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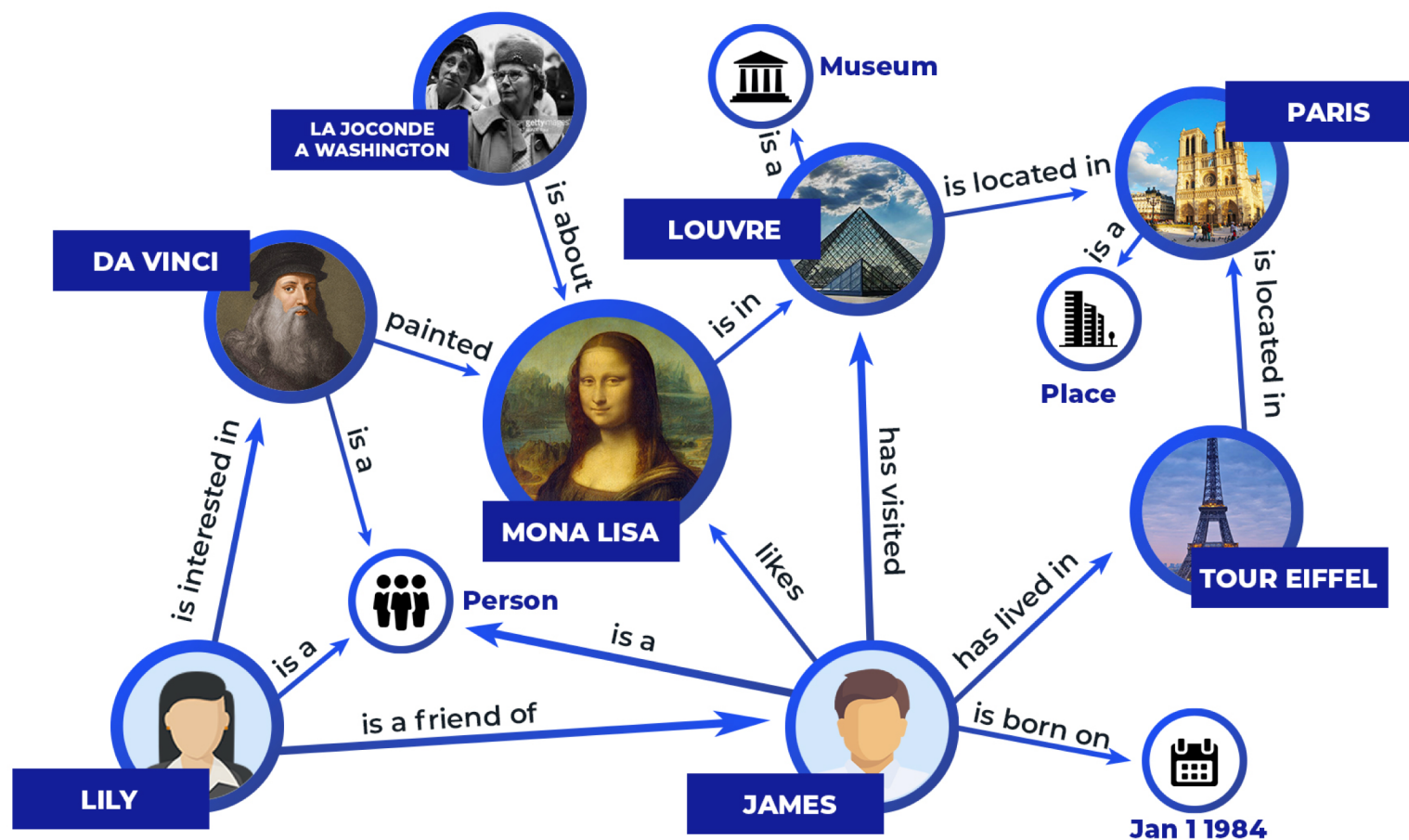
知识图谱中的关联搜索

