Structure-based Large-scale Dynamic Heterogeneous Graphs Processing: Applications, Challenges and Solutions

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ABSTRACT
Wenjie Zhang has given a Keynote Talk at the First Workshop on Graph Learning, associated with The ACM Web Conference 2022, on Monday 25th April 2022. This paper provides a summary of the topics she addressed during her talk.

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SUMMARY
With the advent of a wide spectrum of recent applications, processing heterogeneous graphs has received a great deal of attention from both academic and industry societies. Heterogeneous graphs involve objects (vertices) and links (edges) that are classified into multiple types; examples include bibliography networks, knowledge networks, and user-item networks in E-business. Structure-based analysis reveals the underlying connections and is an important task in processing heterogeneous graphs. However, the large scale and dynamic nature pose great challenges for efficient and scalable processing. This talk will focus on representative path-based and subgraph-based search models over large-scale dynamic heterogeneous graph processing, and discuss the applications, challenges and solutions.

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