# TAROT: A Hierarchical Framework with Multitask Co-Pretraining on Semi-Structured Data Towards Effective Person-Job Fit

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#### **Person-Job Fit Task**

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### **Results**

Task	Job Recommendation			<b>Candidate Recommendation</b>		
Models	AUC	Recall	NDCG	AUC	Recall	NDCG
PJFNN+B	+2.54%	+2.28%	+2.03%	+0.33%	+1.46%	+1.77%
PJFNN+T	+4.48%	+3.94%	+3.90%	+6.98%	+8.18%	+13.49%
APJFNN+B	+10.69%	+4.90%	+2.24%	+6.87%	+9.46%	+12.08%
<b>APJFNN+T</b>	+11.89%	+6.28%	+10.55%	+8.30%	+14.22%	+17.03%

A job seeker u apply to a job j, the objective of Person-job fit is to predict M(u, j) where *M* refers to the matching degree.

## **Text Compression in P-J Fit**



User profiles/resumes are of hierarchical structures,

Table 1. Offline experiment results.

The baseline model for comparison is PJFNN[1] with member and job raw features. B refers to BERT embeddings and T refers to TAROT embeddings. Both embeddings serve as plugins during experimentation and serving.

# **Analysis and Discussions**

Task	Job Recommendation			<b>Candidate Recommendation</b>					
Models	AUC	NDCG	MRR	AUC	NDCG	MRR			
OF	-	_	_	_	-	-			
OF+B	+0.3%	-0.7%	-1.9%	+1.8%	+0.6%	+0.6%			
OF+T	+6.0%	+12.9%	+6.0%	+5.5%	+4.3%	+4.5%			
[1] OF: Online Features, B: BERT embeddings, T: TAROT embeddings									
Table 2. Online experiment results.									





and so are job descriptions. However, previous works [1,2,3] typically ignore this hierarchical feature, and the correlation between profile and job descriptions.

Figure 2. Comparison between TAROT and BERT embeddings.



#### **TAROT Model**

Figure 1. TAROT model structure.

TAROT model framework. Gray boxes refer to different pretraining tasks at each level. Given a user profile u = $\{s_{u,1}, s_{u,2}, \dots\}$  and a job description  $j = \{s_{j,1}, s_{j,2}, \dots\}$ , the model first produces a section level embedding for both uand j. After that, in the individual level, the fusion layer fuse the section embeddings to form individual embeddings  $emb_u$  and  $emb_i$ . At each level, we design a pretraining task, to help the model learn better representations.

#### References

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