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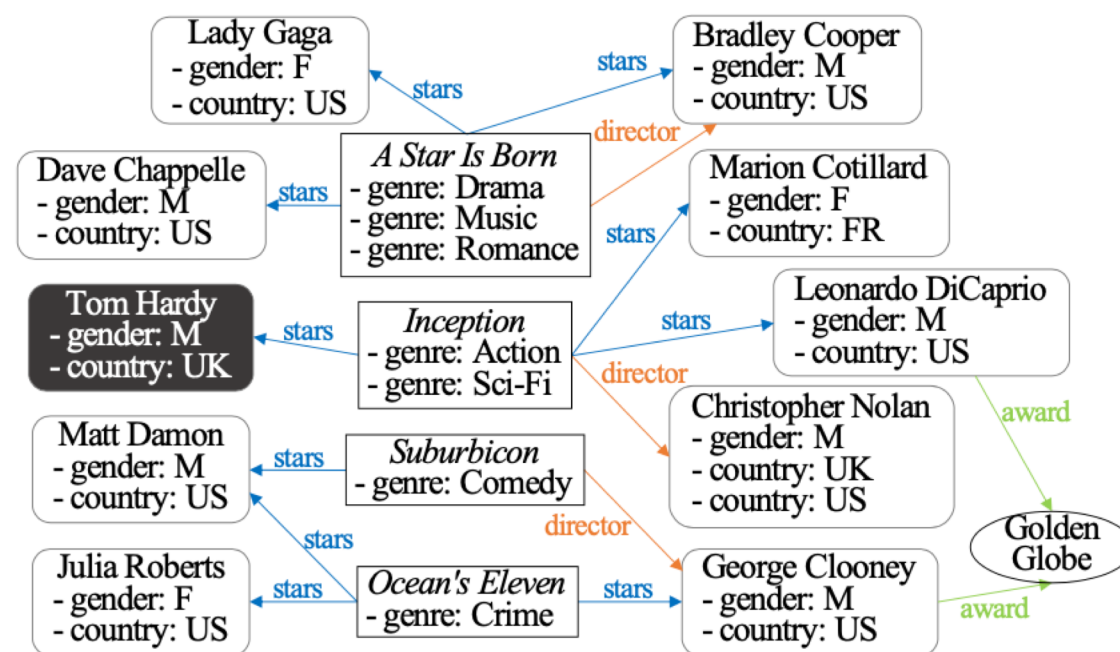
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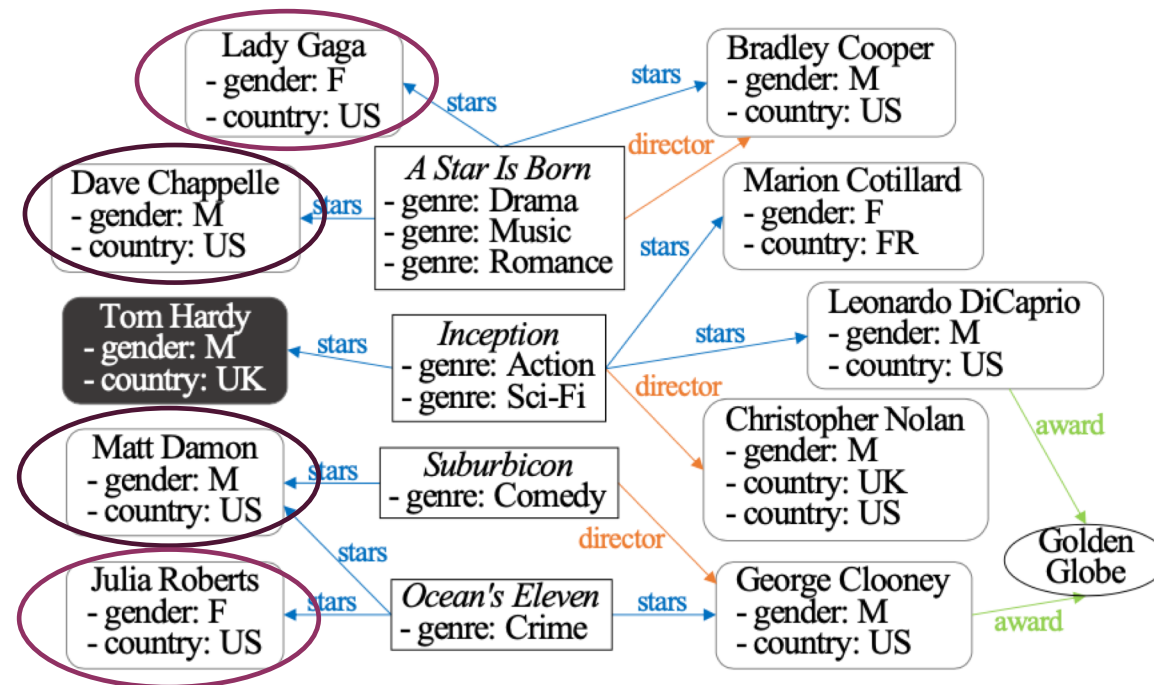
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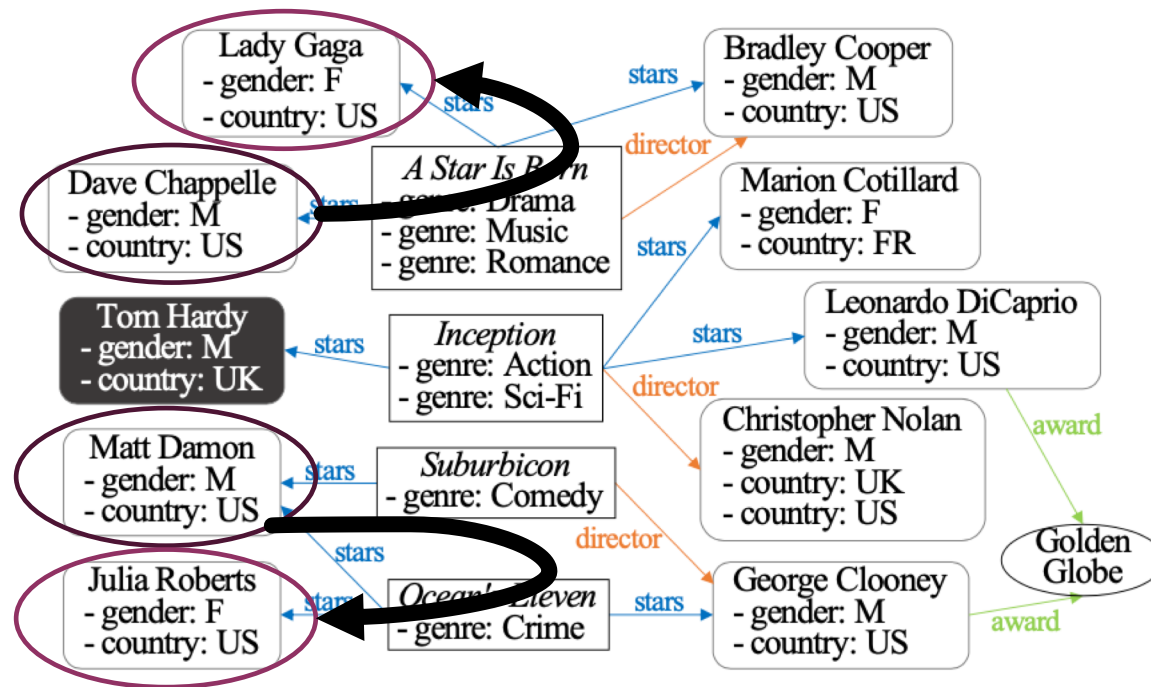
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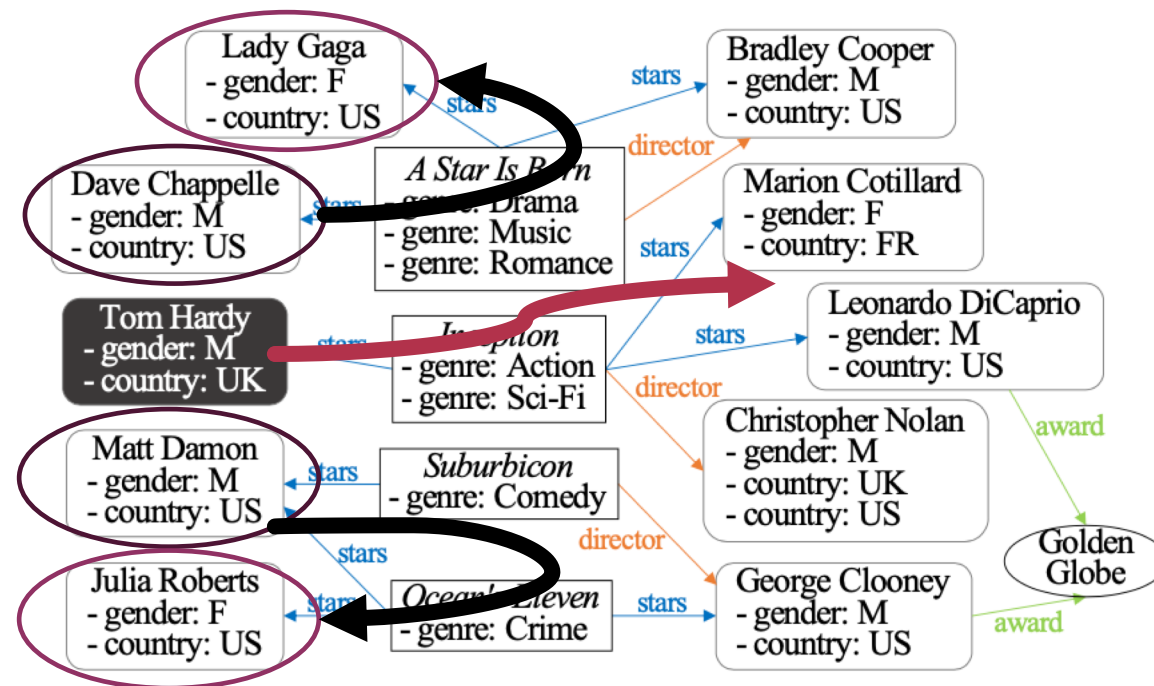
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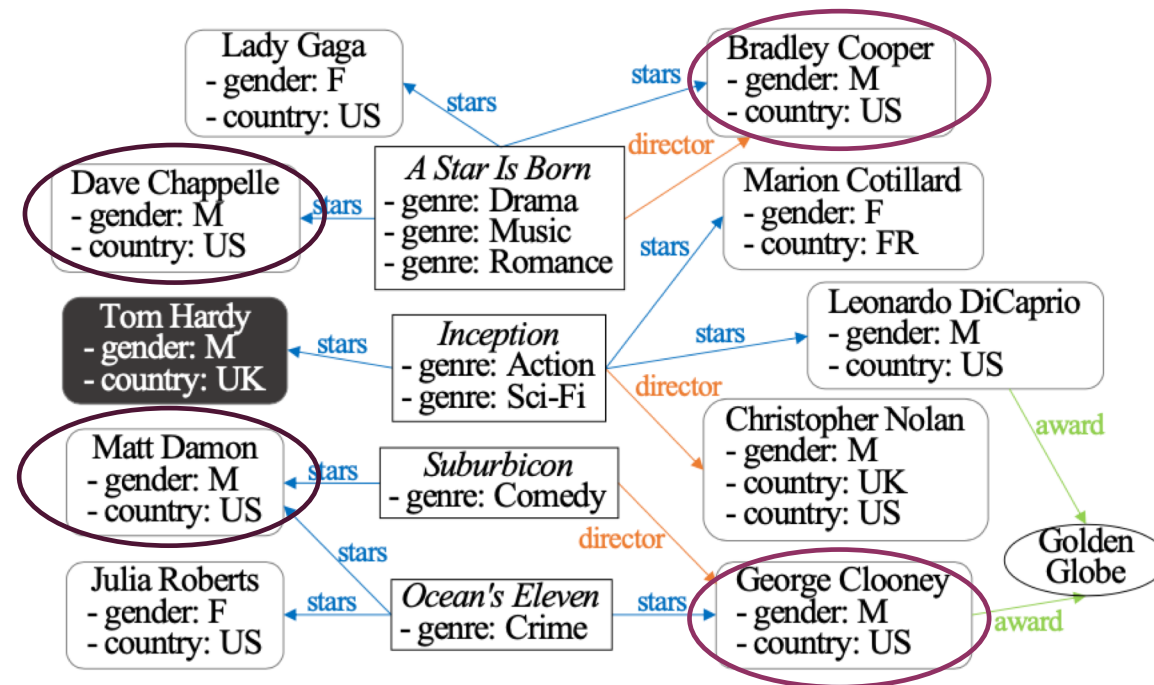
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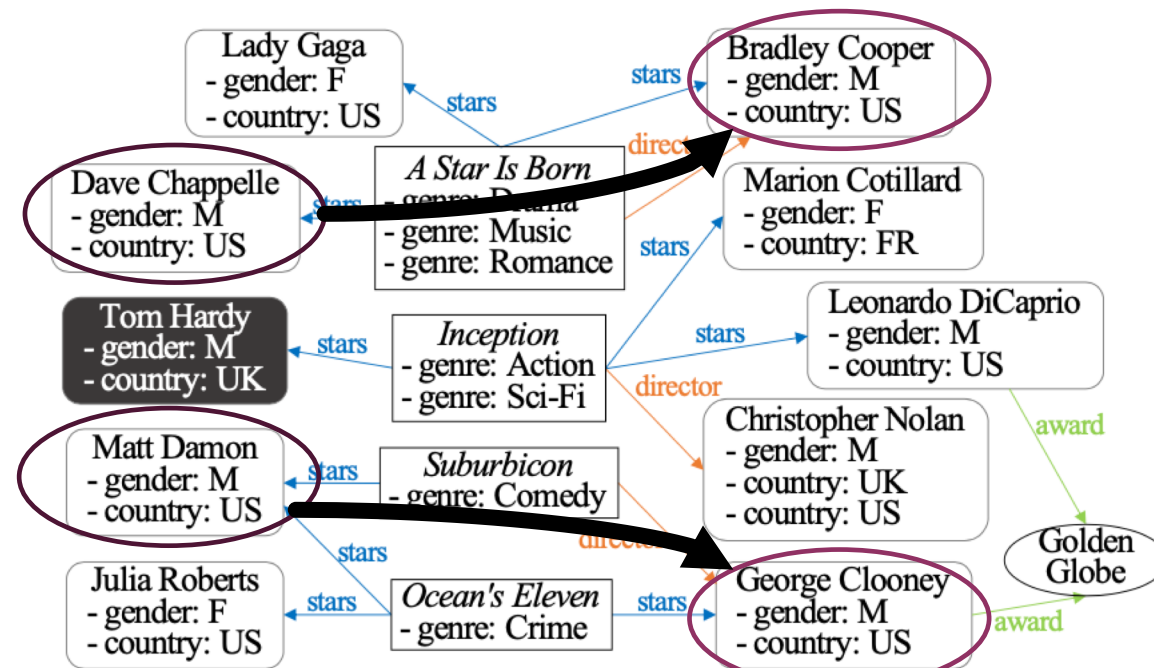
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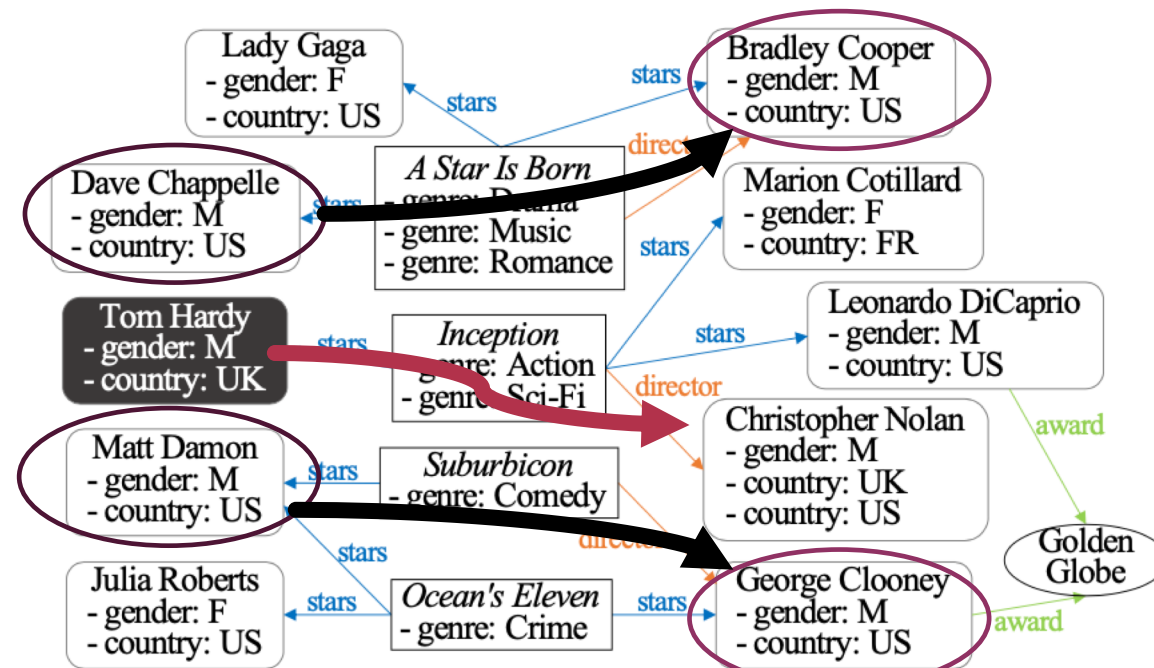
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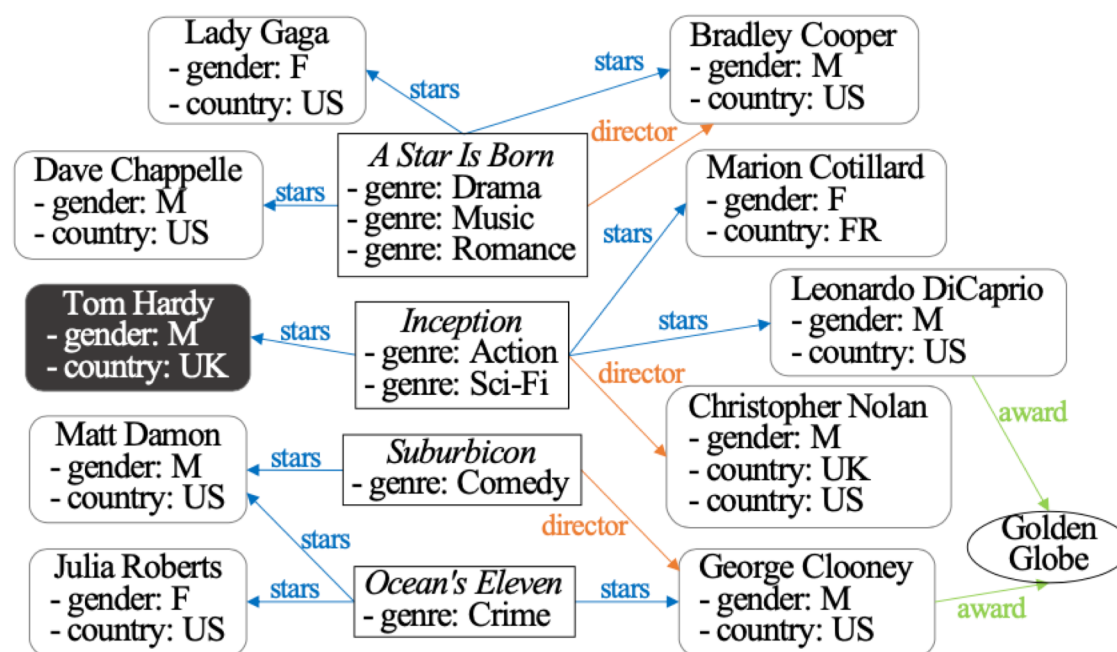
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基于元路径的相关度

