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# Intelligent Conversational Bot

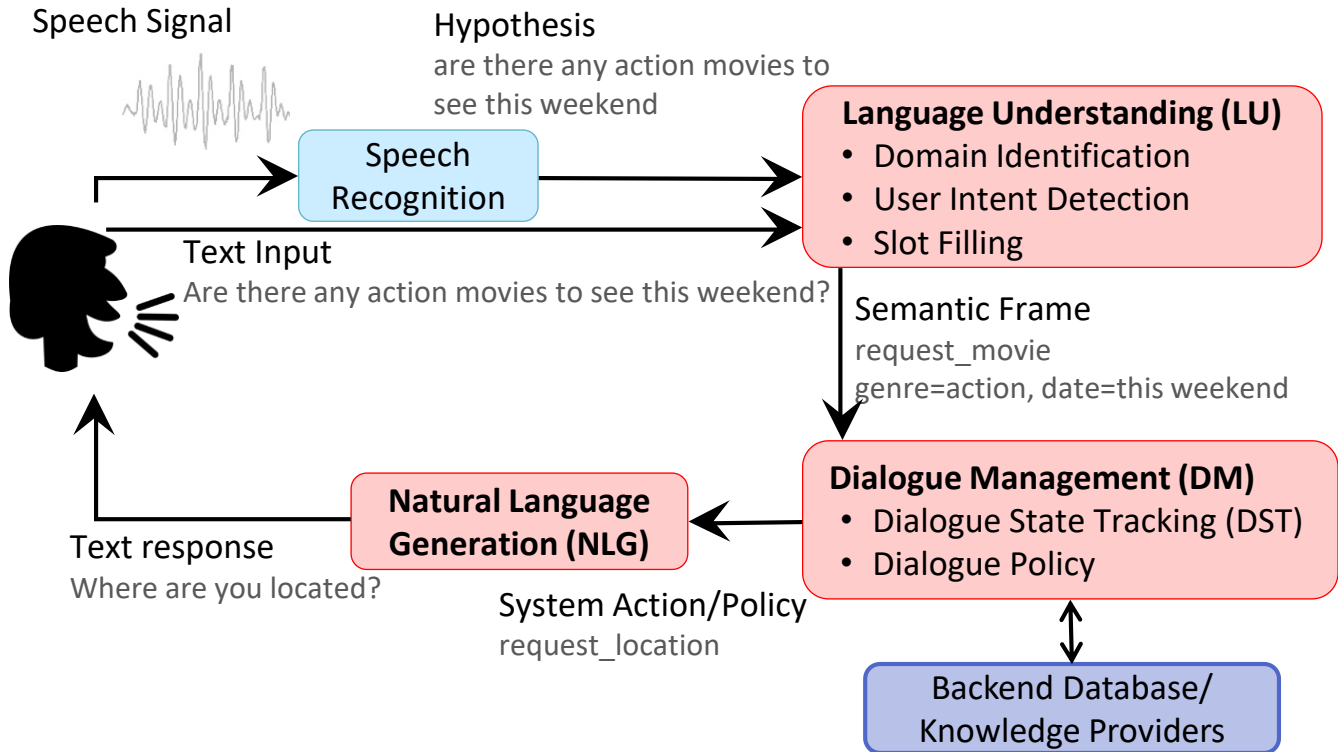
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# Milestone 3 – Learning-Based Agent

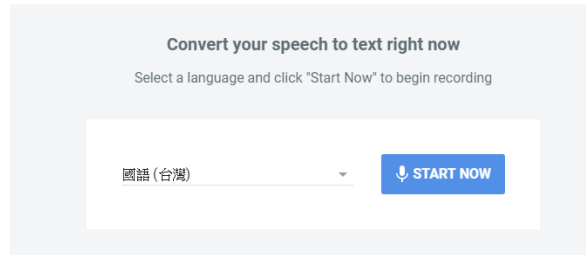
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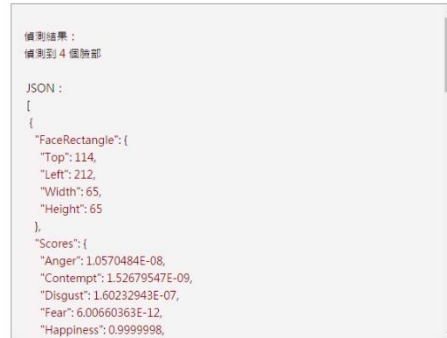
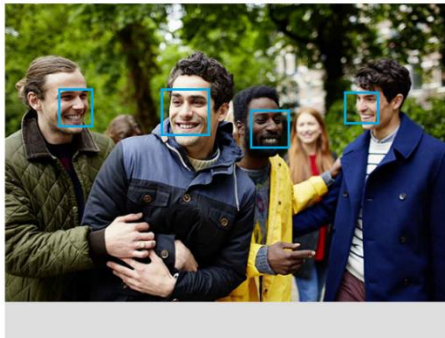
# Milestone 3 – Speech / Multimodal API

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- Google Cloud Platform/ Chrome Extension ([demo](#))



- Microsoft Cognitive Service ([demo](#))



# Milestone 3 – RL-Based DM

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- 1) Dialogue policy optimization
  - ▣ Reinforcement learning agent
    - Check whether the agent can handle misrecognized texts or misunderstanding
- 2) Evaluation
  - ▣ Learning curve
    - Success/Fail
    - #turn
    - Reward
  - ▣ Please check the strategies this agent applied to make sure your RL agent has increasing performance trend

# Milestone 3 – NN-Based NLG

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## 3) Model

- ▣ RNN-based NLG for generating sentences given the system actions associated with the slots

## 4) Evaluation

- ▣ BLEU score for train and test
- ▣ Training data (#sentences)
- ▣ Testing data (#sentences)
  - ▣ Should be human-written

## 5) Creativity

- ▣ Diverse/interesting responses for bonus

# Milestone 3 Requirements

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- Report (10%)
  - ▣ Speech/multimodal API
    - Describe how you implement speech recognition or richer input analysis
  - ▣ Reinforcement learning based dialogue policy
    - Describe how you implement the RL agent
      - Observation, state, etc
    - Report the learning curves for reward and success rate
  - ▣ NN-based NLG
    - Describe how you implement the NLG
    - Training/testing data split (testing should come from human-written full sentences)
    - Show some testing results
    - Report the BLEU score
  - ▣ Performance for simulated dialogues
    - Show some dialogues between the simulated user and the RL agent
    - Report the performance in terms of success rate and reward
- Demonstration (5%)
  - ▣ Send the public link
  - ▣ TAs will randomly pick 10 interactive dialogues and record the success rate
    - Failed interactions will be forwarded to the team, you can make them work to get credits