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RESEARCH INTERESTS

- *Computational approaches to natural language processing.*
- *Tractable machine learning methods for complex and big data.*
- *Trustworthy NLP: Fairness, Accountability, Transparency, and Privacy in AI.*
- *Multimodal representation models.*

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE

University of California Los Angeles, CA

Associate Professor, Computer Science
Assistant Professor, Computer Science

2022 –
2017 – 2022

Amazon.com, Inc.

Amazon Visiting Academics

2020 –

University of Virginia, VA

Assistant Professor, Computer Science

2016 – 2017

Microsoft, MA

Postdoctoral researcher, Microsoft Research New England Lab

2015 – 2016

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, IL

Ph.D. in Computer Science

2010 – 2015

Cognitive Computation Group; w/ Dan Roth

National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan

M.S. in Computer Science and Information Engineering

2009

Machine Learning and Data Mining Group; w/ Chih-Jen Lin

B.S. in Computer Science and Information Engineering

2007

B.S. in Electrical Engineering (Dual Degree)

2007

SELECTED AWARDS

Sloan Research Fellowship

2021

The Sloan Research Fellowships seek to stimulate fundamental research by early-career scientists and scholars of outstanding promise.

Google Research Scholar Award

2021

Best Long Paper Award, EMNLP

2017

Best Paper Award, SIGKDD

2010

Best Paper Finalist, CVPR

2022

Okawa Research Grant Award

2018

NSF CRII Award

2016

PUBLICATIONS

26,000+ Google Scholar citations in total. H-index: 51, i10-index: 127.

Published at ACL, EMNLP, NAACL, AACL, ICML, NeurIPS, KDD, etc.

Refereed Conference Publications

- [1] Kuan-Hao Huang, Varun Iyer, I.-Hung Hsu, Anoop Kumar, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Aram Galstyan. "ParaAMR: A Large-Scale Syntactically Diverse Paraphrase Dataset by AMR Back-Translation." In the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2023).
- [2] Liunian Harold Li, Jack Hessel, Youngjae Yu, Xiang Ren, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Yejin Choi. "Symbolic Chain-of-Thought Distillation: Small Models Can Also 'Think' Step-by-Step." In the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2023).
- [3] Tanmay Parekh, I.-Hung Hsu, Kuan-Hao Huang, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Nanyun Peng. "GENEVA: Pushing the Limit of Generalizability for Event Argument Extraction with 100+ Event Types." In the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2023).
- [4] Chenghao Yang, Fan Yin, He He, **Kai-Wei Chang**, Xiaofei Ma, and Bing Xiang. "Efficient Shapley Values Estimation by Amortization for Text Classification." In the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2023).
- [5] I.-Hung Hsu, Kuan-Hao Huang, Shuning Zhang, Wenxin Cheng, Prem Natarajan, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Nanyun Peng. "TAGPRIME: A Unified Framework for Relational Structure Extraction." In the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2023).
- [6] Ninareh Mehrabi, Palash Goyal, Apurv Verma, Jwala Dhamala, Varun Kumar, Qian Hu, **Kai-Wei Chang**, Richard Zemel, Aram Galstyan, and Rahul Gupta. "Resolving Ambiguities in Text-to-Image Generative Models." In the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2023).
- [7] Pan Lu, Liang Qiu, Wenhao Yu, Sean Welleck, and **Kai-Wei Chang**. "A Survey of Deep Learning for Mathematical Reasoning." In the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2023).
- [8] Masoud Monajatipoor, Liunian Harold Li, Mozhdeh Rouhsedaghat, Lin Yang, and **Kai-Wei Chang**. "Transferring In-Context Learning Ability From Language Models to Vision-Language Models." In the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL short), 2023.
- [9] Jianfeng Chi, Wasi Uddin Ahmad, Yuan Tian, and **Kai-Wei Chang**. "PLUE: Language Understanding Evaluation Benchmark for Privacy Policies in English." In the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL short), 2023.
- [10] Nikil Roashan Selvam, Sunipa Dev, Daniel Khashabi, Tushar Khot, and **Kai-Wei Chang**. "The Tail Wagging the Dog: Dataset Construction Biases of Social Bias Benchmarks." In the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL short), 2023.
- [11] Yixin Wan, Kuan-Hao Huang, and **Kai-Wei Chang**. "PIP: Parse-Instructed Prefix for Syntactically Controlled Paraphrase Generation." In the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL short), 2023.
- [12] Zixuan Ling, Xiaoqing Zheng, Jianhan Xu, Jinshu Lin, **Kai-Wei Chang**, Cho-Jui Hsieh, and Xuanjing Huang. "Enhancing Unsupervised Semantic Parsing with Distributed Contextual Representations." In *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL-Finding 2023)*.
- [13] Rui Sun, Zhecan Wang, Haoxuan You, Noel Codella, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Shih-Fu Chang. "UniFine: A Unified and Fine-grained Approach for Zero-shot Vision-Language Understanding."

