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### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Programming Language

### **EDUCATION**

Indiana University, Bloomington IN May 2020 Master of Science in Computer Science GPA 4.0/4.0

Courses: Programming Language, Compiler, Applied Algorithm

Shanghai Jiao Tong University, Shanghai, China

June 2018 Bachelor of Science in Biotechnology (Bioinformatics Pioneer Class) GPA 3.3/4.0

Courses: Algorithm, Algorithm and Data Structure, Computer Network

### RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

#### School of Software Engineering, SJTU, Shanghai, China

Transformation from Context-Free Grammar to Automata

- Improve an algorithm transforming a CFG to a FA while maintaining their Parikh images
- Noticed the output FA was not a general graph, but has special structure feature
- Reduced the algorithm's time complexity from exponential to polynomial, with a special representation of FA

# Lab of Computational Genomics and Metagenomics, SJTU, Shanghai, China

May. 2016 - Aug. 2018

Mar. 2017 – Oct. 2017

WebPhvloTree

- Developed a JavaScript library for visualizing phylogenetic trees on web page
- Provided a GUI for configuring layout, color scheme, and functionality
- Features: plugin system, style customization, all three popular tree layouts (circular, rectangular, and unroot)
- Programming Languages & Technologies: JavaScript, SVG

# Lab of Computational Genomics and Metagenomics, SJTU, Shanghai, China

Mar. 2015 – June 2016

RPAN: Rice Pan-genome Browser

- Developed a key component to help users finding species of interest using evolutionary relationship information
- Cooperated closely with several co-workers to build, test, debug, and document the browser
- Programming Languages & Technologies: JavaScript, SVG, PHP, Node.js
- Co-published an article about RPAN (see below)

### Lab of Computational Genomics and Metagenomics, SJTU, Shanghai, China

Sept. 2016 – Oct. 2016

Eukaryotic Pan-genome Analysis Toolkit (EUPAN)

- Enabled EUPAN to work with one more supercomputer workload managers, SLURM
- Cooperated with core developers to update documentation accordingly

## PERSONAL PROJECTS

Interpreter for a Subset of Scheme with First-Class Continuation

• Implemented first-class continuation by performing CPS transformation

A Brief Programming Tutorial (in Chinese)

• Created a tutorial on fundamental concepts (namespace, procedure, variable, statements, iteration, etc.) to help a non-technical individual develop a better understands

### **PUBLICATIONS**

- Sun, C., Hu, Z., Zheng, T., Lu, K., Zhao, Y., Wang, W., ... & Li, Z. (2017). RPAN: rice pan-genome browser for  $\sim$  3000 rice genomes. Nucleic acids research, 45(2), 597-605.
- Hu, Z., Sun, C., Lu, K. C., Chu, X., Zhao, Y., Lu, J., ... & Wei, C. (2017). EUPAN enables pan-genome studies of a large number of eukaryotic genomes. Bioinformatics, btx170.

### OTHER ACTIVITIES

#### Indiana University, Bloomington IN

Oct. 2018 – Feb. 2019

2018-2019 Committee of Preparing Future Faculty Conference

- help preparing the conference: suggest speakers, decide conference topic, spread flyers, and update its website
- volunteer at register table during the conference

**IU Memorial Stadium**, Bloomington IN Working as an Usher/ticket taker

A Primary School, Henan Province, China

Volunteer teaching

• Subjects: English, Sex Education, Chemistry Lab

Aug. 2018 – Dec. 2018

July 2017 – Aug. 2017

# **MISCELLANEOUS**

- Programming Languages: Scheme, Java, C, R, Racket, JavaScript, Python
- Hobbies: Programming, Reading, Table Tennis, Pooling