infodemic in Social Media: A Holistic Perspective and a Call to Arms

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Highlights

- We develop comprehensive guidelines that combine the perspectives and the interests of journalists, fact-checkers, social media platforms, policymakers, and the society as a whole.
- We develop a volunteer-based crowd annotation platform based on Micromappers: http://micromappers.qcri.org
- We annotate initial datasets covering English and Arabic.
- We demonstrate sizable improvements over the baselines when using both coarse and fine-grained labels.
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