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HR Management Big Data Mining Based on Computational Intelligence and Deep Learning

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1. Introduction

In order to achieve long-term development, enterprises need to put the advantages of HRs to better use. The modern human capital theory consensus points out that the most valuable asset of an enterprise is human capital [1]. If an enterprise wants to achieve long-term sustainable development and formulate a more permanent development strategy, it must take precise and detailed HR planning as the first priority, and especially in the current situation of rising human resource costs, only the accurate deployment of human resource costs in advance can reduce costs [2]. Only by making the HR cost planning precise and detailed in advance can, we reduce the cost of manpower and shift to a more efficient cost allocation model [3].

Even if the labor productivity of the best employees in the same position is much higher than that of the average or poor employees, the best employees in the same position should not be taken as the standard for staffing [4]. Only by systematically screening and judging the skills, experience, and level of different employees as well as the needs of the position can we find the most suitable employees for the position so as to achieve the best overall organizational effectiveness [5, 6]. However, it is worth noting that the process of HR allocation is not a simple selection process but only relies on scientific methods to achieve the best results of the system.

In the use of HR computing intelligence, enterprises are able to access all the contents that are closely related to HR [7]. The relevant data and information on the practical application, on the one hand, and easy to grasp specific information of enterprise development, on the other hand, can provide a reference for the enterprise to make the corresponding management decisions. When data mining technology is applied to HR management, the main content can be divided into three categories: The first category is real-time data. This type of data is mainly reflected in the personnel roster, including individual and organizational levels, where the individual level contains the number of personnel, personnel structure, work experience, age structure, education structure, skills and specialties, certification structure, and family background [8]. The organization level contains...
six modules, including HR management, HR strategy management, payroll, and performance management. The second category is dynamic data. This part of data is usually reflected in data reports, such as labor cost tables, and so on [9]. In the management of such data, statistical calculations and tracking records are required. The third category is integrated data. It mainly refers to the information in the form of designed questionnaires and so on and after integration and analysis, such as employee satisfaction.

There are a limited number of personnel at different levels, and too many or too few will affect the stable operation of the company [10, 11]. Therefore, the ratio of supervisors to employees should be kept within a reasonable range. At the same time, in HR management, different management methods are implemented for a given number of employees, and there are differences in the management effect. At the same time, the same management style for different quality and able employees will also make a difference in management efficiency. Therefore, it is crucial for enterprises to adopt scientific and effective management methods according to different information in HR management, while using traditional management methods, it is difficult to realize the use and effective mastering of corresponding information care. In contrast, the management with the assistance of data mining technology in the new era can improve the effect of carrying out the relevant work [12]. For example, if a company controls the proportion of employees who are responsible for the corresponding functions, by analyzing information such as the work capacity of the personnel concerned and the number of people served, it is possible to quickly determine whether the staffing should be increased, maintained, or reduced and improve the rational use of HR [13].

Further, this paper proposes an end-to-end competency-aware neural job requirement generation framework to automate the generation of job requirements, and the prediction based on competency themes enables the prediction of skill words in job requirements. A neural theme model is first designed to explore various competency and skill-related information from real-world HR data. Then an encoder-decoder recurrent neural network is proposed to implement job requirement generation, and a competency-aware attention mechanism and a replication mechanism are proposed to guide the generation process to ensure that the generated job requirement descriptions comprehensively cover the relevant and representative competencies and skill requirements of the job. A competency-aware strategy gradient training algorithm is then proposed to further enhance the rationality of the generated job requirement descriptions. Finally, extensive experiments on real-world HR data sets clearly validate the effectiveness and interpretability of the proposed framework and its variants compared to state-of-the-art benchmarks. Thus, the proposed framework can be effectively applied to talent attraction scenarios in HR services.

2. Related Work

Following the commonly used definition, computational intelligence refers to the nontrivial process of identifying novel, potentially useful, and valid patterns in data [9, 14]. During this period, there is a wide range of data mining application areas and corresponding research fields, which also include the field of business management, as well as well-established subfields such as customer management, manufacturing management, or financial management [14].

Recently, these enterprise application domains seem to be complemented by HRM. In the last few years, an increasing number of research contributions aim to support the practical adoption of data mining in HRM. Contributions are various activities and processes of HRM, such as selecting employees or predicting employee turnover [15], to determine the competencies of employees in development, or predicting and evaluating employee performance in performance management [16–18]. To provide these functions, a whole range of data mining methods such as classification trees [19], clustering [20], association analysis [21], support vector machines [22], or neural networks [12, 23] are used, while system improvements and customizations [24] are also presented. In short, browsing the literature gives the impression of a flourishing new field of data mining research that fits the specific requirements of the HR field and is therefore very useful for HR practice.

However, the large number of relevant contributions and different results complicate the overview of the current state of research. Therefore, this thesis aims to design a rational architecture for HRM to be effectively applied to talent attraction scenarios in HR services.

3. Data-Mining-Based Multifactor HR Requirements

3.1. Data Mining. Data mining is also the effective use of all mathematical algorithms to discover potential patterns from the resulting information. Therefore, it can also be said that the process of finding out the inner laws of the company’s HR needs and other influencing elements that interact with each other is to make demand forecasts for the process of data mining in the context of both internal and external effects of the company [25].

