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Education

Ph.D. in Computer Science

2013 - present

University of Pennsylvania (2017 - present) University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (2013 - 2017)

TITLE: Exploiting Cross-lingual Representations in Natural Language Processing Advisor: Dan Roth

B.Tech. in Computer Science and Engineering

2009 - 2013

Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur, India

Research Interests

Natural Language Processing, Machine Learning

Conference Publications

1. Bootstrapping Transliteration with Constrained Discovery for Low-Resource Languages

Shyam Upadhyay, Jordan Kodner, and Dan Roth EMNLP, 2018 link.

- 2. Joint Multilingual Supervision for Cross-Lingual Entity Linking Shyam Upadhyay, Nitish Gupta, and Dan Roth EMNLP, 2018 link.
- 3. Robust Cross-Lingual Hypernymy Detection Using Dependency Context Shyam Upadhyay*, Yogarshi Vyas*, Marine Carpuat, and Dan Roth NAACL, 2018 link (acceptance rate 32%).
- 4. Looking Beyond the Surface: A Challenge Set For Reading Comprehension over Multiple Sentences

Daniel Khashabi, Snigdha Chaturvedi, Michael Roth, Shyam Upadhyay, and Dan Roth NAACL, 2018 link (acceptance rate 32%).

- 5. (Almost) Zero-Shot Cross-Lingual Spoken Language Understanding Shyam Upadhyay, Manaal Faruqui, Gokhan Tür, Dilek Hakkani-Tür, and Larry Heck ICASSP, 2018 link.
- 6. Annotating Derivations: A New Evaluation Strategy and Dataset for Algebra Word Problems

Shyam Upadhyay and Ming-Wei Chang EACL, 2017 link (acceptance rate 27%).

- 7. Revisiting the Evaluation for Cross Document Event Coreference Shyam Upadhyay, Nitish Gupta, Christos Christodoulopoulos, and Dan Roth COLING, 2016 link (acceptance rate 32%).
- 8. Learning from Explicit and Implicit Supervision Jointly for Algebra Word Problems

Shyam Upadhyay, Ming-Wei Chang, Kai-Wei Chang, and Wen-tau Yih. EMNLP, 2016 link (acceptance rate 26%).

- 9. Cross-Lingual Models of Word Embeddings: An Empirical Comparison Shyam Upadhyay, Manaal Faruqui, Chris Dyer, and Dan Roth. ACL, 2016 link (acceptance rate 28%).
- 10. Cross-Lingual Dataless Classification for Many Languages Yangqiu Song, Shyam Upadhyay, Haoruo Peng, and Dan Roth. IJCAI, 2016 link (acceptance rate 24%).
- 11. Structural Learning with Amortized Inference

Kai-Wei Chang, Shyam Upadhyay, Gourab Kundu, and Dan Roth. In AAAI, 2015 link (acceptance rate 27%).

Workshop Publications

1. Beyond Bilingual: Multi-Sense Word Embeddings Using Multilingual Context

Shyam Upadhyay, Kai-Wei Chang, Matt Taddy, Adam Kalai, and James Zou. In Workshop on Repl4NLP, 2017. (Best Paper Award) link.

2. "Making the News": Identifying Noteworthy Events in News Articles Shyam Upadhyay, Christos Christodoulopoulos and Dan Roth. In 4th Workshop on Events at NAACL, 2016 link.

Software

1. IllinoisSL: A JAVA Library For Structured Prediction

Kai-Wei Chang, Shyam Upadhyay, Ming-Wei Chang, Vivek Srikumar, and Dan Roth. Arxiv Preprint, Vol. abs/1509.07179, 2015 link.

CogcompNLP: Your Swiss Army Knife for NLP
 Daniel Khashabi, Christos Christodoulopoulos, Shyam Upadhyay, et al.
 In LREC, 2018 link.

Visit my github profile for other software contributions.

Research Internships

Google Research, Mountain View, California

May 2017 - August 2017

MENTORS: Larry Heck, Gokhan Tür and Dilek Hakkani-Tür

Worked on developing slot filling models for new languages with little training data.

Microsoft Research, Cambridge, Massachusetts

May 2016 - August 2016

Mentors: Adam Kalai, Matt Taddy

Worked on developing multi-sense word embeddings using multilingual context.

Microsoft Research, Redmond, Washington

May 2015 - August 2015

MENTOR: Ming-Wei Chang

Worked on solving algebra word problems using implicit supervision.

Microsoft Research, Redmond, Washington

May 2012 - July 2012

MENTORS: Bongshin Lee, Geoffrey Zweig, Sumit Gulwani

Awards

Best Paper Award at Repl4NLP Workshop 2017.

One of the Top Reviewers at ACL 2018.

Professional Service

Reviewer for AAAI 2016, IJCAI 2016, ACL 2017, *SEM 2017, EMNLP 2017, NAACL SRW 2018, NAACL 2018, ACL 2018 (one of the Top Reviewers), Gen-Deep Workshop 2018, EMNLP 2018, ACM Transactions on Information Systems