# ZHAO HAITENG

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### **RESEARCH INTEREST**

As a fourth-year Ph.D. student in machine learning, my interests span a diverse array of fields, encompassing but not confined to Natural Language Processing, Knowledge Reasoning, Agent, Graph Machine learning, and AI for Science.

#### **EDUCATION**

Peking University, Beijing, China	2020 – Present
Ph.D. student in Intelligent Science and Technology, Advisor: Zhihong Deng, expected July	2025

# Peking University, Beijing, China

B.S. in Psychology, Advisor: Hang Zhang

Nanyang Technological University

#### **EXPERIENCE**

Ph.D. Student

Collaboration

**Peking University** 

2020.9 - Present Advisor: Prof. Zhihong Deng

2021.6 - Present

2016 - 2020

Advisor: Prof. Luu Anh Tuan

Work on certified robustness for non-Lp norm perturbations via randomized smoothing. Explore the robustness of language models in reasoning, especially against perturbation with knowledge.

#### **Microsoft Research Asia**

Research Intern Mentor: Shuming Ma Explore multilingual continue learning for language model pre-training, enabling pre-training on dynamically increasing corpora. Design novel graph transformers that can benefit from the model depth.

#### The University of Hong Kong

**Research Intern** Advisor: Lingpeng Kong and Qi Liu Explore instruction-based zero-shot learning for predicting molecule properties. Examine the feasibility of replacing MSA augmentation in protein models with a general retrieval method.

#### **ByteDance Data-AML-US**

Research Intern Enable language agents to iteratively acquire and improve skills through interactions with their environment. Explore frameworks for language models to devise tools for solving mathematical and reasoning challenges.

#### PUBLICATIONS

#### **Empowering Large Language Model Agents through Action Learning**

Haiteng Zhao, Chang Ma, Guoyin Wang, Jing Su, Lingpeng Kong, Jingjing Xu, Zhi-Hong Deng, Hongxia Yang.

arXiv preprint

#### Exploring the Reasoning Abilities of Multimodal Large Language Models (MLLMs): A Comprehensive Survey on Emerging Trends in Multimodal Reasoning

Yiqi Wang, Wentao Chen, Xiaotian Han, Xudong Lin, Haiteng Zhao, Yongfei Liu, Bohan Zhai, Jianbo Yuan, Quanzeng You, Hongxia Yang.

# 2022.1 - 2022.10

2022.12 - 2023.6

2023.8 - 2024.2

Mentor: JingJing Xu

#### arXiv preprint

#### GIMLET: A Unified Graph-Text Model for Instruction-Based Molecule Zero-Shot Learning Haiteng Zhao, Shengchao Liu, Chang Ma, Hannan Xu, Jie Fu, Zhi-Hong Deng, Lingpeng Kong, Qi Liu. NeurIPS 2023

#### **Retrieved Sequence Augmentation for Protein Representation Learning**

Chang Ma, **Haiteng Zhao**, Lin Zheng, Jiayi Xin, Qintong Li, Lijun Wu, Zhihong Deng, Yang Lu, Qi Liu, Lingpeng Kong. **arXiv preprint** 

## Are More Layers Beneficial to Graph Transformers?

Haiteng Zhao, Shuming Ma, Dongdong Zhang, Zhi-Hong Deng, Furu Wei. ICLR 2023

Certified Robustness Against Natural Language Attacks by Causal Intervention Haiteng Zhao<sup>‡</sup>, Chang Ma<sup>‡</sup>, Xinshuai Dong<sup>‡</sup>, Anh Tuan Luu, Zhi-Hong Deng, Hanwang Zhang. ICML 2022

#### Domain Adaptation via Mutual Information Maximization Haiteng Zhao, Chang Ma, Qinyu Chen, Zhihong Deng. IJCAI 2022 (Long presentation)

#### SKILLS

- Programming Languages: Python(Pytorch,Tensorflow) > C++ == C
- Platform: Linux
- Development: Web
- Others: LaTex, MarkDown

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

Award of Scientific Research Award of Merit Student Guorui Scholarship Dec. 2018 Dec. 2022 Dec. 2022