

Dimitris Tsitsigkos

Software Engineer (PhD)

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SUMMARY

Software Engineer with a background in data management and parallel computing. Experienced in the design and implementation of in-memory indexing techniques that accelerate query performance for single and multi-dimensional data. Focuses on developing scalable data systems and performance-critical algorithms in C++, Java, and Python, leveraging parallelism and memory-efficient designs to solve complex data challenges.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Archimedes Research on AI, Data Science and Algorithms, Greece

Feb 2025 - present

Postdoctoral Researcher

- Member of the [Data Science and Engineering team](#), focusing on multi-dimensional and vector data.
- Designing and implementing indexing techniques to enhance query performance for multi-dimensional and vector data.

Dept. of Computer Science & Engineering, Univ. of Ioannina, Greece

Jan 2024 – Dec 2024

Doctoral Researcher

Participated in the Greek funding project [MESA](#): In-memory Spatial Analytics Made Scalable

- Implemented novel parallel and non-parallel index structures for spatial queries, including spatial join, range queries, and k-NN.
- Contributed to the design and development of a prototype distributed spatial data management framework using MPI and OpenMP.

Information Management Systems Institute, Athens, Greece

Dec 2012 – Dec 2023

Software Engineer

Participated in several Greek and European funding projects, including:

- [MORE](#): Management of Real-time Energy data.
(Oct 2020 – Dec 2023)
 - Developed a continuous evaluation module for edge-based sliding-window aggregations in Java.
 - Built parallel and distributed pattern extraction methods using Python and Dask, improving processing and efficiency.
- [Amnesia](#): A Powerful Data Anonymization Platform.
(Aug 2015 – Sep 2020)
 - Designed and built the framework from scratch as the lead software engineer.
- [MoDisSENSE](#): A Distributed Spatio-Temporal and Textual Processing Platform for Social.
(Dec 2012 - Jul 2015)
 - Engineered scalable algorithms for POI discovery and trajectory reconstruction using Hadoop, HBase, and PostGIS.
 - Designed and implemented web services supporting POI discovery and recommendation.

Institute of CS, Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz, Germany

May 2022 – Jul 2022

Research Visitor

- PhD internship at the Institute of Computer Science with Professor Panagiotis Bouros, focusing on spatial joins.

Hellenic Army Information Technology Support Center, Greece

Apr 2017 – Nov 2018

Software Engineer

- Maintain and update code for multiple Java applications, while developing new features.

AWARDS

3rd place Future of Database Programming Contest, Athens

Mar 2025

EDUCATION

PhD, Computer Science

Jul 2019 – Dec 2024

Department of Computer Science & Engineering, University of Ioannina

Thesis: In-memory Indexing for Parallel Processing of Single and Multi-Dimensional Queries

M.Sc., Computing Systems: Software and Hardware, Computer Science

Nov 2012 – Sep 2016

Department of Informatics and Telecommunications, University of Athens

Thesis: Complex Event Processing (CEP) for Intrusion Detection

B.Sc., Computer Science

Sep 2006 – Jun 2012

Department of Informatics and Telecommunications, University of Athens

Thesis: Clustering Wikipedia resources

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages C, C++, Java, Python

Data Management MySQL, PostgreSQL, PostGIS, HBase

Parallel & Systems Programming: OpenMP, SIMD, MPI

Distributed Data Frameworks: Hadoop, Spark, Dask

Web & Frameworks: Spring, RESTful Web Services, JavaScript, JSP, JSF

Operating Systems: Ubuntu, Microsoft Windows, macOS

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Dimitrios Tsitsikos, Achilleas Michalopoulos, Nikos Mamoulis, and Manolis Terrovitis (2026). “ B^S -tree: A gapped data-parallel B-tree”. In: *IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering, (ICDE)*.

Dimitrios Tsitsikos, Panagiotis Bouros, Konstantinos Lampropoulos, Nikos Mamoulis, and Manolis Terrovitis (2024). “Two-Layer Space-Oriented Partitioning for Non-Point Data”. In: *IEEE Transactions on Knowledge and Data Engineering (TKDE)*.

Panagiotis Bouros, Nikos Mamoulis, Dimitrios Tsitsikos, and Manolis Terrovitis (2021). “In-Memory Interval Joins”. In: *VLDB J.*

Dimitrios Tsitsikos, Konstantinos Lampropoulos, Panagiotis Bouros, Nikos Mamoulis, and Manolis Terrovitis (2021). “A Two-layer Partitioning for Non-point Spatial Data”. In: *IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering, (ICDE)*.

OTHER

Languages Greek (native), English (Advanced)

Volunteer European Data Forum 2014, EDBT/ICDT 2023 Joint Conference, 6th ACM Europe Summer School on Data Science 2025, HDMS 2025.