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Xuan Wang

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Education

University of California, San Diego

Ph.D. in Computer Science and Engineering

GPA: 4.0 / 4.0

Advisor: Prof. Tajana Rosing

University of California, San Diego (Double Major) (Cum Laude) GPA: 3.86 / 4.0

B.S in Computer Engineering (Major GPA: 3.894 / 4.0)

B.S in Applied Mathematics (Major GPA: 3.976 / 4.0) Jun. 2023

Publication

Xuan Wang*, Minxuan Zhou*, Tajana Rosing, "Fast-OverlaPIM: A Fast Overlap-driven Mapping Framework for Processing In-Memory Neural Network Acceleration", in submission.

- Behnam Khaleghi, Xiaofan Yu, Jaeyoung Kang, Xuan Wang, Tajana Rosing, "Private and Efficient Learning at the Edge with Hyperdimensional Computing", in submission.
- Minxuan Zhou*, Xuan Wang*, Tajana Rosing, "OverlaPIM: Overlap Optimization for Processing In-Memory Neural Network Acceleration", Design, Automation, and Test in Europe (DATE '2023). * Co-first authors.

Selected Research Projects

Domain-Specific Acceleration with Fully Homomorphic Encryption (Advised by Prof. Tajana Rosing)

Oct. 2023- Present

Expected 2027

Jun. 2023

Investigating fully homomorphic encryption and hardware simulators for domain-specific acceleration.

(Fast-)OverlaPIM: Overlap Optimization for PIM NN Acceleration (Advised by Prof. Tajana Rosing) Apr. 2021- Oct. 2023

- Developed OverlaPIM, a hardware-software co-design DNN mapping framework on PIM, produced 2.10x to 4.11x faster mappings through input-output computational overlap and transformation in C++ with baseline Timeloop.
- Optimized framework to evaluate whole DNN model in design space instead of a single layer.
- Co-designed between architecture constrains and framework to generate better mapping in (Fast-)OverlaPIM.

Genomics Pairwise Sequence Alignment Acceleration (Advised by Prof. Yatish Turakhia)

Apr.2022 - Sept.2022

- Implemented PEs and SRAMs ASIC design for genomics pairwise sequence alignment acceleration in System Verilog.
- Collected ALUTs resources, registers, and Fmax data by synthesizing on Vivado.

BASEDNet: Baseline Detection for Historical Documents (Advised by Prof. Taylor Berg-Kirkpatrick)

Oct. 2020 - Jun.2021

- 1 of 49 students chosen for CSE Early Research Scholars.
- Implemented BASEDNet, a DNN model in Tensorflow and evaluated using the IoU formula.

Technical Skills/Selected Coursework

- Technical Language: C++, Python, C, System Verilog, Java, Julia, SageMath, Markdown ARM assembly, HTML.
- Tools and Skills: OpenGL, Cuda, PyTorch, MATLAB, Vivado, LTspice, LaTeX, Unix/Linux, Git, VS Code, Visual Studio, Bash, GitHub, TensorFlow, Docker, NumPy, Jupyter Notebook.
- CS Coursework: Computer Architecture, Parallel Computing, Operating System, Fully Homormophic Encryption, Digital System Design, Circuit Design, Artificial Intelligence, Data Mining, Data Structure, Algorithm, Prob & Stats, Signal & System.
- Mathematics Coursework: Linear & Nonlinear Optimization, Graph Theory, Combinatorics, Geometric Computer Graphics, Real Analysis, Advanced Linear Algebra, Calculus.

Honors and Awards

- TRELS (Triton Research & Experimental Learning Scholars) Quarterly Awards (WI23)
- **Tau Beta Pi** Engineering Honor Society (2021-present)
- Thurgood Marshall College Honor Program (2021-2023)
- **Provost Honors:** FA19, WI20, SP20, WI21, SP21, FA21, WI22, SP22.
- Provincial Second Prize in National Chemistry Olympiad (2018).