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EDUCATION

• Ulsan National Institute of Science and Technology (UNIST), South Korea Mar. 2018 M.S. in Computer Science & Engineering (GPA: 4.0 / 4.0)

Thesis: Parametric Information Bottleneck to Optimize Stochastic Neural Networks
Supervisor: Jaesik Choi

• Danang University of Science and Technology (DUST), Vietnam B.S. in Electronic and Communication Engineering (valedictorian)

Jul. 2015

Research Interests

Deep Learning, Natural Language Processing, and Probabilistic Inference.

EXPERIENCE

• Researcher Mar. 2018 - present Ulsan National Institute of Science and Technology (South Korea), School of Computer Science & Engineering, Statistical Artificial Intelligent Lab (SAIL).

• Research Assistant Mar. 2016 - Mar. 2018 Ulsan National Institute of Science and Technology (South Korea), School of Computer Science & Engineering, Statistical Artificial Intelligent Lab (SAIL).

• Teaching Assistant Aug. 2015 - Mar. 2016
Danang University of Science and Technology (Vietnam), Center of Excellence, Electronic and Communication Engineering.

• Mobile Network Intern & Engineer Viettel Network Corporation (Vietnam). Jan. 2015 - Aug. 2015

• Teaching Assistant & Research Assistant Oct. 2014 - Jan. 2015 Danang University of Science and Technology (Vietnam), Center of Excellence, Electronic and Communication Engineering.

Publications

- (*Master Thesis*) Parametric Information Bottleneck to Optimize Stochastic Neural Networks, ScholarWorks@UNIST, 2018.
- (Under Review) **Thanh T. Nguyen**, and Jaesik Choi, Layer-wise Learning of Stochastic Neural Networks with Information Bottleneck, 2017, arXiv 1712.01272.

Selected Awards

- Valedictorian and the sole First-Class Graduate in the Electronic and Communication Engineering Program at the Center of Excellence, 2015;
- JENESYS 2.0 Exchange student by Japan International Cooperation Center 2015;
- Sunflower Mission Engineering & Technology Scholarship by eSilicon and Texas Instrument, 2014;
- First Prize in the Competition of Solving Mathematical Problems by the Journal of Mathematics and Youth, 2010;
- Silver Medal in Southern Vietnam Mathematics Olympiad, 2008.

SKILLS

Programming languages : Python, C++, C, Java.

Deep Learning frameworks : Theano, Tensorflow, Caffe.

Parallel Computing frameworks : OpenMP, MPI, CUDA, pthreads.

REFERENCES

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