# Sotaro Takeshita

### Education\_

The National University of Electro-Communication

Tokyo, Japan

**B.S. IN COMPUTER SCIENCE** 

Apr. 2013 - Mar. 2018

The National University of Electro-Communication

Tokyo, Japan

M.S. IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

Apr. 2018 - Mar. 2020

**University of Mannheim** 

Mannheim, Germany

Ph.D. Student in Natural Language Processing Supervisor: Prof. Simone Paolo Ponzetto

Sep. 2022 - Present

Experience \_\_

University of Mannheim, Data and Web Science Group

Mannheim, Germany

RESEARCH VISITING

Sep. 2019, two weeks

· Short term research visit

Build It Inc.

Tokyo, Japan

DATA ANALYST & ML ENGINEER

• Developed Web App (Backend & Frontend) • Developed Recommendation system as SaaS 2015 - Present

The University of Campinas, Faculty of Electrical and Computer Engineering

Sao Paulo, Brazil

Nov. 2018

RESEARCH INTERNSHIP

• Advisor: Prof. Dr. Eric Rohmer

• Developed Neural Network based Computer Vision system for self-driving wheel chairs.

Kanagawa, Japan

**NTT Media Intelligence Lab** RESEARCH INTERNSHIP

Sep. 2018

• Developed dialogue systerm.

Kanagawa, Japan

**Recruit Holdings** DATA SCIENCE INTERNSHIP

Aug. 2017

· Won a Best Work Prize

Mexico City, Mexico

Sección de Estudios de Posgrado e Investigación de ESIME Culhuacan, Instituto **Politecnico Nacional** 

Feb. 2016 - Apr. 2016

RESEARCH INTERNSHIP

• Advisor: Mariko Nakano Miyatake

**Publications** 

CONFERENCE

**GenGO: ACL Paper Explorer with Semantic Features** 

Bangkok, Thailand

SOTARO TAKESHITA, SIMONE PAOLO PONZETTO, KAI ECKERT The 62nd Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics, System Demonstration

Mexico City, Mexico

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**ROUGE-K: Do Your Summaries Have Keywords?** 

2024

2024

The 13th Joint Conference on Lexical and Computational Semantics colocated at NAACL 2024, Best Long Paper

### ACLSum: A New Dataset for Aspect-based Summarization of Scientific Publications

Mexico City, Mexico

**SOTARO TAKESHITA**, TOMMASO GREEN, INES REINIG, KAI ECKERT AND SIMONE PAOLO PONZETTO

2024

In Proceedings of the 2024 Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics: Human Language Technologies (NAACL)

## ZusammenQA: Data Augmentation with Specialized Models for Cross-lingual Open-retrieval Question Answering System

Seattle, Washington + Online

CHIA-CHIEN HUNG, TOMMASO GREEN, ROBERT LITSCHKO, TORNIKE TSERETELI, **SOTARO TAKESHITA**, MARCO BOMBIERI, GORAN GLAVAŠ, SIMONE PAOLO PONZETTO

2022

Workshop on Multilingual Information Access (MIA) at NAACL

#### X-SCITLDR: Cross-Lingual Extreme Summarization of Scholarly Documents

Cologne, Germany and Online

2022

**SOTARO TAKESHITA**, TOMMASO GREEN, NIKLAS FRIEDRICH, KAI ECKERT AND SIMONE PAOLO PONZETTO ACM/IEEE Joint Conference on Digital Libraries (JCDL)

JOURNAL

### Cross-lingual extreme summarization of scholarly documents

**SOTARO TAKESHITA**, TOMMASO GREEN, NIKLAS FRIEDRICH, KAI ECKERT AND SIMONE PAOLO PONZETTO International Journal on Digital Libraries (IJDL)

2023