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# **Education**

06/2017 - 05/2022

#### Ph.D. Artificial Intelligence

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam (VU)

Linked Data ■ Knowledge Graph ■ Refinement ■ Hybrid Algorithms.

09/2015 - 08/2017

#### MSc Logic (computation track)

University of Amsterdam (UvA)

Knowledge Representation • Information Theory • Dynamic Epistemic Logic • Machine Learning.

08/2012 - 07/2014

# BSc Artificial Intelligence (first class ≈ cum laude)

University of Manchester

Machine Learning • Verified Development • Natural Language Processing • Algorithms.

### **Biography**

I am Shuai and I am working towards the end of my Ph.D. in Artificial Intelligence with a focus on linked open data/knowledge graphs. I am familiar with logic-based inference and automated reasoning, linked data analysis and refinement, etc.

# Work experience

### Researcher (Scientific Engineer)

2022 - present

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, the Netherlands.

Vrije Universiteit

Since June 2022, I work as a research engineer at the User-Centric Data Science group. I work with Prof. Tobias Kuhn in the project "Building a FAIR Expertise Hub for the social sciences" and I am involved in the ODISSEI infrastructure initiative. Moreover, I work closely with social scientists in Amsterdam and Rotterdam.

#### PhD researcher

2017 - 2022

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, the Netherlands.

Vrije Universiteit; funded by NWO

I performed some comprehensive analysis of very large integrated knowledge graphs; developed hybrid refinement algorithms at web scale. I have published papers at top A.I. conference venues such as ESWC. I have also been a teaching assistant for Deep Learning, Intelligent Systems and A.I. in Health, etc.

#### Research internship (4 months)

**Summer 2016** LAAS-CNRS, the Aerospace Valley, Toulouse, France.

LAAS-CNRS pprox the French equivalent of TNO

I completed a research internship in the robotics group where I studied taking robots out of a crashed airplane.

#### Research internship (6 months)

**Spring-Summer 2015** French National Institute for Research in Computer Science and Automation (INRIA Paris-Requencourt), Paris, France.

INRIA  $\approx$  the French equivalent of CWI

I transformed a large set of proofs by loading into a modified reasoner. The transformed proofs were checked using a specific program.

### **Professional Skills**

- Linked Data Analysis/Management: linked (open) data, large scale knowledge graph, ontology analysis, data integration, alignment, data validation and refinement, data/knowledge management, knowledge engineering, etc.
- Graph analysis: graph features analysis, cycle resolving (feedback arc set), evaluation matrices, centrality, etc.
- Machine Learning: behavior learning, Deep Learning (Graph Convolutional Networks, Recurrent Neural Networks), Turing Learning, etc.
- Natural Language Processing and Human-Agent Interaction: chatbot, entity understanding and alignment.

### **Teaching**

- Deep Learning (2021), second year MSc A.I. and MSc Business Analytics, VU.
- A.I. in Health (2020), MSc A.I., VU&WUST (online).
- Intelligent Systems (2020), first year BSc A.I., VU.
- Knowledge Representation (2017), first year MSc A.I., VU.

### **Supervision**

- Bachelor Thesis:
   I was involved in the supervision of 5 bachelor students.
- Master Thesis:

   I was involved in the supervision of 3 master students.

#### **Honors**

- Doctoral Grant (by NWO TOP)
- MPRI-INRIA scholarship

# Languages

Chinese	Native
English	C1
French	A2-B1
Dutch	A1-A2

### **Interests**

- Artist (with 2 exhibitions)
- Cello (electric Cello student)
- Taekwondo (red belt)
- Travelling (15 countries)

- Data Visualisation & communication: statistical analysis and visualisation.
- Software Engineering: agile development, modelling, project management, etc.
- Mathematics: statistics, probability, linear algebra, matrices and tensors, etc.
- Logic: SAT/SMT solving, automated reasoning, first/higher order logic, verification and proof checking, etc.

### **Technical Skills**

#### **Generic Tools and Platforms**

- Platforms: TensorFlow, PyTorch, Django, Heroku, etc.
- Programming Languages: Python, OCaml, C++, Java, etc.
- Utilities and Tools: Atom, Protégé, Github, Jupyter Notebook, etc.

#### Tools and Utilities for Data/Knowledge Graphs

- Data Processing: pandas, numpy, networkx, scipy, pymetis, Google Sheets, etc.
- Data Query: SPARQL, PyHDT, rdflib, etc.
- Data Formats: CSV, HDT, RDF (Turtle, N-Triples, OWL), XML, JSON, Web-Graph, FASTA/BPSEQ, OpenTheory, Dedukti, etc.
- Data Publishing: TriplyDB, Zenodo, etc.

#### Tools for Modelling, Simulation, and Agent Systems

- Modelling and Visualisation: Blender, Matplotlib, CSS/HTML, JavaScript, Google Map/Slides, LATEX, Prezi, etc.
- Simulation: ENKI, HPP, Netlogo, etc.
- Hardware: Raspberry Pi, Leap Motion, etc.
- Interaction: Bluemix Conversation API (IBM Watson), etc.

#### **Recent Publications**

- S. Wang, "On the Analysis of Large Integrated Knowledge Graphs for Economics, Banking, and Finance". in *International Workshop on Knowledge Graphs for Economics and Finance*, 2022.
- S. Wang, J. Raad, P. Bloem, and F. van Harmelen, "Refining transitive and pseudotransitive relations at web scale". in *Proceedings of 18th European Semantic Web Conference (ESWC)*, 2021.
- S. Wang, J. Raad, P. Bloem, and F. van Harmelen, "Submassive: Resolving subclass cycles in very large knowledge graphs," in 2nd Workshop on Large Scale RDF Analytics (LASCAR@ESWC), 2020.
- G. Lan, L. de Vries, S. Wang "Evolving Efficient Deep Neural Networks for Realtime Object Recognition" in *IEEE Symposium Series on Computational Intelligence* (SSCI), 2019.
- S. de Bever, D. Formolo, S. Wang, T. Bosse "A multimodal chatbot system for enhancing social skills training for security guards" in *International Conference on Human-Computer Interaction*, 2019.

#### **Under Submission**

 S. Wang, J. Raad, P. Bloem, and F. van Harmelen, "Refining Large Integrated Identity Graphs using the Unique Name Assumption". in under submission at EKAW, 2022.

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