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Education

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

EXPECTED JUN 2023

• Pursuing M.Eng. and B.S. in Computer Science

GPA 5.0/5.0

• Past courses: Computer System Architecture, Secure Hardware Design, Advanced Data Structures, Distributed Systems, Theory of Computation, Software Construction, Algorithms for Graphs and Matrices.

Work Experience

Amazon.com / Software Development Engineering Intern

JUN 2021-AUG 2021

• Improved the Amazon Halo mobile app using React Native.

QuantCo / Software Engineering Intern

Jun 2020-Aug 2020

• Migrated Random Forests model training and validation from R to Python using rpy2.

Publications

CraterLake: A Hardware Accelerator for Efficient Unbounded Computation on Encrypted Data N.Samardzic, A. Feldmann, A. Krastev, N. Manohar, N. Genise, S. Devadas, K. Eldefrawy, C. Peikert, D. Sanchez, 49th International Symposium in Computer Architecture (ISCA-48). June 2022

F1: A Fast and Programmable Accelerator for Fully Homomorphic Encryption A. Feldmann, N. Samardzic, A. Krastev, S. Devadas, R. Dreslinski, C. Peikert, D. Sanchez, 54th annual IEEE/ACM international symposium on Microarchitecture (MICRO-54), October 2021 (IEEE Micro's Top Pick for 2022)

Independent Projects

Nitwit Compiler for a made-up programming language (C++)

retropq Priority queue that supports changing past operations in $O(\log n)$ (Python)

Gemini Co-op puzzle platformer (JavaScript)
Stealth Top-down 2D game (JavaScript)

Awards

International Olympiad in Informatics Gold (2018), Silver (2016, 2019) Balkan Olympiad in Informatics Gold (2018), Silver (2016)

European Physics Olympiad Silver (2019)