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EDUCATION

University of California San Diego (UCSD)

Sep 2022 - Present

Ph.D. student in Computer Science and Engineering.

Shanghai Jiao Tong University (SJTU)

Sep 2018 - Jun 2022

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Science

Member of ACM Class, an elite CS program for the top 5% talented students.

GPA: 88/100

PUBLICATIONS

Zijun Li, **Linsong Guo**, Quan Chen, Jiagan Cheng, Chuhao Xu, Zhuo Song, Tao Ma, Yong Yang, Chao Li and Minyi Guo. Help Rather Than Recycle: Alleviating Cold Startup in Serverless Computing Through Inter-Function Container Sharing. **USENIX ATC 2022**.

Zijun Li, Yushi Liu, **Linsong Guo**, Quan Chen, Jiagan Cheng, Wenli Zheng, Minyi Guo. FaaSFlow: Enable Efficient Workflow Execution for Function-as-a-Service. **ASPLOS 2022**.

Zijun Li, **Linsong Guo**, Jiagan Cheng, Quan Chen, Bingsheng He, Minyi Guo. The Serverless Computing Survey: A Technical Primer for Design Architecture. **ACM Computing Surveys**.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

WukLab, UCSD

Supervised by Prof. Yiying Zhang

Sep 2022 - Present

Currently working on memory disaggregation.

Database System Group, Pennsylvania State University

Supervised by Prof. Xie Dong

Jul 2021 - Dec 2021

Explored adaptive serverless function placement for disaggregated storage datacenters.

Emerging Parallel Computing Center (EPCC Lab), SJTU

Supervised by Prof. Quan Chen

Jul 2020 - Jun 2021

Addressed two critical problems in **serverless computing**:

- Alleviating cold startup through inter-function container sharing.
- Reducing data movement overhead in real-world stateless workflows.

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant of C++ Programming Course, SJTU

instructed by Prof. Huiyu Weng

Sep 2019 - Jan 2020

Member in ACM-ICPC Team, SJTU

guided by Prof. Yong Yu

Jun 2018 - Jul 2019

A member of a team named *Quasar*. Earned three gold medals (one as a **1st runner-up**) in ACM-ICPC Asia regional contests and one gold medal in China Collegiate Programming Contest.

HONORS AND AWARDS

1st Runner-Up, ACM-ICPC Asia Regional Contest, Nakhon Pathom Site	2018
Gold Medal, ACM-ICPC Asia Regional Contest, Qingdao Site	2018
Gold Medal, China Collegiate Programming Contest, Guilin Site	2018
Silver Medal, China Collegiate Programming Contest, Final	2018
Gold Medal, ACM-ICPC invitational Contest, Xi'an Site	2019
Silver Medal, National Olympiad in Informatics	2017
Zhiyuan Honorary Scholarship, Award for top 5% students	2018, 2019, 2020
Excellence Scholarship for Undergraduates	2019, 2020, 2021

PROJECTS

Java-and-C-like Language Compiler (~16K lines in Java) [github]

The compiler can convert a piece of code to an AST, then to LLVM IR, and eventually to RISC-V assembly. I enhanced the compiler's back-end with numerous optimizations, including mem2reg, inlining, CSE(Common SubExpression Elimination), LICM(Loop Invariant Code Motion), SCCP(Sparse Conditional Constant Propagation), and so on.

Replicated KV Store Based on Raft Consensus Protocol (~1.8K lines in C++) [github]

The replicated store could run on a cluster of servers communicated via gRPC and support basic operations such as get and put.

RISC-V CPU with 5-Stage Pipeline (~3.7K lines in Verilog) [github]

To gain a better understanding of computer architecture, I added components including d-cache, i-cache, and a branch predictor combining BTB and BHT. The CPU could run successfully on an FPGA board.

SKILLS

Programming Languages: C/C++> Python > Java > Rust, x86 and RISC-V assembly

Hardware: Verilog, PC assembly