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# The 4th New Frontiers in Summarization (with LLMs) Workshop

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# Our Objective

- Fostering exchange of ideas related to automatic summarization
- Bringing together experts from various disciplines
- Discussing the latest updates and key issues

# Summarization: Current status and Challenges

- LLMs show an advanced ability on automatic summarization
- LLMs have also been widely applied for evaluation
- Challenges:
  - Hallucination problems
  - Reliability of LLM evaluator
  - Long-document summarization
  - Multi-lingual / cross-lingual summarization
  - Customized summarization
  - Real-time summarization
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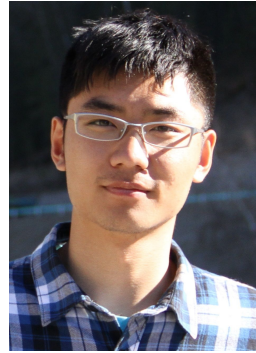
# Keynote speakers



Kathleen McKeown  
Columbia University



Jackie Cheung  
McGill University



Rui Zhang  
Penn State  
University



Iz Beltagy  
Allen Institute for AI



Chenguang Zhu  
Zoom



# Workshop Papers

- Is ChatGPT a Good NLG Evaluator? A Preliminary Study
- Zero-Shot Cross-Lingual Summarization via Large Language Models
- SimCSum: Joint Learning of Simplification and Cross-lingual Summarization for Cross-lingual Science Journalism
- Extract, Select and Rewrite: A Modular Sentence Summarization Method
- Summarization-based Data Augmentation for Document Classification
- In-context Learning of Large Language Models for Controlled Dialogue Summarization: A Holistic Benchmark and Empirical Analysis
- From Sparse to Dense: GPT-4 Summarization with Chain of Density Prompting
- Generating Extractive and Abstractive Summaries in Parallel from Scientific Articles Incorporating Citing Statements
- Supervising the Centroid Baseline for Extractive Multi-Document Summarization
- DebateKG – Automatic Policy Debate Case Creation with Semantic Knowledge Graphs
- Unsupervised Opinion Summarization Using Approximate Geodesics
- Analyzing Multi-Sentence Aggregation in Abstractive Summarization via the Shapley Value
- Improving Multi-Stage Long Document Summarization with Enhanced Coarse Summarizer

# Findings Papers

- Bipartite Graph Pre-training for Unsupervised Extractive Summarization with Graph Convolutional Auto-Encoders
- Can you Summarize my learnings? Towards Perspective-based Educational Dialogue Summarization
- Citance-Contextualized Summarization of Scientific Papers
- DocAsRef: An Empirical Study on Repurposing Reference-based Summary Quality Metrics as Reference-free Metrics
- Enhancing abstractiveness of summarization models through calibrated distillation
- Extractive Summarization via ChatGPT for Faithful Summary Generation
- Factual Relation Discrimination for Factuality-oriented Abstractive Summarization
- FREDSum: A Dialogue Summarization Corpus for French Political Debates
- Hierarchical Catalogue Generation for Literature Review: A Benchmark
- Improving the Robustness of Summarization Models by Detecting and Removing Input Noise
- Large-Scale and Multi-Perspective Opinion Summarization with Diverse Review Subsets
- LLM aided semi-supervision for efficient Extractive Dialog Summarization
- Medical Text Simplification: Optimizing for Readability with Unlikelihood Training and Reranked Beam Search Decoding
- Mitigating Framing Bias with Polarity Minimization Loss
- Open Domain Multi-document Summarization: A Comprehensive Study of Model Brittleness under Retrieval
- PMIndiaSum: Multilingual and Cross-lingual Headline Summarization for Languages in India
- Re-Examining Summarization Evaluation across Multiple Quality Criteria
- Responsible AI Considerations in Text Summarization Research: A Review of Current Practices
- Summarizing Multiple Documents with Conversational Structure for Meta-Review Generation
- SummIt: Iterative Text Summarization via ChatGPT
- Synthesize, if you do not have: Effective Synthetic Dataset Creation Strategies for Self-Supervised Opinion Summarization in E-commerce
- Topic-Informed Dialogue Summarization using Topic Distribution and Prompt-based Modeling
- Unsupervised Opinion Summarization Using Approximate Geodesics
- Using LLM for Improving Key Event Discovery: Temporal-Guided News Stream Clustering with Event Summaries

# Schedule

Time	Session Chair	Event & Details
08:50 - 09:00	Wen Xiao	Opening Remarks
09:00 - 09:45	Lei Yu	<b>Keynote I - Kathleen McKeown (Columbia University)</b> <i>Addressing Large Language Models that Lie: Case Studies in Summarization</i>
09:45 - 10:30	Lei Yu	<b>Keynote II - Jackie Cheung (McGill University)</b> <i>Open Problems in Automatic Summarization</i>
10:30 - 11:00	-	Coffee Break
11:00 - 11:45	Wen Xiao	<b>Keynote III - Rui Zhang (Penn State University)</b> <i>Are Large Language Models Fair Summarizers?</i>
11:45 - 12:30	Wen Xiao	<b>Keynote IV - Iz Beltagy (Allen Institute for AI)</b> <i>The Quest for Open Language Models</i>
12:30 - 14:00	-	Lunch Break
14:00 - 14:45	Wen Xiao	<b>Keynote V - Chenguang Zhu (Zoom)</b> <i>Facing the Challenges and Opportunities of LLMs</i>
14:45 - 15:30	Wen Xiao	<b>Lightning Talks</b> (Workshop papers and Findings papers)
15:30 - 16:00	-	Coffee Break
16:00 - 17:30	Wen Xiao	<b>Poster Session</b> (In-person/Virtual: Gathertown) (Workshop papers and Findings papers)



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Thanks!

Now let's dive into the main sessions!

