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#### **EDUCATION**

Ph.D. of Science, in process

2021.09 - 2026.07 (in expectation)

Peking University, Beijing, China

Center on Frontiers of Computing Studies (CFCS), School of Computer Science

Advisor: Prof. Xiaotie Deng

Bachelor of Science, Summa Cum Laude
Peking University, Beijing, China
Intelligence Science and Technology
School of Electronics Engineering and Computer Science

2017.09 - 2021.07

#### RESEARCH INTERESTS

I am now working in the interplay of computer science and economics, also known as algorithmic game theory.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### CONFERENCE PAPERS

Robust Decision Aggregation with Second-order Information

Yuqi Pan, Zhaohua Chen, and Yuqing Kong

TheWebConf (WWW) 2024

ArXiv: 2311.14094

Budget-Constrained Auctions with Unassured Priors: Strategic Equivalence and Structural Properties

**Zhaohua Chen**, Mingwei Yang, Chang Wang, Jicheng Li, Zheng Cai, Yukun Ren, Zhihua Zhu, and Xiaotie Deng

TheWebConf (WWW) 2024

ArXiv: 2203.16816 SSRN: 4071291

Dynamic Budget Throttling in Repeated Second-Price Auctions

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**Zhaohua Chen\***, Chang Wang\*, Qian Wang\*, Yuqi Pan, Zhuming Shi, Zheng Cai, Yukun Ren, Zhihua Zhu, and Xiaotie Deng

**AAAI 2024** Arxiv: 2207.04690

### Coordinated Dynamic Bidding in Repeated Second-Price Auctions with Budgets

Yurong Chen\*, Qian Wang\*, Zhijian Duan, Haoran Sun, **Zhaohua Chen**, Xiang Yan, and Xiaotie

Deng

ICML 2023

Arxiv: 2306.07709

# Decentralized Asset Custody Scheme with Security against Rational Adversary

Zhaohua Chen and Guang Yang

**WINE 2021** 

doi: 10.1007/978-3-030-94676-0\_25

Arxiv: 2008.10895

Cryptology ePrint Archive: 2020/1229

# On Tightness of the Tsaknakis-Spirakis Algorithm for Approximate Nash Equilibrium Zhaohua Chen, Xiaotie Deng, Wenhan Huang, Hanyu Li\*, and Yuhao Li

**SAGT 2021** 

doi: 10.1007/978-3-030-85947-3\_7

Arxiv: 2107.01471

#### An Efficient Permissioned Blockchain Model with Provable Reputation Mechanism

Hongyin Chen\*, **Zhaohua Chen**\*, Yukun Cheng, Xiaotie Deng, Wenhan Huang, Jichen Li, Hongyi Ling\*, and Mengqian Zhang

ICDCS 2021 (Poster)

doi: 10.1109/ICDCS51616.2021.00123

Arxiv: 2002.06852

# CycLedger: A Scalable and Secure Parallel Protocol for Distributed Ledger via Shard-

ing

Mengqian Zhang\*, Jichen Li\*, **Zhaohua Chen**\*, Hongyin Chen\*, and Xiaotie Deng

**IPDPS 2020** (Best paper nominee) doi: 10.1109/IPDPS47924.2020.00045

Arxiv: 2001.06778

#### JOURNAL PAPERS

# On Tightness of Tsaknakis-Spirakis Descent Methods for Approximate Nash Equilibria Zhaohua Chen, Xiaotie Deng, Wenhan Huang, Hanyu Li, and Yuhao Li

Information and Computation

doi: 10.1016/j.ic.2023.105046

# An Efficient and Robust Committee Structure for Sharding Blockchain

Mengqian Zhang\*, Jichen Li\*, **Zhaohua Chen**\*, Hongyin Chen\*, and Xiaotie Deng

IEEE Transactions on Cloud Computing

doi: 10.1109/TCC.2022.3217856

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# A Provable Softmax Reputation-based Protocol for Permissioned Blockchains

Hongyin Chen\*, **Zhaohua Chen**\*, Yukun Cheng, Xiaotie Deng, Wenhan Huang, Jichen Li, Hongyi Ling\*, and Mengqian Zhang

**IEEE Transactions on Cloud Computing** 

doi: 10.1109/TCC.2021.3130244

#### **PATENTS**

CN112419060A. Asset hosting system, asset management method, node and medium Inventor: YANG GUANG, CHEN ZHAOHUA, WU MING, LONG FAN, LI CHENXING

#### **INTERNSHIPS**

Research Intern at DeCus (Conflux)

2020.09 - 2021.10

Mentor: Dr. Ge Chen, Dr. Tian Lin, Dr. Guang Yang

Topic: Group assignment scheme design in decentralized asset custody scenario

#### Research Intern at Conflux

2020.03 - 2020.09

Mentor: Dr. Guang Yang

**Topic**: Mechanism design and analysis in blockchain cross-chain protocols

## **TEACHINGS**

Advisor:

Billiards Yuanpei College, Peking University, 2023.03 – 2023.06
Billiards Yuanpei College, Peking University, 2022.10 – 2022.12

## Teaching Assistant:

Discrete Math and Structures (I)

Study and Practice on Topics of Frontier Computing (II)

Study and Practice on Topics of Frontier Computing (II)

Discrete Math and Structures (I)

Discrete Math and Structures (I)

Discrete Math and Structures (I)

Blockchain Theory and Technique

Peking University, 2023.09 – 2023.01

Peking University, 2021.09 – 2022.01

Peking University, 2021.09 – 2021.01

Peking University, 2021.09 – 2021.01

Peking University, 2021.09 – 2021.01

#### **SERVICES**

Conference Reviewing: The WebConf 2024, GameSec 2021, IPDPS 2020

Journal Reviewing: SIAM Journal on Computing

Volunteer Experience: IJTCS-FAW (IJTCS) {2023; 2021, Undergraduate Research Forum Chair; 2020}, CSIAM-BTAF 2021, WINE 2020 (Volunteer Group Leader, in Local Organization Committee)

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| HONORS  |        |
| UBIQUANT Scholarship  | 2023   |
| The China Optics Valley Scholarship   | 2022   |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize of Peking University Scholarship                            | 2020   |
| National Scholarship  | 2019   |
| Jingjishijie Scholarship  | 2018   |
| Merit Student   | 2023   |
| Merit Student   | 2022   |
| Excellent Graduate of Peking University   | 2021   |
| Merit Student   | 2020   |
| Merit Student   | 2019   |
| Merit Student   | 2018   |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> Place in Captial Colledge Student Billiards Championship (Single) | 2021   |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Place in Captial Colledge Student Billiards Championship (Team)   | 2019   |
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2019

 $3^{\rm rd}$  Prize in "Tencent Cup" Peking University Programming Contest