Dylan Hutchison

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Objective: To bridge linear and relational algebra systems both in theory and in practice. To build the polystore optimizer that translates and optimizes queries across systems, taking all known statistics, properties, and equivalences into account.

Education

University of Washington Seattle, WA Ph.D. in Computer Science & Engineering $9/2015 - \approx 2019$

Awards NSF Graduate Research Fellow

Stevens Institute of Technology

Hoboken, NJ M.S. in Computer Science, M.S. in Applied Mathematics, B.E. in Computer Engineering 8/2010-5/2015

GPA 4.00 Graduate, 3.97 Undergraduate

Thesis ModelWizard: Toward Interactive Model Construction

advised by David A. Naumann, Philippos Mordohai, Andrew D. Gordon

Awards 2014 National Barry Goldwater Scholar, Association of Old Crows Scholar, Tau Beta Pi Scholar,

Computing Research Association Outstanding Undergraduate Researcher Honorable Mention

Societies Tau Beta Pi (Engineering), Upsilon Pi Epsilon (Computer Science), Eta Kappa Nu (IEEE)

University of Edinburgh Edinburgh, UK 1/2014-5/2014

Study Abroad Semester, 6 courses transferred

Experience

Apache Accumulo – PMC Committer

10/2015-Future

Contributing Java code and discussion to the Apache Accumulo NoSQL database community

Laboratory & Industry.....

MIT Lincoln Laboratory – Research Engineer

Lexington, MA

Computing and Analytics Group, Advisors Jeremy Kepner, Vijay Gadepally

1/2015-9/2015

- Engineered Graphulo, a Java server-side matrix math library for the Accumulo database
- Recasted graph algorithms into the GraphBLAS standard; prototyped in Matlab

Microsoft Research - Research Intern

Cambridge, UK

Programming Principles and Tools Group, Advisor Andy Gordon

6/2014-8/2014

• Designed ModelWizard: a DSL in F# for interactive model construction targeting Tabular, a schema-based probabilistic programming language. Presented a concept poster at the Microsoft PhD Summer School

Sandia National Laboratories - Technical Intern

Livermore, CA

Information Assurance Group, Advisors Levi Lloyd, Tamara Kolda

5/2013-8/2013

- Pursued network anomaly detection via Accumulo schemas, machine learning and visualization
- Scaled LXCs (Linux Containers) with MiniMega, a mass distributed VM experiment platform

MIT Lincoln Laboratory – Research Intern

Lexington, MA

Computing and Analytics Group, Advisor Jeremy Kepner

5/2012-8/2012

Bioengineering and Systems Technology Group, Advisor Darrell Ricke

- o Integrated and benchmarked Accumulo distributed database features into D4M,
 - a Matlab package delivering linear algebra and graph theory capabilities via Associative Arrays
- Applied D4M work to a DNA matching bioinformatics project, published in the Lincoln Laboratory Journal

Brown Brothers Harriman - Web Development Co-op

Jersey City, NJ

Business Application Development, Advisors John David, Steve Hansen

1/2012-5/2012

• Designed and developed front- and back-end web applications for financial reporting using SQL, C++ and jQuery

Teaching.....

Stevens Institute of Technology

Hoboken, NJ

Computer Science Department: Teaching Assistant

8/2012-12/2013

o Teach, create and evaluate computer science coursework for classes ranging from 40 up to 70 students

o CS 506: Intro to IT Security, CS 135: Discrete Structures, CS 334: Automata and Computation

Academic Support Center: Tutor

• Teach individuals and groups in Mathematics, Computer Science and Engineering

8/2011-12/2013

Activities

Scientific Philosophy: Presented *Our aims as Modelers: toward better Predictions, Explanations, Interventions* at Upsilon Pi Epsilon 'Tech Talk' seminar, April 2013; Sandia Technical Seminar, August 2013

Graduate Computer Science Society: *Vice President 2013*. Organized seminars and programming challenge events **Cycling Club**: *President 2012*. Led the team and the Stevens Duck Country Circuit Race, Mountainside NJ

Anime Club: Treasurer 2012; Head of Operations for 2012 Castle Point Anime Convention, attracting over 2100 people

Publications

Submitted Papers....

[S1] M. J. Smith, V. Vaglica, M. Sajeva, N. McGough, D. Hutchison, A. D. Gordon, C. Russo, A. Ramarosan-dratana, and W. Stuppy, "Monitoring internet trade to inform species conservation actions," *Endangered Species Research*, 2016.

Conference Papers.

