

# Junyu Luo | Curriculum Vitae

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## Education & Awards

### Academic Qualifications

- **Pennsylvania State University** **Ph.D.**  
*Information Sciences and Technology, GPA: 3.91/4.00* 2020.08–2024
- **Sichuan University** **Bachelor**  
*Computer Science, GPA: 3.86/4.00, Major GPA: 3.924/4.00* 2020.06

### Honors & Awards

- **The Award of Excellence, MSRA Internship Program** 2020
- **National Scholarship** (THREE TIMES) 2015-2018
- **The First Prize Scholarship of Sichuan University** (THREE TIMES) 2015-2018
- **The first prize in Sichuan Province Lanqiao Programming Contest** 2017
- **Model Student of Academic Records, Sichuan University** 2017
- **The first prize in Sichuan University Mathematics Competition** 2016
- **The second prize in Sichuan University ACM Programming Contest** 2016

## Research and Work Experience

- **Research Assistant on Machine Learning for Healthcare** **Dr. Fenglong Ma**  
*Pennstate University IST, Pennsylvanian, USA* Feb 2020–Now
  - **Multi-modality Pre-training of EHR Data**  
Paper: Hierarchical Pretraining on Multimodal Electronic Health Records.  
*TLDR: A new multi-modality novel, general, and unified pretraining framework called MEDHMP for multi-modality health data.*
  - **Automatic ICD Coding based on Diagnosis Text**  
Paper: Fusion: Towards Automated ICD Coding via Feature Compression.  
*Using information compression to reduce the noise and improve speed.*  
<https://aclanthology.org/2021.findings-acl.184.pdf>  
Paper: CoRelation: Boosting Automatic ICD Coding Through Contextualized Code Relation Learning.  
*TLDR: Improve performance through modeling contextualized code relations through graph network.*
  - **Medical Text Simplification**  
Paper: Benchmarking Automated Clinical Language Simplification: Dataset, Algorithm, and Evaluation.  
*TLDR: Designing a controllable simplification pipeline for using external medical dictionary knowledge.*  
<https://aclanthology.org/2022.coling-1.313.pdf>
  - **Electric Health Record Mining**  
Paper: HiTANet: Hierarchical Time-Aware Attention Networks for Risk Prediction on Electronic Health Records.  
*TLDR: Using two-level transformers to model the complex EHR code sequential data.*  
[https://dl.acm.org/doi/pdf/10.1145/3394486.3403107?casa\\_token=HLY2Uo1-v5kAAAAA:v70yG0bR1jJM1oMJMEpXvKk0LiV7jLgRpNFZjrDfwQvsNB52m\\_AafEfmbFxD5iPM3pgR0vwBpNQ](https://dl.acm.org/doi/pdf/10.1145/3394486.3403107?casa_token=HLY2Uo1-v5kAAAAA:v70yG0bR1jJM1oMJMEpXvKk0LiV7jLgRpNFZjrDfwQvsNB52m_AafEfmbFxD5iPM3pgR0vwBpNQ)
- **Research Intern on Natural Language Processing** **Dr. Danica Xiao**  
*Relativity, USA* June 2023–Aug 2023
  - **Designing Algorithm for Preventing Hallucination for Large Language Models (LLMs).**  
Paper: Zero-Resource Hallucination Prevention for Large Language Models  
*TLDR: Using prompt engineering to perform self-evaluation under the zero-resource setting to test the understanding of LLMs to the instructions.*