Machine learning uses statistics to uncover general patterns that exist in various types of input data and builds training models based on them to predict new input outcomes. For example, support vector machines are based on statistical learning theory, which can reduce structural risk and have the advantages of being theoretically adequate and easy to operate [26].

Initially, support vector machines were proposed in the context of data classification, but the role of kernel functions and support vectors in support vector machines led to the extension of the problem to the field of regression analysis, giving birth to the problem of vector regression machines, also known as support vector regression. The minimum deviation of all sampling points can be obtained in the sample space, and thus, the effect of nonlinear regression in the original space can be derived. The SVR-based features can explore the outstanding performance in the sample data, so it is very useful for enterprises to predict HRs.
The equation defining the regression function is as follows:

\[ f(x) = w \times \phi(x) + b. \]  

(1)

In the high-dimensional eigenspace, the SVR represents the input quantity better by means of the kernel function, while the penalty coefficient \( C \) and the relaxation variable \( \varepsilon \) are introduced together to optimize the daily function as follows:

\[ \min \frac{1}{2}||\omega||^2 + C \sum (\xi_i + \xi_i^+). \]  

(2)

The calculation of the extremal point is achieved mainly by means of the Lagrangian function.

3.2. Variable Weight Support Vector Regression Machines. When forecasting the demand for HRs, it is necessary to effectively enter the historical data of the time series, which is characterized by a gradual decline with time regression [27, 28]. In the process of regression, the regression error distortion to appear. With the help of the weight dominant in the regression super flat, which allows the same, and the large variance samples are absolutely presented. When forecasting the demand for HRs, it is necessary to preprocess all the data effectively enter the historical data of the timeseries, which is characterized by a gradual decline with time regression results, so it is necessary to preprocess all the data [28]. When processing each group of data, the z-score method can be used, and its formula is as follows:

\[ y_i = \frac{x_i - \bar{x}}{\delta_i}. \]  

(4)

where \( \bar{x} \) is the original data, \( y \) is the predicted value, and \( \delta_i \) is the distribution factor. After preprocessing, the approximate numerical magnitude of all core factors was effectively obtained.

4. Forecasting Variable-Weight SVR HR Requirements. The kernel function is filled by a Gaussian function as follows:

\[ K(x_i, x_j) = \exp \left[ -\frac{1}{\delta^2} (x_i - x_j)^2 \right]. \]  

(5)

The experimental findings are carefully analyzed, while the experience accumulated over the years is effectively combined, and the kernel width is set to \( \delta^2 = 2 \), so that the high-dimensional nonlinearity of the data is better represented. When the penalty factor \( C = 100 \), the penalty factor can be avoided, which results in deterioration of performance and generalization of the data. When the base of the relaxation variable in the model is set to 0.01, the accuracy of the data points is very high and the number of support vectors in the training model is minimal, which results in a better extrapolation of the model. In order to enable the prediction accuracy of the method, five years of historical data from 2015 to 2019 were synthesized into a training set [26, 29], which allowed the regression model to be created in a reasonable manner. The actual situation of the company’s HRs in 2019 has met the company’s strategy implementation needs to the greatest extent, which fully demonstrates the effectiveness of the forecasting method. This is a good indication of the effectiveness of the method. Using this method to forecast the company’s HR demand in 2020, the six years of historical data from 2015 to 2020 were combined into a training set, and all key factors for 2020 were entered into the SVR model, resulting in an HR demand of 5,963 people in 2020, with a shortfall of more than 300 people.

5. The Proposed Framework

5.1. Problem Definition. The goal of this paper is to automate the generation of job requirement descriptions. Given a set \( C \) of job requirement documents for \(|c| \) different jobs, that is, \( C = \{(X_i, Y_j)\}_{i=1}^{c} \), where \( X_i \) is the job duties, which describe the duties of the \( i \)-th job, and \( Y_j \) is the job requirements, which describe the various competency needs of the job. Specifically, for each job responsibility \( X_i \), it is assumed to contain \( M^d \) words, that is, \( X_i = \{x_1, x_2, \ldots, x_{M^d}\} \) requirements typically contain multiple sentences to describe different competency requirements, so \( Y_i \) each job requirement is represented as \( Y_i = \{y_1, y_2, \ldots, y_N\} \), where \( y_j \) is the \( j \)-th sentence. For example, Figure 1 contains five job requirement statements, that is, \( N=5 \), which correspond to the introduction of education, programming, machine learning, audio processing, and teamwork; the different colors in Figure 1 represent different neurons.

In addition, it is assumed that each \( y_j \) contains \( M_j^c \) words, that is, \( y_j = \{y_{j,1}, y_{j,2}, \ldots, y_{j,M_j^c}\} \). In order to analyze the fine-grained competency requirements of each job, the idea of the paper is followed here to train a neural model.
to extract the skill words in each job requirement. Based on the annotation of these words, a list of competency words corresponding to each \( y_j \) can be generated, that is, \( s_j = \{ s_{j,1}, s_{j,2}, \ldots, s_{j,M_i} \} \). Based on this idea, the following job requirement description generation problem is defined in this section.

