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EDUCATION

Shanghai Jiao Tong University

Shanghai, China

Department of Computer Science

Feb. 2016 - Jul. 2018 (expected)

o BS in Computer Science, Technology and Engineering Honor Class

• Cumulative GPA: **91.88/100**

School of Mechanical Engineering

Sept. 2014 - Jan. 2016

• Engineering Pilot Class

• Cumulative GPA: **88.33/100**

Cornell University

Ithaca, NY

Computer Science Department, Visiting Student

Jun. - Jul. 2017

Research Interests

• Software System, Distributed System, Data System, Measurement & Performance Analysis

• Theoretical Networking, Big-scale Network Analysis

Patents

• J. He, Y. Huang, L. Kong, J. Shen, C. Liu, Y. Jia, H. Xiao, W. Tang, T. Hu, L. Fu, X. Wang, "An Method to Construct & Visualize the Heterogeneous Topic Network Based on Text Information", CHN No. 106372147A, Approved Feb. 1^{st} 2017

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Bancor Simulator: Simulator for Market Analysis under Bancor Protocol Research Assistant, supervised by Prof. Emin Gün Sirer

Jul 2017 - Present

- o Goal: to build a simulator monitoring market performance under Bancor protocol to explore the robustness and efficiency of Bancor.
- Construct the simulator framework, mainly consisting of four classes Smart Token, Customer, Bancor Market and Classic Market.
- o Propose and build the simulation model for both Bancor market and classic market, run experiments in multiple circumstances.
- Experiemntal results show that Bancor protocol is flawed in three aspects:
 - a) The problem of "Co-incidence of Double Wants" Bancor wants to solve might neither be better solved by Bancor than classic market, nor even exist.
 - b) Bancor neglects potential human behaviors, thus failing to reflect significant fluctuation of smart token price.
 - c) Under limited order, Bancor protocol is faced with high cancellation of concurrent transaction orders in real world.

Are Scholarly Domains Crossable?

Feb. 2017 - Jun. 2017

Research Assistant, supervised by Prof. Xinbing Wang & Prof. Luoyi Fu

- o Goal: to explore the possible existence of scholarly cross-domain collaborations.
- Quantify "crossability", to evaluate the capability of two scientific domains to establish collaborations
- Propose a Gaussian-like model based the citation count of a paper to predict the papers future citation
- Train the peak pattern model in the correlation of research works influence and reach the conclusion: research works focusing on a certain number of domains can produce significant impact.

Evolving Scholarly Networks: Experiments, Modeling & Analysis

Jun. 2016 - Feb. 2017

Research Assistant, supervised by Prof. Xinbing Wang & Prof. Luoyi Fu

- Goal: to provide the rst comprehensive study of the scholarly network which is a structure extracted from massive scholarly data.
- Propose a novel evolving scholarly model, jointly capturing both intra and inter correlations of papers, authors and topics during the evolving process, based on empirical observations.
- Conduct theoretical analysis and empirical evaluations on the model, and demonstrate that the model accurately reproduces the global and local structures of real scholarly networks.

Side Projects

Acemap: Academic Map System

Jun. 2015 - Present

- \circ Develop visualizing applications for scholarly information networks and presentation approaches.
- Implement the recommending algorithm for papers in Acemap, and present the result on website.
- Build and maintain the server and the back-end for Acemap.

Paper-forest Map: Graphic Tracker for Scholar's Publications

Sept. 2017

• One of the visualization applications in Acemap, which aims to provide users with direct access of connections between one scholar's publications.

Linux Kernel Applications Development

Spring 2016

- Get understanding of how operating system works by developing Linux Kernel applications.
- o Score 99/100, Rank 2/141

CPU Design on MIPS Architecture in Verilog

Spring 2016

- $\circ~$ Build a simple pipelining CPU by Verilog coding under MIPS architecture.
- o Score 98/100, Rank 1/137

Visualization for Machine Vision Understanding

Fall 2016

- Implements idea of paper "Shallow and Deep Convolutional Networks for Saliency Prediction" to make a
 Saliency Prediction GUI, which helps people get better understanding of how Saliency Detection works under
 CNN framework.
- o Score 99/100, Rank 2/89

Using ConvNets to Recognize Captcha Digits

Fall 2016

- Implements idea of paper "Convolutional Neural Networks Applied to House Numbers Digit Classification" to make a Captcha Digits recognizing GUI.
- $\circ~$ Score 99/100, Rank 1/180

SELECTED SCHOLARSHIP & HONORS

- China National Scholarship highest honor for undergraduates in China, top 0.2% nationwide 2015 & 2017
- Junzheng Scholarship award for excellent research performance, top 30 in SJTU

2017

- Scholarship of Outstanding Undergraduates award for excellent research performance, top 2 in School of Electronic Information & Electrical Engineering
- Zhiyuan Honor Scholarship award for excellent academic performance

2015 & 2016

• Merit Student of Shanghai Jiao Tong University award for superior comprehensive performance

2015

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

• Teaching Assistant for CS 499 Mathematical Foundations of Computer Science

 $Spring\ 2017$

• Teaching Assistant for CS 334 Computer Organization Lab

Spring 2016