# YI-TING YEH

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#### **EDUCATION**

Carnegie Mellon University (CMU)

Master of Science in Language Technologies
Advised by Maxine Eskenazi and Jeffery Bigham. GPA: 4.09/4.33

National Taiwan University (NTU)

Master of Science in Computer Science.
Advised by Yun-Nung (Vivian) Chen. GPA: 4.20/4.30

National Taiwan University (NTU)

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science. GPA: 4.14/4.30

### INDUSTRY EXPERIENCES

Yahoo! Jul. 2018 - Sep. 2018

Software Engineering Intern

- Analyzed the network traffic log of Yahoo! Auctions to build a system that can automatically display customized trending words and product images to each user.
- Collaborated with data engineers, designers, and a project manager.

Taiwan AI Labs Jul. 2017 - Apr. 2018

Software Engineering Intern

- Built an automatic news generation system that collected popular topics on the web forum.
- Involved in the development of a chatbot system, which focused on building a social bot that can chat engagingly with humans.

# **PUBLICATIONS**

- [1] Prakhar Gupta, Cathy Jiao, **Yi-Ting Yeh**, Shikib Mehri, Maxine Eskenazi, Jeffrey P Bigham. Improving Zero and Few-shot Generalization in Dialogue through Instruction Tuning. In *Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP)*, 2022.
- [2] Ting-Rui Chiang, Yi-Pei Chen, **Yi-Ting Yeh**, and Graham Neubig. Breaking Down Multilingual Machine Translation. In *Findings of Association for Computational Linguistics* (**ACL**), 2022.
- [3] Yi-Ting Yeh, Ting-Rui Chiang, Yau-Shian Wang, and Ta-Chung Chi. Are You Doing What I Say? On Modalities Alignment in ALFRED. In Novel Ideas in Learning-to-Learn through Interaction Workshop (NILLI) in Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2021.
- [4] Ting-Rui Chiang, and **Yi-Ting Yeh**. Improving Dialogue State Tracking by Joint Slot Modeling. In NLP for Conversational AI Workshop (NLP4ConvAI) in Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2021.
- [5] Yi-Ting Yeh, Maxine Eskenazi, and Shikib Mehri. A Comprehensive Assessment of Dialog Evaluation Metrics. In Evaluations and Assessments of Neural Conversation Systems Workshop (EANCS) in Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2021.
- [6] Yi-Ting Yeh, and Yun-Nung Chen. QAInfomax: Learning Robust Question Answering System by Mutual Information Maximization. In *Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing* (EMNLP), 2019. (Oral Paper Presentation).

- [7] Yi-Ting Yeh, and Yun-Nung Chen. FlowDelta: Modeling Flow Information Gain in Reasoning for Conversational Machine Comprehension. In *Machine Reading for Question Answering Workshop* (MRQA) in Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP), 2019.
- [8] Yi-Ting Yeh, Tzu-Chuan Lin, Hsiao-Hua Cheng, Yi-Hsuan Deng, Shang-Yu Su, and Yun-Nung Chen. Reactive Multi-Stage Feature Fusion for Multimodal Dialogue Modeling. In 7th Dialog System Technology Challenge (DSTC7) in Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2019.
- [9] Shang-Yu Su, Kai-Ling Lo, Yi-Ting Yeh, and Yun-Nung Chen. Natural Language Generation by Hierarchical Decoding with Linguistic Patterns. In North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics: Human Language Technologies (NAACL-HLT), 2018.

## AWARDS AND HONORS

ACLCLP Best Master Thesis Award	2020
ACLULF Dest Musier Thesis Awara	2020
Garmin Scholarship Program	2019
Verizon Media Scholarship Program, Travel Grant for EMN	LP 2019 2019
Formosa Spoken QA Challenge, First Place	2019
Undergraduate Research Project Exhibition, Second Place	2018
Undergraduate Research Project Exhibition, Appier Selected	Prize 2018

#### PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Presentation: NSF Future Directions Evaluation Workshop (2021)

Conference Review: EMNLP (2021), NLP4ConvAI Workshop (2019, 2021)

Teaching Assistant: Applied Deep Learning (2017, 2019), Advanced Deep Learning (2018)

## **SKILLS**

**Programming Languages:** Python, C, C++, JavaScript, Shell Scripting, Git

Deep Learning Frameworks: Pytorch, Tensorflow, Keras

Web Development: Django, React, Flask

Languages: Mandarin Chinese (Native), English (Fluent), Japanese (Fluent)