- In the *Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL-Finding 2023)*.
- [14] Wasi Ahmad, Md Golam Rahman Tushar, Saikat Chakraborty, and **Kai-Wei Chang**. "AVATAR: A Parallel Corpus for Java-Python Program Translation." In *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL-Finding, short, 2023)*.
- [15] Ziniu Hu, Ahmet Iscen, Chen Sun, Zirui Wang, **Kai-Wei Chang**, Yizhou Sun, Cordelia Schmid, David A. Ross, and Alireza Fathi. "REVEAL: Retrieval-Augmented Visual-Language Pre-Training with Multi-Source Multimodal Knowledge." In *the Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition Conference (CVPR 2023)*.
- [16] Da Yin, Feng Gao, Govind Thattai, Michael Johnston, and **Kai-Wei Chang**. "GIVL: On Improving Geographical Inclusivity of Vision-and-Language Models with Pre-Training Methods." In *the Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition Conference (CVPR 2023)*.
- [17] Honghua Zhang, Liunian Harold Li, Tao Meng, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Guy Van den Broeck. "On the Paradox of Learning to Reason from Data." In *the International Joint Conferences on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI 2023)*.
- [18] Kareem Ahmed, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Guy Van den Broeck. "Semantic Strengthening of Neuro-Symbolic Learning." In *the International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics (AISTATS 2023)*.
- [19] Anaelia Ovalle, Arjun Subramonian, Vagrant Gautam, Gilbert Gee, and **Kai-Wei Chang**. "Factoring the Matrix of Domination: A Critical Review and Reimagination of Intersectionality in AI Fairness." In *AAAI/ACM Conference on AI, Ethics, and Society (AIES 2023)*.
- [20] Pan Lu, Liang Qiu, **Kai-Wei Chang**, Ying Nian Wu, Song-Chun Zhu, Tanmay Rajpurohit, Peter Clark, and Ashwin Kalyan. Dynamic Prompt Learning via Policy Gradient for Semi-structured Mathematical Reasoning. *International Conference on Learning Representation (ICLR 2023)*.
- [21] Fan Yin, Yao Li, Cho-Jui Hsieh, and **Kai-Wei Chang**. ADDMU: Detection of Far-Boundary Adversarial Examples with Data and Model Uncertainty Estimation. In *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2022)*.
- [22] Zhecan Wang, Haoxuan You, Yicheng He, Wenhao Li, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Shih-Fu Chang. Understanding ME? Multimodal Evaluation for Fine-grained Visual Commonsense In *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2022)*.
- [23] Ziniu Hu, Yichong Xu, Wenhao Yu, Shuohang Wang, Ziyi Yang, Chenguang Zhu, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Yizhou Sun. Empowering Language Models with Knowledge Graph Reasoning for Open-Domain Question Answering. In *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2022)*.
- [24] Da Yin, Hritik Bansal, Masoud Monajatipoor, Liunian Harold Li, and **Kai-Wei Chang**. GeoMLAMA: Geo-Diverse Commonsense Probing on Multilingual Pre-Trained Language Models. In *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2022)*.
- [25] Hritik Bansal, Da Yin, Masoud Monajatipoor, and **Kai-Wei Chang**. How well can Text-to-Image Generative Models understand Ethical Natural Language Interventions?
- [26] Ziniu Hu, Yichong Xu, Wenhao Yu, Shuohang Wang, Ziyi Yang, Chenguang Zhu, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Yizhou Sun. Empowering Language Models with Knowledge Graph Reasoning for Open-Domain Question Answering. In *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2022, short)*.
- [27] Haoxuan You, Rui Sun, Zhecan Wang, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Shih-Fu Chang. Find Someone Who: Visual Commonsense Understanding in Human-Centric Grounding. In *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2022, Finding)*.

