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EDUCATION

School of Artificial Intelligence, Jilin University, P.R.China

Sep 2019 – Jul 2022

M.Sc. in Computer Science ■ Advisor: Dr. Yi Chang

School of Computer Science, Jilin University, P.R.China

Sep 2015 – Jul 2019

B.Sc. in Computer Science

- Major: Tang Ao-Qing honor program in Computer Science
- Average Overall Score: 88.96/100
- GPA: 3.55/4.0

BASIC

• Male, Born in Jul 13th, 1998

INFORMATION

- Mandarin native speaker; English fluent IELTS:7.0 (2017) TOFEL:109 (2021)
- Programming language: Python, C++, etc.

EXPERIENCE

Machine Learning Group, Microsoft Research Asia

Sep 2018 – Jun 2019

- **Research Intern** (Mentor: Dr. Jiang Bian, Co-mentor: Dr. Wei Cao)
- My work mainly focuses on massive highly imbalance classification and its application on intelligent logistic. We proposed a general ensemble framework that can greatly boost canonical classifiers' performance on highly imbalanced data while being computationally efficient.

Laboratory of Cybernetic Intelligence, Jilin University

May 2017 – May 2018

2020

2020

- Undergraduate Research Assistant
- We designed and built a prototype of auto-recharge system for multi-rotor UAV, including a ground station with its control program and a vision system which was used to navigate the precision landing procedure. This project has ¥10,000 CNY funding support from the Ministry of Education.
- I served as the **Program Leader** of a 4-person group. This project finally won the outstanding student project award.

PUBLICATIONS

"Robust Ensemble Imbalanced Learning via Inter-class and Intra-class Balancing" 2021 Zhining Liu, et al. (under review)

"MESA: Boost Ensemble Imbalanced Learning with MEta-SAmpler" Zhining Liu, Pengfei Wei, Jing Jiang, Wei Cao, Jiang Bian and Yi Chang,

in 34th Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS'20)

"Self-paced Ensemble for Highly Imbalanced Massive Data Classification"

Zhining Liu, Wei Cao, Zhifeng Gao, Jiang Bian, Hechang Chen, Yi Chang and Tie-Yan Liu, in 36th IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering (ICDE'20)

SELECTED HONORS & SCHOLARSHIPS

National Scholarship (1 out of 40, ¥20,000 CNY) by Ministry of Education 2019 & 2020
Academic Performance Scholarship (Top 40%, ¥8,000 CNY) by Jilin University 2019 & 2020
Master's Excellence Scholarship, First Prize (Top 5%, ¥1,500 CNY) by Jilin University 2020
Outstanding Student Leader Scholarship (For student service) by Jilin University 2016 & 2019
Undergraduate Research Scholarship (20 out of 400, ¥5,000 CNY) by Jilin University 2018
Outstanding Student Project Scholarship (2 out of 84, ¥5,000 CNY) by Jilin University 2018
National Endeavor Scholarship (Top 5%, ¥5,000 CNY) by Ministry of Education 2017

CAMPUS & PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Serve as Class Monitor

I served my class as one of two monitors and was responsible for organizing student activities. Thanks to the kind help from my classmates and professors, we successfully started TAQ-CS series Talk.

Serve as Reviewer

I am a reviewer for ACM SIGKDD, IEEE ICDM, IEEE TKDE, IEEE Trans. on Cybernetics, and Elsevier Neurocomputing etc.

Serve as Student Volunteer

I serve as a student volunteer for ACM SIGIR 2020, responsible for conference publicity.