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SUMMARY

An **AI Scientist / Solutions Architect** focusing on bridging theoretical machine learning research, scalable technical implementations and ready to develop my career in empirical AI safety studies.

Experienced in academic neuroimaging / ML research with industry development and product design, while actively contributing to digital governance and AI governance advisory.

Driven by a core interest in understanding the internal behavior of large models behaviors and cognitive interactions to build user-adaptive AI systems that balance safety constraints with functional performance.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

Research Assistant of Dr. Jie-Fan Chang Lab

Sep 2022 — Present

Department of Computer Science & Information Engineering, National Taiwan University

Taipei, Taiwan

- Designed and implemented deep learning pipelines for neuroimaging analysis, including FLAIR MRI lesion segmentation for multiple sclerosis.
- XAI methods for clinical interpretation under resource-constrained settings.
- Conducted model optimization for robustness and deployment in clinical environments.

Research Student of MRI Lab

May 2023 — May 2025

Institute of Biomedical Sciences (IBMS), Academia Sinica

Taipei, Taiwan

- Conducted MRI data analysis focusing on connectome and metabolic connectivity in neurodegenerative disease models.
- Led a metabolic connectivity study using Dynamic Glucose-Enhanced MRI (DGE-MRI) to investigate network-level disruptions in Huntington's disease mouse models.
- Developed analysis pipelines integrating DGE-MRI, rs-fMRI, and CEST MRI for connectome-level inference.
- Designed scalable data science infrastructure for neuroimaging research.

INDUSTRY EXPERIENCES

Solutions Architect

Jun 2025 — June 2026

AIOTEK Co., Ltd.

Taipei, Taiwan

- Led development and deployment of efficient machine learning systems for edge computing environments, with 20+ technically evaluated product solutions designed.
- Translated complex AI agent & safety requirements into actionable solution architectures, ensuring edge-to-cloud reliability and cost-efficient operations.
- Bridged communication across teams to ship high-performance ML products, led workflow AI adoption across departments to optimize working efficiency.

Scientist of Personalization Cloud

Nov 2023 — May 2025

Appier Inc.

Taipei, Taiwan

- Conducted research on generative AI training methods and large-scale model optimization, focusing on robustness trade-offs in production-level AI systems.
- Exploratory experiments on ML approaches for personalized AI, delivered 3+ meaningful PoCs for creative solutions.
- Awarded Highest Customer Value Award (Appier Labs Day 2024).

EDUCATION

National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University

Taipei, Taiwan

B.S. in Life Sciences and Genome Sciences

2026 — 2030 (expected)

- Accepted through ISEF 2025 national delegation admission

Taipei Digital Experimental High School

Taipei, Taiwan

High School Diploma (Experimental Education)

2023 — 2026

- Overall GPA: 3.5 / 4.0
- Chairman of 3rd Student Union

SELECTED WORKS & PROJECTS

Linear Accessibility of Latent Knowledge in Sandbagging LLMs 2026 - Present

Individual Researcher, ongoing research

- Designing internal state probes to evaluate whether latent factual knowledge remains linearly accessible in models optimized to underperform on specific benchmarks.
- Investigating safeguarding mechanisms to mitigate over-refusal and model degradation under strict safety constraints.

Automated Business AI Agent Evaluation Pipeline Designing 2026

Lead Architect, affiliated w/ AIOTEK Co., Ltd.

- Designed a multi-tier evaluation framework to validate behavioral stability and reasoning patience of production-grade AI agents, preventing semantic drift in user-facing environments.

The Dynamics of Multi-Stakeholders and Policy Environment: From Digital Intermediary Service Act to AI Fundamental Act 2026

Sole Author, graduation thesis

- Conducted a systematic study on the transition from the Digital Intermediary Service Act to the AI Fundamental Act, analyzing the “Brussels Effect” on Taiwan’s regulatory framework.
- Performed thematic analysis on interviews with government and industry experts to identify “administrative dominance” and proposed strategies for horizontal coordination in AI safety.

Automated Information Integrity & Credibility System using LLMs 2024 — 2025

Lead Developer

- Engineered an LLM-driven verification engine from PoC to functional prototype, designing a multi-tier architecture to validate agent behavioral stability and mitigate semantic drift using optimized CoT nudging.

Metabolic Connectivity of Huntington's Disease in Dynamic Glucose-Enhanced MRI 2023 — 2025

First Author, advised by Dr. Dennis W. Hwang & Dr. Yu-Wen Chen, Institute of Biomedical Sciences, Academia Sinica

- Modeled network-level disruptions in brain systems using time-series clustering and connectivity analysis, focused on signal dynamics and inter-regional communication patterns.