- [28] Jieyu Zhao, Xuezhi Wang, Yao Qin, Jilin Chen, and **Kai-Wei Chang**. Investigating Ensemble Methods for Model Robustness Improvement of Text Classifiers. In *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2022, Finding short)*.
- [29] Jianfeng Chi, William Shand, Yaodong Yu, **Kai-Wei Chang**, Han Zhao, and Yuan Tian. Conditional Supervised Contrastive Learning for Fair Text Classification. In *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2022, finding)*.
- [30] Di Wu, Wasi Uddin Ahmad, Sunipa Dev, and **Kai-Wei Chang**. Representation Learning for Resource-Constrained Keyphrase Generation In *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2022, finding)*.
- [31] Jwala Dhamala, Varun Kumar, Rahul Gupta, **Kai-Wei Chang**, Aram Galstyan. An analysis of the effects of decoding algorithms on fairness in open-ended language generation. In *IEEE Spoken Language Technology Workshop (SLT 2022)*
- [32] Arjun Subramonian, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Yizhou Sun. On the Discrimination Risk of Mean Aggregation Feature Imputation in Graphs In *Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS 2022)*.
- [33] Pan Lu, Swaroop Mishra, Tony Xia, Liang Qiu, **Kai-Wei Chang**, Song-Chun Zhu, Oyvind Tafjord, Peter Clark, and Ashwin Kalyan. Learn to Explain: Multimodal Reasoning via Thought Chains for Science Question Answering. In *Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS 2022)*.
- [34] Tao Meng, Sidi Lu, Nanyun Peng, and **Kai-Wei Chang**. Controllable Text Generation with Neurally-Decomposed Oracle In *Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS 2022)*. **Oral**
- [35] Kareem Ahmed, Stefano Teso, **Kai-Wei Chang**, Guy Van den Broeck, and Antonio Vergari. Semantic Probabilistic Layers for Neuro-Symbolic Learning. In *Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS 2022)*.
- [36] Liunian Harold Li, Pengchuan Zhang, Haotian Zhang, Jianwei Yang, Chunyuan Li, Yiwu Zhong, Lijuan Wang, Lu Yuan, Lei Zhang, Jenq-Neng Hwang, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Jianfeng Gao, Grounded Language-Image Pre-training, *the Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition Conference (CVPR 2022)*. **Best Paper Finalist**
- [37] Kareem Ahmed, Eric Wang, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Guy Van den Broeck, Neuro-Symbolic Entropy Regularization. *Uncertainty in Artificial Intelligence (UAI 2022)*.
- [38] Vijit Malik, Sunipa Dev, Akihiro Nishi, Nanyun Peng, and **Kai-Wei Chang**, Socially Aware Bias Measurements for Hindi Language Representations. *North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (NAACL short 2022)*.
- [39] I.-Hung Hsu, Kuan-Hao Huang, Elizabeth Boschee, Scott Miller, Prem Natarajan, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Nanyun Peng. DEGREE: A Data-Efficient Generative Event Extraction Model. *North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (NAACL 2022)*.
- [40] Kuan-Hao Huang, I.-Hung Hsu, Prem Natarajan, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Nanyun Peng, Multilingual Generative Language Models for Zero-Shot Cross-Lingual Event Argument Extraction *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2022)*
- [41] Satyapriya Krishna, Rahul Gupta, Apurv Verma, Jwala Dhamala, Yada Pruksachatkun, and **Kai-Wei Chang**, Measuring Fairness of Text Classifiers via Prediction Sensitivity. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2022)*
- [42] Fan Yin, Zhouxing Shi, Cho-Jui Hsieh, and **Kai-Wei Chang**, On the Sensitivity and Stability of Model Interpretations. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2022)*