$$\text{rel}(q, v) = \sum_{i=1}^n w_i \cdot \gamma(q, v | \mathcal{P}_i)$$

- 元路径的选取 ($\mathcal{P}_i$)
- 基于特定元路径的相关度计算 (γ)
 - PathCount、PathSim、PCRW.....
- 元路径的加权 (w_i)



元路径的选取

- 元路径的重要性（对样例的拟合程度）

$$\text{sig}(\mathcal{P}|q, \Lambda) = \beta^l \frac{1}{|\Lambda| \cdot |\bar{\Lambda}|} \sum_{\lambda \in \Lambda} \sum_{v \in \bar{\Lambda}} \mathbb{I}(\gamma(q, \lambda|\mathcal{P}) - \gamma(q, v|\mathcal{P}))$$

$$\mathbb{I}(\gamma(q, \lambda|\mathcal{P}) - \gamma(q, v|\mathcal{P})) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \gamma(q, \lambda|\mathcal{P}) > \gamma(q, v|\mathcal{P}) \\ 0 & \text{if } \gamma(q, \lambda|\mathcal{P}) \leq \gamma(q, v|\mathcal{P}) \end{cases}$$

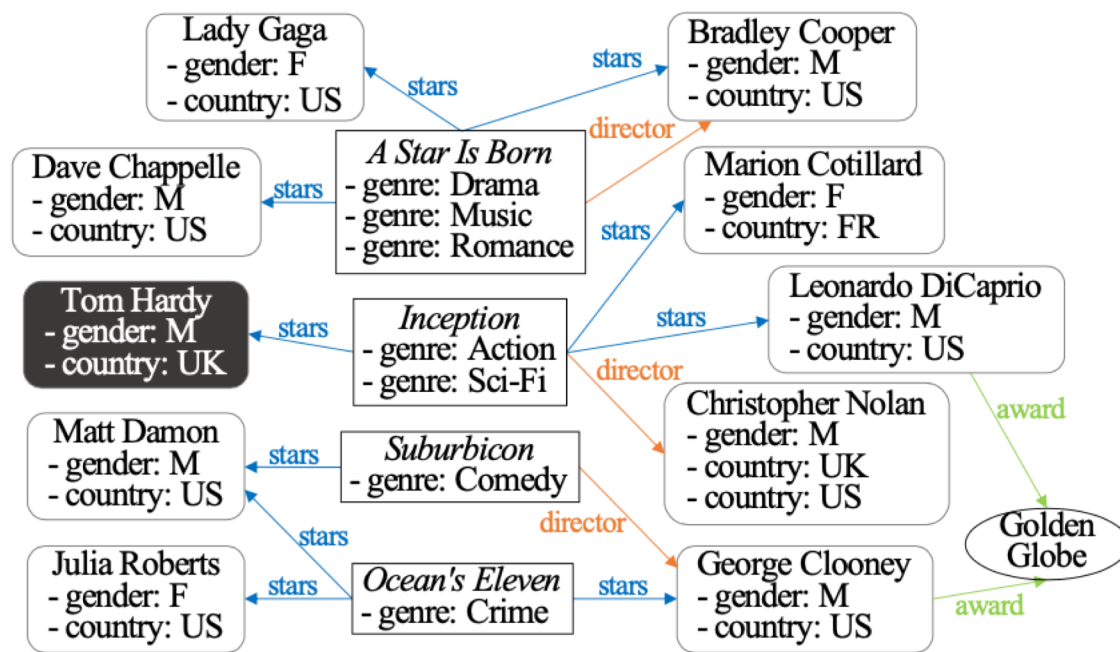
- 元路径的多样性（去除冗余的元路径）

$$\text{to maximize } \sum_{i=1}^m y_i \cdot \text{sig}(\mathcal{P}_i|q, \Lambda),$$

$$\text{subject to } \sum_{i=1}^m y_i \leq n,$$

$$y_i + y_j \leq 1 \text{ for all } i \neq j \text{ and } \mathcal{P}_i \sim_q \mathcal{P}_j,$$

