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Experience	Editor-in-Chief Computational Linguistics (MIT Press; flagship journal in NLP) Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL)	Jan 2024 – Present		
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	Postdoctoral Research Associate University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, United States.	Oct 2011 – Jun 2013		
	Research Fellow National University of Singapore	Aug 2009 – Sep 2011		
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Education	National University of Singapore (Singapore-MIT Alliance), Republic of Singapore			
	Ph.D, Computer Science, Nov 2009 M.Sc, Computer Science, Jun 2006			
	National University of Singapore, Republic of Singapore			
	B.Comp (First-class Honors), Computer Science, May 2005			
Selected Honors & Awards	Distinguished Professor, ST Engineering, Singapore	2024		
	Outstanding Paper Award, EMNLP 2023 (29 awards out of 4,909 main submissions) 2023			
	Area Chair Award, ACL 2023 (1/236 submitted papers within "Resources & Evaluation" area) 2023			
Notable Area Chair, ICLR 2023 (26/410 area chairs)				
	Top 2% Scientists in a Global List by Stanford University			
	Best System Paper Award, SemEval 2022 (1/221 accepted system papers)	2022		
High-level Overseas Talent, Shanghai, China		2020		
	<b>CSRankings</b> : Globally ranked 4 <sup>th</sup> in NLP (Adj. # score 9.3, benchmarked during	g P&T) 2017–2019		
	President's Special Recognition, Singapore University of Technology and Desig	n 2018-2019		
	Best Reviewer Award, ACL 2018	2018		
	Best Paper Award, EMNLP 2011 (1/628 submitted papers)	2011		
	Dean's Graduate Research Excellence Award, SoC, National University of Singa	apore 2009–2010		
	Research Achievement Award, SoC, National University of Singapore	2008–2009		
	President's Fellowship, National University of Singapore	2006–2007		
	Singapore-MIT Alliance Scholarship 2005-2006, 2006–2009			
	Dean's List, SoC, National University of Singapore 2001–2002, 2002–2003, 2003–2004, 2004–2005			
	Singapore MOE Undergraduate Scholarship	2000-2005		
	1 <sup>st</sup> Prize, National Mathematical Olympiad Competition, China ( <i>Perfect score</i> in	1996) 1995, 1996		

#### **Publications**

Note: In Computer Science, ACL (Rank A\*, according to CORE ranking), EMNLP (Rank A\*), and NAACL (Rank A) are the top-3 conferences in natural language processing (NLP). Computational Linguistics (CL) is the flaghship journal in the field of NLP (Rank A\*).

Conferences	<2019	≥ <b>2019</b>	Total
Rank A*	33	38	71
Rank A	3	6	9
Total	36	44	80

Table 1: Statistics of conference publications

I highlight the first author of each paper, who was (is) either a) my PhD/UG student, b) a visiting/internship student, or c) my research assistant/postdoc. I joined SUTD in June 2013, and though the PhD program at SUTD began in Sep 2013, I did not accept my first PhD student until Sep 2015.

In the field of NLP, over the past decade (2014–2024), we are ranked 11th internationally, with a score of 21.1. Source: https://csrankings.org/#/index?nlp&world. Our overall score in CSRankings is 25.4, which ranks us 3rd among all computer science researchers in Singapore. Source: https://csrankings.org/#/index?all&asia. (Information as of 2 May 2024, compiled when preparing for recent SUTD promotion).

#### **Major Publications**

- 1. Opening a New Chapter for Computational Linguistics (2025) Wei Lu
  - In CL'25: Computational Linguistics, 51(1).
    - Editorial: Setting a New Vision for *Computational Linguistics* on Its 50th Anniversary.
- 2. *Self-harmonized Chain of Thought* (2025) Ziqi Jin<sup>c</sup>, and **Wei Lu** 
  - In NAACL'25: Proceedings of the 2025 Annual Conference of the Nations of the Americas Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics.
- 3. Constrained Layout Generation with Factor Graphs (2024)
  Mohammed Haroon Dupty, Yanfei Dong, Sicong Leng, Guoji Fu, Yong Liang Goh, Wei Lu, and
  Wee Sun Lee
  - In CVPR'24: Proceedings of the IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition.
- 4. Sailor: Open Language Models for South-East Asia (2024) Longxu Dou, Qian Liu, Guangtao Zeng, Jia Guo, Jiahui Zhou, **Wei Lu**, and Min Lin
  - In **EMNLP'24**: Proceedings of the 2023 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (Demonstrations).
- 5. Self-Training with Direct Preference Optimization Improves Chain-of-Thought Reasoning (2024) Tianduo Wang<sup>a</sup>, Shichen Li, **Wei Lu** 
  - In ACL'24: Proceedings of the 61st Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics.
- 6. *Generative Models are Self-Watermarked: Declaring Model Authentication through Re-Generation* (2024) Aditya Desu, Xuanli He, Qiongkai Xu, and **Wei Lu** 
  - In TMLR'24: Transactions on Machine Learning Research
- 7. *TinyLlama: An Open-Source Small Language Model* (2024) Peiyuan Zhang<sup>c</sup>, Guangtao Zeng<sup>a</sup>, Tianduo Wang, **Wei Lu** 
  - Technical Report. arXiv:2401.02385

    TinyLlama has >8K stars on GitHub, and was ranked #1 on Hugging Face (for about 1 week). It has >300 citations and the model has >1M monthly downloads (as of Mar 2025).

- 8. *Unraveling Feature Extraction Mechanisms in Neural Networks* (2023) Xiaobing Sun<sup>a</sup>, Jiaxi Li, and **Wei Lu** 
  - In EMNLP'23: Proceedings of the 2023 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing.

Outstanding Paper Award: 29/4909=0.59% at main conference.

- 9. *Masked Language Models are Implicit Constituency Parsers* (2023) Jiaxi Li<sup>a</sup>, and **Wei Lu** 
  - In ACL'23: Proceedings of the 61st Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics.
- 10. *Learning Multi-Step Reasoning by Solving Arithmetic Tasks* (2023) Tianduo Wang<sup>a</sup>, and **Wei Lu** 
  - In ACL'23: Proceedings of the 61st Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics.
- 11. One Network, Many Masks: Towards More Parameter-Efficient Transfer Learning (2023) Guangtao Zeng<sup>a</sup>, Peiyuan Zhang and **Wei Lu** 
  - In ACL'23: Proceedings of the 61st Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics.
- 12. *Tell2Design: A Dataset for Language-Guided Floor Plan Generation* (2023) Sicong Leng<sup>a</sup>, Yang Zhou, Mohammed Haroon Dupty, Wee Sun Lee, Sam C. Joyce and **Wei Lu** 
  - In ACL'23: Proceedings of the 61st Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics.

Area Chair Award: 1/236=0.42% within "Resources & Evaluation" area.

- 13. *Towards Hard Few-Shot Relation Classification* (2023) Jiale Han<sup>b</sup>, Bo Cheng, Zhiguo Wan, and **Wei Lu** 
  - In TKDE'23: IEEE Transactions on Knowledge and Data Engineering, pages 1–14.
- 14. Differentiable Data Augmentation for Contrastive Sentence Representation Learning (2022) Tianduo Wang<sup>a</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **EMNLP'22**: Proceedings of the 2022 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 7640–7653.
- 15. Better Few-Shot Relation Extraction with Label Prompt Dropout (2022) Peiyuan Zhang<sup>a</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **EMNLP'22**: Proceedings of the 2022 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 6996–7006.
- 16. *Unsupervised Non-transferable Text Classification* (2022) Guangtao Zeng<sup>a</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In EMNLP'22: Proceedings of the 2022 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 10071–10084.
- 17. Implicit N-grams Induced by Recurrence (2022)

Linguistics, pages 5944–5955.

Xiaobing Sun<sup>a</sup> and **Wei Lu** 

- In NAACL'22: Proceedings of the 2022 Annual Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics, pages 1624–1639.
- 18. *Math Word Problem Solving as Complex Relation Extraction* (2022) Zhanming Jie<sup>a</sup>, Jierui Li and **Wei Lu** 
  - In ACL'22: Proceedings of the 60th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational
- 19. DAMO-NLP at SemEval-2022 Task 11: A Knowledge-based System for Multilingual Named Entity Recognition (2022)
  - Xinyu Wang<sup>b</sup>, Yongliang Shen, Jiong Cai, Tao Wang, Xiaobin Wang, Pengjun Xie, Fei Huang, Weiming Lu, Yueting Zhuang, Kewei Tu, **Wei Lu**, Yong Jiang

• In SemEval'22: Proceedings of the 2022 International Workshop on Semantic Evaluation.

Best System Paper Award: 1/221=0.45% among accepted papers.

