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Education Background

2019 – 2024: PhD in Computer Science University of Campinas (UNICAMP), Brazil 2016 – 2019: MSc in Computer Science Hunan University (HNU), China

2012 – 2016: BSc in Information and Computing Science Hubei University of Technology (HBUT), China

Experience

- 1. Post-doctoral Researcher. BIFOLD agility project, TU Berlin. 11.2024 Present. Project: FakeXplain Development of transparent and meaningful explanations in the context of disinformation detection.
- 2. **Doctorate's Research**. FAPESP Fellowship, UNICAMP. 08/2019 11/2024. Project: Rethinking Fake News Detection for the Real World.
- 3. **Visiting Student**. Research Intern at UKP, TU Darmstadt, Germany. 09/2022 07/2023. Project: Out-of-Distribution Evaluation of Self-Rationalization on NLI-related tasks.
- 4. Master's Research. HNU. 09/2016 06/2019. Project: 3D Printed Objects Authentication and Source Identification Based on Printing Distortion.
- 5. **Bachelor's Thesis**. HBUT. From 09/2015 05/2016. Project: Research on implementation of Human-Computer Interactive Chinese Chess Game.

Publications

- 1. **Jing Yang** and Anderson Rocha. Take It Easy: Label-Adaptive Self-Rationalization for Fact Verification and Explanation Generation. *IEEE International Workshop on Information Forensics and Security (WIFS)*, 2024.
- 2. **Jing Yang**, Max Glockner, Anderson Rocha and Iryna Gurevych. Self-Rationalization in the Wild: A Large Scale Out-of-Distribution Evaluation on NLI-related tasks. **To appear** in Transactions of the Association for Computational Linguistics (TACL).
- 3. João Phillipe Cardenuto, **Jing Yang**, Rafael Padilha, Renjie Wan, Daniel Moreira, Haoliang Li, Shiqi Wang, Fernanda Andaló, Sébastien Marcel and Anderson Rocha. The Age of Synthetic Realities: Challenges and Opportunities. *APSIPA Transactions on Signal and Information Processing*, pages 1–62, 2023.
- 4. José Nascimento*, João Phillipe Cardenuto*, **Jing Yang*** and Anderson Rocha. Few-shot Learning for Multi-modal Social Media Event Filtering. *IEEE International Workshop on Information Forensics and Security (WIFS)*, 2022. * Equal contribution.
- 5. **Jing Yang**, Didier Vega-Oliveros, Taís Seibt and Anderson Rocha. Explainable Fact-checking through Question Answering. *IEEE International Conference on Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing (ICASSP)*, 2022.

- Jing Yang, Didier Vega-Oliveros, Taís Seibt and Anderson Rocha. Scalable Fact-checking with Human-in-the-Loop. IEEE International Workshop on Information Forensics and Security (WIFS), 2021.
- 7. Rafael Padilha, Antônio Theóphilo, Fernanda A. Andaló, Didier A. Vega-Oliveros, João P. Cardenuto, Gabriel Bertocco, José Nascimento, Jing Yang, and Anderson Rocha. A Inteligência Artificial e os desafios da Ciência Forense Digital no século XXI. Estudos Avançados 35, pages 113-138, 2021.
- 8. Fei Peng, **Jing Yang**, Zi-Xing Lin and Min Long. Source Identification of 3D Printed Objects Based on Inherent Equipment Distortion. *Computers & Security*, v. 82, May 2019, pp.173-183.
- 9. Fei Peng, **Jing Yang** and Min Long. 3-D Printed Object Authentication Based on Printing Noise and Digital Signature. *IEEE Transactions on Reliability*, v. 68, March 2019, pp. 342-353.

Scholarships and Awards

- 2020 Best Master Thesis Award, by HNU and Ministry of Education of Hunan Province.
- 2018 China National Scholarship, by Ministry of Education of China.
- 2016 Outstanding Graduates Award, by HBUT.
- 2014 National Encouragement Scholarship, by Ministry of Education of China.
- 2013 Model Student Award, by HBUT.

Skills

- Experience with programming language: Python and C/C++.
- Experience with deep learning framework/libraries: Pytorch, Huggingface, scikit-learn, Pandas.
- Proficient knowledge in mathematics, statistics and data analysis.

Services

- Reviewer of Pattern Recognition Letters
- Reviewer of IEEE Security & Privacy

Languages

- Chinese: Native.
- English: Full professional proficiency.
- Portuguese: Intermediate.