- [43] Yang Trista Cao, Yada Pruksachatkun, **Kai-Wei Chang**, Rahul Gupta, Varun Kumar, Jwala Dhamala, and Aram Galstyan, On the Intrinsic and Extrinsic Fairness Evaluation Metrics for Contextualized Language Representations. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2022, short)*
- [44] Jianhan Xu, Cenyuan Zhang, Xiaoqing Zheng, Linyang Li, Cho-Jui Hsieh, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Xuanjing Huang. Towards Adversarially Robust Text Classifiers by Learning to Reweight Clean Examples. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL-Finding 2022)*
- [45] Umang Gupta, Jwala Dhamala, Varun Kumar, Apurv Verma, Yada Pruksachatkun, Satyapriya Krishna, Rahul Gupta, **Kai-Wei Chang**, Greg Ver Steeg, and Aram Galstyan, Mitigating Gender Bias in Distilled Language Models via Counterfactual Role Reversal. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL-Finding 2021)*
- [46] Cenyuan Zhang, Xiang Zhou, Yixin Wan, Xiaoqing Zheng, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Cho-Jui Hsieh, Improving the Adversarial Robustness of NLP Models by Information Bottleneck. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL-Finding 2021)*
- [47] Sheng Shen, Liunian Harold Li, Hao Tan, Mohit Bansal, Anna Rohrbach, **Kai-Wei Chang**, Zhewei Yao, and Kurt Keutz, How Much Can CLIP Benefit Vision-and-Language Tasks? *International Conference on Learning Representation (ICLR 2022)*.
- [48] Zhecan Wang, Haoxuan You, Liunian Harold Li, Alireza Zareian, Suji Park, Yiqing Liang, **Kai-Wei Chang**, and Shih-Fu Chang, SGEITL: Scene Graph Enhanced Image-Text Learning for Visual Commonsense Reasoning. *AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI 2022)*.
- [49] D. Yin, L. Harold Li, Z. Hu, N. Peng, and **K.-W. Chang**, Broaden the Vision: Geo-Diverse Visual Commonsense Reasoning. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2021)*.
- [50] S. Dev, M. Monajatipoor, A. Ovalle, A. Subramonian, J. Phillips, and **K.-W. Chang**, Harms of Gender Exclusivity and Challenges in Non-Binary Representation in Language Technologies. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2021)*.
- [51] L. Yuan, X. Zheng, Y. Zhou, C.-J. Hsieh, and **K.-W. Chang**. On the Transferability of Adversarial Attacks against Neural NLP Models *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2021)*.
- [52] Z. Li, J. Xu, J. Zeng, L. Li, X. Zheng, Q. Zhang, **K.-W. Chang**, and C.-J. Hsieh. Searching for an Effective Defender: Benchmarking Defense against Adversarial Word Substitution. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2021)*.
- [53] K.-H. Huang, W. Ahmed, N. Peng, and **K.-W. Chang**, Improving Zero-Shot Cross-Lingual Transfer Learning via Robust Training. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2021)*.
- [54] Z. Hu, Y. Sun, and **K.-W. Chang**, Relation-Guided Pre-Training for Open-Domain Question Answering. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP finding 2021)*.
- [55] R. Parvez, W. Ahmad, S. Chakraborty, B. Ray, and **K.-W. Chang**, Retrieval Augmented Code Generation and Summarization. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP finding 2021)*.
- [56] T. Meng and **K.-W. Chang**, An Integer Linear Programming Framework for Mining Constraints from Data. *the 32nd International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML 2021)*.
- [57] W. Ahmad, X. Bai, S. Lee, and **K.-W. Chang**, Select, Extract and Generate: Neural Keyphrase