- **Research Intern on Machine Learning for Clinical Data** **Dr. Cheng Qian**  
May 2022–Dec 2022
    - *IQVIA, USA*
    - **Designing Clinical Trial Retrieval Algorithm Based on Trial Protocols.**  
Paper: Clinical Trial Retrieval via Multi-grained Group-based Similarity Learning  
TLDR: *Designing hierarchical matching model for trial protocols with novel group-based training loss and 2D word matching.*
    - **Designing Personalized Drug Risk Prediction Model.**  
Paper: pADR: Towards Personalized Adverse Drug Reaction Prediction by Modeling Multi-sourced Data.  
TLDR: *Incorporating the patient's EHR modality with the drug molecular level information.*
- **Research Intern on Knowledge Computing** **Dr. Jinpeng Wang**  
Mar 2019–Jan 2020
    - *Microsoft Research Lab - Asia (MSRA), Beijing, China*
    - **Automatic Pattern Recognition from Power Point Design.**  
TLDR: *Transforming the pattern matching into a sequential matching problem.*
    - **Object Detection for Special Chart Images.**  
Paper: ChartOCR: Data Extraction from Charts Images via a Deep Hybrid Framework  
TLDR: *High precision point based object detection for chart objects.*  
[https://dl.acm.org/doi/pdf/10.1145/3357384.3358104?casa\\_token=20Jse6NYBnAAAAAA:ftUVD1L6-uQMklibfnkaKqre0Ueo7VXv-BTVs-vDEX4MU1MvS1IWTLYOANsgU9X0CbVLn-YRsr4](https://dl.acm.org/doi/pdf/10.1145/3357384.3358104?casa_token=20Jse6NYBnAAAAAA:ftUVD1L6-uQMklibfnkaKqre0Ueo7VXv-BTVs-vDEX4MU1MvS1IWTLYOANsgU9X0CbVLn-YRsr4)  
Paper: Hybrid Cascade Point Search Network for High Precision Bar Chart Component Detection  
TLDR: *High precision object detection through cascade updating.*  
<https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/abstract/document/9412144>
- **Research Intern on Medical Images** **Dr. William Hsu**  
Jul 2018–Sep 2018
    - *University of California(UCLA), Los Angeles, USA*
    - Selected as a CSST Intern under guidance of Professor William Hsu of Medical Imaging Informatics Lab
    - Built a pipeline system for pulmonary nodule analysis from the raw CT images using deep learning algorithms
    - Assisted with data preprocessing and algorithms optimization
- **Research Intern on Natural Language Processing** **Dr. Min Yang**  
Sep 2017–Jul 2018
    - *Shenzhen Institutes of Advanced Technology(SIAT), Shenzhen, China*
    - **Developed methods to generate semantic embedding for long sentences and cross-model searching**  
Paper: Cross-modal Image-Text Retrieval with Multitask Learning.  
TLDR: *Using back-encoding to ensure the cross-modality relation.*  
<https://dl.acm.org/doi/10.1145/3357384.3358104>
- **Research Intern on Deep Learning** **Dr. Jianchen Lv**  
Sep 2016–Jul 2017
    - *MI LAB Sichuan University(SCU), Chengdu, China*
    - Finished one National Training Program of Innovation as leader and major developer and one independent research program under guidance of Professor Jianchen Lv

## Skills

- Experience in dealing with different kinds of data (Image, Text, Video, Web, Audio, CT)
- Experience in all kinds of deep learning frameworks, including transformers, LLMs, diffusion, GAN, graph neural networks, information retrieval frameworks, and object detection frameworks
- Experience in building web pages and mobile applications
- Master in Python (PyTorch, TensorFlow, Keras) and familiar with C, C++, Java, JavaScript

## Publications

- Tutorials.....
- Fenglong Ma, Muchao Ye, **Junyu Luo**, Cao Xiao, and Jimeng Sun. *Advances in Mining Heterogeneous Healthcare Data*. Conference Tutorial at the 27th ACM SIGKDD Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (KDD), 2021.
- Conferences & Journals.....
- **Junyu Luo**, Cheng Qian, Xiaochen Wang, Lucas Glass, and Fenglong Ma. 2023. *pADR: Towards Personalized*