(SemEval is the primary forum for semantic evaluation in NLP)

20. *To be Closer: Learning to Link up Aspects with Opinions* (2021) Yuxiang Zhou<sup>b</sup>, Lejian Liao, Yang Gao, Zhanming Jie and **Wei Lu** 

- In EMNLP'21: Proceedings of the 2021 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 3899–3909.
- 21. Exploring Task Difficulty for Few-Shot Relation Extraction (2021) Jiale Han<sup>b</sup>, Bo Cheng and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **EMNLP'21**: Proceedings of the 2021 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 2605–2616.
- 22. *Uncovering Main Causalities for Long-tailed Information Extraction* (2021) Guoshun Nan<sup>c</sup>, Jiaqi Zeng, Rui Qiao, Zhijiang Guo and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **EMNLP'21**: Proceedings of the 2021 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 9683–9695.
- 23. Mixed Cross Entropy Loss for Neural Machine Translation (2021) Haoran Li<sup>a</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In ICML'21: Proceedings of the 38th International Conference on Machine Learning, pages 6425–6436.

(Accepted as long talk with acceptance rate: 166/5,513=3%)

- 24. Interventional Video Grounding with Dual Contrastive Learning (2021) Guoshun Nan<sup>c</sup>, Rui Qiao, Yao Xiao, Jun Liu, Sicong Leng, Hao Zhang, **Wei Lu** 
  - In CVPR'21: Proceedings of the IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition, pages 2765–2775.
- 25. Better Feature Integration for Named Entity Recognition (2021) Lu Xu<sup>a</sup>, Zhanming Jie, **Wei Lu** and Lidong Bing
  - In NAACL'21: Proceedings of the 2021 Annual Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics, pages 3457–3469.
- 26. Two are Better Than One: Joint Entity and Relation Extraction with Table-Sequence Encoders (2020) Jue Wang<sup>b</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **EMNLP'20**: Proceedings of the 2020 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 1706–1721.
- 27. Pre-training for Abstractive Document Summarization by Reinstating Source Text (2020) Yanyan Zou<sup>a</sup>, Xingxing Zhang, **Wei Lu**, Furu Wei and Ming Zhou
  - In **EMNLP'20**: Proceedings of the 2020 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 3646–3660.
- 28. *Position-Aware Tagging for Aspect Sentiment Triplet Extraction* (2020) Lu Xu<sup>a</sup>, Hao Li, **Wei Lu** and Lidong Bing
  - In **EMNLP'20**: Proceedings of the 2020 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 1187–1197.
- 29. Aspect Based Sentiment Analysis with Aspect-Specific Opinion Spans (2020) Lu Xu<sup>a</sup>, Lidong Bing, **Wei Lu** and Fei Huang
  - In **EMNLP'20**: Proceedings of the 2020 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 3561–3567.
- 30. Lightweight, Dynamic Graph Convolutional Networks for AMR-to-Text Generation (2020) Zhijiang Guo<sup>a</sup>, Yan Zhang, Zhiyang Teng, **Wei Lu**, Shay B. Cohen, Zuozhu Liu, Lidong Bing
  - In **EMNLP'20**: Proceedings of the 2020 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 2162–2172.

- 31. Re-examining the Role of Schema Linking in Text-to-SQL (2020)
  Wenqiang Lei, Weixin Wang, Zhixin Ma, Tian Gan, Wei Lu, Min-Yen Kan and Tat-Seng Chua
  - In **EMNLP'20**: Proceedings of the 2020 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 6943–6954.
- 32. *Knowledge Graph Empowered Entity Description Generation* (2020) Liying Cheng<sup>a</sup>, Dekun Wu, Lidong Bing, Yan Zhang, Zhanming Jie, **Wei Lu** and Luo Si
  - In **EMNLP'20**: Proceedings of the 2020 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 1187–1197.
- 33. Argument Pair Extraction from Peer Review and Rebuttal via Multi-task Learning (2020) Liying Cheng<sup>a</sup>, Lidong Bing, Qian Yu, **Wei Lu** and Luo Si
  - In **EMNLP'20**: Proceedings of the 2020 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 7000–7011.
- 34. *Understanding Attention for Text Classification* (2020) Xiaobing Sun<sup>a</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **ACL'20**: Proceedings of the 58th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics, pages 3418–3428.
- 35. Reasoning with Latent Structure Refinement for Document-Level Relation Extraction (2020) Guoshun Nan<sup>c</sup>, Zhijiang Guo, Ivan Sekulić and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **ACL'20**: Proceedings of the 58th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics, pages 1546–1557.
- 36. Learning Latent Forests for Medical Relation Extraction (2020) Zhijiang Guo<sup>a</sup>, Guoshun Nan, **Wei Lu** and Shay B. Cohen
  - In **IJCAI'20**: Proceedings of the International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence, pages 3651–3657.
- 37. Attention-based Context Aware Reasoning for Situation Recognition (2020) Thilini Cooray<sup>a</sup>, Ngai-Man Cheung and **Wei Lu** 
  - In CVPR'20: Proceedings of the IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition, pages 4735–4744.
- 38. Knowing What, How and Why: A Near Complete Solution for Aspect-based Sentiment Analysis (2020) Haiyun Peng, Lu Xu, Lidong Bing, Fei Huang, **Wei Lu** and Luo Si
  - In **AAAI'20**: Proceedings of the 34th AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence, pages 8600–8607.
- 39. Learning Explicit and Implicit Structures for Targeted Sentiment Analysis (2019) Hao Li<sup>a</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **EMNLP'19**: Proceedings of the 2019 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 5481–5491.
- 40. Text2Math: End-to-end Parsing Text into Math Expressions (2019) Yanyan Zou<sup>a</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **EMNLP'19**: Proceedings of the 2019 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 5330–5340.
- 41. Dependency-Guided LSTM-CRF for Named Entity Recognition (2019) Zhanming Jie<sup>a</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **EMNLP'19**: Proceedings of the 2019 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 3853–3863.
- 42. *Aligning Cross-lingual Entities with Multi-Aspect Information* (2019) Hsiu-Wei Yang, Yanyan Zou<sup>a</sup>, Peng Shi, **Wei Lu**, Jimmy Lin and Xu Sun
  - In **EMNLP'19**: Proceedings of the 2019 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 4422–4432.

43. Combining Spans into Entities: A Neural Two-Stage Approach for Recognizing Discontiguous Entities (2019)

Bailin Wang<sup>a</sup> and Wei Lu

- In **EMNLP'19**: Proceedings of the 2019 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 6217–6225.
- 44. Attention Guided Graph Convolutional Networks for Relation Extraction (2019) Zhijiang Guo<sup>a</sup>, Yan Zhang and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **ACL'19**: Proceedings of the 57th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics, pages 241–251.
- 45. *A Neural Multi-digraph Model for Chinese NER with Gazetteers* (2019) Ruixue Ding, Pengjun Xie, Xiaoyan Zhang, **Wei Lu**, Linlin Li and Luo Si
  - In **ACL'19**: Proceedings of the 57th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics, pages 1462–1467.
- 46. Twitter Homophily: Network Based Prediction of User's Occupation (2019)
  Jiaqi Pan<sup>b</sup>, Rishabh Bhardwaj, **Wei Lu**, Hai Leong Chieu, Xinghao Pan and Ni Yi Puay
  - In **ACL'19**: Proceedings of the 57th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics, pages 2633–2638.
- 47. Quantity Tagger: A Latent-Variable Sequence Labeling Approach to Solving Addition-Subtraction Word Problems (2019)

Yanyan Zou<sup>a</sup> and Wei Lu

- In **ACL'19**: Proceedings of the 57th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics, pages 5246–5251.
- 48. Densely Connected Graph Convolutional Networks for Graph-to-Sequence Learning (2019) Zhijiang Guo<sup>a</sup>, Yan Zhang, Zhiyang Teng and **Wei Lu** 
  - In TACL'19: Transactions of the Association for Computational Linguistics, 2019 (Mar), pages 297–312.
- 49. Neural Chinese Address Parsing (2019)

Hao Li<sup>a</sup>, **Wei Lu**, Pengjun Xie and Linlin Li

- In NAACL'19: Proceedings of the 2019 Annual Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics, pages 3421–3431.
- 50. Joint Detection and Location of English Puns (2019)

Yanyan Zou<sup>a</sup> and **Wei Lu** 

- In NAACL'19: Proceedings of the 2019 Annual Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics, pages 2117–2123.
- 51. Better Modeling of Incomplete Annotations for Named Entity Recognition (2019) Zhanming Jie<sup>a</sup>, Pengjun Xie, **Wei Lu**, Ruixue Ding and Linlin Li
  - In NAACL'19: Proceedings of the 2019 Annual Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics, pages 729–734.
- 52. Better Transition-Based AMR Parsing with a Refined Search Space (2018) Zhijiang Guo<sup>a</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **EMNLP'18**: Proceedings of the 2018 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 1712–1722.
- 53. Dependency-based Hybrid Trees for Semantic Parsing (2018)

