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Employment History

- 2024 – ···· **University of California, Los Angeles**
Samueli School of Engineering, Computer Science
Assistant Professor
- 2023-2024 **New York University**
Center for Data Science
Faculty Fellow/Assistant Professor
- 2023 **Massachusetts Institute of Technology**
Computer Science & Artificial Intelligence Laboratory
Postdoctoral Fellow
- 2020, 2021 **Microsoft Research**
AI/NLP Research Intern
- 2019-2020 **Allen Institute for Artificial Intelligence**
Mosaic Team Research Intern
- 2019 **SRI International**
Computer Vision & Learning Research Intern
- 2015, 2016 **University of Massachusetts, Amherst**
Data Science Research Assistant

Education

- 2017 – 2023 **University of Washington**, PhD in Computer Science & Engineering.
Advisors: Yejin Choi and Franziska Roesner
- 2013 – 2017 **Mount Holyoke College**, BA (*summa cum laude*) in Computer Science & Mathematics.
Thesis Advisor: Daniel Sheldon

Awards & Honors

PI Fellowships & Awards

- Forbes 30 Under 30, Science 2024 List
- Outstanding Reviewer, ACL 2020 and NAACL 2022
- Google-Leap Fellowship, 2021
- Phi Beta Kappa, 2017
- Weaver Award for Computer Science and Math, Mount Holyoke College, 2017
- David Notkin Endowed Graduate Fellowship, University of Washington, 2017
- ARCS Foundation Fellowship, 2017

Paper Awards

- MIT Generative AI Impact Award, *Generative AI in the Era of "Alternative Facts"*, 2023
- Best Paper, *Social Bias Frames*, West Coast NLP Summit 2020
- Best Paper Nomination, *Early Fusion for Goal Directed Robotic Vision*, IROS 2019

Awards & Honors (continued)

- Best Paper Nomination, *The Risk of Racial Bias in Hate Speech Detection*, ACL 2019

Research Publications

Preprints and Working Papers

- 1 S. Gabriel, J. X. Han, E. Liu, *et al.*, “Advancing Equality: Harnessing Generative AI to Combat Systemic Racism,” <https://mit-genai.pubpub.org/pub/1ake7rfu>, Mar. 2024.
- 2 S. Gabriel, L. Lyu, J. Siderius, M. Ghassemi, J. Andreas, and A. Ozdaglar, “Generative AI in the Era of ‘Alternative Facts,’” <https://mit-genai.pubpub.org/pub/cnks7gwl>, Mar. 2024.
- 3 S. Rahman, L. Y. Jiang, S. Gabriel, Y. Aphinyanagphongs, E. K. Oermann, and R. Chunara, “Generalization in healthcare ai: Evaluation of a clinical large language model,” 2024. [URL: https://api.semanticscholar.org/CorpusID:267750868](https://api.semanticscholar.org/CorpusID:267750868).
- 4 L. Jiang, J. D. Hwang, C. Bhagavatula, *et al.*, “Can machines learn morality? the delphi experiment,” 2022. [URL: https://arxiv.org/abs/2110.07574](https://arxiv.org/abs/2110.07574).

Journal Articles

- 1 X. Xu, B. Yao, Y. Dong, *et al.*, “Mental-llm: Leveraging large language models for mental health prediction via online text data,” *Proc. ACM Interact. Mob. Wearable Ubiquitous Technol.*, vol. 8, no. 1, Mar. 2024. [DOI: 10.1145/3643540](https://doi.org/10.1145/3643540).