Problem definition: given a set of HR text blocks \( C \). Each \( c_i \in C \) contains a job responsibility \( X_i \) and a job requirement \( Y_i \). The goal of job requirement description generation is to learn a model \( M \) whose smooth and reasonable job requirements \( Y_{\text{new}} \) can be generated when a new job responsibility \( X_{\text{new}} \) is given.

The proposed automatic job requirement generation framework (Cajon) based on skill prediction contains three main components: capability-aware under neural topic model (CANTM), the neural model for job requirement generation under ability perception (CANJRG), and the policy gradient training algorithm under ability perception (CAPGTA). Figure 1 shows a schematic diagram of the framework without the CAPGTA training algorithm.

### 5.2. CANTM

This subsection proposes a novel CANTM for mining potential competence topics in job responsibilities and job requirements, as shown in Figure 2. Next, the generation process and the inference process in CANTM are described separately. CANTM generation process: in order to model the potential semantics in job responsibilities and job requirements, we assume that there exists two topic spaces with the number of potential topics of \( K_d \) and \( K_s \). Each topic is divided into \( K_d \) and \( K_s \), respectively.

Word distributions \( \beta_d^j \) and \( \beta_s^j \) can be expressed as

\[
\beta_d^j = \text{softmax} \left( v_d \cdot (t_d)^T \right), \\
\beta_s^j = \text{softmax} \left( v_s \cdot (t_s)^T \right),
\]

(6)

where \( t_d \in \mathbb{R}^{K_d \times H} \) and \( t_s \in \mathbb{R}^{K_s \times H} \) are topic-based parameters, respectively, and \( v_d \in \mathbb{R}^{V_d \times H} \) and \( v_s \in \mathbb{R}^{V_s \times H} \) are word-based parameters, respectively, all of which will be learned during the training process. The other \( V_d \) and \( V_s \) are the word list sizes for job responsibilities and job requirements, respectively. And only the list of competency words \( s_i \) is considered here as data input for the job requirement part of CANTM, which can reduce input noise and improve the performance of learning potential competency topics in job requirements.

Similar to the LAD topic model [30], it is assumed here that each job duty \( X_i \) and list of competency words \( s_i \) in the job requirements \( Y_i \) have topic vectors \( \theta_d^i \) and \( \theta_s^i \), respectively, where \( \theta_d^i \in \mathbb{R}^{K_d} \) and \( \theta_s^i \in \mathbb{R}^{K_s} \). Here, \( \theta_d^i \) and \( \theta_s^i \) are generated based on Gaussian softmax, respectively. Specifically, the generation process for post \( X_i \) is as follows:

- **Sampling hidden variables** \( z_d^i \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_d, \sigma_d^2) \):

\[
\theta_d^i = \text{softmax} \left( f_{\theta_d}(z_d^i) \right).
\]

(7)

For the \( L \)-th word in \( X_i \); sampled word \( x_i \sim \theta_d^i \cdot \beta_d^i \), where \( \mu_d \) and \( \sigma_d^2 \) are a priori parameter and \( f_{\theta_d}(\cdot) \) is a neuron activated by a nonlinear function.

The difference is that for the generation process of competency word lists \( S_i \) in job requirements \( Y_i \), usually, only one competency topic is designed. Based on this, the generation process is as follows:
Sampling hidden variables $z^t \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_{z^t}, \sigma_{z^t}^2)$:

$$\theta^t = \text{soft max}(f_{\theta'}(z^t)).$$  \hfill (8)

The probability of the word $s_j$ in the $j$-th sentence can be expressed as

$$p(s_j \mid \theta^t, \beta^t) = \theta^t \cdot \prod_{k=1}^{M^t} \beta_{\theta^t, s_j, k},$$ \hfill (9)

where $\mu_s$ and $\sigma_s$ are a priori parameters and $\beta_{\theta^t, s_j, k}$ represents the column vector of ability words in $\beta^t$. In this paper, an end-to-end competency-aware neural job requirement generation framework is proposed to automate the generation of job requirements, and the prediction of skill words in job requirements can be achieved based on the prediction of competency themes. A neural topic model is first designed; then an encoder-decoder LSTM is proposed to implement a job requirement generation, followed by a competency-aware policy gradient-based training algorithm to further enhance the rationality of the generated job requirement descriptions. Finally, extensive experiments on real-world HR data sets clearly validate the effectiveness and interpretability of the proposed framework and its variants in comparison with state-of-the-art benchmarks.