Zhanming Jie<sup>a</sup> and Wei Lu

- In **EMNLP'18**: Proceedings of the 2018 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 2431–2441.
- 54. Neural Adaptation Layers for Cross-domain Named Entity Recognition (2018) Bill Yuchen Lin<sup>b</sup> and **Wei Lu**

- In **EMNLP'18**: Proceedings of the 2018 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 2012–2022.
- 55. Neural Segmental Hypergraphs for Overlapping Mention Recognition (2018) Bailin Wang $^b$  and Wei Lu
  - In **EMNLP'18**: Proceedings of the 2018 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 204–214.
- 56. *A Neural Transition-based Model for Nested Mention Recognition* (2018) Bailin Wang<sup>b</sup>, **Wei Lu**, Yu Wang and Hongxia Jin
  - In **EMNLP'18**: Proceedings of the 2018 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 1011–1017.
- 57. Learning Cross-lingual Distributed Logical Representations for Semantic Parsing (2018) Yanyan Zou<sup>a</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **ACL'18**: Proceedings of the 56th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics, vol 2, pages 673–679.
- 58. Learning with Structured Representations for Negation Scope Extraction (2018) Hao  ${\rm Li}^a$  and Wei Lu
  - In **ACL'18**: Proceedings of the 56th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics, vol 2, pages 533–539.
- 59. Learning Latent Opinions for Aspect-level Sentiment Classification (2018) Bailin Wang<sup>b</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **AAAI'18**: Proceedings of the 32nd AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence, pages 5537–5544.
- 60. Learning Chinese Word Embeddings with Stroke n-gram Information (2018) Shaosheng Cao<sup>b</sup>, **Wei Lu**, Jun Zhou and Xiaolong Li
  - In **AAAI'18**: Proceedings of the 32nd AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence, pages 5053–5061.
- 61. Labeling Gaps between Words: Recognizing Overlapping Mentions with Mention Separators (2017) Aldrian Obaja Muis<sup>c</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **EMNLP'17**: Proceedings of the 2017 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 2608–2618.
- 62. A Simple Regularization-based Algorithm for Learning Cross-Domain Word Embeddings (2017) Wei Yang<sup>b</sup>, **Wei Lu** and Vincent Zheng
  - In **EMNLP'17**: Proceedings of the 2017 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 2898–2904.
- 63. Topical Coherence in LDA-based Models through Induced Segmentation (2017)

  Hesam Amoualian<sup>b</sup>, **Wei Lu**, Eric Gaussier, Massih-Reza Amini, Georgios Balikas, Marianne Clausel
  - In **ACL'17**: Proceedings of the 55th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics, pages 1799–1809.
- 64. *MalwareTextDB: A Database for Annotated Malware Articles* (2017) Swee Kiat Lim<sup>b</sup>, Aldrian Obaja Muis, **Wei Lu** and Chen Hui Ong
  - In **ACL'17**: Proceedings of the 55th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics, pages 1557–1567.
- 65. Neural Architectures for Multilingual Semantic Parsing (2017) Raymond Hendy Susanto<sup>c</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **ACL'17**: Proceedings of the 55th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics, vol 2, pages 38–44.
- 66. A Probabilistic Geographical Aspect-Opinion Model for Geo-tagged Microblogs (2017) Aman Ahuja<sup>b</sup>, Wei Wei, **Wei Lu**, Kathleen M. Carley, and Chandan Reddy

- In ICDM'17: The 2017 IEEE International Conference on Data Mining, pages 721–726.
- 67. Learning Latent Sentiment Scopes for Entity-Level Sentiment Analysis (2017) Hao Li<sup>a</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **AAAI'17**: Proceedings of the 31st AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence, pages 3482–3489.
- 68. Efficient Dependency-Guided Named Entity Recognition (2017) Zhanming Jie<sup>a</sup>, Aldrian Obaja Muis and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **AAAI'17**: Proceedings of the 31st AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence, pages 3457-3465.
- 69. *Semantic Parsing with Neural Hybrid Trees* (2017) Raymond Hendy Susanto<sup>c</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **AAAI'17**: Proceedings of the 31st AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence, pages 3309-3315.
- 70. *Improving Word Embeddings with Convolutional Feature Learning and Subword Information* (2017) Shaosheng Cao<sup>c</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **AAAI'17**: Proceedings of the 31st AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence, pages 3144–3151.
- 71. *Learning to Recognize Discontiguous Entities* (2016) Aldrian Obaja Muis<sup>c</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **EMNLP'16**: Proceedings of the 2016 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, , pages 75–84.
- 72. A General Regularization Framework for Domain Adaptation (2016)

Wei Lu, Hai Leong Chieu and Jonathan Löfgren

- In **EMNLP'16**: Proceedings of the 2016 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 950–954.
- 73. Learning to Capitalize with Character-Level Recurrent Neural Networks: An Empirical Study (2016) Raymond Hendy Susanto<sup>c</sup>, Hai Leong Chieu and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **EMNLP'16**: Proceedings of the 2016 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 2090–2095.
- 74. Improving Semantic Parsing with Enriched Synchronous Context-Free Grammars in Statistical Machine Translation (2016)

Junhui Li, Muhua Zhu, Wei Lu and Guodong Zhou

- In TALLIP'16: ACM Transactions on Asian and Low-Resource Language Information Processing. Volume 16 Issue 1.
- 75. Weak Semi-Markov CRFs for Noun Phrase Chunking in Informal Text (2016) Aldrian Obaja Muis<sup>c</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In NAACL'16: Proceedings of the 15th Annual Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics: Human Language Technologies, pages 714–719.
- 76. *Deep Neural Networks for Learning Graph Representations* (2016) Shaosheng Cao<sup>b</sup>, **Wei Lu** and Qiongkai Xu
  - In **AAAI'16**: Proceedings of the 30th AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence, pages 1145-1152.
- 77. Joint Mention Extraction and Classification with Mention Hypergraphs (2015) **Wei Lu** and Dan Roth
  - In **EMNLP'15**: Proceedings of the 2015 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 857–867.
- 78. *Improving Semantic Parsing with Enriched Synchronous Context-Free Grammar* (2015) Junhui Li, Muhua Zhu, **Wei Lu** and Guodong Zhou

- In **EMNLP'15**: Proceedings of the 2015 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 1455–1465.
- 79. *GraRep: Learning Graph Representations with Global Structural Information* (2015) Shaosheng Cao<sup>b</sup>, **Wei Lu** and Qiongkai Xu
  - In CIKM'15: Proceedings of the 24th ACM International Conference on Information and Knowledge Management, pages 891-900.

Five-Year Most Cited Paper (Google Scholar; twice): 2014–2019, 2015–2020

80. Constrained Semantic Forests for Improved Discriminative Semantic Parsing (2015)

Wei Lu

- In ACL'15: Proceedings of the 53rd Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics and the 7th International Joint Conference on Natural Language Processing, pages 737–742.
- 81. Semantic Parsing with Relaxed Hybrid Trees (2014)

Wei Lu

- In **EMNLP'14**: Proceedings of the 2014 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 1308–1318.
- 82. Multilingual Semantic Parsing: Parsing Multiple Languages into Semantic Representations (2014) Zhanming Jie<sup>b</sup> and **Wei Lu** 
  - In **COLING'14**: Proceedings of the 25th International Conference on Computational Linguistics, pages 1291–1301.
- 83. Automatic Event Extraction with Structured Preference Modeling (2012)

Wei Lu and Dan Roth

- In **ACL'12**: Proceedings of the 50th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics, pages 835–844.
- 84. Joint Inference for Event Timeline Construction (2012)

Quang Do, Wei Lu, and Dan Roth

- In **EMNLP'12**: Proceedings of the 2012 Joint Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing and Computational Natural Language Learning, pages 677–687.
- 85. A Probabilistic Forest-to-String Model for Language Generation from Typed Lambda Calculus Expressions (2011)

Wei Lu and Hwee Tou Ng

• In EMNLP'11: Proceedings of the 2011 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 1611–1622.

Best Paper Award: 1/628=0.16%

86. Better Punctuation Prediction with Dynamic Conditional Random Fields (2010)

Wei Lu and Hwee Tou Ng

- In **EMNLP'10**: Proceedings of the 2010 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 177–186.
- 87. Natural Language Generation with Tree Conditional Random Fields (2009)

Wei Lu, Hwee Tou Ng and Wee Sun Lee

- In **EMNLP'09**: Proceedings of the 2009 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 400–409.
- 88. A Generative Model for Parsing Natural Language to Meaning Representations (2008)

Wei Lu, Hwee Tou Ng, Wee Sun Lee and Luke S. Zettlemoyer

• In **EMNLP'08**: Proceedings of the 2008 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, pages 783–792.