$$y_i \in \{0, 1\} \text{ for all } 1 \leq i \leq m,$$



元路径的选取

元路径的启发式搜索

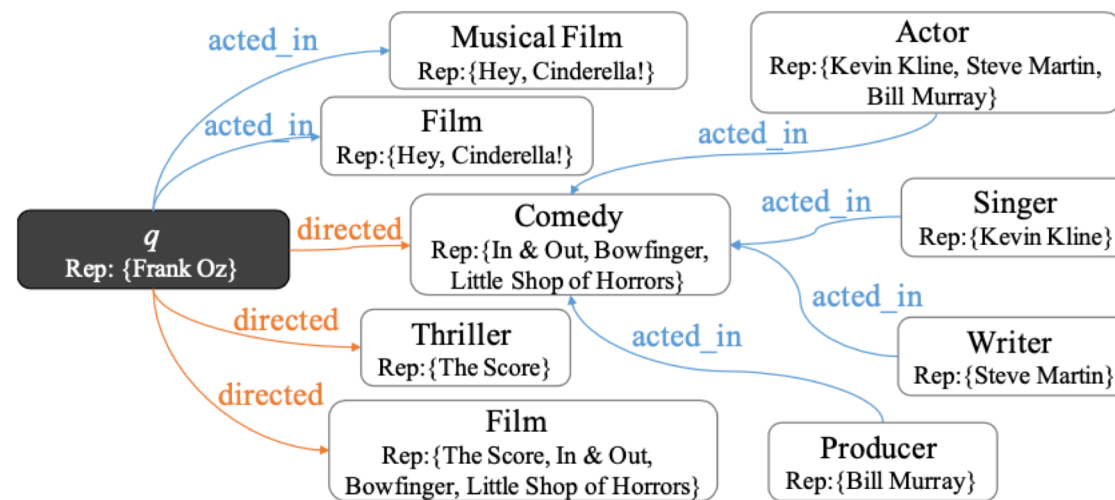
Algorithm 2: Heuristic meta-path search.

Input: A KG G , a query entity q , a set of user-provided examples Λ , a number n of meta-paths to select, and a significance threshold τ .

Output: A set of meta-paths MP .

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1 Initialize a search tree  $\mathcal{ST}$  with  $q$  as the root;
2  $MP \leftarrow \emptyset$ ;
3 while  $\mathcal{ST}$  can be expanded do
4    $stn \leftarrow \text{SelTN}(\mathcal{ST})$ ;
5    $TN \leftarrow \text{ExpST}(stn)$ ;
6   foreach  $tn \in TN$  do
7     EvalTN( $tn$ );
8     if  $tn$  contains entities in  $\Lambda$  then
9        $\mathcal{P}_i = \text{GetMP}(tn)$ ;
10      if  $\text{sig}(\mathcal{P}_i | q, \Lambda) \geq \tau$  then
11        if  $\mathcal{P}_i \sim_q \mathcal{P}_j$  for any  $\mathcal{P}_j \in MP$  then
12          Skip  $tn$  and continue with the next iteration;
13        else
14           $MP \leftarrow MP \cup \{\mathcal{P}_i\}$ ;
15          if  $|MP| = n$  then
16            Terminate the loop;
17 return  $MP$ ;
  
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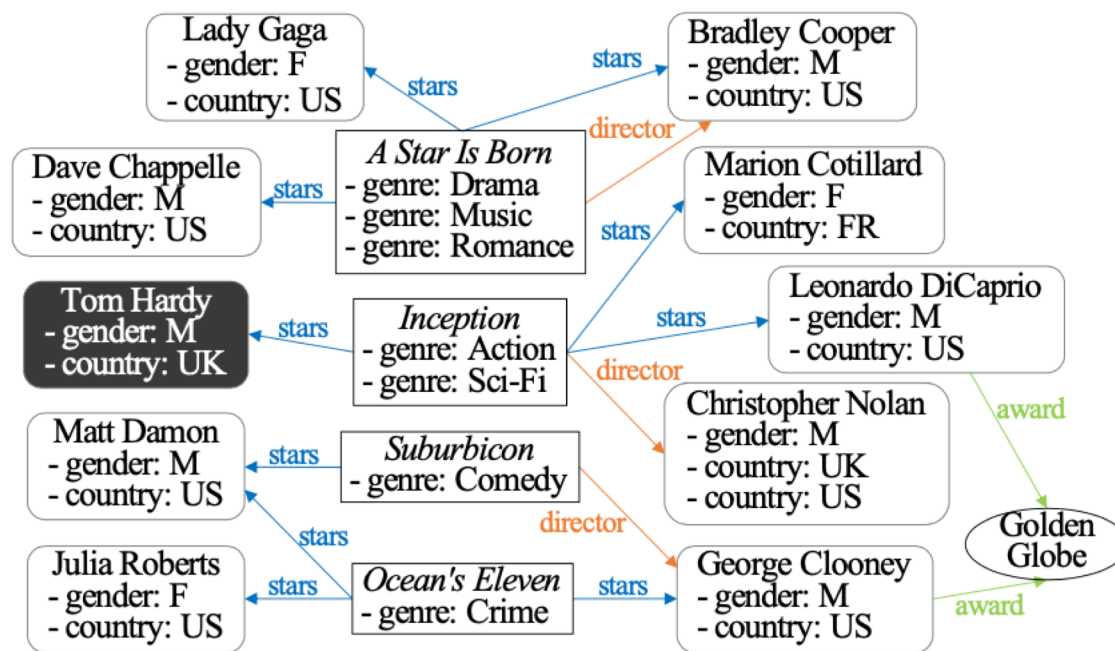
启发函数:

- 路径短 $\text{prms}_{\text{dist}}(tn) = \text{dpth}(tn) + \frac{1}{|\Lambda|} \sum_{\lambda \in \Lambda} \min_{v \in \text{Rep}(tn) \setminus \{\lambda\}} \text{dist}(v, \lambda)$
- 度数小 $\text{prms}_{\text{deg}}(tn) = \sum_{v \in \text{Rep}(tn)} \text{deg}(v)$

元路径的加权

$$\text{rel}(q, v) = \sum_{i=1}^n w_i \cdot \gamma(q, v | \mathcal{P}_i)$$

- 模型选择
 - Linear soft-margin support vector machine
 - 严惩false negative（充分尊重用户给定样例）
- 候选与负例生成
 - 元路径可达的非样例实体



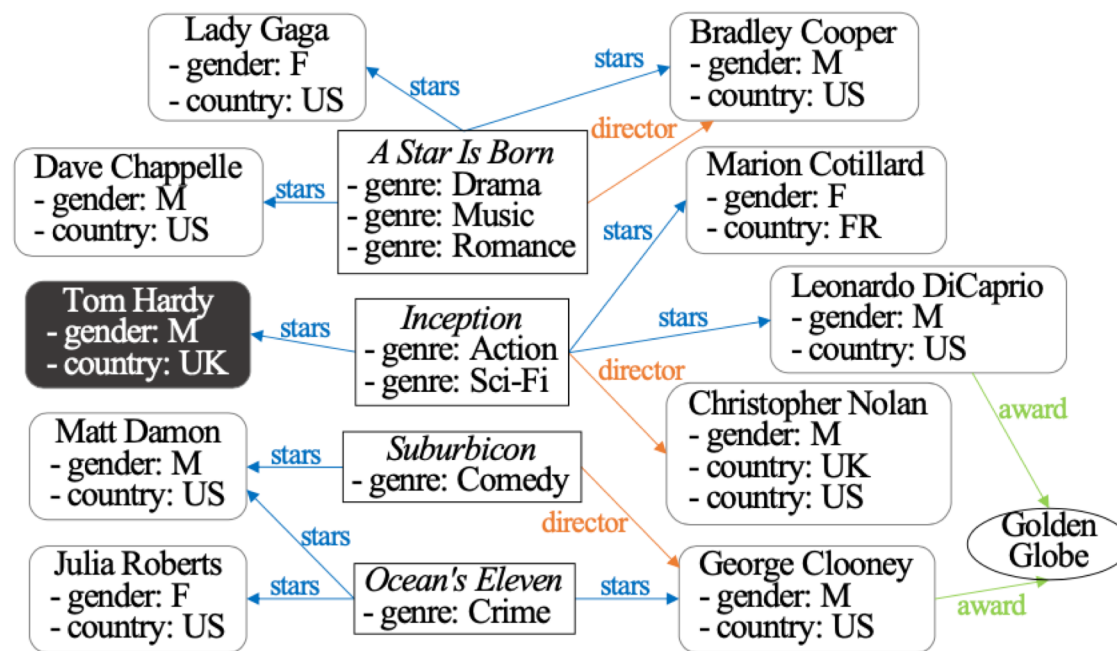
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基于生成模型的相关度

$$\text{rel}(q, v|S) = \sum_{\mathcal{P}_i \in \Omega_{\text{mp}}} \gamma(q, v|\mathcal{P}_i) \cdot \Pr(\mathcal{P}_i|S) \cdot J(\mathcal{P}_i)$$