In addition, in order to model the strong correlation between each job position $X_i$ and the competency term $S_i$ in the job requirements $Y_j$, the following mapping relationship is assumed here for the a priori parameters of their potential topics.

$$\mu_s = W_s \mu_{d^t}, \log \sigma_s = W_{\sigma} \log \sigma_{d^t}$$

CANTM Inference Process: the edge likelihood [31] of the CANTM-based generation process is as follows:

$$p(X_i, S_i \mid \mu_{d^t}, \mu_s, \sigma_{d^t}, \sigma_s, \beta^t, \beta_s)$$

$$= \int p(\theta^t \mid \mu_{d^t}, \sigma_{d^t}^2) \prod_{k=1}^{M^t} p(x_k \mid \theta^t, \beta^t) d\theta^t$$

$$\cdot \int p(\theta^t \mid \mu_s, \sigma_s^2) \prod_{j=1}^{N} p(s_j \mid \theta^t, \beta^t) d\theta^t. \\hfill (10)$$

The neural variational method is used here to approximate the posterior distribution on $\theta^t$ and $\theta_s$. Based on equation (10), the variational lower bound for the log-likelihood is as follows:

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathbb{E}_{q(\theta^t)} \left[ \sum_{k=1}^{M^t} \log p(x_k \mid \theta^t, \beta^t) \right] - D_{KL}(q(\theta^t) \| p(\theta^t \mid \mu_{d^t}, \sigma_{d^t}^2))$$

$$+ \mathbb{E}_{q(\theta^t)} \left[ \sum_{j=1}^{N} \log p(s_j \mid \theta^t, \beta^t) \right] - D_{KL}(q(\theta^t) \| p(\theta^t \mid \mu_s, \sigma_s^2)). \\hfill (11)$$

where $q(\theta^t)$ and $q(\theta_s)$ are estimates of the variance distribution of the true posterior $p(\theta^t \mid X_i, S_i)$ and $p(\theta^t \mid X_i, S_i)$, respectively. $D_{KL}$ represents the Kullback–Leibler divergence [5, 32]. The proof is derived as follows:

$$\mathcal{L} = \log \int p(\theta^t \mid \mu_{d^t}, \sigma_{d^t}^2) \prod_{k=1}^{M^t} p(x_k \mid \theta^t, \beta^t) d\theta^t + \log \int p(\theta^t \mid \mu_s, \sigma_s^2) \prod_{j=1}^{N} p(s_j \mid \theta^t, \beta^t) d\theta^t$$

$$= \log \int \frac{q(\theta^t)}{q(\theta^t)} p(\theta^t \mid \mu_{d^t}, \sigma_{d^t}^2) \prod_{k=1}^{M^t} p(x_k \mid \theta^t, \beta^t) d\theta^t + \log \int \frac{q(\theta^t)}{q(\theta^t)} p(\theta^t \mid \mu_s, \sigma_s^2) \prod_{j=1}^{N} p(s_j \mid \theta^t, \beta^t) d\theta^t$$

$$\geq \int q(\theta^t) \log \left[ p(\theta^t \mid \mu_{d^t}, \sigma_{d^t}^2) \prod_{k=1}^{M^t} p(x_k \mid \theta^t, \beta^t) \right] d\theta^t$$

$$+ \int q(\theta^t) \log \left[ p(\theta^t \mid \mu_s, \sigma_s^2) \prod_{j=1}^{N} p(s_j \mid \theta^t, \beta^t) \right] d\theta^t$$

$$- \int q(\theta^t) \log q(\theta^t) d\theta^t - \int q(\theta^t) \log q(\theta^t) d\theta^t$$

$$= \mathbb{E}_{q(\theta^t)} \left[ \sum_{k=1}^{M^t} \log p(x_k \mid \theta^t, \beta^t) \right] - D_{KL}(q(\theta^t) \| p(\theta^t \mid \mu_{d^t}, \sigma_{d^t}^2))$$

$$+ \mathbb{E}_{q(\theta^t)} \left[ \sum_{j=1}^{N} \log p(s_j \mid \theta^t, \beta^t) \right] - D_{KL}(q(\theta^t) \| p(\theta^t \mid \mu_s, \sigma_s^2)). \\hfill (12)$$
We generate the variance parameters \( \mu_d(X_i, S_i) \), \( \log \sigma_d(X_i, S_i) \), \( \mu_r(X_i, S_i) \), and \( \log \sigma_r(X_i, S_i) \) here based on the idea of the paper to estimate \( \mu_d \), \( \sigma_d \), \( \mu_r \), and \( \sigma_r \) through input \( X_i \). This allows the CANTM model to explore potential competency thematic representations through job duties only \( \theta_d \) and \( \theta_r \). Therefore, an inferential network based on the observed job duties \( X_i \) is introduced here, combined with equation (12) to generate the above variance parameters as follows:

\[
\begin{align*}
\mu_d(X_i, S_i) &= \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{P}}(f_{\mu_d}(X_i^{bow})), \\
\mu_r(X_i, S_i) &= W_r \mu_d(X_i, S_i), \\
\log \sigma_d(X_i, S_i) &= \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{P}}(f_{\sigma_d}(X_i^{bow})), \\
\log \sigma_r(X_i, S_i) &= W_r \log \sigma_d(X_i, S_i),
\end{align*}
\]

where \( (X_i^{bow}) \) is the bag-of-words vector of \( X_i \), \( (f_{\mu_d}(.)) \) is a neuron activated by a nonlinear function, and \( (f_{\sigma_d}(.)) \) are linear neural perceptual functions.

