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Curriculum Vitae

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### Education

- 2013–2018 Ph.D, Computer Science, Carnegie Mellon University.
  - (exp.) Focus on Human-Computer Interaction: Sensemaking, Crowdsourcing, and Machine Learning. Won course project competitions for Algorithms for NLP and Language and Statistics. Advisor: Aniket Kittur.
- 2010–2012 M.S., Computer Science, National Tsing Hua University.

Focus on Natural Language Processing and Web Information Extraction. Thesis work published in ACL 2012. Advisor: Roger Jang.

2006–2010 B.S., Computer Science, Yuan Ze University. Special Project: IC design automation, specifically FPGA technology mapping.

## Selected Work Experience

- April–July **Search Engineer, Asia-Pacific**, Yahoo Taiwan Inc.
  - 2013 Fulltime. Yahoo knowledge graph backend and data analysis: search log mining (Hadoop), database integration, and web-based backstage interface.
- 2009–2011 Research Assistant, Academia Sinica.

Develop an Expectation-Maximization based algorithm on Hadoop for cross-lingual ontology mapping (EHowNet and WordNet).

- Fall 2012 **Teaching Assistant**, Natural Language Processing, National Tsing Hua University. Recitations and lab sessions.
- April-June Software Engineer Contractor, OpenMoko Inc.
  - 2012 Developed an Android client for the social network https://intelligencia.io. (Java, Android)
- May-Sept. **Software Engineer Intern**, *0xlab Inc*.
  - 2010 Developed an open source Android benchmarking platform and server-side visualization called 0xBench, which is used by major smartphone companies and developers worldwide, and ships with Texas Instrument's development boards. (C, Java, Android, Web)

#### Selected Honors and Hackathon Awards

Demo videos: http://joseph.nlpweb.org/portfolio/

First Place Fun Taipei Mobile App Contest, Taipei City Government.

Developed Taipei Fever, a Taipei City tour guide app for iOS, Android, and WindowsPhone.

- Bronze Medal National IC/CAD Programming Contest, Ministry of Education.
  - (<10%) Developed a 3D-IC partitioning algorithm implemented in 3000+ lines of C++/STL code. A total of 160 teams participated to compete on runtime and algorithm performance.
- Best Student Mobile Hero UI Contest, Ministry of Economic Affair.
  - Project Developed Paper Piano, an augmented reality virtual instrument for Android.

Second Place The 11<sup>th</sup> Trend Micro Programming Contest, Trend Micro Inc..

Out of 67 teams that participated.

Presenter Conference for Open Source Coders, Users and Promoters (COSCUP).

Presented project 0xBench in the largest OSS conference in Asia. (attendance: 1200)

Scholarships Research Grants.

Co-authored the proposal for 2015 Google Faculty Research Award: Modeling and Augmenting Sensemaking and Exploratory Search (PI: Professor Aniket Kittur).

Scholarships **Travel Grants**.

- The Association for Computational Linguistics and Chinese Language Processing
- Department of Information System and Applications, National Tsing Hua University
- o Department of Computer Science and Engineering, National Yuan Ze University

#### Selected Publications

Joseph Chang, Jason S. Chang, and Roger Jyh-Shing Jang. Learning to find translations and transliterations on the web. In *Proceedings of the 50th Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics (ACL, acceptance rate: 20%)*, Jeju Island, Korea, July 2012.

Joseph Chang, Richard Tzong-Han Tsai, and Jason S. Chang. Wikisense: Supersense tagging of wikipedia named entities based wordnet. In *Proceedings of the 23rd Pacific Asia Conference on Language, Information and Computation (acceptance rate: 25%)*, Hong Kong, China, December 2009.

Joseph Chee Chang, Aniket Kittur, and Nathan Hahn. Alloy: Clustering with crowds and computation. In *Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems, 2016 (acceptance rate: 23%)* **Best Paper Honorable Mention**.

Nathan Hahn, Joseph Chee Chang, Ji Eun Kim, and Aniket Kittur. The knowledge accelerator: Big picture thinking in small pieces. In *Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems*, 2016 (acceptance rate: 23%) Best Paper Honorable Mention.

Jian-Cheng Wu, Joseph Chang, Yi-Chun Chen, Shih-Ting Huang, Mei-Hua Chen, and Jason S. Chang. Helping Our Own: NTHU NLPLAB system description. In *Proceedings of the Seventh Workshop on Building Educational Applications Using NLP*, Montreal, Canada, June 2012. North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (NAACL).

# Technical Keywords

Intermediate Ruby on Rails, Objective-C/iOS, Ruby

Proficient Web Front/Back-end, ReactJS, Python, Hadoop, Java/Android, C/C++

Research Human-Computer Interaction, Natural Language Processing, Machine Learning