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Education

Ph.D. in Computer Science **University of Pennsylvania** Ongoing

M.Eng. in Computer Science **Cornell University** 2018 — GPA 4.02

B.S. in Computer Science **Cornell University** 2014-2018 — GPA 4.08

Teaching

Penn CIS 552 **Head TA** 2020-2021

Penn CIS 810 Head TA 2021

Cornell CS 3110 **Head TA** 2017

Cornell Eng. Leadership **Head TA** 2017

Cornell CS 2112 **TA** 2016

Awards and Honors

Victor Basili Postdoctoral Fellowship

University of Maryland

Certificate in Engineering Leadership **Cornell ECLP**

lst Place, Business Plan Competition Cornell Sch. of Hotel Admin.

Harrison Goldstein

Ph.D. Researcher

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Selected Publications

Property-Based Testing in Practice DISTINGUISHED PAPER ICSE 2024 Research Paper

Reflecting on Random Generation DISTINGUISHED PAPER ICFP 2023 Research Paper

Etna: An Evaluation Platform for Property-Based Testing ICFP 2023 Experience Report

Parsing Randomness

OOPSLA 2022 Research Paper

Do Judge a Test by its Cover: Combining Combinatorial and Property-Based Testing **ESOP 2021** Research Paper

Conferences after COVID: An Early-Career Perspective **PL Perspectives** SIGPLAN Blog Post

Employment

Research Intern Galois, Inc. 2023

Research Intern **Amazon Web Services** 2020

Software Engineer *and* Software Engineering Intern **Broadway Technology** 2017-2019

Technology Intern Susquehanna International Group, LLC 2016

Chief Technolgy Officer Last Second Beach, LLC 2015-2016

Service

PC Member Organizer
HATRA 2023 Ongoing NJPLS 2023

Ph.D. Mentor Editor in Chief SIGPLAN-M Ongoing PLClub Blog

Research Mentor Social Chair REPL REU Ongoing POPL 2021

Research Mentor A/V Coordinator DeepSpec REU ICFP 2021

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Published Work

Papers

- Property-Based Testing in Practice Distinguished Paper
 Harrison Goldstein, Joseph W. Cutler, Daniel Dickstein, Benjamin C. Pierce, Andrew Head
 International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE) 2024. Pending Publication, 10 pages.
- 2. Tyche: In Situ Analysis of Random Testing Effectiveness (Demo)
 Harrison Goldstein, Benjamin C. Pierce, Andrew Head
 User Interface Software and Technology (UIST) 2023. Article 96, pages 1–3.
- 3. Reflecting on Random Generation **Distinguished Paper**Harrison Goldstein, Samantha Frohlich, Meng Wang, Benjamin C. Pierce
 International Conference on Functional Programming (ICFP) 2023. Article 200, 34 pages.
- 4. Etna: An Evaluation Platform for Property-Based Testing (Experience Report)
 Jessica Shi, Alperen Kelles, **Harrison Goldstein**, Benjamin C. Pierce, Leonidas Lampropoulos
 International Conference on Functional Programming (ICFP) 2023. Article 218, 17 pages.
- Parsing Randomness
 Harrison Goldstein, Benjamin C. Pierce
 Object-Oriented Programming, Systems, Languages, and Apps. (OOPSLA) 2022. Article 128, 25 pages.
- 6. Some Problems with Properties: A Study on Property-Based Testing in Industry Harrison Goldstein, Joseph W. Cutler, Adam Stein, Benjamin C. Pierce, Andrew Head Human Aspects of Types and Reasoning Assistants (HATRA) 2022. Non-archival, 8 pages.
- 7. Do Judge a Test by its Cover: Combining Combinatorial and Property-Based Testing Harrison Goldstein, John Hughes, Leonidas Lampropoulos, Benjamin C. Pierce European Symposium on Programming (ESOP) 2021. Vol 12648, pages 264–291.
- 8. Programming Language Support for Natural Language Interaction
 Alex Renda, **Harrison Goldstein**, Sarah Bird, Chris Quirk, Adrian Sampson
 Conference on Machine Learning and Systems (SysML) 2018. Non-archival, 3 pages.