- 89. Haoran Li, Zhanming Jie, **Wei Lu** (2024) Non-Autoregressive Machine Translation as Constrained HMM.
  - In ACL'24 (Findings): Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: ACL
- 90. Jasmine Chiat Ling Ong, Shelley Yin-Hsi Chang, Wasswa William, Atul J. Butte, Nigam H. Shah, Lita Sui Tjien Chew, Nan Liu, Finale Doshi-Velez, **Wei Lu**, Julian Savulescu, Daniel Shu Wei Ting. *Ethical and Regulatory Challenges of Large Language Models in Medicine*. The Lancet Digital Health, vol. 6, no. 6 (2024): e428-e432.
- 91. Yang, Rui, Ting Fang Tan, **Wei Lu**, Arun James Thirunavukarasu, Daniel Shu Wei Ting, and Nan Liu. (2023) *Large language models in health care: Development, applications, and challenges*. Health Care Science 2, No. 4 (2023): 255-263.
  - High Impact Paper Award
- 92. Haoran Li, Yiran Liu, Xingxing Zhang, Wei Lu, Furu Wei (2023) Tuna: Instruction Tuning using Feedback from Large Language Models
  - In EMNLP'23 (Findings): Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: EMNLP
- 93. Yao Xiao, Lu Xu, Jiaxi Li, **Wei Lu**, Xiaoli Li (2023) Decomposed Prompt Tuning via Low-Rank Reparameterization.
  - In EMNLP'23 (Findings): Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: EMNLP
- 94. Ziqi Jin and **Wei Lu** (2023) *Tab-CoT: Zero-shot Tabular Chain of Thought*. In **ACL'23 (Findings)**: Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: ACL
- 95. Zhanming Jie and **Wei Lu** (2023) Leveraging Training Data in Few-Shot Prompting for Numerical Reasoning.
  - In ACL'23 (Findings): Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: ACL
- 96. Lu Xu, Lidong Bing and **Wei Lu** (2023) Sampling Better Negatives for Distantly Supervised Named Entity Recognition.
  - In ACL'23 (Findings): Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: ACL
- 97. Xinyu Wang, Jiong Cai, Yong Jiang, Pengjun Xie, Kewei Tu, Wei Lu (2022) Named Entity and Relation Extraction with Multi-Modal Retrieval
  - In EMNLP'22 (Findings): Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: EMNLP
- 98. Jiale Han, Shuai Zhao, Bo Cheng, Shengkun Ma, Wei Lu (2022) Generative Prompt Tuning for Relation Classification.
  - In EMNLP'22 (Findings): Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: EMNLP
- 99. Hao Zhou, Weidong Ren, Gongshen Liu, Bo Su, Wei Lu (2021) Entity-Aware Abstractive Multi-Document Summarization.
  - In ACL'21 (Findings): Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: ACL
- 100. Jong C. Park, Yuki Arase, Baotian Hu, **Wei Lu**, Derry Wijaya, Ayu Purwarianti, Adila Alfa Krisnadhi (Eds.) *Proceedings of the 13th International Joint Conference on Natural Language Processing and the 3rd Conference of the Asia-Pacific Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics. IJCNLP-AACL 2023, Nusa Dua, Bali, Indonesia, November 1 4, 2023, ISBN 979-8-89176-013-4*
- 101. **Wei Lu**, Shujian Huang, Yu Hong, Xiabing Zhou (Eds.) (2022) Lecture Notes in Computer Science (LNCS, volume 13551): Lecture Notes in Artificial Intelligence (LNAI): Natural Language Processing and Chinese Computing. 11th CCF International Conference, NLPCC 2022, Guilin, China, September 24 25, 2022, ISBN 978-3-031-17120-8
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- 104. Peter Phandi, Amila Silva, and **Wei Lu** (2018) SemEval-2018 Task 8: Semantic Extraction from CybersecUrity Reports using Natural Language Processing (SecureNLP)
  - In SemEval'18: International Workshop on Semantic Evaluation 2018, pages 697 706.
- 105. Chu Guo, Zhanming Jie, **Wei Lu** and Dario Poletti (2018) *Matrix product operators for sequence-to-sequence learning*.
  - In Physical Review E, Vol. 98, No. 4.

- 106. Roozbeh Sanaei, **Wei Lu**, Luciënne Blessing, Kevin Otto, Kristin Wood (2017) *Analogy Retrieval Through Textual Inference* 
  - In IDETC/CIE'17: Proceedings of The ASME 2017 International Design Engineering Technical Conferences & Computers and Information in Engineering Conference. 12 pages.
- 107. **Wei Lu** (2017) Tutorial Abstract for "A Unified Framework for Structured Prediction: From Theory to Practice".
  - In **EMNLP'17** (Tutorial): Proceedings of the 2017 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing.
- 108. **Wei Lu** (2015) Book Review for "Language Processing with Perl and Prolog: Theories, Implementation, and Application". Computational Linguistics 41(4)

# Selected Professional Activities

#### **Conference Chairs**

- 1. PC Co-Chair, The 13th International Joint Conference on Natural Language Processing and the 3rd Conference of the Asia-Pacific Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (IJCNLP-AACL), 2023
- 2. PC Co-Chair, The 11th CCF International Conference on Natural Language Processing and Chinese Computing (NLPCC), 2022.
- 3. Senior Area Chair, 2025 Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2025
- 4. Senior Area Chair, The 2025 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2025.
- 5. Senior Area Chair, The Thirteenth International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR), 2025.
- 6. Senior Area Chair, 2025 Annual Conference of the Nations of the Americas Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (NAACL), 2025.
- 7. Senior Area Chair, The 2024 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2024.
- 8. Senior Area Chair, The 62nd Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), 2024.
- 9. Senior Area Chair, The 2024 Joint International Conference on Computational Linguistics, Language Resources and Evaluation (LREC-COLING), 2024.
- 10. Senior Area Chair, The 2022 Annual Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (NAACL), 2022.
- 11. Senior Area Chair, The 60th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), 2022.
- 12. Senior Area Chair, The 2021 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2021.
- 13. Area Chair, The 63rd Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), 2025.
- 14. Area Chair, The 2nd Conference on Language Modeling (COLM), 2025
- 15. Area Chair, 2024 Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2024
- 16. Area Chair, The 38th AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2024.
- 17. Area Chair, The Twelfth International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR), 2024.
- 18. Area Chair, The 2023 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2023.
- 19. Area Chair, 2023 Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2023
- 20. Area Chair, The 61st Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), 2023.
- 21. Area Chair, The Eleventh International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR), 2023.
- 22. Area Chair, The Thirty-Seventh AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2023.
- Area Chair, The 2022 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2022.
- 24. Area Chair, The Thirty-Sixth AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2022.
- 25. Area Chair, The 14th Asian Conference on Machine Learning (ACML), Bangkok, Thailand, 2022.
- 26. Area Chair, The Joint Conference of the 59th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics and the 10th International Joint Conference on Natural Language Processing (ACL-IJCNLP), 2021.
- 27. Area Chair, The 2021 Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics Human Language Technologies (NAACL), 2021.

- 28. Area Chair, The 30th International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI), Canada, 2021.
- 29. Area Chair, The 20th China National Conference on Computational Linguistics (CCL), 2021
- 30. Area Chair, The International Conference on Natural Language Processing and Chinese Computing (NLPCC), 2020.
- 31. Area Chair, The 12th Asian Conference on Machine Learning (ACML), Bangkok, Thailand, 2020.
- 32. Area Chair, Annual Conference of the Asian Chapter of Association for Computational Linguistics (AACL), 2020.
- 33. Area Chair, Annual Conference of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), 2020.
- 34. Area Chair, The 28th International Conference on Computational Linguistics (COLING), 2020.
- 35. Area Chair, Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing and the International Joint Conference on Natural Language Processing (EMNLP-IJCNLP) 2019.
- 36. Area Chair, The 8th International Joint Conference on Natural Language Processing (IJCNLP), 2017.
- 37. Area Chair, The International Conference on Natural Language Processing and Chinese Computing (NLPCC), 2017.
- 38. Area Chair, The 54th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), 2016.
- 39. Smart-City Day Chair, 16th ACM International Conference on Web Search and Data Mining (WSDM), 2023.
- 40. Industry Exhibits Chair, The 2022 IEEE International Conference on Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing (ICASSP), 2022.
- 41. Virtual Infrastructure Co-Chair, The Joint Conference of the 59th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics and the 10th International Joint Conference on Natural Language Processing (ACL-IJCNLP), 2021.
- 42. Publicity Co-Chair, The International Conference on Natural Language Processing and Chinese Computing (NLPCC), 2020.
- 43. Workshop Co-Chair, The Pacific-Asia Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (PAKDD), Singapore, 2020.
- 44. General Chair, The 1st Annual Singapore Symposium on Natural Language Processing (SSNLP),
- 45. Demonstration Co-Chair, The 2018 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2018
- 46. Publication Co-Chair, Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), 2018. (*Advisory Role*)
- 47. Session Co-Chair, Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), 2017. (Outstanding Papers Session)
- 48. Publication Co-Chair, Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), 2017.
- 49. Session Chair, The 2015 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2015
- 50. Workshop Co-Chair, The 6th Asian Conference on Machine Learning (ACML), Nha Trang City, Vietnam, 2014.

