



# Jin-Peng Liu

## Education

- 2017–Now **Ph.D Student**, *University of Maryland*, College Park.  
Applied Mathematics, Statistics, and Scientific Computation Program.  
**Adviser**: Andrew M. Childs.
- 2013–2017 **Bachelor of Science**, *Beihang University*, Beijing.  
Chinese Academy of Sciences - Beihang University Hua Loo Keng Class.

## Awards

- 2017 **Dean's Fellowship**: First-year fellowship in AMSC Program, University of Maryland.
- 2017 **Representative of Graduation Ceremony**: 1/3987 in Beihang University.
- 2016 **Shenyuan Golden Medal**: 10/3987, the highest prize of undergraduates in Beihang University.

## Research Interests

**Quantum Computing**: My research aims to develop quantum algorithms with sup-polynomial speed-ups over classical algorithms, including topics such as quantum PDE solvers, quantum optimization and quantum machine learning.

**Numerical Analysis**: I am interested in classical numerical analysis, mainly working on first-order methods for convex and non-convex optimization problems.

## Papers

- [1] Andrew M. Childs and Jin-Peng Liu. Quantum spectral methods for differential equations. *To appear in **Communications in Mathematical Physics**, arXiv:1901.00961*, 2019.
- [2] Andrew M. Childs, Jin-Peng Liu, and Aaron Ostrander. High-precision quantum algorithms for partial differential equations. *Submitted to **Quantum***.
- [3] Cong Sun, Jin-Peng Liu, and Ya-xiang Yuan. New gradient method with adaptive stepsize update strategy. *Submitted, presented at **International Conference on Continuous Optimization 19** as a contributed talk*, 2019.
- [4] Cong Sun and Jin-Peng Liu. New stepsizes for the gradient method. *Published in **Optimization Letters**, doi:10.1007/s11590-019-01512-y, presented at **SIAM Conference on Optimization 17** as a contributed talk*, 2019.
- [5] Furong Huang, Jingling Li, and Jin-Peng Liu. Escaping from saddle points using asynchronous coordinate descent. *Manuscript*.

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