Conference and Workshop Proceedings

- 1 K. Deng, A. Ray, R. Tan, S. Gabriel, B. A. Plummer, and K. Saenko, “Socratis: Are large multimodal models emotionally aware?” In *ICCV WECEIA*, 2023. [URL: https://api.semanticscholar.org/CorpusID:261395214](https://api.semanticscholar.org/CorpusID:261395214).
- 2 S. Gabriel, S. Hallinan, M. Sap, *et al.*, “Misinfo reaction frames: Reasoning about readers’ reactions to news headlines,” in *Proceedings of the 60th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (Volume 1: Long Papers)*, S. Muresan, P. Nakov, and A. Villavicencio, Eds., Dublin, Ireland: Association for Computational Linguistics, May 2022, pp. 3108–3127. [DOI: 10.18653/v1/2022.acl-long.222](https://doi.org/10.18653/v1/2022.acl-long.222).
- 3 S. Gabriel, H. Palangi, and Y. Choi, “NaturalAdversaries: Can naturalistic adversaries be as effective as artificial adversaries?” In *Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: EMNLP 2022*, Y. Goldberg, Z. Kozareva, and Y. Zhang, Eds., Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates: Association for Computational Linguistics, Dec. 2022, pp. 5635–5645. [DOI: 10.18653/v1/2022.findings-emnlp.413](https://doi.org/10.18653/v1/2022.findings-emnlp.413).
- 4 T. Hartvigsen, S. Gabriel, H. Palangi, M. Sap, D. Ray, and E. Kamar, “ToxiGen: A large-scale machine-generated dataset for adversarial and implicit hate speech detection,” in *Proceedings of the 60th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (Volume 1: Long Papers)*, S. Muresan, P. Nakov, and A. Villavicencio, Eds., Dublin, Ireland: Association for Computational Linguistics, May 2022, pp. 3309–3326. [DOI: 10.18653/v1/2022.acl-long.234](https://doi.org/10.18653/v1/2022.acl-long.234).
- 5 S. Gabriel, A. Bosselut, J. Da, *et al.*, “Discourse understanding and factual consistency in abstractive summarization,” in *Proceedings of the 16th Conference of the European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics: Main Volume*, P. Merlo, J. Tiedemann, and R. Tsarfaty, Eds., Online: Association for Computational Linguistics, Apr. 2021, pp. 435–447. [DOI: 10.18653/v1/2021.eacl-main.34](https://doi.org/10.18653/v1/2021.eacl-main.34).
- 6 S. Gabriel, A. Celikyilmaz, R. Jha, Y. Choi, and J. Gao, “GO FIGURE: A meta evaluation of factuality in summarization,” in *Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: ACL-IJCNLP 2021*, C. Zong, F. Xia, W. Li, and R. Navigli, Eds., Online: Association for Computational Linguistics, Aug. 2021, pp. 478–487. [DOI: 10.18653/v1/2021.findings-acl.42](https://doi.org/10.18653/v1/2021.findings-acl.42).

- 7 Z. Cheng, S. Gabriel, P. Bhambhani, *et al.*, “Detecting and tracking communal bird roosts in weather radar data,” in *Proceedings of the AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence*, vol. 34, Apr. 2020, pp. 378–385. [DOI: 10.1609/aaai.v34i01.5373](https://doi.org/10.1609/aaai.v34i01.5373).
- 8 S. Gabriel, C. Bhagavatula, V. Shwartz, R. L. Bras, M. Forbes, and Y. Choi, “Paragraph-level commonsense transformers with recurrent memory,” in *AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence*, 2020. [URL: https://api.semanticscholar.org/CorpusID:222134165](https://api.semanticscholar.org/CorpusID:222134165).
- 9 M. Sap, S. Gabriel, L. Qin, D. Jurafsky, N. A. Smith, and Y. Choi, “Social bias frames: Reasoning about social and power implications of language,” in *Proceedings of the 58th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics*, D. Jurafsky, J. Chai, N. Schluter, and J. Tetreault, Eds., Online: Association for Computational Linguistics, Jul. 2020, pp. 5477–5490. [DOI: 10.18653/v1/2020.acl-main.486](https://doi.org/10.18653/v1/2020.acl-main.486).
- 10 A. Amini, S. Gabriel, S. Lin, R. Koncel-Kedziorski, Y. Choi, and H. Hajishirzi, “MathQA: Towards interpretable math word problem solving with operation-based formalisms,” in *Proceedings of the 2019 Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics: Human Language Technologies, Volume 1 (Long and Short Papers)*, J. Burstein, C. Doran, and T. Solorio, Eds., Minneapolis, Minnesota: Association for Computational Linguistics, Jun. 2019, pp. 2357–2367. [DOI: 10.18653/v1/N19-1245](https://doi.org/10.18653/v1/N19-1245).
- 11 M. Sap, D. Card, S. Gabriel, Y. Choi, and N. A. Smith, “The risk of racial bias in hate speech detection,” in *Proceedings of the 57th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics*, A. Korhonen, D. Traum, and L. Márquez, Eds., Florence, Italy: Association for Computational Linguistics, Jul. 2019, pp. 1668–1678. [DOI: 10.18653/v1/P19-1163](https://doi.org/10.18653/v1/P19-1163).
- 12 A. Walsman, Y. Bisk, S. Gabriel, *et al.*, “Early fusion for goal directed robotic vision,” in *2019 IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS)*, 2019, pp. 1025–1031. [DOI: 10.1109/IROS40897.2019.8968165](https://doi.org/10.1109/IROS40897.2019.8968165).