Talks

- Consider Collaboration [Talk]
 Samantha Frohlich, Harrison Goldstein
 PL Mentoring Workshop @ POPL, January 2024
- Advancing Property-Based Testing in Theory and Practice [Talk]
 Harrison Goldstein
 UCSC LSD Seminar, October 2023
 and Galois, Inc., October 2023
 and UC Berkeley PLAIT Lab, September 2023
 and Microsoft Research, September 2023
 and University of Bristol, January 2024



- Property-Based Testing in Practice [Talk]
 Harrison Goldstein
 Jane Street Programming Languages Colloquium, December 2023
- TheForkJoin Episode 2 [Podcast]
 Oliver Flatt, Rachit Nigam, Harrison Goldstein
 TheForkJoin
- Some Problems with Properties [Talk] Harrison Goldstein NJPLS October 2022
- Reflecting on Random Generation [Talk] Harrison Goldstein NJPLS May 2022

Other Content

- Ungenerators (Poster)
 Harrison Goldstein
 ICFP 2021
- Delimited Continuations and Monads
 Harrison Goldstein
 Unpublished PhD Milestone Draft, April 2021
- Confernces after COVID: An Early Career Perspective
 Joseph W. Cutler, Harrison Goldstein, Andrew K. Hirsch, Jaemin Hong, Chandrakana Nandi SIGPLAN PL Perspectives Blog, March 2021
- Algebraic Combinatorial Testing (Poster)
 Harrison Goldstein
 POPL 2020

Employment

1. Research Intern

Galois, Inc. 2023

Worked on two research papers related to the SafeDocs DARPA program. Provided expertise on testing that helped situate the papers in the broader research context.

2. Research Intern

Amazon Web Services 2020

Worked on Zelkova, a tool for analyzing and proving properties about AWS access policies. Encoded logical constraints from access policies as SMT formulas, in order to infer policy implications.

3. Software Engineer and Software Engineering Intern

Broadway Technology 2017-2019

Built mission-critical internal tools for the company's financial personnel, in particular facilitating a transition to new financial tracking software. Designed and implemented data connectors, financial calculations, web interfaces, and more.

4. Technology Intern

Susquehanna International Group, LLC 2016

Helped to implement a safety system, protecting the firm from anomalous trading behaviors. Built an engine for executing business rules as monitors for live trading activities.

5. Chief Technology Officer

Last Second Beach, LLC 2015-2016

Helped to lead a small, early stage start-up, focused on providing one-price vacations. Built a demo iOS application, helping the company to win a \$25,000 grant as part of a Business Plan Competition.

Service

- 1. Speaker, PL Mentoring Workshop @ POPL 2024
- 2. Steering Committee Member, NJPLS Ongoing



- 3. Ph.D. Mentor, SIGPLAN-M Ongoing
- 4. Ph.D. Mentor, Penn CIS Mentoring Ongoing
- 5. PC Member, HATRA 2023
- 6. Research Mentor, REPL REU 2023
- 7. Research Mentor, DeepSpec REU
- 8. Organizer, NJPLS 2023
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Teaching and Advising

Courses

- Penn CIS 552 "Advanced Programming" Prof. Stephanie Weirich Head TA 2020-2021
- Penn CIS 810 "Writing and Speaking with Style" Prof. Benjamin C. Pierce Head TA 2021
- 3. Cornell CS 3110 Prof. Nate Foster Head TA 2017
- Cornell Engineering Leadership Profs. Erica Dawson and Werner Zorman Head TA 2017
- 5. Cornell CS 2112 Prof. Dexter Kozen TA 2016

Graduate Advisees

- 1. Collaborator and Unofficial Co-Advisor, Joseph W. Cutler
- 2. Collaborator and Unofficial Co-Advisor, Jessica Shi
- 3. Co-Advisor, Ernest Ng



Awards and Honors

- Victor Basili Postdoctoral Fellowship University of Maryland, Computer Science Department
- 2. Certificate in Engineering Leadership Cornell Engineering Leadership Certification Program
- 3. 1st Place, Business Plan Competition Cornell School of Hotel Administration