#### Other Major Conference Activities

- 1. PC Member, The 31st International Conference on Computational Linguistics (COLING), 2025
- 2. PC Member, The 2024 SIGNLL Conference on Computational Natural Language Learning (CONLL), 2024
- 3. Reviewer, The 1st Conference on Language Modeling (COLM), 2024
- 4. Reviewer, The 3rd Workshop on Mathematical Reasoning and AI (at NeurIPS), 2023
- 5. PC Member, The 2023 SIGNLL Conference on Computational Natural Language Learning (CoNLL), 2023
- 6. Reviewer, The 40<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML), 2023
- 7. PC Member, The 61<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL) Demonstration, 2023
- 8. PC Member, The  $17^{th}$  Conference of the European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (EACL), 2023
- 9. Reviewer, The 26<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics (AISTATS), 2023

- 10. Reviewer, The 2022 Neural Information Processing Systems Conference (NeurIPS), 2022
- 11. PC Member, The 11<sup>th</sup> Joint Conference on Lexical and Computational Semantics (\*SEM), 2022
- 12. PC Member, The 45<sup>th</sup> International ACM SIGIR Conference on Research and Development in Information Retrieval (SIGIR), 2022
- 13. Reviewer, The 25<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics (AISTATS), 2022
- 14. Reviewer, The  $10^{th}$  International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR), 2022
- 15. Reviewer, The 2021 Neural Information Processing Systems Conference (NeurIPS), 2021.
- 16. Senior PC Member, The 13th Asian Conference on Machine Learning (ACML), 2021.
- 17. Reviewer, The  $38^{lh}$  International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML), 2021
- 18. PC Member, The 37th Conference on Uncertainty in Artificial Intelligence (UAI), 2021
- 19. Senior PC Member, Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2021
- 20. Steering Committee Member, Semantic Evaluation (SemEval), 2021
- 21. PC Member, The IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), 2021
- 22. Reviewer, The 24<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics (AISTATS), 2021
- 23. PC Member, The Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP) Demonstration, 2021.
- 24. PC Member, The 2021 Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics Human Language Technologies (NAACL-HLT), System Demonstration, 2021
- 25. PC Member, The 2021 Conference of the European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (EACL), 2021
- 26. PC Member, The 10<sup>th</sup> Joint Conference on Lexical and Computational Semantics (\*SEM), 2021
- 27. PC Member, The 5<sup>th</sup> WiNLP workshop, collocated with EMNLP, 2021
- 28. Senior PC Member, the 29th International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI), 2020.
- 29. PC Member, The 34<sup>th</sup> meeting of Pacific Asia Conference on Language, Information and Computation (PACLIC), 2020
- 30. Steering Committee Member, Semantic Evaluation (SemEval), 2020
- 31. PC Member, The 2020 SIGNLL Conference on Computational Natural Language Learning (CoNLL), 2020
- 32. PC Member, The 2020 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), Demonstrations, 2020
- 33. PC Member, The 2020 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2020
- 34. PC Member, The 9<sup>th</sup> Joint Conference on Lexical and Computational Semantics (\*SEM), 2020
- 35. PC Member, The 43<sup>rd</sup> International ACM SIGIR Conference on Research and Development in Information Retrieval (SIGIR), 2020
- 36. PC Member, The  $4^{th}$  WiNLP workshop, collocated with ACL, 2020
- 37. PC Member, Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2020
- 38. Reviewer, The 23<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics (AISTATS), 2020
- 39. Senior PC Member, the 28th International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI), 2019.
- 40. Senior PC Member, Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2019.
- 41. PC Member, The Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing and the International Joint Conference on Natural Language Processing (EMNLP-IJCNLP) Demonstration, 2019.
- 42. PC Member, The 2019 SIGNLL Conference on Computational Natural Language Learning (CoNLL), 2019
- 43. PC Member, The 57<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL),
- 44. PC Member, The 57<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL) Demonstration, 2019
- 45. PC Member, The  $8^{th}$  Joint Conference on Lexical and Computational Semantics (\*SEM), 2019
- 46. PC Member, The 42<sup>nd</sup> International ACM SIGIR Conference on Research and Development in Information Retrieval (SIGIR), 2019

- 47. PC Member, The 2019 Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics Human Language Technologies (NAACL-HLT), 2019
- 48. Reviewer, The 36<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML), 2019
- 49. Reviewer, The 22<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics (AISTATS), 2019
- 50. PC Member, The  $8^{th}$  Conference on Natural Language Processing and Chinese Computing (NLPCC), 2019
- 51. PC Member, The 3<sup>rd</sup> WiNLP workshop, collocated with ACL, 2019
- 52. PC Member, The 11<sup>th</sup> Asian Conference on Machine Learning (ACML), 2019
- 53. PC Member, The 2018 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2018
- 54. Reviewer, The 2018 Neural Information Processing Systems Conference (NIPS), 2018
- 55. PC Member, The 10<sup>th</sup> Asian Conference on Machine Learning (ACML), 2018
- 56. PC Member, The 32<sup>nd</sup> meeting of Pacific Asia Conference on Language, Information and Computation (PACLIC), 2018
- 57. PC Member, The 2018 SIGNLL Conference on Computational Natural Language Learning (CoNLL), 2018
- 58. PC Member, The 27<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Computational Linguistics (COLING), 2018
- 59. PC Member, The 2<sup>nd</sup> WiNLP workshop, collocated with NAACL-HLT, 2018
- 60. PC Member, The 41<sup>st</sup> International ACM SIGIR Conference on Research and Development in Information Retrieval (SIGIR), 2018
- 61. PC Member, The 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), 2018
- 62. PC Member, The 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), Demonstrations, 2018
- 63. PC Member, The 2018 Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics Human Language Technologies (NAACL-HLT). 2018
- 64. PC Member, Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2018
- 65. PC Member, The 7<sup>th</sup> Conference on Natural Language Processing and Chinese Computing (NLPCC), 2018
- 66. PC Member, The 2017 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2017
- 67. PC Member, The 55<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL) Demonstration, 2017
- 68. PC Member, The  $6^{th}$  Joint Conference on Lexical and Computational Semantics (\*SEM), 2017
- 69. PC Member, The 9<sup>th</sup> Asian Conference on Machine Learning (ACML), 2017
- 70. PC Member, The 1<sup>st</sup> WiNLP workshop, collocated with ACL, 2017
- 71. PC Member, The 26<sup>th</sup> International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI), 2017
- 72. PC Member, The 15<sup>th</sup> Conference of the European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (EACL), 2017
- 73. PC Member, The 15<sup>th</sup> Conference of the European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (EACL): Student Research Workshop, 2017
- 74. PC Member, Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2017
- 75. Reviewer, The 2016 Neural Information Processing Systems Conference (NIPS), 2016
- 76. PC Member, The 2016 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2016
- 77. Steering Committee Member, Semantic Evaluation (SemEval), 2016
- 78. PC Member, The 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics: Human Language Technologies (NAACL-HLT), 2016
- 79. PC Member, Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2016
- 80. PC Member, ACL Student Research Workshop (ACL SRW), 2016
- 81. PC Member, Semantics-Driven Statistical Machine Translation: Theory and Practice (NAACL Workshop), 2016
- 82. PC Member, The 5<sup>th</sup> Conference on Natural Language Processing and Chinese Computing and the 24th International Conference on Computer Processing of Oriental Languages (NLPCC-ICCPOL), 2016
- 83. PC Member, The 15<sup>th</sup> China National Conference on Computational Linguistics (CCL), 2016
- 84. Reviewer, The 2015 Neural Information Processing Systems Conference (NIPS), 2015
- 85. PC Member, The 2015 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2015

- 86. PC Member, The 53<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics and the 7<sup>th</sup> International Joint Conference on Natural Language Processing (ACL-IJCNLP), 2015
- 87. PC Member, The 4<sup>th</sup> Joint Conference on Lexical and Computational Semantics (\*SEM), 2015
- 88. PC Member, Semantics-Driven Statistical Machine Translation: Theory and Practice (ACL Workshop), 2015
- 89. PC Member, ACL Student Research Workshop (ACL SRW), 2015
- 90. PC Member, The 2014 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2014
- 91. PC Member, The 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), 2014
- 92. PC Member, The 14<sup>th</sup> Conference of the European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (EACL), 2014
- 93. PC Member, The 51<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL), 2013
- 94. PC Member, The 23<sup>rd</sup> International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI), 2013
- 95. PC Member, Recent Advances in Natural Language Processing (RANLP), 2013
- 96. PC, The 2012 Conference on Empirical Methods on Natural Language Processing and Computational Natural Language Learning (EMNLP-CoNLL), 2012
- 97. PC Member, The 13<sup>th</sup> Conference of the European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (EACL), 2012
- 98. Senior PC Member, Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2012.
- 99. PC Member, Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2011

