Yupei Du

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EDUCATION

Utrecht University

Utrecht, the Netherlands

Ph.D. in Computer Science, Advisor: Dr. Dong Nguyen

07.2020-Current

Working on data-centric NLP

East China Normal University

Shanghai, China

M.Sc. in Computer Science, Advisor: Dr. Yuanbin Wu

09.2017-07.2020

- Thesis: "Research on Detecting Gender Stereotypes in Texts", long paper in EMNLP 2019

East China Normal University

Shanghai, China

B.Sc. in Psychology

09.2013-07.2017

- Thesis: "Research on the Attention of Negative Emotional Stimuli"

Working Experience

Amazon Berlin, Germany

Applied Scientist Intern

11.2022 - 05.2023

Worked on user-data-driven enrichment of knowledge graph based product catalog, mentored by Prof. Dr. Ziawasch Abedjan, long paper in ECML 2024.

Sogou Hangzhou, China Research Intern 07.2019 - 01.2020

Developed a question generation system to improve the generation diversity. Used crowd-sourcing to annotate a Chinese question generation dataset consisting of 20k+ samples.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- 1. **Yupei Du**, Albert Gatt, and Dong Nguyen, "FTFT: efficient and robust Fine-Tuning by transFerring Training dynamics", in *COLING 2025*
- 2. **Yupei Du**, Jacek Golebiowski, Philipp Schmidt, and Ziawasch Abedjan, "Guiding Catalogue Enrichment with User Queries", in *ECML-PKDD 2024*.
- 3. Goya van Boven, **Yupei Du**, and Dong Nguyen, "Transforming Dutch: Debiasing Dutch Coreference Resolution Systems for Non-binary Pronouns", in *FAccT 2024*.
- 4. Yupei Du and Dong Nguyen, "Measuring the Instability of Fine-Tuning", in ACL 2023.
- 5. **Yupei Du**, Qi Zheng, Yuanbin Wu, Man Lan, Yan Yang, and Meirong Ma, "Understanding Gender Bias in Knowledge Base Embeddings", in *ACL 2022*.
- Yupei Du, Qixiang Fang, and Dong Nguyen, "Assessing the Reliability of Word Embedding Gender Bias Measures", in EMNLP 2021.
- 7. **Yupei Du**, Yuanbin Wu, and Man Lan, "Exploring Human Gender Stereotypes with Word Association Test", in *EMNLP 2019*.

ACADEMIC SERVICE

• Program Committee

ACL, EMNLP, NAACL, EACL, ACL Rolling Review

2021 - Current

• Outstanding Reviewer ACL 2022

TEACHING

EXAMPLE SUPERVISION

- Goya van Boven, "Transforming Dutch: Debiasing Dutch Corefence Resolution Systems for Non-Binary Pronouns", Master's thesis, 2024. Long paper in FAccT 2024.
- Daan van der Weijden, "Dutch Data Augmentation For Low-Resource Tasks can large language models be used for dutch data augmentation?", Master's thesis, 2023.
- Xinyu Zhang, "Study on Iterative Nullspace Projection Debiasing of Multiple Attributes of Word Embedding", Master's thesis, 2022.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Utrecht University Teaching Award
 In recognition of distinguished teaching of Applications of Machine Learning.
 ECNU Zhihui Award
 Top 5% of the master's students in East China Normal University.