Signal Analysis and XAI Methods for Schizophrenia EEG Classification 2024

First Author, advised by Dr. Jie-Fan Chang, NTU CSIE

- Temporal pattern extraction and neural signal encoding with transformed EEG representations (MTF, GAF) to explore the mechanisms of schizophrenia EEG classification features.

Scalable CNN for Multiple Sclerosis Lesion Segmentation in MRI on Embedded Systems 2022

First Author, advised by Dr. Jie-Fan Chang, NTU CSIE

- Balancing performance and computational efficiency in constrained environments through model architecture design combining dilated convolution and specialized data processing for MRI data in edge computing.

GOVERNANCE ADVISORY & POLICY IMPACT

Committee Member of Youth Advisory Committee Jan 2025 — Present

Taipei City Government

Taipei, Taiwan

- Advisor of AI usage regulations for public sectors and urban development-related stakeholders.
- Conducted research on data governance and datafied governance policies.

Technical Contributor of Digital Law Taskforce Oct 2024 — Present

Judicial Reform Foundation

Taipei, Taiwan

- Conducted in-depth research of latest digital governance frameworks for policy recommendations, focusing on verifiable safety cases and mandatory impact assessments for high-risk AI deployments.
- Contributed in the drafting of Digital Bill of Rights, defining fundamental rights regarding algorithmic transparency, automated decision-making transparency, and data sovereignty.

Program Technology Consultant Jul 2025 — Sep 2025

Public Television Service Foundation

Taiwan (Hybrid)

- Advised on AI system design, technical evaluation, data privacy, and ethical implications of deploying AI in public and data-sensitive contexts.

Committee Member of Youth Advisory Committee Apr 2024 — Apr 2025

K-12 Education Administration, Ministry of Education, Taiwan

Taipei, Taiwan

- Legislation research on digital rights, educational privacy, data governance and accessibility in education.
- Advocated for legislative advancements to strengthen privacy protections and promote inclusive education initiatives.

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

- Lecture Designer** Jan 2024 — Present
Ministry of Education High School AI Course Program *Taiwan (Hybrid)*
- Contributed to computer science education research, focusing on innovative teaching methodologies.
- Consultant & Industry Instructor** Jan 2024 — Jun 2024
NTU Artificial Intelligence Research Club *Taiwan (Hybrid)*
- Guided several mentees to build generative AI & computer vision approach optimization projects.

AWARDS & HONORS

- 2025.01 **First Award & Highest Honor Award of Taiwan International Science Fair 2025**
- Selected as Taiwan delegation for Regeneron ISEF 2025
- 2024.07 **University Group Third Award of 2024 Social Designer Contest**
- Information credibility query virtual assistant based on LLM
 - Issued by New Taipei City Government Youth Department
- 2024.05 **Outstanding Poster Award of Symposium of the Frontiers in Biomedical Magnetic Resonance**
- Issued by Taiwan Magnetic Resonance Society
- 2024.02 **Fourth Award of 2024 Taiwan International Science Fair**
- Issued by National Taiwan Science Education Center
- 2022.08 **Third Place of 62nd National Primary & High School Science Fair (NPHSSF)**
- Issued by Ministry of Education, Taiwan

TALKS & CONFERENCES

- 2026.06 **Digital Reconstruction: A Macro-Micro Analysis of Policy and Platform Behaviors** – Panelist
Dual-Research Presentation & Salon
- 2025.12 **What Kind of Digital Environment Are We Building for the Next Generation?** – Invited talk
Judicial Reform Foundation Taichung Office
- 2025.12 **2025 AI and Youth Empowerment International Forum** – Invited panelist
CROSSROAD, NOWNEWS, EdYouth, Better Together for NextGen Taiwan
- 2024.10 **AI in Medical Imaging, AI Ethics and Governance** – Invited talk
Graduate Program Artificial Intelligence Special Lecture, Industry Academia Innovation School, NYCU
- 2024.08 **Securing Trust: Ethical Governance in Championing Children Digital Rights** – Invited panelist
Asia Pacific Regional Internet Governance Forum (APrIGF) 2024
- 2024.05 **Connectivity Analysis of Glucose Metabolism in HD: A New Perspective Provided by DGE MRI**
Poster at 2024 Symposium of the Frontiers in Biomedical Magnetic Resonance
- 2023.12 **AI Assembly - Data Sharing and Model Licensing Expert Workshop** – Invited discussant
Taiwan Artificial Intelligence Consensus Collaborative Workshop
- 2023.12 **Open Source Deep Learning with Implementation of Architectures** – Speech
Conference for Open Source Coders, Users, and Promoters 2022

LANGUAGES

- **Mandarin, Taiwanese:** Native proficiency
- **English:** Professional proficiency (IELTS Overall 8.0, 2025.09)
- **Spanish:** Limited working proficiency