#### **Journal Editors**

- 1. Editor-in-Chief, Computational Linguistics (CL) (2024-2029)
- 2. Action Editor, Computational Linguistics (CL) (2020–2024)
- 3. Action Editor, Transactions of Association for Computational Linguistics (TACL) (2020–2024)
- 4. Senior Action Editor, ACL Rolling Review System (ARR)
- 5. Review Editor, Language and Computation, Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence

# **Other Major Journal Activities**

- 1. Reviewer, Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences (PNAS)
- 2. Reviewer, IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (TPAMI)
- 3. Reviewer, Machine Learning Journal
- 4. Reviewer, Journal of Natural Language Engineering
- 5. Reviewer, Computer Speech and Language
- 6. Reviewer, Neural Processing Letters
- 7. Reviewer, ACM Transactions on Intelligent Systems and Technology (TIST)
- 8. Reviewer, ACM Transactions on Knowledge Discovery from Data (TKDD)
- 9. Reviewer, IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks and Learning Systems (TNNLS)
- 10. Reviewer, IEEE Transactions on Knowledge and Data Engineering (TKDE)
- 11. Reviewer, Language Resources and Evaluation
- 12. Reviewer, Artificial Intelligence Review

#### Major University Services

# Pillar/Department

- 1. Associate Head of Pillar (Research), ISTD, SUTD (2021 2025)
- 2. Associate Head of Pillar, ISTD, SUTD (2020 2021)
- 3. Chair, Tenure-Track Faculty Committee, ISTD, SUTD (2020 now)
- 4. Chair, Research Committee, ISTD, SUTD (2020 2024)
- 5. ISTD representative, SUTD university accreditation committee (2015 2016)
- 6. Member, ISTD undergraduate committee (2014 2018)
- 7. Member, ISTD graduate committee (2018 2020)

#### University

- 1. Senior Fellow, SUTD Academy (2024 now)
- 2. Fellow, DesignZ, SUTD (2024 now)
- 3. Founding Member, Committee on SUTD New Degree Program Design and Artificial Intelligence (DAI) (2019 2020)
- 4. Advisory Committee Member, SUTD Library and Information Services (2019 now)

- 5. Evaluation Panel Member, SUTD Kickstarter Initiative (2022 now)
- 6. Evaluation Panel, SMU-SUTD Joint Grant Call (2023 now)
- 7. Evaluation Panel, A\*-NTU-SUTD Joint Grant Call, 2018
- 8. Theme Lead, SUTD AI Program Discovery by AI (2018 now)
- 9. Co-Lead, TAE review committee, SUTD (2017 2020)
- 10. Member, Inbound exchange committee, SUTD (2016 2018)
- 11. Reviewer, UROP proposals, SUTD (2016 now)

#### **External Services**

- 1. Member, AI Advisory Panel at ST Engineering, 2025 -
- 2. Chair, Advisory Committee, ACL's Computational Linguistics Dissertation Award, 2025 -
- 3. Invited Participant, NSF US-Southeast Asia Regional Workshop on Responsible Artificial Intelligence, 2025
- 4. Invited Participant, Shonan Meeting No 209: Empowering Local Open Source LLMs, Japan, 2024
- 5. Secretary, Asian Federation of Natural Language Processing (AFNLP), 2025 2026
- 6. Distinguished Professor, ST Engineering, 2024 now
- 7. Executive Committee Member, Association for Computational Linguistics, 2024 2029
- 8. Technical Advisor for Foundation Model Development: AI Singapore, 2023 2024
- 9. External Evaluator Panel, Enterprise Development Grant (Co-Innovation Programme), Enterprise Singapore, 2024
- 10. Information Officers (*Elected*, representing Singapore), Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL) Special Interest Group on Chinese Language Processing (SIGHAN), 2023 now
- 11. Consultant, Skywork Singapore, 2024
- 12. Consultant, ByteDance AI Lab Singapore, 2020, 2021
- 13. Expert Panel Member, DSTA Technical Competency Accreditation Panel (AI), 2020 now
- 14. Executive Committee Member (Member-at-Large), Asian Federation of Natural Language Processing (AFNLP), 2022 2024
- 15. Overseas Member (*Elected*), Expert Committee, Natural Language Processing Technology of China Computer Federation (CCF), 2020 now
- 16. Reviewer, AI Singapore PhD Fellowship Programme (Representing SUTD), 2023 –
- 17. Reviewer, QS World University Rankings, 2019, 2020, 2023
- 18. Reviewer, Times Higher Education World University Rankings, 2024
- 19. Program Committee Member, AI Singapore Grand Challenge, 2019
- 20. Proposal Reviewer, Singapore Maritime Institute, 2022
- 21. Proposal Reviewer, Israel Science Foundation, 2024
- 22. Proposal Reviewer, Dutch Research Council (Veni Research Proposal), 2021
- 23. Proposal Reviewer, Research Grants Council (RGC) of Hong Kong, 2019, 2020, 2021
- 24. Proposal Reviewer, Singapore National Research Foundation (NRF) and the National Science Foundation China (NSFC) Joint Call, 2018
- 25. Proposal Reviewer, Singapore Ministry of Education (MOE) Translational R&D and Innovation Fund (TIF), 2018
- 26. Proposal Reviewer, Singapore Israel Industrial R&D Foundation, 2015, 2017, 2019
- 27. Consulted by MCI for National AI Strategy 2.0, Singapore, 2023.
- 28. Consulted by IMDA for AI Roadmap, Singapore, 2017.
- 29. Featured by AI Singapore on Developing A Unified Framework For NLP Algorithms, 2020
- 30. Interviewed by GovInsider on Government and Natural Language Processing, 2018
- 31. Interviewed by GovInsider on Government and Machine Learning, 2017
- 32. Interviewed by China Economic Review (CER) on data and cloud economy in China, 2015

# Invited Talks, Tutorials

- 1. Invited Speaker, Lectures on Frontier Technology on Large Language Model Applications, Chinese Information Processing Society of China (CIPS)'s Committee on Computational Linguistics, 2024
- 2. Keynote Speaker, 1st PromptEng Workshop at the ACM WebConf, 2024
- 3. Keynote Speaker, International Conference on Asian Language Processing (IALP), 2023
- 4. Keynote Speaker, Large Language Model Speakers Series, IMDA, Singapore, 2023
- 5. Invited Speaker, LLM Workshop at IEEE Conference on AI, 2024
- 6. Invited Speaker, ST Engineering AI Tech Seminar, 2024
- 7. Invited Speaker, IMDA BizTech Speaker Series, Singapore, 2024
- 8. Invited Speaker, Google Research India, 2023

- 9. Invited Speaker, ST Engineering GTO Roundtable, Singapore, 2023
- 10. Invited Speaker, Integrated Health Information Systems Workshop, Singapore, 2022
- 11. Invited Speaker, 2nd Symposium on ASEAN Language Processing, Guangxi, China, 2022
- 12. Invited Speaker, AI@APJ Talk, SAP, Singapore, 2022
- 13. Invited Speaker, SEA AI Lab, Singapore, 2022
- 14. Invited Speaker, 13th International Science Youth Forum ("Meet-the-Scientist"), Singapore, 2021
- 15. Invited Speaker, China Computer Federation (CCF) "Technology Frontier" Seminar Series, online, 2020
- 16. Invited Speaker, NUS-Huawei AI Educator Symposium, Singapore 2020
- 17. Invited Speaker, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, online, 2020
- 18. Invited Speaker, National University of Singapore, online, 2020
- 19. Invited Speaker, Tianjin University, online, 2020
- 20. Invited Speaker, McKinsey, Singapore, 2020
- 21. Invited Speaker, Soochow University, China, 2019
- 22. Invited Speaker, AI Summer School, Singapore, 2019
- 23. Invited Speaker, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China, 2019
- 24. Invited Speaker, Huazhong University of Science and Technology, China, 2019
- 25. Invited Speaker, Clariden Global Workshop on NLP and Chatbot, Singapore, 2018
- 26. Invited Speaker, Nanjing Normal University, China, 2018
- 27. Invited Speaker, IDEA Workshop, China, 2018
- 28. Keynote Speaker, OpenGov Asia Indonesia OpenGov Leadership Forum, Indonesia, 2018
- 29. Invited Speaker, DSO National Laboratory ("AI Innovation" Talk Series), Singapore, 2018
- 30. Invited Speaker, Alibaba-NTU Emerging Topics of AI Research Workshop, Singapore, 2018
- 31. Invited Speaker, Alibaba Inc, Xixi Campus, Hangzhou, China, 2018
- 32. Tutorial Speaker: A Unified Framework for Structured Prediction: From Theory to Practice, at EMNLP 2017, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 33. Invited Speaker, Dalian University of Technology, China, 2017
- 34. Invited Speaker, National University of Defence Technology, China, 2017
- 35. Invited Speaker, Institute for Infocomm Research (I2R), A\*STAR, Singapore, 2017
- 36. Invited Speaker, exclusive (closed-door) Pragma Cyber Security forum Singapore, 2016.
- 37. Invited Speaker, Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (KAIST), Korea, 2016
- 38. Invited Speaker, the 1st SUTD-ZJU IDEA Research Workshop, ZJU, China, 2016
- 39. Invited Speaker, ADSC-I2R Joint Workshop on Natural Language Processing, Singapore, 2014
- 40. Invited Speaker, Google Mountain View, California, 2013
- 41. Invited Speaker, IBM Thomas J Watson Research Center, Yorktown Heights, New York, 2012

