

HAIWEN LI

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Human-AI/LLM Interaction, Computational Social Science, Social Computing

EDUCATION

- **Massachusetts Institute of Technology** *September 2022 - June 2027 (expected)*
Cambridge, MA
Ph.D. in Social and Engineering Systems
 - GPA: 5.0/5.0
 - Relevant coursework: Probability Theory, Statistical Inference, Information Theory, Econometrics and Causal Inference
- **University of California, Los Angeles** *June 2022*
Los Angeles, CA
B.S. in Statistics (UCLA Honors Program)
 - GPA: 3.96/4.0 (Summa Cum Laude)
 - Relevant coursework: Statistical Modeling and Inference, Statistical Models in Finance, Machine Learning, Reinforcement Learning

PUBLICATIONS

AI Fact-Checking in the Wild: A Field Evaluation of LLM-Written Community Notes on X [[Paper](#)] [[Project](#)]

Haiwen Li, Michiel A. Bakker
preprint

The Rise of AI Search: Implications for Information Markets and Human Judgement at Scale [[Paper](#)]
Sinan Aral, Haiwen Li, Rui Zuo
preprint

Trusting GenAI: A Large Scale Generative Search Experiment
Haiwen Li, Sinan Aral
Accepted at Nature Human Behavior

Scaling Human Judgment in Community Notes with LLMs [[Paper](#)]
Haiwen Li, Soham De, Manon Revel, Andreas Haupt, Brad Miller, Keith Coleman, Jay Baxter, Martin Saveski, Michiel A. Bakker
Journal of Online Trust and Safety (2025)

Nudge Users to Catch Generative AI Errors [[Paper](#)]
Renée Gosline, Yunhao Zhang, Haiwen Li, Accenture Research
MIT Sloan Management Review (2024)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- **Massachusetts Institute of Technology** *Fall 2023 -*
Cambridge, MA
Research Assistant
- **Visual Intelligence Lab (UCLA)** *September 2021 - March 2022*
Los Angeles, CA
Research Assistant
 - Implemented reinforcement learning algorithms and neural networks to construct a solver that significantly reduces the computational cost of large-scale partially observable MDP
- **Center for Vision, Cognition, Learning, and Autonomy (UCLA)** *June 2021 - August 2021*
Los Angeles, CA
Research Assistant for Reasoning in Vision, Language, and Knowledge
 - Created interactive visualizations for a Question-Answering dataset
- **MIT Sloan School of Management** *March 2020 - October 2020*
Remote
Research Assistant
 - Developed text-based product classifier using latent semantic analysis and XGBoost algorithm
 - Studied how tiktok video features drive video engagement and product sales

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- **MIT Sloan School of Management**

Teaching Assistant for Digital Marketing and Social Media Analytics (Student Feedback: 6.3/7.0)

Fall 2024

Cambridge, MA

- Conducted recitation sessions on empirical causal inference analysis

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- **2026 INFORMS Annual Meeting**

2026

- **2026 IDE Annual Conference**

2026

- **The 4th Annual Trust and Safety Research Conference**

2025

HONORS AND AWARDS

- **Michael Hammer Fellowship**

2022

Institute for Data, Systems, and Society, MIT

- **Dean's Honors List**

2020, 2021

University of California, Los Angeles

SERVICE

- **Reviewer**

2025

CSCW 2025, HAI 2025