Yunyu Liu

EDUCATION

09/2020 - now Purdue University, Indiana, USA

Ph.D., Major: Computer Science

09/2018 - 05/2020 Northeastern University (NEU), Boston, USA

M.S., Major: Computer Engineering

09/2014 - 07/2018 Shanghai Jiao Tong University (SJTU), Shanghai, China

B.Eng., Major: Electrical Engineering Minor: Finance

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS [MORE CAN BE FOUND HERE]

- 09/2024 Yunyu Liu, Bedrich Benes, "Single-Shot Example Terrain Sketching by Graph Neural Networks", CGF
- 05/2023 Peihao Wang, Shenghao Yang, **Yunyu Liu**, Zhangyang Wang, Pan Li, "Equivariant hypergraph diffusion neural operators", ICLR 2023
- 01/2022 **Yunyu Liu**, Jianzhu Ma, Pan Li, "Neural Predicting Higher-order Patterns in Temporal Networks", WWW 2022
- 01/2021 Yanbang Wang, Yen-Yu Chang, **Yunyu Liu**, Jure Leskovec, Pan Li, "Inductive Representation Learning in Temporal Networks via Causal Anonymous Walks", ICLR 2021
- 07/2020 **Yunyu Liu**, Lichen Wang, Yue Bai, Can Qin, Zhengming Ding, Yun Fu, "Generative View-Correlation Adaptation for Semi-Supervised Multi-View Learning", ECCV 2020
- 08/2019 Lichen Wang, Zhengming Ding, Zhiqiang Tao, **Yunyu Liu**, Yun Fu, "Generative Multi-View Human Action Recognition", ICCV 2019 (Oral)
- 05/2018 **Yunyu Liu**, Zhiyang Xia, Ping Yi, Wei Wang, Yao Yao, Ting Zhu, Tiantian Xie, "GENPass: A General Deep Learning Model for Password Guessing with PCFG Rules and Adversarial Generation", ICC 2018

WORK EXPERIENCE

Meta, BizAI, Software Engineer Intern, Machine Learning

• Hallucination Control in text generation under the multilingual scenario.

May 2025 – Aug 2025

• Design the new reward model and use PPO for better advertising.

May 2024 – Aug 2024

Now

Jan 2022 –

SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Purdue University, CGV Lab

Terrain Generation using Single Image

- Enabled terrain generation from user sketches using a single reference terrain, with support for progressive generation of individual ridges and valleys.
- Enable the users to generate plausible terrain coverage and corresponding materials. (ongoing)

Purdue University, GCoM,

Sep 2020 – Jan 2022

Pattern prediction in the temporal network

• Defined triplet interaction expansion in temporal hypergraphs, and built a lightweight model to predict interaction type, timing, and cause among node triplets.

Northeastern University, Synergetic Media Learning Lab,

Oct 2018 - Aug 2020

Semi-supervised Multi-view Learning

- Employed generative models and domain adaptation to multi-view learning to fully explore multi-view information.
- Proposed a graph-based method for the label-level fusion and utilized information entropy to help the fusion.

Multi-aspect Sentiment Classification (Collaborate with NEC lab)

- Developed a reinforcement learning model to align task-relevant words with aspects accurately.
- Developed an end-to-end pipeline for the agents to explore paths from target aspect nodes to their potential sentimental regions based on a minimum spanning tree algorithm.