#### **Research Grants**

- 1. **Lead Principal Investigator**. LLM Architecture-Language Nexus: A Unified Analysis Framework. Agency: AI Singapore (National Multimodal LLM Program). Amount: SGD 4,900,000. 2025–2028.
- 2. **Lead Principal Investigator**. SUTD Growth Program Artificial Intelligence Cluster Thrust 2: Discovery by AI. 2019–2023. Source of Funds: Ministry of Education.
- 3. Principal Investigator (Sole PI). SUTD Start-up Grant. Amount: SGD 100,000. 2013-2016.
- 4. **Principal Investigator**. Temasek Lab Seed Grant. Amount: SGD 48,000. Agency: FSTD, Ministry of Defence, Singapore. 2015–2016.
- 5. **Principal Investigator** (Sole PI). Scalable Models for Deep Semantic Information Processing. Amount: SGD 99,800. Agency: Ministry of Education, under MOE Tier 1. 2016–2018.
- 6. Principal Investigator. Cross-functional Information Systems for Decision Making (CISDEM)
   T3: Hidden Knowledge Inference. Amount: SGD 609,000. Agency: MINDEF, Singapore. 2014–2018.
- 7. **Principal Investigator** (Sole PI). Experiments on Vision and Language Research. HPI Future SOC Lab Project. Awarded free access to computing hardware, including HPC servers, workstations, GPUs etc. Agency: Hasso-Plattner-Institut, Germany. 2016–2017.
- 8. **Principal Investigator** (Sole PI). Multi-task Learning for EIE-specific Stance Detection. Amount: SGD 500,000. Agency: DSO. 2017–2019.
- Principal Investigator (Sole PI). Efficient Hypergraph-Based Algorithms for Joint Entity, Relation and Event Extraction. Amount: USD 99,600. Agency: Alibaba Innovative Research Program. 2018–2019
- 10. **Principal Investigator**. Matrix Product States and Machine Learning. Amount: SGD 100,000. Agency: SUTD-MIT International Design Center (IDC). 2016–2017.

- 11. Principal Investigator. Multimodal Deep Hybrid Representations for Language Generation from Non-textual Data. Approved Amount SGD 891,396. Agency: FSTD, Ministry of Defence, Singapore under Defence Innovative Research Programme (DIRP). Awarded in 2015 (converted to a DSO project).
- 12. Principal Investigator (Sole PI). Sentiment Parsing: Parsing Sentences to Sentiment-based Formal Semantics. 2017–2020. Amount: SGD 540,469.20. Agency: MOE Tier 2.
- 13. Principal Investigator. The Science of Certified AI Systems, Agency: MOE Tier 3. Lead PI: Jun Sun (SMU). Amount: SGD 9,340,776 (overall), 2021–2026.
- 14. Principal Investigator. Human-Interpretable Math Word Problem Solving with Reasoningbased Structured Prediction, Agency: MOE Tier 2. Amount: SGD 929,901, 2023–2026.
- 15. Principal Investigator. Investigating Various Strategies for Effective Pre-Training of LLMs, Agency: DSO. Amount: SGD 600,000 (+ SGD  $\sim$ 2M cost on cloud dedicated to this project), 2024-2026.
- 16. Principal Investigator (Sole PI). Specialised LLM Development for Home Team Operations, Agency: HTX. SGD 1,581,000, 2024-2026.
- 17. Co-Principal Investigator. ST Electronics-SUTD Cyber Security Laboratory. Amount: 4,900,000. Agency: ST Electronics, SUTD, NRF. 2016–2020.
- 18. Co-Principal Investigator. Hardware infrastructure for GPU accelerated computing. SUTD IDC Infrastructure Grant. SGD 281,009. Agency: IDC, SUTD. 2016.
- 19. Co-Principal Investigator. InnoBrain for Artificial Creativity. SGD 99,960. Agency: AI Singapore, 2019-2020.
- 20. Co-Principal Investigator. Explaining AI with the Right Level of Abstraction. SGD 749,904. Agency: AI Singapore, 2019–2022.
- 21. Co-Principal Investigator. Automated Ontology Builder from Maintenance Manuals. SGD 360,624. Agency: Aerospace Programme, Cycle 13, Lead Sponsor: Boeing, 2020–2022.
- 22. Co-Principal Investigator. AIDoc: Telehealth AI Powered by Triaging AI Grounded by Medical Knowledge. SGD 999,984 (overall). Agency: AI Singapore, 2023–2025.
- 23. Co-Principal Investigator. The "Other Me": Human-Centered AI Assistance In Situ, Agency: AI Singapore. Lead PI: David Hsu (NUS). SGD 9,551,520 (overall), 2021–2025

1. UG: 50.040 Natural Language Processing, Summer 2019, Summer 2020, Summer 2021, Summer 2022, Fall 2023, Fall 2024

# Average instructor evaluation score: 4.5/5.0

2. UG: 01.112/50.007 Machine Learning, Fall 2016, Fall 2017, Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Fall 2021, Summer 2023, Spring 2024, Spring 2025

#### Average instructor evaluation score: 4.5/5.0

3. PG: 50.570 Machine Learning, Spring 2014, Spring 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2017

Average instructor evaluation score: 4.6/5.0

#### Mentored Individuals

#### PhD Students (Graduated)

1. Hao Li (2015–2020). From: National University of Singapore.

President's Graduate Fellowship.

Internship at Alibaba DAMO Academy

Now with Tencent AI Lab, Singapore

2. Zhanming Jie (2016–2020). Transferred from: Hong Kong University of Science and Technology. President's Graduate Fellowship.

Internship at Allen Institute for Artificial Intelligence

Now with ByteDance AI Singapore

#### **Best ISTD Thesis Award**

3. Zhijiang Guo (2017–2020). From: Sun Yat-sen University.

President's Graduate Fellowship.

*Internship at University of Edinburgh, UK* 

Now an Assistant Professor at Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (GZ)

# **SUTD Outstanding Thesis Award**

**Teaching** 

4. Yanyan Zou (2017–2020). From: Xiamen University.

President's Graduate Fellowship.

Internship at Microsoft Research Asia, China

Now with ID AI Research

5. Liying Cheng (2018–2022). From: Singapore University of Technology and Design. *Alibaba IPP Program*.

Now with Alibaba AI Lab, Singapore

6. Lu Xu (2019–2022). From: Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Alibaba IPP Program.

Now with Huawei Noah's Ark Research Lab, Singapore

7. Xiaobing Sun (2019–2023). From: National University of Defense Science and Technology. *SUTD Graduate Fellowship*.

Now with A\*STAR, Singapore

# Outstanding Paper Award, EMNLP 2023

8. Haoran Li (2019–2024). From: University of Electronic Science and Technology of China. *Internship at Microsoft Research Asia, China* 

Now with ByteDance, Beijing.

# Nominated for SUTD Outstanding Thesis Award (result pending).

9. Thilini Cooray (2017–2022). From: University of Colombo (*Co-supervised with: Ngai-Man Cheung*).

President's Graduate Fellowship.

#### PhD Students (Current)

1. Guangtao Zeng (2021–). From: Sun Yat-sen University. *AI Singapore Graduate Fellowship.* 

2. Tianduo Wang (2022–). From: Singapore University of Technology and Design.  $\tau^{st}$ -class Honours. Winner of Singapore Computer Society Excellence Award

- 3. Jiaxi Li (2022–). From: Singapore University of Technology and Design.  $\tau^{st}$ -class Honours.
- 4. Calvin Tan (2024–). From: Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
- 5. Chen Huang (2024–). From: East China Normal University, China. *MOE Scholarship*.
- 6. Hoang Phi Long (2024–). From: Hanoi University of Science and Technology, Vietnam. *AI Singapore Graduate Fellowship.*
- 7. Renjie Luo (2025–). From: Beihang University, China. *SUTD Graduate Fellowship*.

