

# XING SHI

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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Natural Language Processing, Machine Translation and Machine Learning.

## EDUCATION

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**University of Southern California**

*expected 2017*

Ph.D. in Computer Science

**Tsinghua University, Beijing**

*2012*

B.E. in Computer Science and Technology

*Ranking 14/117*

## PUBLICATIONS

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**Xing Shi**, Kevin Knight, and Heng Ji. How to speak a language without knowing it. *ACL*, 2014

Minlie Huang, **Xing Shi** and Xiaoyan Zhu. Using first-order logic to compress sentences. *AAAI*, 2012

Lei Fang, **Xing Shi** and Minlie Huang. Opinion polarity classification and opinion extraction by combining patterns and statistics. *The third Chinese Opinion Analysis Evaluation*, 2011

## EXPERIENCE

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**University of Southern California**

Aug. 2012 - Present

*Research Assistant/Teaching Assistant*

*Los Angeles, CA*

- Apply a cascade weighted finite state machine to approximate English pronunciation with Chinese characters (ACL 2014).
- TA in CSCI-544 Applied Natural Language Processing in Spring 2014.
- TA in CSCI-201 Principles of Software Development in Summer 2014.

**Tsinghua University**

Jul. 2011 - Jul.2012

*Research Intern*

*Beijing, China*

- Extract Structured Data from Heterogeneous Web Pages (Undergraduate Thesis).
- Apply first-order logic (Markov Logic Network) to compress sentences (AAAI 2012).
- Extract product feature and opinion pairs from text, won the 1st micro-F1 and 3rd macro-F1 in the third Chinese Opinion Analysis Evaluation.

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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Second-class scholarship offered by ESS Inc.

*2010-2011*

Second-class scholarship offered by Geru Zheng.

*2009-2010*

First-class scholarship offered by Huawei Inc.

*2008-2009*

Elected as the Beijing Olympic Torch Escorts.

*Jul. 2008*

## LANGUAGE

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Native Mandarin Chinese, fluent English.