# Yutian Li

## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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# **WORK EXPERIENCE**

JAN 2016 - JAN 2017 | Engineer at MEGVII, BEIJING

Infrastructure Development

Participated in large-scale neural networks training system. Offered support for cluster parallel training. Became familiar with advanced C++ features and system design.

JAN - FEB 2015 | Assistant Developer Intern at JANE STREET ASIA LIMITED

Most work done in OCaml, a functional programming language. Worked on projects both in horizontal and vertical scope. Projects finished by myself went into production system.

FEB 2014 - JAN 2015 | Full-time Intern at MICROSOFT RESEARCH ASIA, BEIJING

Systems Research Group

Distributed CUDA system by the name of Minerva. Designed for rapid training of deep neural networks. Devised a technique to speed up convolution by up to 50%. Contributed a major part of the code, consisting of interface design, memory and thread management, scheduling.

#### **EDUCATION**

Current Master of Science, Computer Science Department

SEPT 2015 Stanford University

GPA: 4.0. Took a gap year and returned.

Aug 2012 - Jul 2015 Bachelor of Science in Engineering, Computer Science and Technol-

OGY

Tsinghua University

Major GPA 92/100, ranked 4th out of 123. Changed major from Physics.

Graduated with distinction.

Aug - Dec 2013 Undergraduate Exchange Program, Computer Science

University of Texas at Austin GPA: 4.0 with University Honors.

## **PROJECTS**

**VISUALGENOME** Connecting structured image concepts to language.

Worked under supervision of Fei-Fei Li. Helped with design and implementation of automated data cleaning and storage systems. Aimed to be a dense knowledge base of images, descriptions, and concepts.

MINPY Pure NumPy with third party operators and gradients.

Integrated NumPy with MXNet. Offered Python interface native to NumPy with customizable operators and automatic gradient calculation.

**MXNET** An efficient, flexible distributed framework for deep learning.

Built upon experience from Minerva, CXXNET, and many more robust frameworks. Worked under DMLC to provide flexibility and portability for legacy and new code. Designed and implemented the engine to support efficient task scheduling. Published in Neural Information Processing Systems, Workshop on Machine Learning Systems, 2015.