- Generation with Layer-wise Coverage Attention. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2021)*
- [58] W. Ahmad, J. Chi, T. Le, T. Norton, Y. Tian, **K.-W. Chang**, Intent Classification and Slot Filling for Privacy Policies. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2021)*
- [59] W. Ahmad, H. Li, **K.-W. Chang**, Yashar Mehdad, Syntax-augmented Multilingual BERT for Cross-lingual Transfer. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2021)*
- [60] E. Sheng, **K.-W. Chang**, P. Natarajan, N. Peng, Societal Biases in Language Generation: Progress and Challenges *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2021)*
- [61] Y. Zhou, X. Zheng, C.-J. Hsieh, **K.-W. Chang**, X. Huang, Defense against Synonym Substitution-based Adversarial Attacks via Dirichlet Neighborhood Ensemble. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2021)*
- [62] Y. Pruksachatkun, S. Krishna, J. Dhamala, R. Gupta, **K.-W. Chang**, Does Robustness Improve Fairness? Approaching Fairness with Word Substitution Robustness Methods for Text Classification. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2021, Finding)*
- [63] J. Zhao, D. Khashabi, T. Khot, A. Sabharwal **K.-W. Chang**. Ethical-Advice Taker: Do Language Models Understand Natural Language Interventions? *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2021, short, Finding)*
- [64] R. Parvez, **K.-W. Chang**. Evaluating the Values of Sources in Transfer Learning. *North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (NAACL 2021)*.
- [65] W. Ahmad, S. Chakraborty, B. Ray, **K.-W. Chang**. Unified Pre-training for Program Understanding and Generation. *North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (NAACL 2021)*.
- [66] E. Sheng, **K.-W. Chang**, P. Natarajan, N. Peng. “Nice Try, Kiddo”: Ad Hominems in Dialogue Systems. *North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (NAACL 2021)*.
- [67] C. Zhang, J. Zhao, H. Zhang, **K.-W. Chang**, C.-J. Hsieh. Double Perturbation: On the Robustness of Robustness and Counterfactual Bias Evaluation. *North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (NAACL 2021)*.
- [68] L. Li, H. You, Z. Wang, A. Zareian, S.-F. Chang, **K.-W. Chang**. Unsupervised Vision-and-Language Pre-training Without Parallel Images and Captions *North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (NAACL 2021)*.
- [69] J. Huang, K.-H. Huang, and **K.-W. Chang**. Disentangling Semantics and Syntax in Sentence Embeddings with Pre-trained Language Models. *North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (NAACL 2021)*.
- [70] A. Uppunda, S. Cochran, J. Foster, A. Arseniev-Koehler, V. Mays, **K.-W. Chang**. Adapting Coreference Resolution for Processing Violent Death Narratives. *North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (NAACL 2021)*.
- [71] J. Dhamala, T. Sun, V. Kumar, S. Krishna, Y. Pruksachatkun, **K.-W. Chang**, R. Gupta. BOLD: Dataset and metrics for measuring biases in open-ended language generation. *in FAccT*, 2021.
- [72] K.-H. Huang and **K.-W. Chang**. Generating Syntactically Controlled Paraphrases without Using Annotated Parallel Pairs. *European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (EACL 2021)*