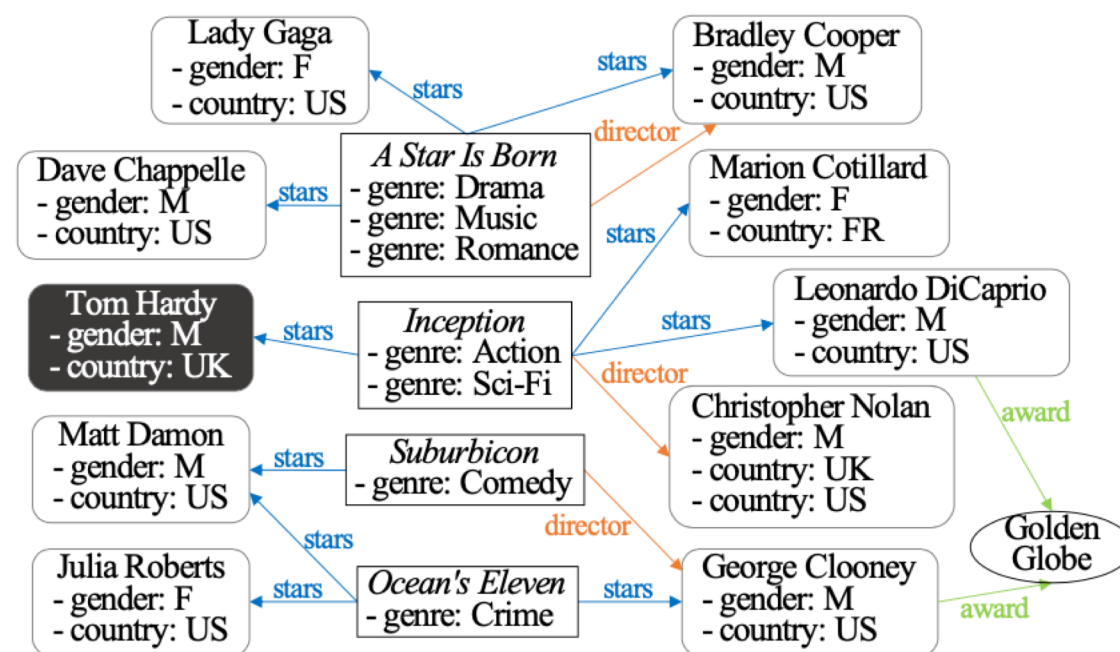
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- 基于特定元路径的相关度计算 (γ)
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- 元路径的加权: $\Pr(\mathcal{P}_i|S)$ 视作后验概率
- 正则化项: $J(\mathcal{P}_i)$ 惩罚长路径
 - $J(\mathcal{P}_i) = e^{-\beta \cdot \text{len}(\mathcal{P}_i)}$



生成模型

$$\Pr(\mathcal{P}_i|S) = \frac{\Pr(\mathcal{P}_i) \cdot \Pr(S|\mathcal{P}_i)}{\Pr(S)} \propto \Pr(\mathcal{P}_i) \cdot \Pr(S|\mathcal{P}_i)$$

- $\Pr(\mathcal{P}_i)$: 先验
- $\Pr(S|\mathcal{P}_i)$: 似然



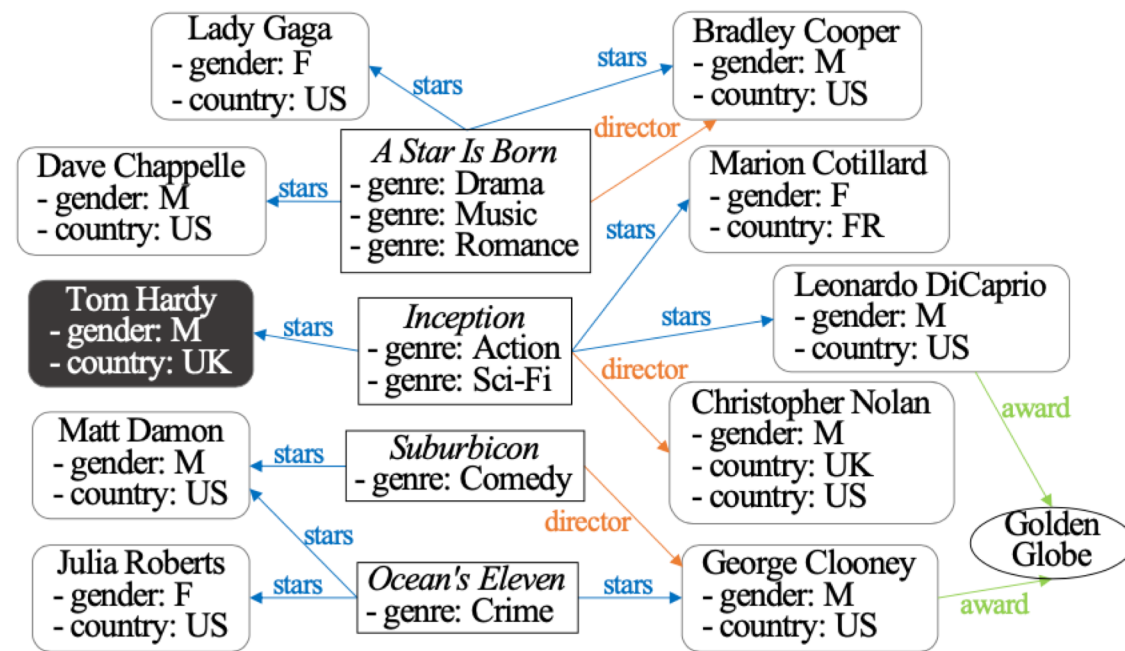
先验的计算

$$\Pr(\mathcal{P}_i) = \Pr(r_1 r_2 \cdots r_l) = \Pr(r_1) \prod_{i=2}^l \Pr(r_i | r_1 r_2 \cdots r_{i-1})$$

$$\approx \Pr(r_1) \prod_{i=2}^l \Pr(r_i | r_{i-1}),$$

$$\Pr(\mathcal{P}_i) \propto \text{pc}(r_1) \prod_{i=2}^l \frac{\text{pc}(r_{i-1} r_i)}{\text{pc}(r_{i-1})}$$

$$\Pr(\mathcal{P}_i) \propto \text{pc}(r_l) \prod_{i=1}^{l-1} \frac{\text{pc}(r_i r_{i+1})}{\text{pc}(r_{i+1})}$$



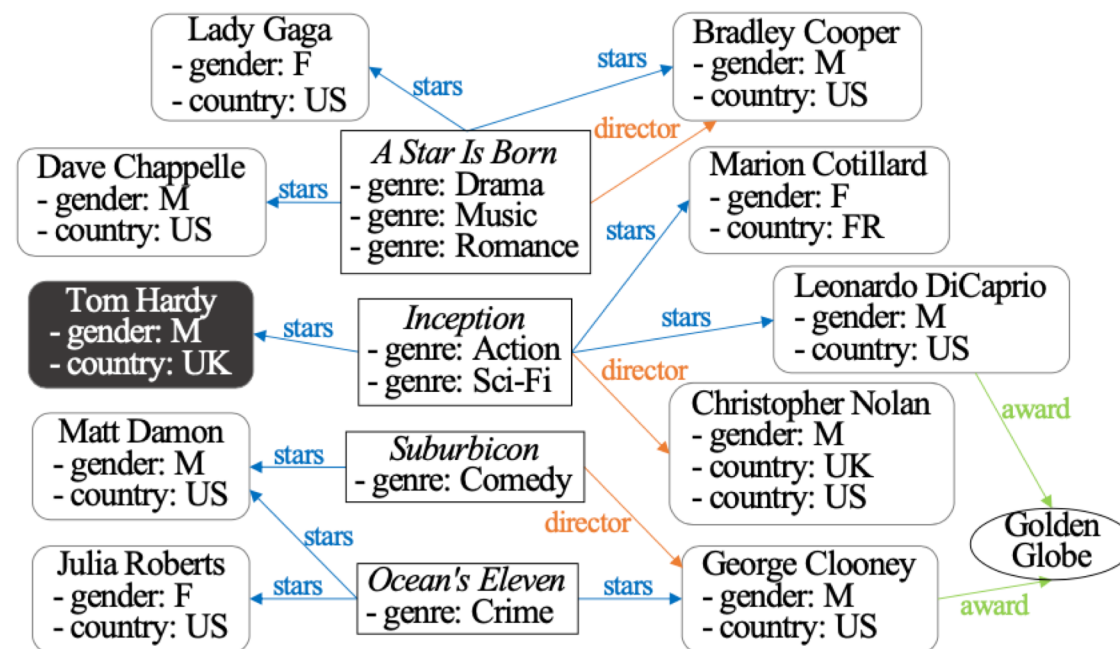
似然的计算

$$\Pr(S|\mathcal{P}_i) = \prod_{\langle s, t \rangle \in S} \Pr(\langle s, t \rangle | \mathcal{P}_i)$$

$$\Pr(\langle s, t \rangle | \mathcal{P}_i) \approx \frac{\text{pc}(s, t, \mathcal{P}_i)}{\text{apc}(\mathcal{P}_i)}$$

- $\text{pc}(s, t, \mathcal{P}_i)$ 的平滑项: $\frac{\text{apc}(\mathcal{P}_i)}{|\text{ST}(s)| \cdot |\text{ST}(t)|}$
 - ST: 同类型的所有实体
- $\text{apc}(\mathcal{P}_i)$: $\text{pc}(\mathcal{P}_i)$ 的近似 (当 $\mathcal{P}_i$ 是长路径时)