Based on this, the following loss function can be directly minimized for each set of instances \((X_i, S_i)\) during the training process:

\[
\mathcal{L}_{\text{CANTM}} = \sum_{k=1}^{M} \log (\mathbb{D} \cdot \mathbb{P}_{s_{k-x_k}}) + D_{KL}(q(\theta^t)\|p(\theta^t)).
\]

(14)

There, all parameters in CANTM can be inferred, and the potential competency themes involved in each position can be further explored.

5.3. CANJRRT. After learning about the potential competency themes through CANTM, this subsection describes how to use the encoder-decoder neural model to generate job requirements. As shown in Figure 3, it contains two main components, including a sequence encoder that extracts semantic information from the input job responsibilities \( X_i \), and a sequence decoder under competency awareness, which can generate each word in the job requirements \( Y_i \) by the guidance of potential competency themes.

Sequence encoder: first use an embedding layer to find the embedding vector \( e_d^d \) for each word \( x_k \) in \( X_i \), and then use a Bi-LSTM [5, 33] to encode the sequence \( \{e_d^1, e_d^2, \ldots, e_d^d\} \):

\[
\overrightarrow{h_d^i} = \text{LSTM}(e_d^1, \overrightarrow{h_d^{i-1}}), \quad \overleftarrow{h_d^i} = \text{LSTM}(e_d^d, \overleftarrow{h_d^{i-1}}), \quad e_d^i = W_{ed} x_k \text{ is the word vector of } x_k \text{ and the LSTM is a unidirectional LSTM network. Finally, } h_d^i = [\overrightarrow{h_d^i}; \overleftarrow{h_d^i}] \text{ is used to represent the final hidden vector of the } x_k \text{ sequence encoder.}
\]

Competency-aware sequence decoder: the following describes how to construct a decoder to generate each word in job requirement \( Y_i \). In the generation process, the competency topic \( t_j \) is first estimated for each sentence \( y_{j,k} \) in \( Y_i \), and then each word is predicted the following probability \( y_{j,k} \):

\[
p(y_{j,k} | X_i) = p(y_{j,k} | y_{<j}, y_{j<k}, \mathcal{R}, \theta^t, t_j).
\]

(15)
The capability-aware context vectors \( u^c_t \) and \( u^c_{j,k} \) can then be calculated by the following equations:

\[
\begin{align*}
u^c_t &= \sum_{i=1}^{N} \alpha^c_{t,j} h^c_{tj}, \\
u^c_{j,k} &= \sum_{i=1}^{M^c_j} \alpha^c_{i,j,k} h^c_{i,j,k}.
\end{align*}
\]  

(18)

The ability theme labels can then be predicted. \( t_j \) and \( y_j \) for each word in \( y_{j,k} \) as follows:

\[
\begin{align*}
p(t_j | t_{<j}, \mathcal{H}, \theta^\prime) &= \text{softmax}(W_t [h^c_t; u^c_t; \theta^\prime] + b_t), \\
p(y_{j,k} | y_{<j}, y_{<j,k}, \mathcal{H}, \theta^\prime, t_j) &= \text{softmax}(W_r [h^c_{j,k}; u^c_{j,k}; \theta^\prime] + b_r).
\end{align*}
\]  

(19)

In addition, an ability-aware replication mechanism is designed such that the proposed decoder can directly replicate the words in the ability vocabulary. Specifically, a generation probability is defined here when \( y_j \) generates the \( k \)-th word: \( y_{j,k} \); \( p_{\text{gen}} \in [0,1] \).

The probability distribution of the predicted words based on the ability word list can then be updated with the following equation:

\[
p(y_{j,k} | y_{<j}, y_{<j,k}, \mathcal{H}, \theta^\prime, t_j) = p_{\text{gen}} \text{softmax}(W_r [h^c_{j,k}; u^c_{j,k}; \theta^\prime] + b_r) + (1 - p_{\text{gen}}) (\beta^t)_{t_j},
\]  

(20)

where \( (\beta^t)_{t_j} \) is the word distribution in topic.

Finally, in the heterogeneous model, for each group of training instances \( (X_i, Y_i) \), the parameters in the model are learned by minimizing the following cross-entropy loss function:

\[
\mathcal{L}_{\text{CTL}} = -\sum_{j=1}^{N} \log p(t_j | X_i, \theta), \\
\mathcal{L}_{\text{GJR}} = -\sum_{j=1}^{N} \sum_{k=1}^{M^t_j} \log p(y_{j,k} | X_i, \theta).
\]  

(21)

5.4. Capability-Aware Policy Gradient Training Algorithm (CAPGTA). Before introducing CAPGTA, a basic end-to-end training approach will be shown to learn all the parameters in the above two models. Specifically, because of the CANTM neural variation, the loss functions \( \mathcal{L}_{\text{CANTM}}, \mathcal{L}_{\text{CTL}} \) and \( \mathcal{L}_{\text{GJR}} \), can be trained jointly at the same time.

\[
\mathcal{L}^* = \mathcal{L}_{\text{GJR}} + \lambda_1 \mathcal{L}_{\text{CANTM}} + \lambda_2 \mathcal{L}_{\text{CTL}},
\]  

where \( \lambda_1 \) and \( \lambda_2 \) are hypermastigote to balance each model. The teacher forcing algorithm is used in this training process. The previous real word \( y_{j,k-1} \) is used in the training to calculate \( h^t_t \) and \( h^c_{j,k} \). For the ability topic \( t_{j-1} \), the following is used for generation:

\[
t_{j-1} = \arg \max_l \left\{ \left( \theta^l \right)^i \left( \prod_{k=1}^{M^c_j} \beta^s_{l,j,k} \right) \right\}.  
\]  

(22)

And the predicted values are used as input in the testing sessions.

