

# Marisa Kirisame

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## Research

- MemBalancer** Worked at controlling the garbage collector for V8, the Javascript engine behind Chrome. Achieved 16% reduction in memory use, work being upstreamed into Chrome and Firefox.
- DTR** Developed an algorithm for gradient checkpointing for large machine learning model. Currently upstreaming to Pytorch. Adopted by Megengine, DELTA, and used in production.
- TVM** Top 20 contributor to high performance ML compiler-runtime. Contributed to the design of Relay, a higher order, differentiable IR. Implemented Algebraic Data Types, Automatic Differentiation, Reference, Pretty Printing, Ahead-Of-Time Compiler, Partial Evaluator, contributed to Type Inference.

## Education

- 2020– **PhD in CS**, *University of Utah*, Salt Lake City
- 2019–2020 **Master in CS**, *University of Washington*, Seattle
- 2015–2019 **Bachelor in CS**, *University of Washington*, Seattle

## Publications

- [1] Marisa Kirisame, Pranav Shenoy, and Pavel Panchekha. Optimal heap limits for reducing browser memory use. In *OOPSLA*, 2022.
- [2] Marisa Kirisame, Steven Lyubomirsky, Altan Haan, Jennifer Brennan, Mike He, Jared Roesch, Tianqi Chen, and Zachary Tatlock. Dynamic tensor rematerialization. In *ICLR*, 2021.
- [3] Jared Roesch, Steven Lyubomirsky, Marisa Kirisame, Josh Pollock, Logan Weber, Ziheng Jiang, Tianqi Chen, Thierry Moreau, and Zachary Tatlock. Relay: A high-level IR for deep learning. *CoRR*, abs/1904.08368, 2019.

## Projects

- 7Tree** Using CEGIS and Ltac's logical programming capability, build a push-button program synthesizer and verifier for a domain specific problem in Coq.
- Happy-Tree** A polytypic decision tree in Haskell that work on any True-Sums-Of-Products.
- Ordinary** A small web game to teach programming. Used Functional Reactive Programming, Nix, Zipper, and GHCJS.
- PE** Simply Typed Lambda Calculus with reference/product/sum with Bidirectional Type Checking, Partial Evaluation, Automatic Differentiation. Written in MetaOCaml so it can be compiled to OCaml.
- Prover** An automated theorem prover for first order logic that use Gentzen's Sequent Calculus. Logic Formula represented as Generalized Algebraic Data Type using TMP in C++.
- Language** Fluent in Mandarin, Cantonese, and English.

## Coursework

- Programming Languages
- Advanced Computer Architecture
- Graduate Theoretical Computer Science
- Artificial Intelligence
- Operating Systems
- Database
- Systems for Machine Learning
- Deep Learning