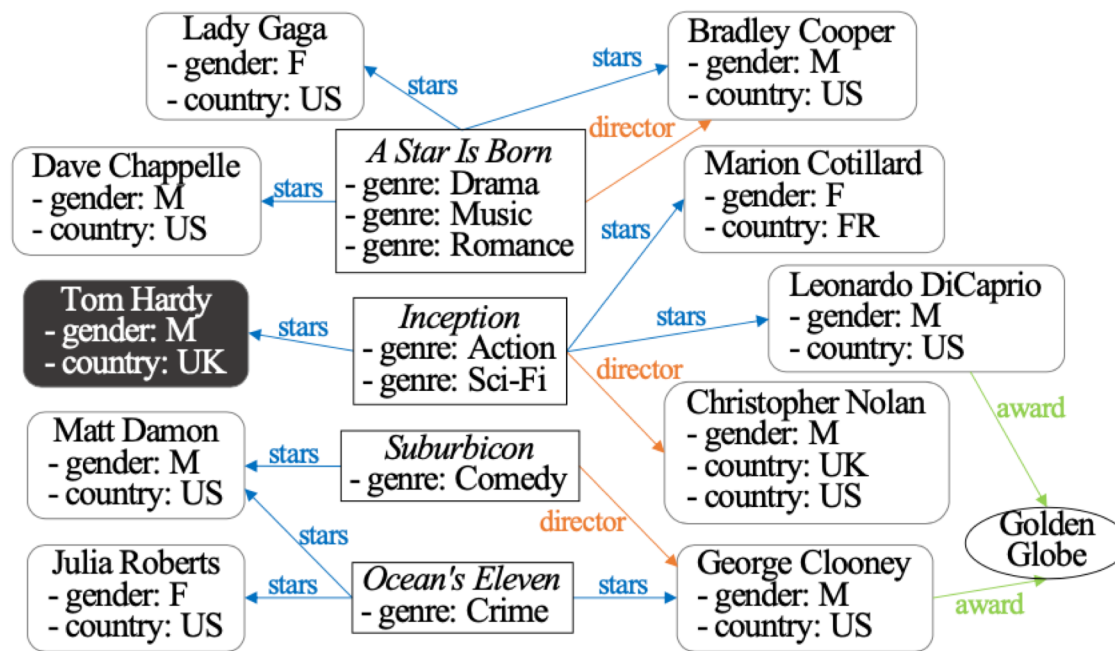
$$\text{pc}(r_l) \prod_{i=2}^l \frac{\text{pc}(r_{i-1} r_i)}{\text{pc}(r_{i-1})} \quad \overline{\text{pc}(r_l) \prod_{i=1}^{l-1} \frac{\text{pc}(r_i r_{i+1})}{\text{pc}(r_{i+1})}}$$



扩展的相关度

$$\begin{aligned} \text{rel}(q, v|S) = & \sum_{\mathcal{P}_i \in \Omega_{\text{mp}}} \gamma(q, v|\mathcal{P}_i) \cdot \Pr(\mathcal{P}_i|S) \cdot J(\mathcal{P}_i) \\ & + \sum_{\langle a_i, l_i \rangle \in \Omega_{\text{prop}}} \gamma(q, v|\langle a_i, l_i \rangle) \cdot \Pr(\langle a_i, l_i \rangle|S) \end{aligned}$$

- 元路径关联 + 属性约束

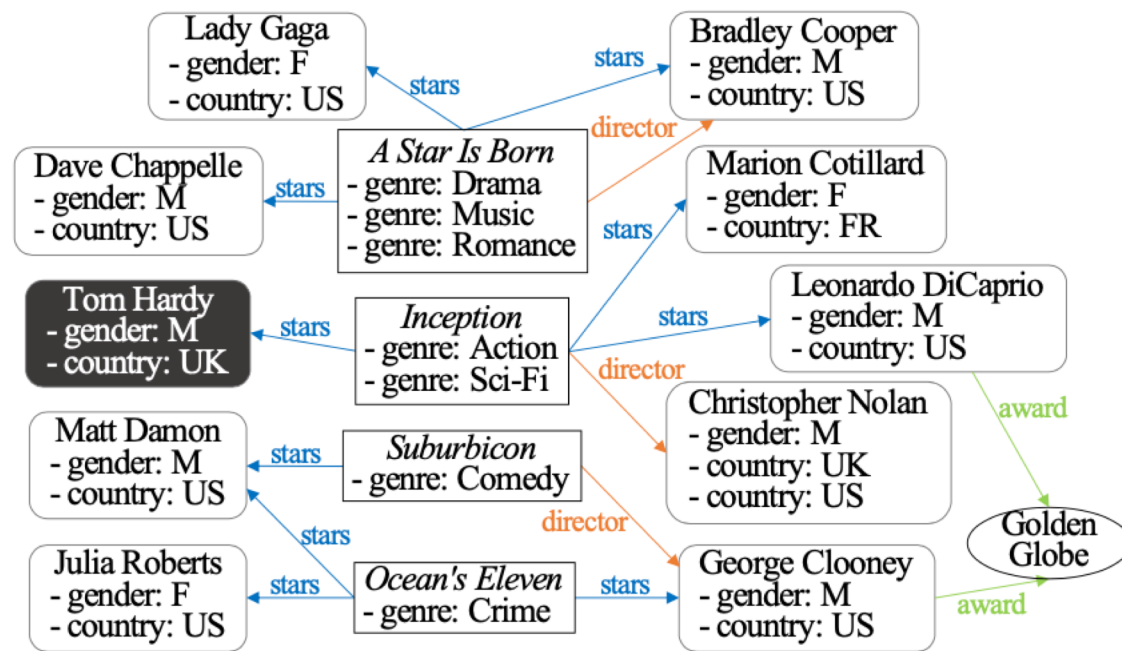


搜索算法

Input: A KG $G = \langle V, E, \Psi \rangle$, a query entity q , a set of user-provided examples S , an upper bound L on the length of allowable meta-paths, and a positive integer m .

Output: k top-ranked entities that are relevant to q .

- 1: $\Omega_{\text{mp}} \leftarrow \text{MPSearch}(G, S, L)$;
- 2: $\Omega_{\text{prop}} \leftarrow \bigcup_{\langle s, t \rangle \in S} \Phi(t)$;
- 3: $\Omega \leftarrow \Omega_{\text{mp}} \cup \Omega_{\text{prop}}$;
- 4: **for all** $\Omega_i \in \Omega$ **do**
- 5: Compute $\text{Pr}(\Omega_i | S)$;
- 6: **end for**
- 7: $\Omega_{\text{top}} \leftarrow m$ meta-paths in Ω_{mp} with the largest weights;
- 8: $C \leftarrow \bigcup_{\mathcal{P}_i \in \Omega_{\text{top}}} \{v \in V : \exists p \models \mathcal{P}_i, q \rightsquigarrow_p v\}$;
- 9: **for all** $v \in C$ **do**
- 10: Compute $\text{rel}(q, v | S)$;
- 11: **end for**
- 12: **return** k top-ranked entities in C

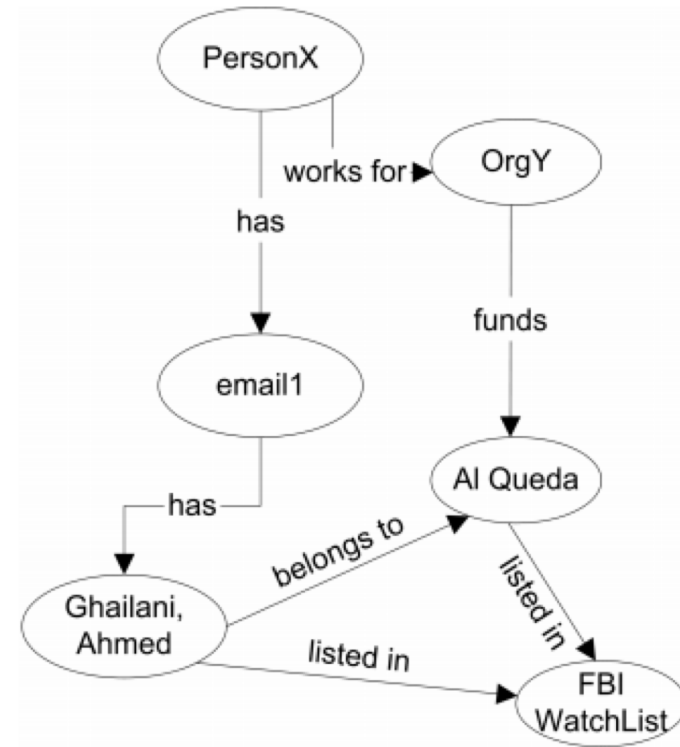


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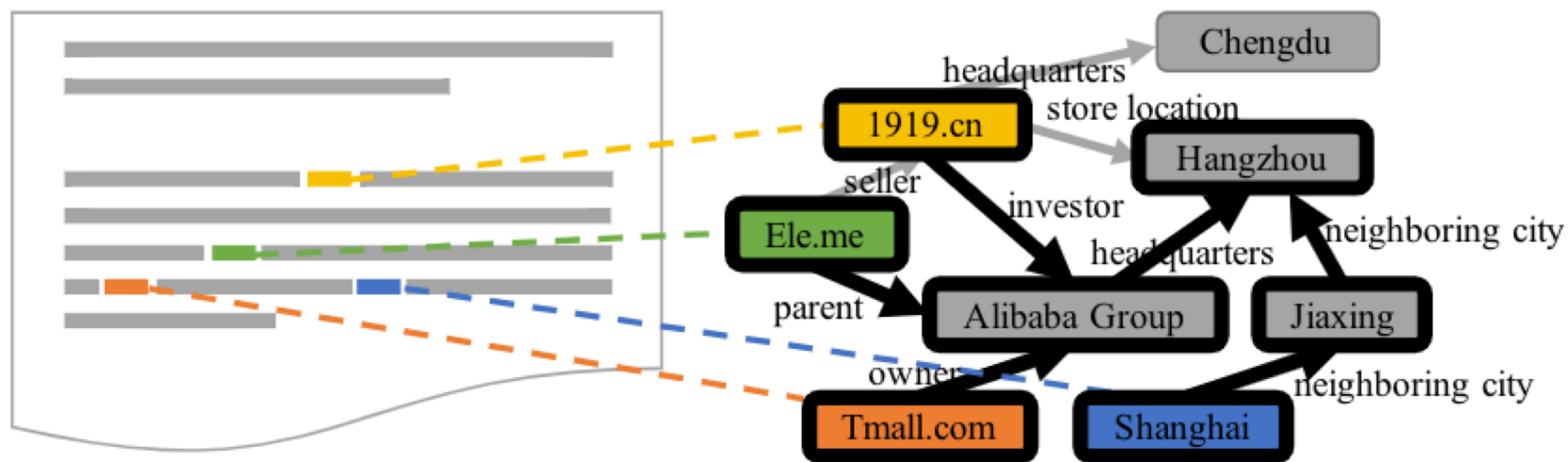
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1. Is the passenger known to be associated with an organization on the watch list?
2. Does the passenger work for an organization that is known to sponsor an organization on a watch-list?
3. Is there a connection between the passenger and one or more passengers on the same flight or different flights? Is such connection in the context of aviation safety?