Direct minimization \( \mathcal{L}^* \) does not always generate the best job requirements because it does not directly optimize discrete assessment metrics such as ROUGE and BLKB [35]. In addition, it is desired here that the accuracy of the competencies involved in the generated job requirements can be optimized more intuitively, so that the rationality and validity of the generated results can be better ensured.

Some recent reinforcement learning techniques can be used to solve this nondifferentiable task metric problem. Here, the combination of CANTM and CANJRG can be considered as an agent [30, 36], which interacts with the environment, that is, the training instances. Given an input job duty \( X \), strategy \( \text{pol} - \text{icy} \) is determined by the parameter \( 0 \) of the intelligence for each action, that is, predicting the next word based on the current state. Until the end position (EOS) of the sequence of job requirements is generated, a reward will be observed. The goal of the whole training is to learn the strategy by minimizing the negative expected reward of

\[
\mathcal{L}_{\text{RL}} = -\mathbb{E}_{-\mathcal{P}_0(\tilde{Y} | X)} [r(\tilde{Y})].
\]  

(23)

Based on reinforcement learning algorithm, it obtains that

\[
\nabla_\theta \mathcal{L}_{\text{RL}} = -\mathbb{E}_{-\mathcal{P}_0(\tilde{Y} | X)} [r(\tilde{Y})] \nabla_\theta \log \mathcal{P}_0(\tilde{Y} | X).
\]  

(24)

It is possible to use a simple Monte–Carlo sampling \( \tilde{Y} \) based strategy \( \mathcal{P}_0 \) as follows:

\[
\nabla_\theta \mathcal{L}_{\text{RL}} = -r(\tilde{Y}) \nabla_\theta \sum_{j=1}^{N} \sum_{k=1}^{M^t_j} \log \mathcal{P}_0(y_{j,k} | X, \tilde{Y}, y_{<j}, y_{<j,k})
\]  

\[
\quad = -r(\tilde{Y}) \nabla_\theta \sum_{j=1}^{N} \sum_{k=1}^{M^t_j} \log \mathcal{P}_0(y_{j,k} | X, \tilde{Y}, y_{<j}, y_{<j,k})
\]  

\[
\quad + \sum_{k=1}^{M^c_j} \log \mathcal{P}_0(y_{j,k} | X, \tilde{Y}, y_{<j}, y_{<j,k})),
\]  

(25)

where \((\tilde{t}_1, \ldots, \tilde{t}_N)\) is a Monte–Carlo [37] sample of the capability label. \( \mathcal{P}_0(\tilde{t}_j | X, \tilde{t} < j) \) and \( \mathcal{P}_0(y_{j,k} | X, \tilde{Y}, y_{<j}, y_{<j,k}) \) are calculated from equations (23) and (24), respectively.
As mentioned earlier, here, it is desired to directly optimize the accuracy of the competencies in the generated job requirements. Therefore, we use the F1 values [38] of the generated skill terms as a reward function, that is,

\[
r_{\text{capability}}(\hat{Y}) = \frac{2 \text{Card}(\hat{S} \cap S)}{\text{Card}(S) + \text{Card}(\hat{S})},
\]

where \( S \) is the set of skill words in the actual job requirements and \( \hat{S} \) is the set of skill words in \( \hat{Y} \), representing the set size. The ROUGE-1 score is also incorporated into the reward function, which is used to measure statistical information based on the longest common subsequence between the actual and model-generated job requirements. This allows a direct optimization of the similarity of the sentence hierarchy to authenticity, which helps improve the fluency of the generated text. The reward function can then be set to

\[
r(\hat{Y}) = \lambda_3 r_{\text{capability}}(\hat{Y}) + \text{Rouge} - 1(\hat{Y}, Y).
\]

Finally, \( \mathcal{L}^* \) and \( \mathcal{L}^{\text{RL}} \) are used jointly to obtain the overall learning objective function as follows:

\[
\mathcal{L} = (1 - \gamma)\mathcal{L}^* + \gamma \mathcal{L}^{\text{RL}},
\]

where \( \gamma \) is the dynamic hypernatremia during the training process. It is first set to 0 for a period of training alone \( \mathcal{L}^* \), and then the value is gradually increased.

6. Experimental Analysis

This section presents the results of extensive experiments of quantitative analysis and manual evaluation on real-world HR data sets [4, 12] to demonstrate the effectiveness of the proposed Cajon in job skill prediction and job requirement generation.

