

# Chaoji Zuo

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## EDUCATION

**Rutgers University - New Brunswick**, Piscataway, NJ

Ph.D. in Computer Sciences, GPA: 3.90/4.00

August 2020 - May 2025 (*Expected*)

**Rutgers University - New Brunswick**, Piscataway, NJ

M.S. in Electrical and Computer Engineering, GPA: 3.83/4.00

May 2020

**University of Electronic Science and Technology of China**, Chengdu, China

B.Eng in Software Engineering, GPA: 3.72/4.00

June 2019

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Similarity search on high dimensional vector data and textual data, multi-model data management, textual data curation, and vector database.

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

**Data Curation Lab @ Database Group, Rutgers**

*Advisor: Prof. Dong Deng*

May 2020 - present

- Focusing on graph-based approximate nearest neighbor search on high dimensional vectors
- Working on hybrid search on structured and unstructured data
- Focusing on near-duplicate text alignment and sequence search on large-scale textual corpora

**Alibaba DAMO Academy**

*Mentor: Wenchao Zhou*

May 2023 - August 2023

- Designed an approximate neighbor search framework for attribute-constrained query
- Built a generic similarity search system to support distribution and dynamic scenarios

## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATION

SeRF: Segment Graph for Range-Filtering Approximate Nearest Neighbor Search

**Chaoji Zuo**, Miao Qiao, Wenchao Zhou, Feifei Li, Dong Deng.

*SIGMOD 2024*

Towards Millions of Database Transmission Services in the Cloud

Hua Fan, Dachao Fu, Xu Wang, Jiachi Zhang, **Chaoji Zuo**, Zhengyi Wu, Miao Zhang, Kang Yuan, Xizi Ni, Guocheng Huo, Wenchao Zhou, Feifei Li, and Jingren Zhou.

*VLDB 2024*

ARKGraph: All-Range Approximate K-Nearest-Neighbor Graph

**Chaoji Zuo**, Dong Deng.

*VLDB 2023*

Spine: Scaling up Programming-by-Negative-Example for String Filtering and Transformation

**Chaoji Zuo**, Sepehr Assadi, Dong Deng.

*SIGMOD 2022*

TxtAlign: Efficient Near-Duplicate Text Alignment Search via Bottom-k Sketches for Plagiarism Detection

Zhizhi Wang, **Chaoji Zuo**, Dong Deng.

*SIGMOD 2022*

CellRep: Usage Representativeness Modeling and Correction Based on Multiple City-Scale Cellular Networks  
 Zhihan Fang, Guang Wang, Shuai Wang, **Chaoji Zuo**, Fan Zhang and Desheng Zhang  
 WWW 2020

HONORS AND AWARDS	Alibaba Cloud Outstanding Research Intern, Alibaba Cloud	2024
	Travel Fellowship, VLDB	2023
	Runner-Up of Student Programming Contest, SIGMOD	2022
	Finalist of Student Programming Contest, SIGMOD	2021
	Best Capstone Design in Research, Rutgers ECE Capstone Design	2019

TEACHING EXPERIENCE & SERVICES	<b>Rutgers University - New Brunswick</b>	
	<i>Teaching Assistant</i>	
	<i>CS437: Database Systems Implementation</i>	2023, 2021
	<i>CS336: Principal of Information and Data Management</i>	2022
	<b>International Conference on Management of Data (SIGMOD)</b>	
	<i>Programming Contest Organization Committee Member</i>	2024, 2023
	Organized the programming contest, including the development of contest problems and the administration of the contest evaluation.	