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EDUCATION

University of California, San Diego - MS Computer Science (Systems Track)

2022 – Dec 2023 (Expected)

Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani - BE Computer Science (with Distinction)

2018 - 2022

Experience

Arista Networks

Intern | Network Software | C/C++, Python

Santa Clara Jun – Sep 2023 (Ongoing)

- · Built a network security debugging tool that simulates firewall behavior on the router based on configured policy
- Added IPv6 support for VXLAN tunnel endpoints and optimized TCAMs on the Broadcom Trident chipset family

Nutanix (Remote) Bangalore Jan – June 2022

Intern, Member of Technical Staff | Distributed Systems, Cloud Storage | C/C++, Python, Go, AWS S3

- Eliminated operational costs associated with multi-cloud garbage collection and simplified workflows
- Upgraded multi-cloud garbage collection to make use of AWS S₃ lifecycle policies and object versioning
- Integrated an S3 object-based protocol server with Nutanix's distributed file server to provide S3 access to file storage

Projects Projects

Distributed File Storage and Synchronization | File Servers, Networks, Raft, Golang, gRPC

2023

Implemented a distributed, versioned file handling system with data and metadata nodes coordinated using RAFT on RPCs

Kernel Benchmarking | Kernel, Systems

Studied optimizations and wrote benchmarks for kernel subsystems including processes, system calls, file systems, networks, etc

High Performance Computing | Parallel Computing, SIMD, CUDA, MPI

Optimized matrix multiplication for single- and multi-core CPUs using cache-locality, vector instructions and OpenMP and for GPUs with shared memory and coalescing. Achieved near library performance (90+% for CPUs, 75+% for GPUs)

Cloud Orchestration System (Link) Distributed Systems, Network Programming, Python

202I

Led a team building a (Kubernetes-like) cluster system running containers with orchestration, autoscaling, monitoring, etc

Compiler, Interpreter | (Link), (Link) | Programming Languages, C, Rust

2020 - 2023

Wrote a compiler in Rust, writing an interpreter for another language strictly in C. Includes heap allocation and GC

Publications

Multi-Robot Unknown Area Exploration Using Frontier Trees | (DOI) | IEEE IROS 2022

Oct 2022

Automated generation of floorplans with non-rectangular rooms | (DOI) | Graphical Models

May 2023

Skills and Competencies

Programming Languages: C/C++, Python, Java, Golang, Rust

Frameworks and Tools: Linux, Multi-threading, GDB, RPCs, Git, AWS, Docker, REST APIs

Courses - Operating Systems, Computer Architecture, Cloud Computing, Networks, Parallel Computing, Compilers

Achievements and Additional Experience

Datakrew/NTU Singapore - Summer 2021 NTU Connect intern on Datakrew's IoT platform (data processing flows, testing)

BISAG-N Gandhinagar - Summer 2020 Research Asst (Wrote a QGIS python-plugin to get temperature from Landsat images)

BIT'S Pilani Merit Scholarship - 2020-22 - Awarded to top 3% of students each semester, 6 time awardee

ACM Student Chapter BITS Pilani - 2018-22 - Core Team member

International Linguistics Olympiad - 2017 bronze medal winner and 2018 participant