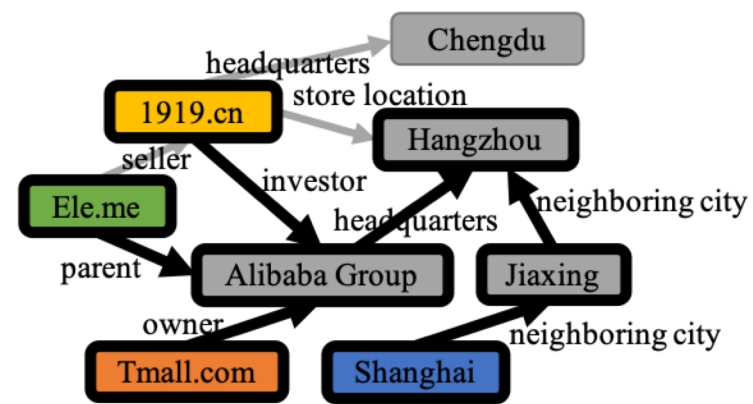


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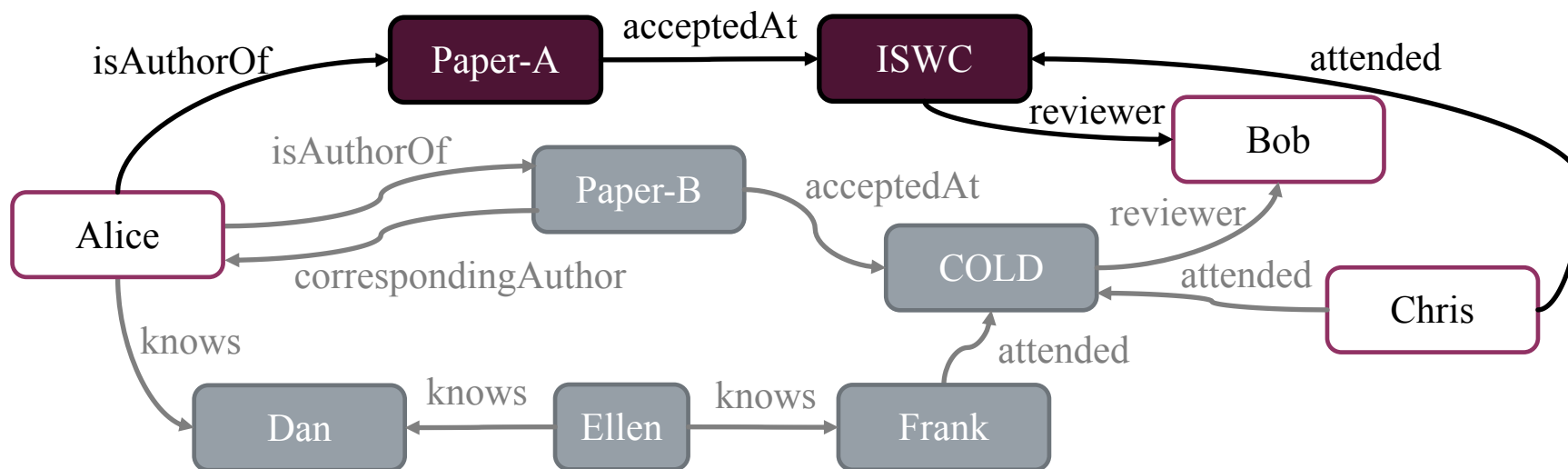


实体关联的定义

- 包含所有查询实体的极小连通子图
- 直径受限



实体关联的发现



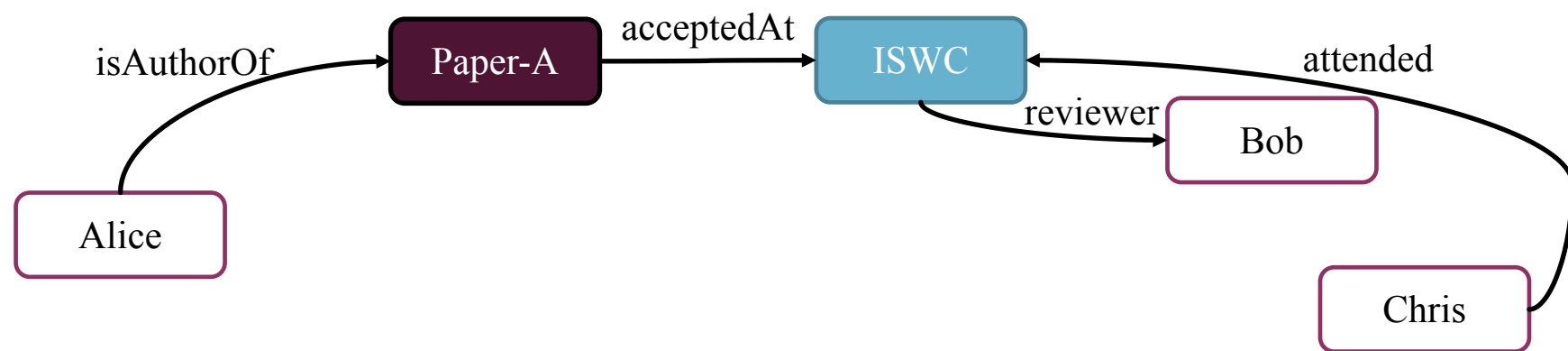
实体关联的发现：基本算法

■ 路径搜索 + 合并

Input: an entity-relation graph G , a query Q , and a diameter constraint D .

Output: all the SAs that are results of Q and have a diameter of D or less.

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1:  $X \leftarrow$  empty set of SAs
2: for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$  do //  $n$ : number of query vertices
3:    $P_i \leftarrow \text{BLPathEnum}(G, v_i^Q, D)$  //  $v_i^Q$ :  $i$ -th query vertex
4: end for
5: for all  $\langle p_1, \dots, p_n \rangle \in (P_1 \times \dots \times P_n)$  do
6:   if  $p_1, \dots, p_n$  have a common end vertex then
7:      $x \leftarrow$  subgraph formed by joining  $p_1, \dots, p_n$ 
8:     if  $x$  is minimal and  $\text{diam}(x) \leq D$  then
9:        $X \leftarrow X \cup \{x\}$ 
10:    end if
11:  end if
12: end for
13: return  $X$ 
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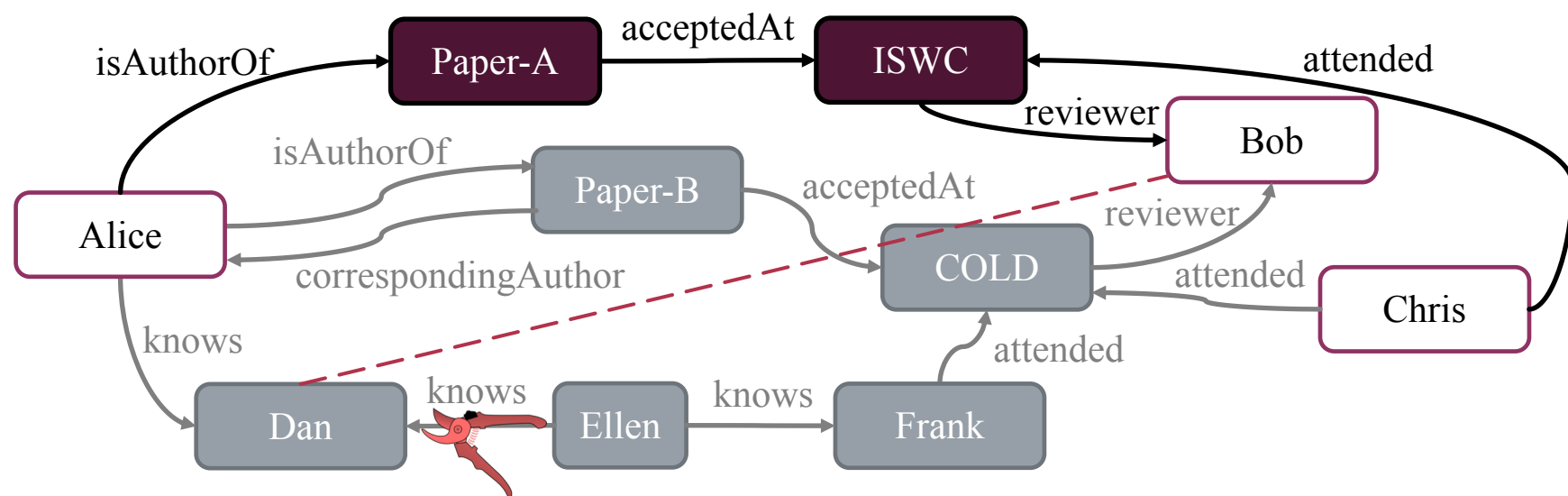
实体关联的发现：改进算法

■ 基于距离剪枝

Input: an entity-relation graph G , a query vertex $v_i^Q \in V_Q$, and a diameter constraint D .

