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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

• Networks, Reinforcement Learning, IoT, Distributed Systems

#### **EDUCATION**

PhD student in Computer Science University of California, Davis 09/2017-present

• Current GPA: 4.0/4.0

**Master of Science in Computer Science** 

09/2012-07/2014

09/2008-06/2012

National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan

• Overall GPA: 4.27/4.3 (50% Academic Average and 50% Thesis)

**Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Information Engineering** 

Fu Jen Catholic University, Taipei, Taiwan

• Overall GPA: 3.96/4.0 (Major GPA: 4.0/4.0)

• Best Ranked 1<sup>st</sup>, Average Ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> in class

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

Algorithms and Theory Lab (Advisor: Professor Dipak Ghosal) University of California, Davis

09/2017-present

- Backpressure-based Schemes for Maximizing Throughput at Multiple Intersections [3]
  - Apply the network model to schedule traffic signal controls for multiple intersections
  - Security analysis on Backpressure-based schemes

Visual Communication Lab (Advisor: Professor Jia-Shung Wang)

09/2012-07/2014

#### National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan

- <u>Distributed Delivery of Videos over Ultra-dense Networks</u> [4][6][7]
  - Deploy distributed storage using LT codes on cloud platform for popular videos
  - Evaluate distributed delivery techniques for hot videos over ultra-dense wireless environments
- Clustering Algorithm for Gene Expression Data [2]
  - Affinity propagation-based clustering algorithm for time-series gene expression data
  - Outperform other methods when the same datasets were used in the evaluation
- Data Compression in WSNs [1][5]
  - Tree-structured linear approximation with optimal RD control method for IoT Data
  - Considering the heterogeneity of sensors simultaneously using the R-D distortion allocation

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### **Journal Papers**

- [1] **Chia-Cheng Yen**, Chu-Ming Wang, Wan-Yane Yang, and Jia-Shung Wang, "Homogeneous and Heterogeneous IoT Data Compression using Tree-Structured Linear Approximation Approach," *IEEE Sensors Journal*, 2018, **submitted**.
- [2] Tai-Yu Chiu, Ting-Chieh Hsu, **Chia-Cheng Yen**, and Jia-Shung Wang, "Interpolation based consensus clustering for gene expression time series," *BMC Bioinformatics*. 2015; 16:117.

#### **Conference Papers**

- [3] **Chia-Cheng Yen**, Dipak Ghosal, Michael Zhang, Chen-Nee Chuah, and Hao Chen, "Falsified Data Attack on Backpressure-based Traffic Signal Control Algorithms," *IEEE Vehicular Networking Conference*, 2018, **submitted**.
- [4] Yi-Ting Chen, **Chia-Cheng Yen**, Yu-Tai Lin, and Jia-Shung Wang, "Cooperative Caching Plan of Popular Videos for Mobile Users by Grouping Preference," *IEEE 16<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Pervasive Intelligence and Computing (PICom)*, 2018, **accepted**.
- [5] Chu-Ming Wang, **Chia-Cheng Yen**, Wan-Yane Yang, and Jia-Shung Wang, "Tree-Structure Linear Approximation for Data Compression over WSNs," *IEEE 12<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Distributed Computing in Sensor Systems (DCOSS)*, 2016.
- [6] **Chia-Cheng Yen** and Jia-Shung Wang, "Distributed Delivery of Popular Videos over Ultra-Dense Networks," *IEEE Symposium on Computers and Communication (ISCC)*, 2015.
- [7] Hsien-Tzu Chiu, **Chia-Cheng Yen**, and Jia-Shung Wang, "A Framework of Temporal Data Retrieval for Unreliable WSNs Using Distributed Fountain Codes," *IEEE 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Mobile Ad-hoc and Sensor Networks (MSN)*, 2013.

## **WORK & TEACHING EXPERIENCES**

• Research topics including Networks, and Traffic

## Research Assistant, Advanced Network Technologies and Services Lab

04/2017-08/2017

Institute of Information Science, Academia Sinica, Taiwan

• Research topics including Wireless Networks and Machine Learning

#### Communication and Information Private, Missile Command of the General Staff

10/2014-09/2015

Headquarter Departments of Ministry of National Defense R.O.C.

• Fulfilled compulsory military service

## Research Assistant, Visual Communication Lab

09/2012-07/2014

## National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan

- Research topics including Networks, Clustering, Stereo Matching, and Data Compression
- Attended IEEE 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Mobile Ad-hoc and Sensor Networks, International Workshop on Software Defined Sensor Networks, Dalian, China, December 11-13, 2013

## Teaching Assistant, Department of Computer Science and Information Engineering

09/2011-01/2012

#### Fu Jen Catholic University, Taipei, Taiwan

- Provided class tutoring for Assembly Language
- Assisted students with programming and examining

#### **AWARDS**

## **Academic Excellence Award (7 times)**

09/2008-06/2012

- Awarded to students with top 5% GPA for that semester
- Provided scholarships to students with top 5% GPA for that semester

Second Best Project Award, Department of Computer Science and Information Engineering, FJCU

11/2011

• Ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> out of 27 teams

## **SELECTED TERM PROJECTS**

## Online Ticketing System, Department of Computer Science and Information Engineering, FJCU

- Utilized Oracle to build up an online ticketing system for railway
- Supported multiple users for simultaneous booking

## Multimedia Sharing System, Department of Computer Science and Information Engineering, FJCU

- Shared movies or music with friends through MSN
- Utilized peer-to-peer communication and adjusted transmission rate dynamically
- Applied distributed streaming mechanism and circular buffer technique
- Awarded second place prize

#### Stereo Matching, Visual Communication Lab

- Implemented Horizontal and Vertical Consideration on Cost Initialization
- Implemented Domain Transform on Cost Aggregation
- Improved disparity estimation method

#### TECHNICAL EXPERTISE

- Programing Languages: C/C++, Open CV, Java, Matlab, Python, Assembly
- Platforms: Windows, Linux