

# Jonathan Jiang

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## SKILLS

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**Languages:** C++, Python, Java, JavaScript, Golang, Lua, SQL, HTML, CSS, Rust

**Technologies:** Linux, Git, Hadoop, Hive, Spark, NumPy, Jenkins, React, LLVM, PostgreSQL, Node.js, Next.js

## EXPERIENCE

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### Huawei Technologies

*Software Engineer Intern (Big Data Platform)*

Toronto, ON

*May 2023 - May 2024 · 1 yr*

#### Hybrid Execution SQL Query Engine (Java, C++):

- \* Assisted in the translation of critical classes to C++ and leveraged JNI for integration with legacy Java components.
- \* Spearheaded effort to create and refine a shared development environment to speed onboarding process for developers.
- \* Engaged in code reviews, inspections, and contributed documentation to preserve code quality and maintainability.
- \* Conducted thorough testing and debugging to ensure the reliability and stability of implemented modifications.

#### Benchmarking and Profiling Pipeline (Python):

- \* Piloted benchmarking and profiling toolkit to greatly improve developer efficiency for end-to-end result analysis.
- \* Centralized results distributed across Spark cluster nodes and extracted metrics including hotspots and operator usage.
- \* Automated generation of flamegraphs and ensured interoperability with profilers including perf, async, and VTune.
- \* Built logging system to store and compare different builds to identify changes in performance across operator functions.

#### OLAP SQL Operator Optimization (C++):

- \* Upgraded SQL Query hash aggregation and join operators by incorporating novel data structures and hashing functions.
- \* Iterated through all combinations of changes using A/B benchmarking across varying scales to identify best candidates.
- \* Refactored code to optimize performance using software design techniques including SIMD, vectorization, JIT, and caching.
- \* Improved operator performance by 19%, and contributed 7% end-to-end, measured by the TPC-DS dataset benchmark.

#### FPGA Decoding Support (Java):

- \* Developed tools for examination of Apache ORC file format encoding and decoding to explore potential optimizations.
- \* Modified run-length encoding writer and reader behaviour logic to meet FPGA specifications involving sub-encodings.
- \* Experimented with storage-level optimizations of ORC stripe and footer composition to maximize performance of FPGA.
- \* Facilitated Xilinx FPGA integer decoding speed 500% faster than standalone server CPU.

#### Data Cleaning Pipeline for MoE pre-training (Python):

- \* Designed robust training data cleaning pipelines for individual subject experts in a Mixture of Experts model.
- \* Automated data pre-processing tasks, including normalization, missing value imputation, and outlier detection.
- \* Reviewed research papers and evaluated implementations of training optimizations including curriculum learning.
- \* Automated hill-climbing of filtering parameters for RedPajamaV2 and CCnet datasets using judge LLMs and ablations.

## PROJECTS

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### Counter Strike: Arbitrage (JavaScript, Python):

- o Developed Python scripts to scrape third-party CS:GO item exchanges to identify arbitrage opportunities using REST API calls.
- o Utilized heuristics such as trade volume, previous sales, transaction costs and others to evaluate relative risk of items.
- o Traded \$500 CAD of initial capital to \$12000 CAD using the script to select transactions until opportunities diminished.

### Rotator Cuff Rehabilitation Device (Arduino, Python):

- o Prototyped at-home rehabilitation device used to facilitate remote monitoring of post-surgery physiotherapy of the shoulder.
- o Implemented calibration and signal fusion algorithms including Kalman filters to accurately evaluate measurements of sensors.
- o Integrated muscle repetition detection and recovery projection functions into result graphs with NumPy and Matplotlib.
- o Designed application UI, and implemented account system to store and share patient records.

## EDUCATION

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### McMaster University

*Bachelor of Engineering, Software and Biomedical Engineering Co-op, President's Award of Distinction*

Hamilton, ON

*Sept 2020 - Present*

## PERSONAL INTERESTS

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def fishing():  
    while True:    eat(); sleep(); fish()
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