Output: all the paths not longer than $\lfloor \frac{D+1}{2} \rfloor$ starting from v_i^Q in G .

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1:  $P^0 \leftarrow \{v_i^Q\}$  //  $v_i^Q$ : treated as a path of length 0
2: for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $\lfloor \frac{D+1}{2} \rfloor$  do
3:    $P^j \leftarrow$  empty set of paths //  $P^j$ : paths of length  $j$ 
4:   for all  $p \in P^{j-1}$  do
5:      $pev \leftarrow$  end vertex of  $p$ 
6:     if  $ln(p) + dist(pev, v_j^Q) \leq D$  for all  $v_j^Q \in (V_Q \setminus \{v_i^Q\})$  then
7:        $P^j \leftarrow P^j \cup$  paths formed by joining  $p$  and each arc incident from/to  $pev$ 
8:     end if
9:   end for
10: end for
11:  $P \leftarrow P^0 \cup \dots \cup P^{\lfloor \frac{D+1}{2} \rfloor}$ 
12: for all  $p \in P$  do
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14:   if  $dist(pev, v_j^Q) > \lfloor \frac{D+1}{2} \rfloor$  for any  $v_j^Q \in (V_Q \setminus \{v_i^Q\})$  then
15:      $P \leftarrow P \setminus \{p\}$ 
16:   end if
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- 长度(Alice→Dan) + 距离(Dan, Bob) > 直径约束

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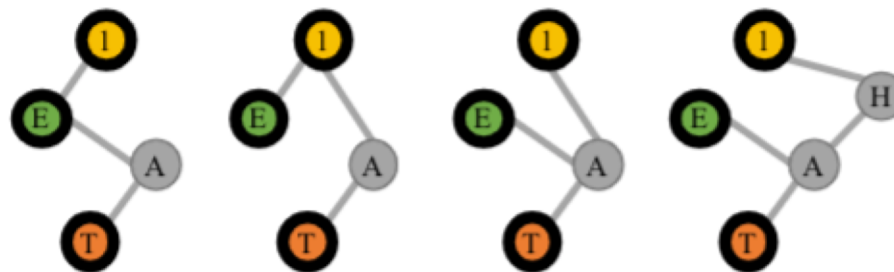
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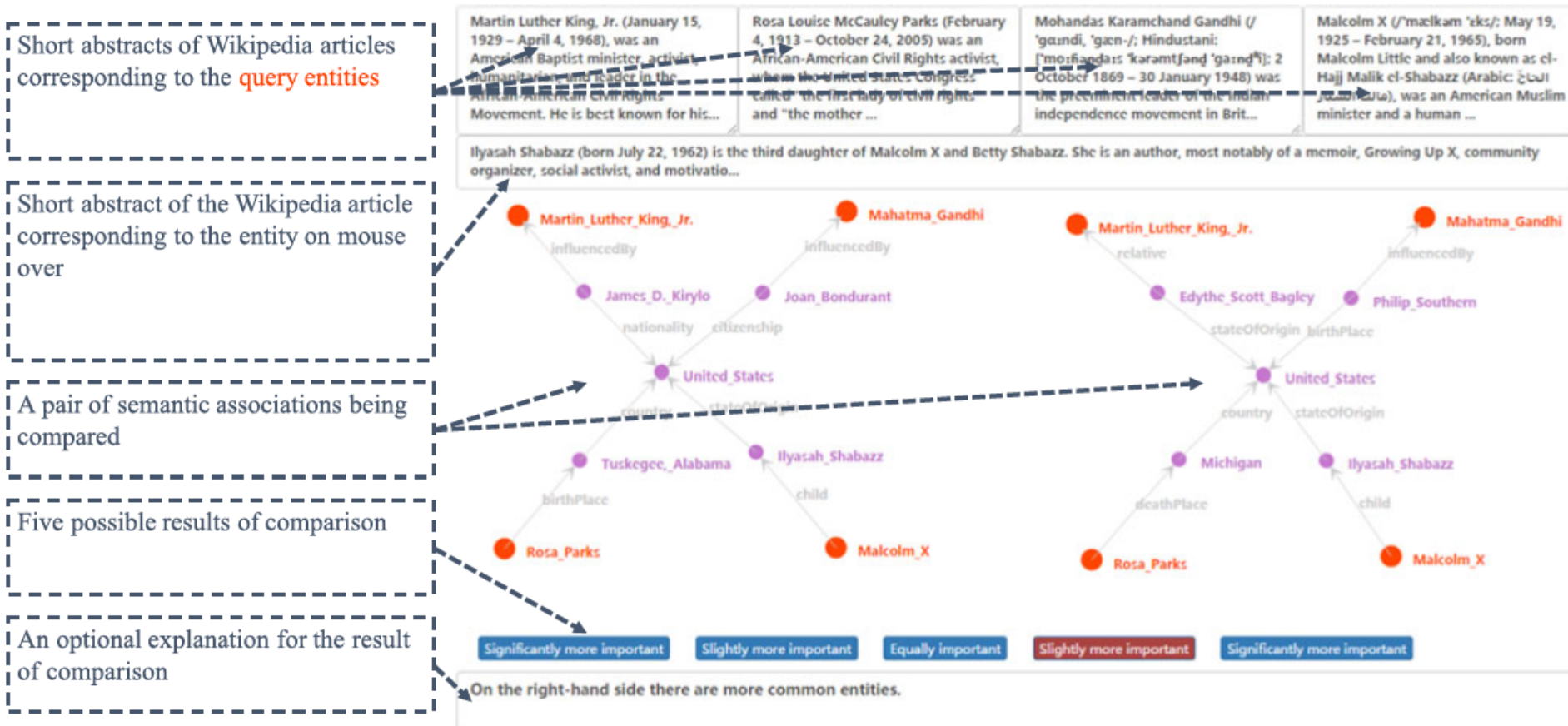
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- 实体的中心度 (Centr)
- 关系的信息量 (RInf)
- 实体的信息量 (EInf)
- 实体的具体性 (Spec)

■ 新提出的方法

- 关系的多样性 (RHet)
- 实体的同类性 (EHom)



实体关联的排序：用户实验



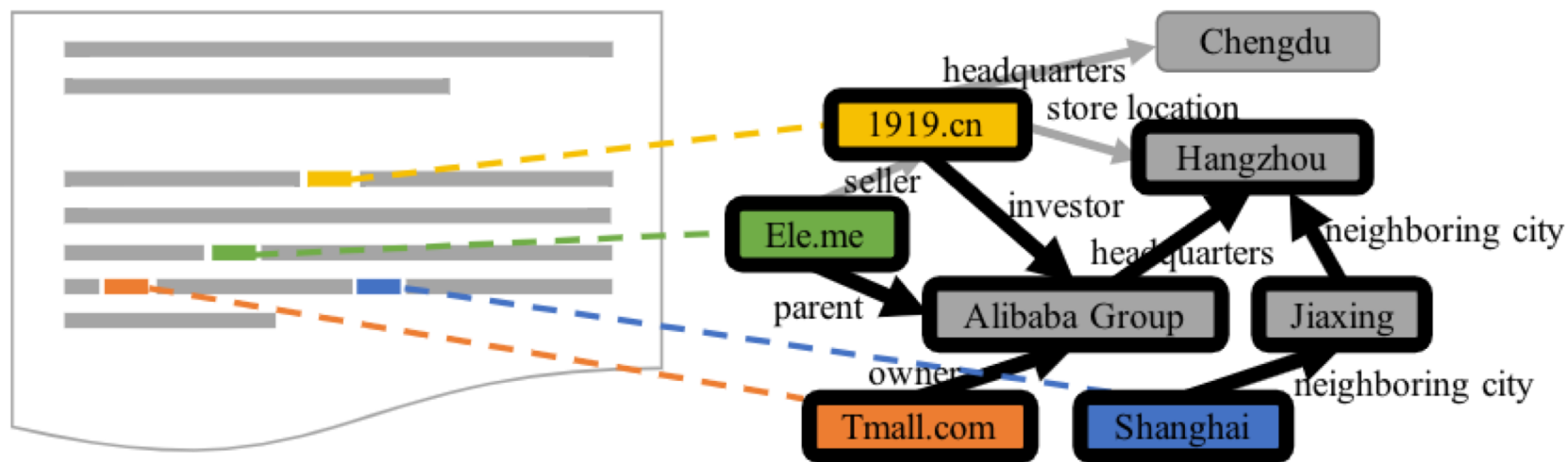
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- 用户喜欢的实体关联：子图规模小、实体同类性强
- 用户对其它指标不具有显著偏好

Centric technique	Mean	Standard deviation	<i>t</i> -test (<i>p</i> -value)
<i>Size</i>	-0.267	0.953	0.001
<i>Freq</i>	0.040	0.904	0.589
<i>Centr</i>	0.067	0.902	0.367
<i>RInf</i>	-0.080	0.959	0.309
<i>EInf</i>	-0.087	0.874	0.227
<i>Spec</i>	0.007	0.966	0.933
<i>RHet</i>	0.020	0.952	0.797
<i>EHom</i>	0.180	0.956	0.022

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