- Adverse Drug Reaction Prediction by Modeling Multi-sourced Data*. In Proceedings of the 32nd ACM International Conference on Information and Knowledge Management (CIKM 23), October 21–25, 2023, Birmingham, United Kingdom.
- **Junyu Luo**, Zhi Qiao, Lucas Glass, Cao Xiao, and Fenglong Ma. 2023. *ClinicalRisk: A New Therapy-related Clinical Trial Dataset for Predicting Trial Status and Failure Reasons*. In Proceedings of the 32nd ACM International Conference on Information and Knowledge Management (CIKM 23), October 21–25, 2023, Birmingham, United Kingdom.
  - **Junyu Luo**, Junxian Lin, Chi Lin, Cao Xiao, Xinning Gui and Fenglong Ma. *Benchmarking Automated Clinical Language Simplification: Dataset, Algorithm, and Evaluation*. Proceedings of the 29th International Conference on Computational Linguistics (COLING 2022), OCTOBER 12-17, 2022, GYEONGJU, REPUBLIC OF KOREA.
  - **Junyu Luo**, Cao Xiao, Lucas Glass, Jimeng Sun and Fenglong Ma. *Fusion: Towards Automated ICD Coding via Feature Compression*. Findings of the 59th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (Findings of ACL), 2021.
  - **Junyu Luo**, Zekun Li, Jinpeng Wang, Chin-Yew Lin: *ChartOCR: Data Extraction from Charts Images via a Deep Hybrid Framework*. Proceedings of the 2021 Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision (WACV), 2021.
  - **Junyu Luo**, Muchao Ye, Cao Xiao, Fenglong Ma. *HiTANet: Hierarchical Time-Aware Attention Networks for Risk Prediction on Electronic Health Records*. Proceedings of the 26th ACM SIGKDD International Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (KDD), 2020.
  - **Junyu Luo**, Jinpeng Wang, and Chin-Yew Lin. *Hybrid Cascade Point Search Network for High Precision Bar Chart Component Detection*. Proceedings of the 25th International Conference on Pattern Recognition (ICPR), 2020.
  - **Junyu Luo**, Ying Shen, Xiang Ao, Zhou Zhao, Min Yang. *Cross-modal Image-Text Retrieval with Multitask Learning*. Proceedings of the 28th ACM International Conference on Information and Knowledge Management (CIKM), 2019.
  - **Junyu Luo**, Min Yang, Ying Shen, Qiang Qu, Haixia Chai. *Learning Document Embeddings with Crossword Prediction*. Proceedings of the Thirty-third AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2019.
  - Zhile Jiang, Shuai Yu, Qiang Qu, Min Yang, **Junyu Luo**, Juncheng Liu. *Multi-task Learning for Author Profiling with Hierarchical Features*. WWW (Companion Volume) 2018: 55-56.
  - **Junyu Luo**, Yong Xu, Chenwei Tang, Jiancheng Lv. *Learning Inverse Mapping by AutoEncoder Based Generative Adversarial Nets*. ICONIP (2) 2017: 207-216.
  - Suhan Cui, **Junyu Luo**, Muchao Ye, Jiaqi Wang, Ting Wang and Fenglong Ma. *MedSkim: Denoised Health Risk Prediction via Skimming Medical Claims Data*. Proceedings of the 22nd IEEE International Conference on Data Mining (ICDM 2022), Nov 28 - Dec 1, 2022, Orlando, FL.
  - Muchao Ye, Suhan Cui, Yaqing Wang, **Junyu Luo**, Cao Xiao, Fenglong Ma. *MedRetriever: Target-Driven Health Risk Prediction via Retrieving Unstructured Medical Text*. Proceedings of the 30th ACM International Conference on Information and Knowledge Management (CIKM), 2021.
  - Muchao Ye, Suhan Cui, Yaqing Wang, **Junyu Luo**, Cao Xiao, Fenglong Ma. *MedPath: Augmenting Health Risk Prediction via Medical Knowledge Paths*. Proceedings of the 30th The Web Conference (WWW), 2021.
  - Muchao Ye, **Junyu Luo**, Cao Xiao, Fenglong Ma. *LSAN: Modeling Long-term Dependencies and Short-term Correlations with Hierarchical Attention for Risk Prediction*. Proceedings of the 29th ACM International Conference on Information and Knowledge Management (CIKM), 2020.
  - Changqin Huang, Jia Zhu, Yuzhi Liang, Min Yang, Gabriel Pui Cheong Fung, **Junyu Luo**. *An efficient automatic multiple objectives optimization feature selection strategy for internet text classification*. Int. J. Mach. Learn. Cybern. 10(5): 1151-1163, 2019.

## Submissions.....

- *Zero-Resource Hallucination Prevention for Large Language Models*. AAAI 2024.
- *CoRelation: Boosting Automatic ICD Coding Through Contextualized Code Relation Learning*. EMNLP 2023.
- *Hierarchical Pretraining on Multimodal Electronic Health Records*. EMNLP 2023.
- *Clinical Trial Retrieval via Multi-grained Group-based Similarity Learning*. SDM 2024.