

# Shaowei Zhu

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## EDUCATION

### PRINCETON UNIVERSITY

**PHD IN COMPUTER SCIENCE**  
2018-2023 (ECD) | Princeton, NJ  
Field: Programming languages  
Automated reasoning and proofs  
Program analysis  
Numerical abstract domains

### GEORGIA TECH

**BS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE**  
2015-2017 | Atlanta, GA  
GPA: 4.0/4.0  
Thread: AI & Modeling/Simulation  
Faculty Honors (all semesters)

## COURSEWORK

Programming Languages  
Automated Reasoning  
Advanced Computational Complexity  
Theoretical Machine Learning  
Advanced Computer Networks  
Computer Vision

## SKILLS

### PROOF ASSISTANTS

Coq • F\* • Dafny

### PROGRAM ANALYSIS

Clang • LLVM  
Z3 • APRON  
KLEE • Java Path Finder

### GENERAL PROGRAMMING

Java • Python • C/C++  
OCaml • Matlab •  $\text{\LaTeX}$

### MACHINE LEARNING

Scikit-learn • PyTorch

### DISTRIBUTED COMPUTING

AWS products • Elasticsearch  
MPI • MapReduce • Hadoop

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### AMAZON | SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT ENGINEER

Feb 2018 - Aug 2018 | Seattle, WA

- AWS Pinpoint team.
- An auditing framework for the internal data storage system that ensures GDPR and HIPAA compliance of the product.
- End-to-end design, implementation, testing, and maintenance of a native AWS data pipeline that streams, stores, and serves queries against tens of billions of flexible-schema JSON objects every day.

### AMAZON | SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT ENGINEER INTERN

May 2017 - Aug 2017 | Seattle, WA

- AWS Elastic Compute Cloud (EC2) Linux kernel team.
- Developed a static code analysis framework for Amazon Linux Kernel source repository that checks for coding style, locking behavior, type mismatches, etc. The framework reduces > 95% warnings/errors that need human inspection.

### QBITLOGIC | RESEARCH INTERN

Aug 2016 - Dec 2016 | Atlanta, GA

- Creating dynamic benchmarks for the company's automatic bug-fixing product that covers a wide range of common vulnerabilities listed in CVE.
- Preparing the training and testing datasets using fine-grained abstract syntax tree (AST) differencing, dependency analysis, and symbolic execution results.

## RESEARCH

### PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES GROUP | PHD STUDENT

Advisor: Dr. Zachary Kincaid | Princeton

Automatically generating conditions under which a program is sure to terminate using algebraic methods such as polyhedral techniques and polynomial manipulations.

### THE ARKTOS RESEARCH GROUP | UNDERGRAD RESEARCHER

Advisor: Dr. Alessandro Orso | Georgia Tech

Program analysis with an emphasis on interactive fault localization and applications of symbolic execution.

- Xiangyu Li, Shaowei Zhu, Marcelo d'Amorim, and Alessandro Orso. **Enlightened Debugging**. In proceedings of the 40th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2018).

### COMPUTATIONAL BIOLOGY GROUP | UNDERGRAD RESEARCHER

Advisor: Dr. Srinivas Aluru and Dr. Vijay Vazirani | Georgia Tech

Parallel algorithms for genome assembly including approximating k-mer counts and scalable read alignment methods.

- Rahul Nihalani, Sriram Chockalingam, Shaowei Zhu, Vijay Vazirani, and Srinivas Aluru. **Probabilistic Estimation of Overlap Graphs for Large Sequence Datasets**. 2017 IEEE International Conference on Bioinformatics and Biomedicine.

## PROJECTS

### ANIMAL COATING PATTERNS GENERATION | TEAM LEADER

Spring 2017 | Georgia Tech

Developing an animal coating patterns generator using an asynchronously updated Cellular Automata (CA) implementation of the activator-inhibitor model. Parameters could be tuned to generate spots and stripes on different scales. Also we introduced a process that generates realistic giraffe patterns.