Wentao Chen

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EDUCATION

Shanghai Jiao Tong University (SJTU), Shanghai, China

B.E. in Computer Science

ACM Class, Zhiyuan Honor Program(Top 10% student)

Enrolled: 2021.9 — Expected: 2025.6 GPA: 3.56/4.3

EXPERIENCE

Shang Data Lab (SD Lab)

Visiting Student

San Diego, California 2024.9 - 2024.12

• Mentor: Jingbo Shang

• Working on LLM code generation and adversarial attack.

Center for Brain-like Computing and Machine Intelligence (BCMI)

Research Intern

Shanghai, China 2023.7 – 2024.2

• Mentor: Weilong Zheng

• Self-supervised EEG learning for emotion classification.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- LLM Safety: How can we ensure LLMs do not produce harmful responses or compromise privacy?
- Representation Learning: How can we extract superior representations from plain text or sequential data to enhance downstream task performance?
- Logic Reasoning: There should be something better than Chain-of-Thought.

PUBLICATIONS

- Improve Cross-Architecture Generalization on Dataset Distillation, accepted by ICMSSP 2024 Binglin Zhou*, Linhao Zhong*, Wentao Chen*
- Contrastive Self-supervised EEG Representation Learning for Emotion Classification, EMBC 2024 Keya Hu, Renjie Dai, Wentao Chen, Haolong Yin, Baoliang Lu Fellow IEEE and Weilong Zheng

ONGOING PROJECTS

Code Generation Memorization

• Detecting memorization phenomenon in LLM code generation and proposing some mitigation methods.

LLM Attack Benchmark

• Testing different LLM attack methods on different kinds of datasets with various metrics.

SKILLS

• Relevant Coursework:

- Machine learning: try continual learning
- Data Mining: join a Kaggle competition
- Computer Vision: work on data distillation
- Fundamentals of Data Science: work on the emotion recognition on SEED dataset
- Natural Language Processing: use LLM as a referee for poker games
- **Programming:** C/C++, Python, Java, Rust, Verilog
- skilled in pytorch, transformers
- Communication: TOFEL 99

AWARDS

• Zhiyuan College Honor Scholarship, SJTU