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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Large Language Models (LLMs), Multimodal LLMs, Graph Machine Learning, Fairness.

## **EDUCATION**

# Sun Yat-sen University (SYSU)

09/2022 - 06/2026 (Expected)

Guangzhou, China

Ph.D. in Computer Technology

• Advisor: Prof. Liang Chen.

• (1) Received 2024 National Scholarships (Top 0.4%); (2) Received First-class Scholarships.

# • South China Agricultural University (SCAU)

09/2019 - 06/2021

Guangzhou, China

M.S. in Vehicle Engineering

Advisor: Prof. Zuoxi Zhao.

• (1) Received First-class Scholarships; (2) Published Two Papers in Visual Measurement.

# South China Agricultural University (SCAU)

09/2015 - 06/2019 Guangzhou, China

B.S. in Packaging Engineering

∘ (1) GPA: 4.05/5.00 (Top 8%); (2) Received First-class Scholarships.

# SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

C=CONFERENCE, J=JOURNAL, P=PREPRINT OR UNDER REVIEW

- Yuchang Zhu, Huizhe Zhang, Bingzhe Wu, Jintang Li, Zibin Zheng, Peilin Zhao, Liang Chen, Yatao Bian. [C.1] Measuring Diversity in Synthetic Datasets. International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML), 2025.
- [C.2] Yuchang Zhu, Jintang Li, Yatao Bian, Zibin Zheng, Liang Chen. One Fits All: Learning Fair Graph Neural Networks for Various Sensitive Attributes. ACM SIGKDD Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (KDD), 2024. [Oral]
- [C.3] Yuchang Zhu, Jintang Li, Zibin Zheng, Liang Chen. Fair Graph Representation Learning via Sensitive Attribute Disentanglement. International World Wide Web Conference (WWW), 2024. [Oral]
- [C.4] Yuchang Zhu, Jintang Li, Liang Chen, Zibin Zheng. The devil is in the data: Learning fair graph neural networks via partial knowledge distillation. ACM International Conference on Web Search and Data Mining (WSDM), 2024.
- [J.1]Yuchang Zhu, Jintang Li, Liang Chen, Zibin Zheng. Fairagg: Toward fair graph neural networks via fair **aggregation**. *IEEE Transactions on Computational Social Systems (TCSS)*, 2024.
- [J.2]Yuchang Zhu, Yuan Huang, Yuanhong Li, Zhi Qiu, Zuoxi Zhao. A smartphone-based six-dof measurement method with marker detector. IEEE Transactions on Instrumentation and Measurement (TIM), 2022.
- [P.1] Yuchang Zhu, Huazhen Zhong, Qunshu Lin, Haotong Wei, Xiaolong Sun, Zixuan Yu, Minghao Liu, Zibin Zheng, Liang Chen. What Matters in LLM-generated Data: Diversity and Its Effect on Model Fine-Tuning.
- [P.2] Yuchang Zhu, Huazhen Zhong, Qichao Wang, Haotong Wei, Xiaolong Sun, Zixuan Yu, Liang Chen, Zibin Zheng. LLM-generated Data and Its Impact: A Survey. 2025.
- [P.3] Yuchang Zhu, Jintang Li, Huizhe Zhang, Liang Chen, Zibin Zheng. SaGIF: Improving Individual Fairness in Graph Neural Networks via Similarity Encoding. 2025.

## EXPERIENCE

Research Intern

• Tencent-AI Lab [

03/2024 - 05/2025

Shenzhen, China

- Developed LLM-generated Content Watermark Algorithm.
- · Investigated on LLM-generated Data Diversity Evaluation and Tokenizer of Multimodal LLMs, Contributed to A Paper Accepted by ICML 2025 ([C.1]).
- SYSU-School of Computer Science and Engineering [ ]

06/2021 - 09/2022

Research Assistant

Guangzhou, China

Research on Graph Fairness Learning, Simultaneous Localization and Mapping.

# RESEARCH SUMMARY

# • Graph Machine Learning: Graph Fairness Learning

03/2022 - Present

- Explored the Potential Reasons of Graph Unfairness and Achieved Fair Aggregation ([J.1]).
- Improved the Fairness of Graph Neural Networks (GNNs) under Various Scenarios, Including Unknown Sensitive Attribute ([C.4]) and Multi-Sensitive Attribute ([C.2]).
- Proposed A Novel Framework to Achieve A Trade-off Between Fairness and Utility in GNNs ([C.3]).
- Improved the Fairness of GNNs at Individual Level ([P.3]).

## • LLMs and Multimodal LLMs: Trustworthy, Tokenizer

03/2024 - Present

- Proposed A Novel Diversity Evaluation Method for LLM-generated Data ([C.1]).
- Explored the Impact of LLM-generated Data's Diversity on Next-generation Models ([P.1], [P.2]).
- Developed A Robust Watermark Method for LLMs to Mitigate Negative Impact of LLM-generated Data.
- Investigating Semantic-aware Tokenizers of Multimodal LLMs, Balancing Multimodal Understanding and Generation. (Ongoing Work)

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2024 National Scholarship (Top 0.4% nationwide)
- 2021 Excellent Master's Thesis Award, SCAU
- 2019 Excellent Bachelor's Thesis Award, SCAU
- 2019 Excellent Undergraduate Graduate of SCAU (10/550)
- 2015 National Endeavor Scholarship