- [73] Y. Zhou, Y. Yan, R. Han, H. Caufield, **K.-W. Chang**, Y. Sun, P. Ping, W. Wang. Clinical Temporal Relation Extraction with Probabilistic Soft Logic Regularization and Global Inference. *AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI 2021)*.
- [74] W. Ahmad, N. Peng, **K.-W. Chang**. GATE: Graph Attention Transformer Encoder for Cross-lingual Relation and Event Extraction. *AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI 2021)*.
- [75] K. Xu, Z. Shi, H. Zhang, Y. Wang, **K.-W. Chang**, M. Huang, B. Kailkhura, X. Lin, and C.-J. Hsieh, Provable, Scalable and Automatic Perturbation Analysis on General Computational Graphs. *Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS 2020)*.
- [76] K.-H. Huang, C. Li, **K.-W. Chang**. Generating Sports News from Live Commentary: A Chinese Dataset for Sports Game Summarization. *Asia Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2020)*
- [77] Z. Hu, Y. Dong, K. Wang, **K.-W. Chang**, and Y. Sun. GPT-GNN: Generative Pre-Training of Graph Neural Networks. *ACM SIGKDD International Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (KDD 2020)*.
- [78] E. Sheng, **K.-W. Chang**, P. Natarajan, N. Peng. Towards Controllable Biases in Language Generation. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing. (EMNLP 2020, finding)*.
- [79] L. Liu, Y. Zhou, J. Xu, X. Zheng, **K.-W. Chang**, X. Huang. Cross-Lingual Dependency Parsing by POS-Guided Word Reordering. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing. (EMNLP 2020, finding)*.
- [80] J. Zhao and **K.-W. Chang**. LOGAN: Local Group Bias Detection by Clustering. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing. (EMNLP 2020, short)*.
- [81] W. Ahmad, J. Chi, Y. Tian and **K.-W. Chang**. PolicyQA: A Reading Comprehension Dataset for Privacy Policies. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing. (EMNLP 2020, short finding)*.
- [82] F. Yin, Q. Long, T. Meng, and **K.-W. Chang**, On the Robustness of Language Encoders against Grammatical Errors. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2020)*
- [83] D. Yin, T. Meng, and **K.-W. Chang**, SentiBERT: An Effective, Transferable and Interpretable Architecture for Compositional Sentiment Semantics. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2020)*
- [84] J. Zhao, S. Mukherjee, S. Hosseini, **K.-W. Chang**, and A. H. Awadallah, Gender Bias in Multilingual Embeddings and Cross-Lingual Transfer. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2020)*
- [85] A. Gaut, T. Sun, S. Tang, Y. Huang, J. Qian, M. ElSherief, J. Zhao, D. Mirza, E. Belding, **K.-W. Chang**, and W. Wang, Towards Understanding Gender Bias in Relation Extraction. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2020)*
- [86] Y. Zhou, J.-Y. Jiang, J. Zhao, **K.-W. Chang**, and W. Wang, “The Boating Store Had Its Best Sail Ever”: Pronunciation-attentive Contextualized Pun Recognition. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2020)*
- [87] Y. S. Jia, T. Meng, J. Zhao, and **K.-W. Chang**, Mitigating Gender Bias Amplification in Distribution by Posterior Regularization *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2020, short)*
- [88] W. Ahmad, S. Chakraborty, B. Ray, and **K.-W. Chang**, A Transformer-based Approach for Source Code Summarization. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2020, short)*

- [89] L. Li, M. Yatskar, D. Yin, C.-J. Hsieh, and **K.-W. Chang**, What Does BERT with Vision Look At? *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2020, short)*
- [90] Z. Shi, H. Zhang, **K.-W. Chang**, M. Huang, and C.-J. Hsieh, Robustness Verification for Transformers. *International Conference on Learning Representation (ICLR 2020)*.
- [91] W. Ahmad, Z. Zhang, X. Ma, **K.-W. Chang**, N. Peng. Cross-lingual Dependency Parsing with Unlabeled Auxiliary Languages. *The SIGNLL Conference on Computational Natural Language Learning (CoNLL 2019)*.
- [92] M. Chen, Y. Tian, H. Chen, **K.-W. Chang**, S. Skiena, C. Zaniolo. Learning to Represent Bilingual Dictionaries. *The SIGNLL Conference on Computational Natural Language Learning (CoNLL 2019)*.
- [93] T. Meng, N. Peng, **K.-W. Chang**. Target Language-Aware Constrained Inference for Cross-lingual Dependency Parsing. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2019)*.
- [94] Y. Zhou, J.-Y. Jiang, **K.-W. Chang**, W. Wang. Learning to Discriminate Perturbations for Blocking Adversarial Attacks in Text Classification. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2019)*.
- [95] P. Zhou, W. Shi, J. Zhao, K.-H. Huang, M. Chen, R. Cotterell, **K.-W. Chang**. Examining Gender Bias in Languages with Grammatical Gender. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2019)*.
- [96] R. Parvez, T. Bolukbasi, **K.-W. Chang**, V. Saligrama. Robust Text Classifier on Test-Time Budgets. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2019, short)*.
- [97] W. Shi, M. Chen, P. Zhou, **K.-W. Chang**. Retrofitting Contextualized Word Embeddings with Paraphrases. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2019, short)*.
- [98] E. Sheng, **K.-W. Chang**, P. Natarajan, N. Peng. The Woman Worked as a Babysitter: On Biases in Language Generation. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2019, short)*.
- [99] C. Xia, H. Zhang, J. Moghtader, A. Wu, **K.-W. Chang**. Visualizing Trend of Key Roles in News Articles. *Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP 2019, demo)*.
- [100] T. Wang, J. Zhao, M. Yatskar, **K.-W. Chang**, V. Ordonez. Balanced Datasets Are Not Enough: Estimating and Mitigating Gender Bias in Deep Image Representations. *International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV 2019)*.
- [101] W. Ahmad, **K.-W. Chang**, H. Wang. Context Attentive Document Ranking and Query Suggestion. *International ACM SIGIR Conference on Research and Development in Information Retrieval (SIGIR 2019)*.
- [102] Z. Hu, T. Chen, **K.-W. Chang**, Y. Sun. Few-Shot Representation Learning for Out-Of-Vocabulary Words. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2019)*.
- [103] T. Sun, A. Gaut, S. Tang, Y. Huang, M. ElSherief, J. Zhao, D. Mirza, **K.-W. Chang**, W. Wang. Debiasing Gender in Natural Language Processing: Literature Review. *the Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL 2019)*.
- [104] W. Ahmad, Z. Zhang, X. Ma, E. Hovy, **K.-W. Chang**, N. Peng. On Difficulties of Cross-Lingual Transfer with Order Differences: A Case Study on Dependency Parsing. *North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (NAACL 2019)*.

