Zijian Luo

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Education Background

20/03/2024-Current University of Sydney

Major: Computer Science

Degree: MPhil. (Master by Research)

Research Supervisors: Rahul Gopinath, Xi WU

> 01/09/2018-30/06/2022 Hebei University

Major: Software Engineering Degree: Bachelor's Degree

Main Courses: Data structure; Algorithm; Network; Operating System; Compiler; Architecture of Computer

GPA: 82.08%

Work Experience

May. 2025 – Current

Company: Oracle

Role: Research Assistant@ Oracle Labs, Brisbane (full-time)

Responsibility: Leveraging LLMs to solve real-world software engineering tasks or defects including bug localization, bug-reproducing, Automated Program Repair.

Skill: LLM; Symbolic Execution; Static Analysis; Automated Program Repair; Knowledge Graph

Publications:

Automatic Data Repair without Format Specifications ISSRE25(Core A)

Status: Accepted

Responsibilities: Perform black-box testing on the parser and repair data based on feedback, without knowing the input specification.

Paper: https://rahul.gopinath.org/resources/issre2025/luo2025automatic.pdf

Skill: Program Input Repair; Black-box Debugging; Parser

> Assessing Reliability of Statistical Maximum Coverage Estimators in Fuzzing ICSME25(Core A)

Status: Accepted

Responsibilities: Random program and bug generation for evaluating fuzzing

Paper: https://arxiv.org/abs/2507.17093
Skill: Fuzzing; Program Synthesis

Projects

March 2025 – Aug 2025 Grammar-bench: A Random LL(1) Parser Generator for APR Benchmark

Purpose: A randomized, anonymized benchmarking framework for software engineering tasks. Grammarbench builds a large number of verifiable tasks by "randomly generating grammars → generating parsers → injecting minimal faults → auto-generating test cases." It aims to fairly evaluate Large Language Models (LLMs) or autonomous agents on program repair and patch generation without overfitting to public datasets.

Project repo: https://github.com/Jacksadventure/Grammar_bench

Skill: LL(1) Parser; Agent; LLM; Program Synthesis

Aug 2025 – Aug 2025 Readme2artifacts: An Automated Docker Builder & Tester Agent

Purpose: An LLM-powered automation agent that generates a Docker file from a README, builds the image, runs tests.

Project repo: https://github.com/Jacksadventure/Readme2artifacts

Skill: Agent; docker; LLM

Mar 2021- Jul 2021 Development of Programming Language "Deeplang"

Purpose: Deeplang is a memory-safe multi-paradigm programming language for embedded scenarios.

Responsibilities: Implement the back-end virtual machine part that interprets the WASM code generated by the front-end for execution

Main Page: https://deeplang.org

Skill: C Programming Language; Webassembly

May 2024 - Jul 2024 Building Virtual Machines With Threaded Models

Purpose: Evaluate how threading models impact the performance of virtual machines.

Responsibilities: 1. Instruction set design 2.Implementing virtual machines with threading models including direct, indirect, subroutine...threading models 3. Having benchmark with random-generated program.

Repo: https://github.com/Jacksadventure/ThreadedVM

Skill: C/C++; Programming Language; Virtual Machine;

Nov. 2024 – Dec. 2024 AI Grammar-generator for Grammar-based fuzzing

Description: An experimental toy-level tool that uses LLMs to infer grammar specifications, enabling efficient and effective fuzzing of targets without prior specifications.

Repo: https://github.com/Jacksadventure/AutoGrammar

Skill: Fuzzing; LLM; Few Short Learning; software security

Awards/Scholarship

> 2023-2024 "Summer Research Internship Scholarship" in University of Sydney

School / Social / NGO Activities

> The President of USYD Toastmasters club(Belongs to Toastmasters International, NGO).

Responsibilities: Manage all education-related matters in the club and supervise members to complete their study program

Skills

Fuzzing test; LLVM; Symbolic execution; Dataflow analysis; Dynamic software analysis; Programming language toolchain development; Ghidra; Pwndbg; Reverse Engineering; Operating System development; Agent; LLM; Docker