- [C8] D. Hutchison, J. Kepner, V. Gadepally, and B. Howe, "From NoSQL Accumulo to NewSQL Graphulo: design and utility of graph algorithms inside a BigTable database," in *High Performance Extreme Computing Conference (HPEC)*, IEEE, Sep. 2016, **Best Student Paper Finalist**.
- [C7] J. Kepner, V. Gadepally, D. Hutchison, H. Jananthan, T. Mattson, S. Samsi, and A. Reuther, "Associative array model of SQL, NoSQL, and NewSQL databases," in *High Performance Extreme Computing Conference (HPEC)*, IEEE, Sep. 2016.
- [C6] T. Weale, V. Gadepally, D. Hutchison, and J. Kepner, "Benchmarking the Graphulo processing framework," in *High Performance Extreme Computing Conference (HPEC)*, IEEE, Sep. 2016.
- [C5] A. Chen, A. Edelman, J. Kepner, V. Gadepally, and D. Hutchison, "Julia implementation of the dynamic distributed dimensional data model," in *High Performance Extreme Computing Conference (HPEC)*, IEEE, Sep. 2016, **Best Paper Finalist**.
- [C4] J. Kepner, P. Aaltonen, D. Bader, A. Buluç, F. Franchetti, J. Gilbert, D. Hutchison, M. Kumar, A. Lumsdaine, H. Meyerhenke, S. McMillan, J. Moreira, J. D. Owens, C. Yang, M. Zalewski, and T. Mattson, "Mathematical foundations of the GraphBLAS," in *High Performance Extreme Computing Conference (HPEC)*, IEEE, Sep. 2016.
- [C3] D. Hutchison, J. Kepner, V. Gadepally, and A. Fuchs, "Graphulo implementation of server-side sparse matrix multiply in the Accumulo database," in *High Performance Extreme Computing Conference* (HPEC), IEEE, Sep. 2015, **Best Student Paper Finalist**.
- [C2] V. Gadepally, J. Bolewski, D. Hook, D. Hutchison, B. Miller, and J. Kepner, "Graphulo: Linear algebra graph kernels for NoSQL databases," in *International Parallel & Distributed Processing Symposium Workshops (IPDPSW)*, IEEE, May 2015.
- [C1] D. Hutchison and S. Kleinberg, "Causal inference under uncertainty via adjustments and SOPDs," in *Causality and Experimentation in the Sciences*, Paris, France, Jul. 2013. Online: http://caeits.sciencesconf.org/conference/caeits/hutchison_caeits2013.pdf.

Journal Papers....

[J1] J. Kepner, D. Ricke, and D. Hutchison, "Taming biological big data with D4M," *Lincoln Laboratory Journal*, vol. 20, no. 1, 2013.

Thesis.....

[T1] D. Hutchison, "ModelWizard: Toward interactive model construction," M.S. Thesis, Stevens Institute of Technology, May 2015. Online: https://arxiv.org/abs/1604.04639.

Preprints

[U1] D. Hutchison, B. Howe, and D. Suciu, *Lara: a key-value algebra underlying arrays and relations*, Working draft, Apr. 2016. Online: http://arxiv.org/abs/1604.03607.

Posters.

- [P6] D. Hutchison, B. Howe, D. Suciu, and Z. Tatlock, *Polystore optimization via program expression graphs*, Poster presented at North East Database Day (NEDB), Jan. 2016.
- [P5] D. Hutchison, J. Kepner, and V. Gadepally, *Graphulo: graph processing for Accumulo databases*, Poster presented at North East Database Day (NEDB) and Sep. 2015 retreat for the Intel Science and Technology Center (ISTC) for Big Data, Jan. 2016.
- [P4] L. Battle, L. Edwards, V. Gadepally, B. Gavin, B. Hancock, D. Hutchison, J. Kepner, and A. Moran, Technologies for visualization of big medical text data, Poster presented at Very Large Databases Conference (VLDB), Aug. 2015.
- [P3] D. Hutchison, E. Cherin, X. Li, and H. Yang, *HBaaS: Heterogeneously-accelerated bioinformatics-as-aservice*, Poster and demo presented at Stevens Institute Senior Design Expo, Apr. 2015.
- [P2] D. Hutchison and the Microsoft Research Tabular Team, *Structural clustering*, Poster presented at Microsoft PhD Summer School, Jul. 2014.
- [P1] D. Hutchison and D. Kleszyk, *Investigating the influence of infrastructure on the load response of stevens course servers*, Poster presented at Microsoft PhD Summer School, Dec. 2011.

Other Talks and Demos.

- [O7] D. Hutchison, J. Kepner, and V. Gadepally, *Graphulo use and design*, Presentation and demo to government sponsors, Aug. 2015.
- [O6] V. Gadepally, L. Edwards, D. Hutchison, and J. Kepner, *Using d4m for rapid prototyping of analytics for apache accumulo*, Presentation at Accumulo Summit, Apr. 2015. Online: http://accumulosummit.com/program/talks/using-d4m-for-rapid-prototyping-of-analytics-for-apache-accumulo/.
- [O5] D. Hutchison, A. Gordon, and C. Russo, *ModelWizard: Interactive model construction for Tabular*, Presentation and demo to Programming Principles and Tools at Microsoft Research, Aug. 2014.
- [O4] D. Hutchison and L. Lloyd, *Network anomaly detection*, Presentation at an intern symposium at Sandia National Laboratories, Aug. 2013.
- [O3] D. Hutchison, Our aims as modelers: toward better predictions, explanations, interventions, Presentation at a technical seminar at Sandia National Laboratories, Aug. 2013. Online: github.com/dhutchis/ModelTalk.
- [O2] —, *Uncertain? Represent your belief with SOPD*, Minute madness talk at Programming Languages Mentoring Workshop (PLMW) at the Principles of Programming Languages Conference (POPL), Jan. 2013
- [O1] —, Accelerating bioinformatics with big data technologies, Presentation at an intern symposium at MIT Lincoln Laboratory, Aug. 2012.