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TALKS

Tutorials

- Fairness and Biases in Natural Language Processing. **K.-W. Chang**. Machine Learning Summer School 2021.
- Robustness and Adversarial Examples in Natural Language Processing. **K.-W. Chang**, S. Singh, R. Jia, H. He. EMNLP 2021.
- Recent Advances in Transferable Representation Learning, M. Chen, **K.-W. Chang**, D. Roth. AAAI 2020.

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- Quantifying and Reducing Gender Stereotypes in Word Embeddings, **K.-W. Chang**, T. Bolukbasi, and V. Saligrama. FAccT 2018
- Structured Predictions: Practical Advancements and Applications in Natural Language Processing. TAAI 2017.
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- Hands-on Learning to Search for Structured Prediction, H. Daumé III, J. Langford, **K.-W. Chang**, H. He, and S. Rao. NAACL 2015.

Keynote Talks

- NAACL Workshop on Gender Bias in NLP, 2022
- Open Data Science Conference (ODSC) West, 2021.
- West Coast NLP Summit, 2018.
- Southern California Natural Language Processing Symposium, 2017.
- NeurIPS workshop on learning high dimensions with structure, Dec 2016.
- Mid-Atlantic Student Colloquium on Speech, Language and Learning, Breakout Session, Johns Hopkins University, January 2015.

Invited Talks

- Multimodal Representation Learning for Vision and Language
Baidu 22, Two-Sigma 22
- Unified Pre-Training for Program Understanding and Generation
Amazon 21, NAACL workshop
- Bias in Language Generation
Amazon 21.
- Robustness in NLP
Amazon 20.
- What It Takes to Control Societal Bias in Natural Language Processing
USC-ISI 20, UCSD 20, UIUC 21, Stanford 18, CMU 18, MSR-NE 19.
- Inject Expert Knowledge and Corpus-Level Constraints in Natural Language Processing Models
UCLA Stat 19
- Structured Predictions: Practical Advancements and Applications in Natural Language Processing
UCSD 17, USC 17, Utah 17, Appier Inc. 17, NTU 17, UCLA 17, UMass 17, UC Davis 17
- Multi-Relational Latent Semantic Analysis by Tensor Decomposition
UMass Med School 16
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- Multilingual Multimodal Learning (MML). ACL 2022.

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- Workshop on Deep Structured Prediction. ICML 2017.
- 2nd Workshop on Structured Prediction for Natural Language Processing. EMNLP 17.
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Associate Program Chair, AAAI 23

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- Machine Learning: ICML (13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19), ICLR (17), NeurIPS (14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19), JMLR, TNN, TNNLS, Neurocomputing, Neural Computation.
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Research:

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| - AAAI Senior Member | 2023 |
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| - Best Paper Finalist, CVPR 2022 | 2022 |
| - Best Long Paper Award, EMNLP 2017 | 2017 |
| - Best Research Paper Award, SIGKDD 2010 | 2010 |
| - Okawa Research Grant Award | 2018 |
| - Google Research Scholar | 2021 |
| - Amazon Research Award | 2020 |
| - Facebook Research Award | 2020 |
| - NSF CISE Research Initiation Initiative (CRII) Award | 2016 |
| - Best Paper Award, ACL Workshop on Representation Learning for NLP | 2017 |
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