Teaching

Instructor	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Data Science Capstone (DS-GA 1006). New York University, Fall 2023.
Guest Lecturer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Ethical Machine Learning In Human Deployments. Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Spring 2024. ■ Computational Ethics. Carnegie Mellon University, Spring 2023 and 2024. ■ Natural Language Processing. Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Fall 2023. ■ AI Ethics. Oakton College, Fall 2023. ■ Natural Language Processing (Undergrad). University of Washington, Spring 2023. ■ Intro to Machine Learning. University of Washington, Fall 2022. ■ Natural Language Processing. Mount Holyoke College, Fall 2019. ■ NLP State-of-the-Art Methods. Carlson School of Management, Fall 2019.
Teaching Assistant	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Natural Language Processing (Undergrad/Grad). University of Washington. ■ Real Analysis. Mount Holyoke College.

Selected Talks & Panels

- Invited talk at UCLA Statistics and Data Science Seminar, March 2024.
- NeurIPS panelist on "Becoming a Successful AI Researcher/Engineer," December 2023.
- Invited talk at NYU Center for Data Science Lunch Seminar, November 2023.
- Invited talk at Northeastern, November 2023.
- Invited talk at NYU-KAIST Inclusive AI Workshop, November 2023.
- Invited talk at Mount Holyoke College Computer Science and Mathematics Lunch Seminar, October 2023.

Selected Talks & Panels (continued)

- NYU Academic Careers panelist, Fall 2023.
- University of Washington Academic Careers panelist, Fall 2023.
- Panelist for CHIL 2023 session on *LLMs and Healthcare*, June 2023.
- Invited talk at Spotify NYC, June 2023.
- Invited talk at Cornell JEDI Dialogues Seminar, April 2022.
- Darpa SemaFor Workshop keynote, February 2022.
- Invited talk at Stanford NLP Seminar, December 2021.
- Presentation at MIT EECS Rising Stars Workshop, October 2021.
- Invited talk at UMass Amherst Rising Stars Colloquium, January 2021.
- Invited talk at NeurIPS 2020 Resistance AI Workshop, December 2020.
- Panelist for Voice Tech Global session on *Implicit Bias in Conversational AI*, July 2020.

Service

- Reviewing
 - ACL*, NAACL*, EMNLP, NeurIPS, AAAI, ICLR, ICML, Computational Linguistics, Journal of Artificial Intelligence, Journal of the American Medical Informatics Association (*Outstanding Reviewer)
- Organizing Committee
 - NeurIPS 2023, Tutorial Co-Chair
 - NAACL 2022, Socio-Cultural Inclusion Co-Chair and Generation Session Chair
 - SIGDIAL 2021, Safety for E2E Conversational AI Special Session
- Peer Mentoring
 - GEM Computer Science Mentor at Mount Holyoke College (Spring 2016)

Misc

- Author of "The Nightghosts' Child" novel
- Inventor of a solar charging jacket called "The Turtle"
- University of Washington NLP Retreat Organizer (2018, 2019)
- University of Washington CSE Visit Days Committee (2018)
- Mount Holyoke College CS Department Chair Student Search Committee (2016-2017)