#### **Visiting PhD Students**

- 1. Roozbeh Sanaei (2015–2017). From: Singapore University of Technology and Design (EPD)
- 2. Hesam Amoualian (2016–2017). From: Joseph Fourier University, France
- 3. Jing Liao (2018–2019). From: Zhejiang University, China
- 4. Yuxiang Zhou (2019–2020). From: Beijing Institute of Technology, China *CSC Scholar. Now a postdoc researcher at University of Warwick, UK*
- 5. Jiale Han (2021–2023). From: Beijing University of Posts and Telecommunications, China. *CSC Scholar*
- 6. Lulu Zhao (2021-2022). From: Beijing University of Posts and Telecommunications, China. *CSC Scholar*
- 7. Xinyu Wang (2021-2022). From: ShanghaiTech University, China. *CSC Scholar*

8. Peiwen Zhao (2024-2025). From: Beijing Institute of Technology, China. *CSC Scholar* 

#### Researchers

- 1. Aldrian Obaja Muis (2015–2017). From: National University of Singapore *To Carnegie Mellon University, USA*.
- 2. Raymond Hendy Susanto (2015–2017). From: National University of Singapore *Now with ByteDance Singapore*
- 3. Shaosheng Cao (2015–2016). From: Xidian University, China (MS) Now with Ant Financial Services Group/Alipay, AI Department
- 4. Liling Tan (2016). From: Saarland Unviersity, Germany. *Now with Rakuten*
- 5. Peter Phandi (2017–2018). From: National University of Singapore *Now with Shopee*
- 6. Yiran Wang (2017–2018). From: Singapore University of Technology and Design *Now a graduate student at Columbia University, USA*
- 7. Juan Cheng (2018–2019). From: National University of Singapore.
- 8. Amila Silva (2017–2018). From: University of Moratuwa, Sri Lanka Now a research engineer at Singapore Management University BS ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> in department
- 9. Leiming Du (2017–2019). From: Xi'an Jiao Tong University *Now with Huawei*
- 10. Ke Shi (2018–2019). From: Nanyang Technological University *Now with A\*STAR AI*
- 11. Rui Qiao (2018–2020). From: Singapore University of Technology and Design *BS ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> in department. Winner of Keppel Awards of Excellence.*Now with NUS
- 12. Boyuan Zhuang (2019). From: University of Science and Technology of China *Now with Tencent.*
- 13. Jierui Li (2021). From: University of Electronic Science and Technology of China. *Now a PhD student at University of Texas at Austin*
- 14. Vanessa Tan Yun Han (2021–2022). From: Singapore University of Technology and Design.
- 15. Shengqiang Zhang (2021–2022). From: Peking University.
- 16. Peiyuan Zhang (2022–2023). From: Singapore University of Technology and Design.
- 17. Shukai Ma (2022–2023). From: University of Melbourne, Australia.
- 18. Sicong Leng (2022–2023). From: Singapore University of Technology and Design.
- 19. Linyao Chen (2023–2024). From: University of Tokyo.
- 20. Ziqi Jin (2023–2024). From: Singapore University of Technology and Design.
- 21. Yutian Lin (2024–). From: Singapore University of Technology and Design.
- 22. Yanbao Wang (2024–). From: Singapore University of Technology and Design.

#### Visitors/Interns

- 1. Cuong Xuan Chu (2014–2015). From: Vietnam National University Now a graduate student at Max Planck Institute, Germany
- 2. Tu Thanh Vu (2014–2015). From: Vietnam National University Now a graduate student at University of Massachusetts Amherst, USA
- 3. Sadegh Charmchi (2014). From: Amirkabir University of Technology, Iran *Now a graduate student at University of Alberta, Canada*

- 4. Wenqiang Xu (2015–2016). From: University of Science and Technology of China Special Class for the Gifted Young
- 5. Sean Matthew English (2015). From: University of Hong Kong & New York University Now a researcher at Fraunhofer-Gesellschaft Institute, Germany
- 6. Si Kai Lee (2015). From: University of Southampton *Now a graduate student at Columbia University, USA*
- 7. Yihui Quek (2016). From: DSO National Laboratories, Singapore *Now a graduate student at Stanford University*
- 8. Bojia Qiu, (2015–2016). From: Zhejiang University, China Now a graduate student at McGill University, Canada
- 9. Jonathan Löfgren (2016). From: Uppsala University, Sweden
- 10. Moein Khajehnejad (2016). From: Sharif University of Technology, Iran. *Now a graduate student at Monash University*
- 11. Nipuna Ranasinghe (2016). From: University of Moratuwa, Sri Lanka
- 12. Ramesh Pramuditha Rathnayake (2016). From: University of Moratuwa, Sri Lanka
- 13. Kosala Herath (2016). From: University of Moratuwa, Sri Lanka *International Physics Olympiad Medalist*
- 14. Yuwei Wang (2016). From: East China Normal University, China. *Now a graduate student at University of Utah, USA*
- 15. Swee Kiat Lim (2016–2017). From: National University of Singapore *BS* 1<sup>st</sup>-class honors
- 16. Yash Choudhary (2017). From: Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani, India.
- 17. Wei Yang (2017). From: Zhejiang University, China. Now a graduate student at University of Waterloo, Canada
- 18. Srajit Sakhuja (2017). From: Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani, India.
- 19. Yu Jian Wu (2017 & 2018). From: Swarthmore College, USA Now a graduate student at Columbia University, USA
- 20. Bill, Yuchen Lin (2017). From: Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China Now a graduate student at University of Southern California, USA
- 21. Bailin Wang (2017). From: University of Massachusetts Amherst, USA Now a graduate student at Edinburgh University, UK
- 22. Supun Abeysinghe (2017). From: University of Moratuwa, Sri Lanka
- 23. Utkarsh Sinha (2018). From: Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur, India All India Rank 70 in JEE Main. Now a graduate student at Columbia University
- 24. Anh Nguyen Tuan (2018). From: Vietnam National University.
- 25. Hans Du (2018). From: Academia Sinica, Taiwan.
- 26. Jiaqi Pan (2019). From: University of Electronic Science and Technology of China Now a graduate student at Carnegie Mellon University, USA
- 27. Mayank Raj (2019). From: Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani, India.
- 28. Yingying Zhuang (2019). From: Beijing University of Posts and Telecommunications Received offers from Johns Hopkins University, Cornell University
- 29. Jieyu Chen (2019). From: New York University, Shanghai Will be a graduate student at Cornell University
- 30. Ivan Sekulić (2019). From: Heidelberg Institute for Theoretical Studies, Germany
- 31. Steven Wang (2019). From: Zhejiang University, China
- 32. Xingce Bao (2019). From: École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne, Switzerland
- 33. Jue Wang (2020). From: Zhejiang University, China

- 34. Jiaqi Zeng (2020). From: Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China Winner of Yang Yuanqing Scholarship (4 awardees each year in CS dept.)
- 35. Xiaobao Wu (2020). From: Tsinghua University, China
- 36. Ankit Garg (2020). From: Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi, India Now with offer from UC San Diego
- 37. Christine Liu (2021). From: University College London, UK
- 38. Zizhe Jiang (2021). From: University of Nottingham, Ningbo, China
- 39. Yao Xiao (2021). From: Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China
- 40. Qingcheng Zeng (2021). From: Zhejiang University, China & Manchester Unviersity, UK
- 41. Zhehao Zhang (2021). From: Shanghai Jiao Tong University (Zhiyuan College), China
- 42. Qian Yang (2022–2023). From: Harbin Institute of Technology (Shenzhen), China
- 43. Yilin Liu (2022). From: University of Southern California, USA
- 44. Zechen Li (2023). From: Northeastern University, USA
- 45. Shuibai Zhang (2023). From: Westlake University, China
- 46. Pratyush Saini (2023). From: Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi, India
- 47. Shichen Li (2023). From: Soochow University, China
- 48. Ruoxi Ning (2023). From: Zhejiang University, China
- 49. Chen Huang (2024). From: East China Normal University
- 50. Valentio Iverson (2024). From: University of Waterloo, Canada
- 51. Yongguan Hu (2024). From: University of Chinese Academy of Sciences, China
- 52. Yifan Wang (2024). From: National University of Singapore

#### PhD Thesis Committee (External)

- 1. Hesam Amoualian (2017). From: Joseph Fourier University, France
- 2. Aman Ahuja (2018). From: Virginia Tech, USA
- 3. Shuohang Wang (2019). From: Singapore Management University, Singapore
- 4. Xiang Dai (2020), University of Sydney, Australia
- 5. Hongliang Dai (2021), Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Hong Kong
- 6. Tasnim Mohiuddin (2022), Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
- 7. M Saiful Bari (2023), Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
- 8. Guo Xu (2023), Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
- 9. Beier Zhu (2024), Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
- 10. Rongxin Zhu (2024), University of Melbourne, Australia
- 11. Xingxuan Li (2025), Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

#### **Tenure Evaluation (External)**

- 1. The City University of New York, USA, 2023
- 2. Nanyang Technological University, Singapore, 2025

#### **Others**

- 1. Hosted over 20 exchange UG students from ZJU, MIT, Berkeley.
- 2. Supervised over 40 UROP students from SUTD. Among them, 3 students (co-supervised with Zhao Rong) won 1st prize for the First National Collegiate Contest & International Invitational Tournament for Brain-Inspired Computing and Application (amongst 229 teams from 47 universities/institutions) organized by Tsinghua University in 2017.

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