YANGQIN JIANG

⋄ Research Interests: Intelligent Agents | Recommendation Systems | Large Language Models
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EDUCATION

The University of Hong Kong

09/2022 - Present

Ph.D. in Computing Science

School of Computing and Data Science

Harbin Institute of Technology

09/2018 - 06/2022

B.Eng. in Software Engineering

School of Computer Science and Technology

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- Yangqin Jiang, Lianghao Xia, Wei Wei, Da Luo, Kangyi Lin, and Chao Huang. *DiffMM: Multi-Modal Diffusion Model for Recommendation*, ACM MM 2024, CCF-A, (Best Paper Honourable Mention Award, 7/1149).
- Yangqin Jiang, Yuhao Yang, Lianghao Xia, and Chao Huang. DiffKG: Knowledge Graph Diffusion Model for Recommendation, WSDM 2024, CCF-B, (Top-11 Most Cited Paper, 11st/112).
- Yangqin Jiang, Chao Huang, and Lianghao Xia. Adaptive Graph Contrastive Learning for Recommendation, SIGKDD 2023, CCF-A, (Most Influential Paper, 10th/497).
- Yangqin Jiang, Yuhao Yang, Lianghao Xia, Da Luo, Kangyi Lin, and Chao Huang. *RecLM: Recommendation Instruction Tuning*, ACL Main 2025, CCF-A.
- Yangqin Jiang, Xubin Ren, Lianghao Xia, Da Luo, Kangyi Lin, and Chao Huang. *RecGPT: Towards Foundation Models for Sequential Recommendation*, EMNLP Main 2025, CCF-B.
- Yangqin Jiang, Yixiang Fang, Chenhao Ma, Xin Cao, and Chunshan Li. *Effective Community Search over Large Star-Schema Heterogeneous Information Networks*, VLDB 2022, CCF-A.
- Bolin Zhang, Shengwei Wang, Yangqin Jiang, Dianbo Sui, Zhiying Tu, and Dianhui Chu. *Ask and Retrieve Knowledge: Towards Proactive Asking with Imperfect Information in Medical Multi-turn Dialogues*, SIGIR 2025, CCF-A.
- Wei Wei, Jiabin Tang, Lianghao Xia, Yangqin Jiang, and Chao Huang. *PromptMM: Multi-Modal Knowledge Distillation for Recommendation with Prompt-Tuning*, WWW 2024, CCF-A.
- Bolin Zhang, Zhiying Tu, Yangqin Jiang, Shufan He, Guoqing Chao, Dianhui Chu, and Xiaofei Xu. *DGPF: A Dialogue Goal Planning Framework for Cognitive Service Conversational Bot*, IEEE ICWS 2021, CCF-B.
- Yangqin Jiang and Chao Huang. LightAgent: Mobile Agentic Foundation Models, Arxiv.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

The University of Hong Kong

HKSAR, China

Supervisor: Professor Chao Huang

09/2022 - Present

- Ongoing Financial Trading Agents. Building a benchmark to evaluate LLMs in trading markets (U.S. equities, crypto) and assess their limits.
- Lightweight Mobile GUI Agent with Cloud-Edge Collaboration: Developing a lightweight agent for mobile GUI automation that leverages a collaborative framework between device and cloud for complex task execution.
- LLM-based Recommendation: Explored the integration of Large Language Models (LLMs) for enhancing semantic understanding and reasoning in recommendation tasks.
- **Recommendation Foundation Models:** Investigated the development of a unified, pre-trained foundation model capable of generalizing across various recommendation scenarios.
- **Graph-Based & Generative Recommendation:** Applied graph contrastive learning, knowledge graphs, and diffusion models for recommendation.

The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen (Research Assistant)

Shenzhen, Guangdong, China

Supervisor: Professor Yixiang Fang

09/2021 - 06/2022

• Graph Data Mining: Graph querying, specifically the community search problem in large-scale heterogeneous graphs.

Harbin Institute of Technology

Weihai, Shandong, China

Supervisor: Professor Zhiying Tu

09/2020 - 06/2021

• Service Computing: In-depth research in service computing, particularly in area of cognitive service dialogue agents.

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SELECTED	HONORS	ČΤ	AWARDS

ACM Multimedia 2024 Best Paper Honourable Mention Award, 7/1149	2024
Outstanding Graduate of Harbin Institute of Technology (10%)	2022
Outstanding Student of Harbin Institute of Technology (20%)	2021
Outstanding Communist Youth League Member of May Fourth Appraisal of HIT (5%)	2021
Industrial Experience	
Tencent, WeChat Group	Guangzhou, China
Research Intern	08/2023 - Present

Services

Conference Reviewer: ACM MM'24, NeurIPS'24, ICLR'25, AISTATS'25, WWW'25, ICML'25, NIPS'25, AAAI'26, ICLR'26. Journal Reviewer: TKDE, TKDD, TNNLS, TCSS, SMCS, TOMM.

Teaching Assistant: COMP7103 Data Mining'2023, COMP7103 Data Mining'2024, COMP7103 Data Mining'2026.