# TIANCHEN ZHONG

#### **EDUCATION**

## Carnegie Mellon University (CMU)

Pittsburgh, PA

Master of Science in Information Networking; GPA: 3.95/4.0

Aug. 2017 - May 2019

• **Related Courses**: Intro to Computer Systems, Cloud Computing, Search Engine, Distributed System, Artificial Intelligence, Practical Data Science

# **Southeast University (SEU)**

Nanjing, China

Bachelor of Engineering in Information Engineering; GPA: 3.89/4.0 (91.64/100)

Aug. 2013 - June 2017

• **Related Courses**: Data Structures and Algorithm, Database System, Machine Learning, Computer Architecture, BigData, Computer Vision, Computer Network

#### SKILLS

- Programming Language: Java, Python, C, JavaScript, SQL, Golang, Scala
- Cloud: AWS: EC2, S3, Lambda, DynamoDB, RDS, EMR, Azure: CosmosDB, Functions, App service, Blob Storage, Event Hubs, GCP: Dataproc, Compute Engine, Kubernetes Engine, Datastore, Functions
- DataBase and Big Data: MySQL, HBase, MongoDB, CosmosDB, Spark, Hadoop MapReduce, Kafka

## INTERNSHIP

Walmart Inc Bentonville, AR

Software Engineer Intern in Sam's Club Cloud infrastructure team

May - Aug. 2018

- Developed **Azure CosmosDB** resource auto scaling system both backend and frontend with **Java Spring** Framework and **ReactJS**, reducing 70% cost by only using high capacity in scheduled time.
- Designed and Implemented **RESTful API** and highly scalable backend that can manage autoscaling of 1000's of **CosmosDB** instances with **Azure Web App**, **CosmosDB**, **Functions**, **Event Hubs**.
- Won third prize in Walmart Codeception Hackathon with implementing Java backend for a location focused social media platform for Walmart associates.

## Intel Asia-Pacific Research & Development Ltd.

Shanghai, China

Software Development and Validation Intern

July - Dec. 2016

- Developed and upgraded test scripts and architectures for LPSS(Low Power Sub-System) testing code.
- Built **Python** automation tool to accelerate average testing time by 20%.
- Collaborated with security team to develop a demo for proof of concept of secure container with **Node.js**, **HTML5** and **Docker** and helped team win the customer.

## **PROJECTS**

# **Twitter Analytics Web Service**

Feb. - May 2018

- Performed data Extracted, Transform and Load on 300 million (1TB) of raw tweet messages using **Spark**.
- $\bullet \ \ \text{Built a RESTful web service using Undertow framework, with } \ \ \text{MySQL} \ \ \text{and HBase as back-end on } \ \ \text{AWS}.$
- Applied load balancing strategy to handle 4 types of intensive read/write queries and achieved an average of 10,000 QPS (queries per second) in 2 hours live test, within a maximum cost of \$0.85/h on AWS.
- Optimized web service by using thread pool, refining database schema, tuning parameters on backend database. Utilized **JMeter** as load generator to test our web service.

#### **Lucene Based Search Engine**

Jan. - May 2018

- Implemented a text-based search engine indexed with Lucene API on corpus of 500, 000 + documents from ClueWeb09 dataset in **Java**.
- Developed a custom search engine with diversification, query expansion and learning to rank capability, supporting retrieval models including Ranked Boolean, BM25, and language statistic model like Indri.
- Evaluated the models developed by varying parameter values, analyzed trends, ambiguities discovered from the conducted experiments.

## **Introduction to Computer system**

Sept. - Dec. 2017

- Developed dynamic storage allocator in **C** using explicit, segregated lists and improved space utilization by reduce header in the allocator block.
- Designed a **web proxy** supporting HTTP/1.0 requests and implemented multi-thread to deal with multiple concurrent connections and added LRU cache to reduce the response time.