6.1. Experimental Data. Two real-world HR data sets [4, 12], including technical (T) and product (P) related job data sets, are used here. Specifically, 3,475 and 2,351 different jobs were collected, respectively, including their job responsibilities and corresponding job requirement texts, which have been carefully proofread by six HR experts to ensure fluency and reasonableness. Some statistics are shown in Table 1 and Figures 4 and 5. In the experiments, 80% of the data set were randomly selected as training data, another 10% as test data to verify the performance, and the last 10% was used to tune the parameters.

In addition to generating reasonable skill words in job requirements, LSTM-CRF [15, 25] model was trained to extract possible competency words based on the method of the paper. With the help of HR experts, a final vocabulary containing 4,825 skill entities was obtained.

6.2. Training Parameters and Environment Setting. In the competency-aware neural topic model, the raw input of job responsibilities and competency words from the job descriptions is first converted into a bag-of-words vector [4, 23]. And before that, deactivated words and high- and low-frequency words are removed to enhance the model. The performance of the model is enhanced by removing the discontinued words and high- and low-frequency words. Here, the number of topics \( (K^e, K^s) \) is set to (30, 50) and (30, 30) for the \( T \) and \( P \) data sets, respectively. In addition, we add batch normalization in computing \( \mu_i(X_i, S_i), \mu_s(X_i, S_i), \log \sigma_i(X_i, S_i) \), and \( \log \sigma_s(X_i, S_i) \) to avoid the problem that KL divergence disappears during training.

In the capability-aware postrequirement generation model, the embedding layer sizes of word \( x_k, y_{jk} \) and topic tag \( t_k \) are 128, 128, and 50, respectively. Sequence encoder is implemented by a bidirectional LSTM, and the hidden layer size of each LSTM layer is 256. Capability-aware sequence decoder is implemented by two unidirectional LSTMs, both of which have a hidden layer size of 256. In addition, the size of the hidden layer states in both the capability-aware attention mechanism and the capability-aware replication mechanism are also set to 256.

During the training of the complete Cajon framework, the parameters are initialized using the Xavier strategy. Then 200 rounds of pretraining are performed on CANTM. After that, we set \( \lambda_1 = 1 \) and \( \lambda_2 = 1 \) to train the part of Cajon other than the reinforcement learning loss function. Finally, we set \( \lambda_1 = 1 \) and incrementally increase to train our model by equation (12). In addition, Adam is used as the optimizer, and the initial learning rate is set to 0.001. And, the gradient crop is also set to 1.0 to stabilize the training process. In the test phase of generation, we used the Beam Search algorithm and set the cluster size to 4.

The overall experiments were performed on a Linux server configured with RedHat 4.8.536, 2.40 GHz Intel(R) Xeon(R) Gold6148 CPU; models were developed based on the tensor flow framework.

6.3. Benchmarking Algorithm. To evaluate the effectiveness of the proposed approach, several state-of-the-art text generation methods are compared here, and these methods are adapted to fit the problem definition setting.

Seq2Seq [14] is a classical text-to-text generation model, which was proposed in the paper with the aim of implementing neural machine translation. In the experiments of this section, a concat-based approach to compute attention mechanisms is also applied, which is similar to the approach proposed in this chapter.

K2 [18] is a variant of Seq2Seq, a model that implements a pointer network and an overlay mechanism to handle the automatic digest problem.

Kid is a natural language generation model based on transformer networks, which are proposed to solve the sequence-to-sequence generation problem.

In addition, state-of-the-art automated job description writing methods are compared.

SAMA [19, 21] is the state-of-the-art automated job description writing model, which is presented in the paper. For a fair comparison with the proposed model, the characteristics of the additional information it uses (e.g., company size) are removed in this section of the experiments.

In addition, four variants of the Cajon framework are compared to assess the impact of each component of the
model on the generated results: Cajon (w/o RL) is a variant of Cajon in which the CAPGTA is removed from the training, that is, the training is done directly by the formula. Cajon (w/o RL, L\text{CANTM}) is a variant of Cajon (w/o RL, L\text{CTL}) that removes the ability topic label related part of the sequencedecoder, that is, only $\theta^s$ is used to introduce ability topic information.

Cajon (w/o RL, topic-copy) is a variant of Cajon (w/o RL), which removes the capability-aware replication-based mechanism.

6.4. Evaluation Indicators. In order to evaluate the effectiveness of job requirement generation, both automatic and manual assessments were used.

In the automatic evaluation, standard ROUGE metrics were used, including ROUGE-1, ROUGE-2, and ROUGE-L, which measure the statistics of unary word overlap, binary word overlap, and longest common subsequence (LCS) \[31\] in the comparison of real and automatically generated results, respectively. The BLEU evaluation metric, which measures the cooccurrence of $n$-words, was also used. Finally, the precision rate, recall rate, and F1 value of skill words in job requirements are used to automatically verify the rationality and validity of the generated results, as shown in Table 2.

Figure 6 shows the accuracy, recall, and F1 value data set of Cajon and its variants; the proposed model improves 1.06% and 4.60% in automatic metrics ROUGE-1 and BLEU-1, and 3.00% and 7.16% in manual metrics Fluency and Validity, respectively, compared to the best available techniques. This result clearly demonstrates the effectiveness of the proposed model in generating fluent and reasonable job requirements \[39\].

