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Education

Yale University, Computer Science

New Haven, CT

PhD Student at Computer Science, YaleNLP

Sept 2024-Present

Advised by Prof. Arman Cohan.

University of Washington, Paul G. Allen School of CSE

Seattle, WA

B.S./M.S. Combined at Computer Engineering | Fully Funded M.S.

Sept 2020-Jun 2024

Mentored by Prof. Noah A. Smith, Prof. Jungo Kasai, and Mr. Phillip Keung.

Work Experiences

Research Scientist Intern | Kotoba Technologies, Tokyo Japan

Summer 2024

- Developed efficient real-time speech-to-text Japanese ↔ English translation models. (Demo)
- Developed multimodal end-to-end audio language models for Japanese ↔ English translation. (Demo)

Machine Learning Engineer Intern | DGene Digital Technology, Shanghai Winter 2021–Summer 2021

- Developed deep learning UNet based class-independent image matting and semantic segmentation algorithms on 4K images that features iterative refinements with user inputs.
- Developed in-house multi-camera calibration libraries for 3D reconstruction with C++ (Pybind11) backend.

Research Experiences

Research Assistant, PhD | YaleNLP (New Haven, CT)

Autumn 2024-Present

Supervised by Prof. Arman Cohan. Collaborating with Al2.

Leveraging test-time reasoning to train scientific LLMs.

Research Assistant | Noah's ARK Lab (Seattle, WA)

Winter 2022-Spring 2024

Supervised by Prof. Noah A. Smith, Prof. Jungo Kasai, and Mr. Phillip Keung.

Proposed efficient transformer architectures by alleviating intrinsic sequence representation redundancy.

Publications

2025 Survey on Evaluation of LLM-based Agents (Link)

Asaf Yehudai, Lilach Edelstein, **Alan Li**, Guy Uziel, Yilun Zhao, Roy Bar-Haim, Arman Cohan, Michal Shmueli-Scheuer

Preprint. Under Review.

Multi-Perspective Integration via Mixture-of-Agents for Enhanced Healthcare QA Summarization

Dongsuk Jang, **Alan Li**, Arman Cohan

#2 at CL4Health@NAACL2025 Leaderboard. Under Review.

2024 SciRIFF: A Resource to Enhance Language Model Instruction-Following over Scientific Literature

David Wadden*, Kejian Shi*, Jacob Morrison, **Alan Li**, Aakanksha Naik, Shruti Singh, Nitzan Barzilay, Kyle Lo, Tom Hope, Luca Soldaini, Zejiang Shen, Doug Downey, Hannaneh Hajishirzi, Arman Cohan *Under Review*.

Summarization-Based Document IDs for Generative Retrieval with Language Models (Link)

Alan Li, Phillip Keung, Daniel Cheng, Jungo Kasai, Noah A. Smith.

EMNLP 2024 (Workshop: NLP for Wikipedia).

2023 NarrowBERT: Accelerating Masked Language Model Pretraining and Inference (Link, Code, Video)

Alan Li, Phillip Keung, Daniel Cheng, Jungo Kasai, Noah A. Smith.

ACL 2023 (main conference).

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