In addition, Figure 6 shows the precision, recall, and F1 values of the generated competency words in the job requirements. Here, it can be found that the proposed model outperforms the best results of all benchmarks of 9.49%,
3.55%, and 6.73% in the technical data and 20.62%, 5.29%, and 17.69% in the product data set, respectively. It clearly validates that the generated results of the proposed framework can more accurately capture the relevant and representative skill requirements of the position.

Ablation experiments: here, the effects of the proposed model and its variants are compared. And Seq2Seq can also be used as a variant of the proposed method, that is, the CANTM model is removed. Obviously, it is clear from the results that all model components can enhance the effect. Specifically, the performance decreases rapidly when only potential capability topic information is considered, which proves the importance of predicting potential capability topic labels for the decoder. As shown in Figure 7, the capability-awareness-based attention mechanism can improve about 2.61% and 1.38% of ROUGE-1 and BLEU-1, respectively, in the technology data set, and 2.53% and 4.83% in the product data set, respectively. Meanwhile, the capability-awareness-based replication mechanism can improve 1.87% and 0.84% in the technical data set on ROUGE-1 and BLEU-1 white spoon effect and 2.92% and 1.54% in the product data set, respectively. In addition, Figure 8 shows that the proposed CAPGTA can effectively improve the precision, recall, and F1 values of skill words in generating job requirements.

Subject number parameter experiments: as shown in Figure 8, to evaluate the parameter sensitivity, Cajon is trained here by tuning parameters $K_d$ and $K_s$, 0 to 100, whose other ones are fixed at $K_d = 30$ and $K_s = 50$ in the technical data set and $K_d = 30$ and $K_s = 30$ in the product data set. Here, it can be clearly observed that the best results can be obtained in the technical data set $K_d = 30$ and $K_s = 30$ and in the product data set $K_s = 30$ and $K_d = 30$.

6.5. Generating Example Studies and Discussion. To further illustrate the effectiveness and interpretability of the proposed framework, an example of job requirements generated by Cajon is given in Figure 9. Given the position to hire a data mining algorithm engineer, it can be found that the generated results are fluent and include competency requirements regarding education, work experience, data mining algorithms, basic programming language, and

| Data set | Method | ROUGE-1 | ROUGE-2 | ROUGE-L | BLEU-1 (%) | BLEU-4 (%) | Fluency | Validity |
|----------|--------|---------|---------|---------|------------|------------|---------|----------|
| T        | Seq2Seq| 0.6389  | 0.4151  | 0.5996  | 37.32      | 16.22      | 3.66    | 3.58     |
|          | pGNet  | 0.6413  | 0.4246  | 0.6061  | 38.14      | 16.75      | 3.70    | 3.61     |
|          | UniLM  | 0.6167  | 0.3965  | 0.5863  | 34.64      | 12.29      | 3.52    | 3.14     |
|          | SAMA   | 0.6004  | 0.3277  | 0.5455  | 39.30      | 15.07      | 3.47    | 3.52     |
|          | Cajon  | 0.6531  | 0.4296  | 0.6077  | 41.81      | 19.41      | 3.73    | 3.81     |
| P        | Seq2Seq| 0.7236  | 0.5085  | 0.7138  | 32.02      | 7.28       | 3.63    | 3.34     |
|          | pGNet  | 0.7421  | 0.5410  | 0.7331  | 32.72      | 8.28       | 3.67    | 3.41     |
|          | UniLM  | 0.7542  | 0.5439  | 0.7452  | 31.43      | 6.42       | 3.46    | 3.28     |
|          | SAMA   | 0.7160  | 0.4788  | 0.7074  | 34.76      | 9.00       | 3.55    | 3.49     |
|          | Cajon  | 0.7522  | 0.5757  | 0.7531  | 36.46      | 10.84      | 3.78    | 3.74     |

Figure 6: Different model performance: (a) technology (T) data set and (b) product (P) data set.
teamwork, most of which are mentioned in the job requirements written by experts. This proves that the proposed model is effective in generating fluent and reasonable job requirements. In addition when generating each job requirement statement, a word cloud representation corresponding to the predicted competency topic is shown. For this reason, it can be seen that the proposed CANTM can effectively learn meaningful competency themes, demonstrating that potential competency themes can
effectively guide the generation of job requirement texts, thus demonstrating the interpretability of the proposed framework.

7. Conclusions
In this paper, an end-to-end competency-aware neural job requirement generation framework is proposed to automate the generation of job requirements, and the prediction of skill words in job requirements can be achieved based on the prediction of competency themes. Then an encoder-decoder recurrent neural network is proposed to implement a job requirement generation, followed by a competency-aware policy gradient-based training algorithm to further enhance the rationality of the generated job requirement descriptions. Finally, extensive experiments on real-world HR data sets clearly validate the effectiveness and interpretability of the proposed framework and its variants in comparison with state-of-the-art benchmarks.

Data Availability
The data sets used in this paper are available from the corresponding author upon request.
Conflicts of Interest

The authors declare that they have no conflicts of interest regarding this work.

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