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Citizenship: United States and Poland

Education

University of Washington

2018–Present*PhD in Computer Science*

Seattle WA

Advised by Dr. Rastislav Bodik. Program synthesis applied to high-performance and numerical computing.

Currently investigating methods for synthesizing inter-thread communication in GPU kernels based on pruning an enumerative search using abstract dynamic programming, a new technique.

The University of Texas at Austin

2014–2018*BS in Computer Science*

Austin, TX

BS in Mathematics

GPA: 3.96/4.0

Turing Scholars Honors Program, Department of Computer Science

Honors thesis: GEMM3: Constant-Workspace High-Performance Multiplication of Three Matrices for Matrix Chaining

Advised by Dr. Robert van de Geijn.

Texas Academy of Mathematics and Science

2012–2014*Residential early college program*

Denton, TX

GPA: 4.0/4.0

Publications

1. Tze Meng Low, Krzysztof Drewniak, *et al.* “Deriving High Performance Fused Algorithms via Loop Invariants”. In preparation for submission to IEEE International Parallel & Distributed Processing Symposium (IPDPS) in May 2019.
2. Krzysztof Drewniak. “GEMM3: Constant-Workspace High-Performance Multiplication of Three Matrices for Matrix Chaining”. Honors Thesis HR-18-01, Department of Computer Science, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas, April 2018. <https://apps.cs.utexas.edu/apps/tech-reports/106256>
3. Krzysztof Drewniak, Joseph Helsing, and Armin R. Mikler. “A method for reducing the severity of epidemics by allocating vaccines according to centrality”. In *Proceedings of the 5th ACM Conference on Bioinformatics, Computational Biology, and Health Informatics, BCB '14*, pgs. 341–350, New York, NY, USA, 2014. ACM.

Experience

Academic Experience

Carnegie Mellon University**Feb 2018–Jun 2018***Visiting Undergraduate Researcher*

Pittsburgh, PA

Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering

Developed an automated high-level loop fusion analysis method based on loop invariants for algorithms in linear algebra and similar fields.

Results are expected to appear as part of a publication currently being prepared for submission to IPDPS.

RWTH Aachen**Sep 2017–Jan 2018***Visiting Undergraduate Researcher*

Aachen, Germany

High-Performance and Automatic Computing group, Aachen Institute for Advanced Study in Computational Engineering Science

Investigated methods for the automatic generation of code to efficiently normalize linear algebra expressions from axioms, primarily by attempting to synthesize a confluent system of term rewriting rules.

The University of Texas at Austin**Aug 2016–May 2018***Undergraduate Research Assistant*

Austin, TX

Science of High-Performance Computing group, Institute for Computational Engineering and Sciences

Investigated techniques for improving the efficiency of fused matrix and vector operations. Key result was an algorithm for $D += ABC$ in constant additional workspace, attaining increased performance.

The University of Texas at Austin**Jan 2016–May 2016***Teaching Assistant*

Austin, TX

CS 429H, Honors Computer Architecture

University of North Texas**Jun 2013–May 2014***Undergraduate Research Assistant*

Denton, TX

Computational Epidemiology Research Lab

Investigated strategies for the geographical allocation of vaccines in order to reduce epidemic spread in simulation.

Industry Experience

Microsoft**Summer 2017***Software Engineering Intern, AI & Research*

Bellevue, WA

Developed deep learning models for Bing Maps auto-suggest and thereby produced significant projected improvements in result quality.

TrueCar**Summer 2016***Software Engineering Intern*

Austin, TX

Developed machine learning solution to combat scraping and improve lead quality.

WhatsApp**Summer 2015***Software Engineering Intern*

Mountain View, CA

Increased media server reliability and performance. Overhauled internal alert distribution system. Reworked testing tools to support encrypted media and messages

Honors and Awards**Anne Dinning-Michael Wolf Endowed Regental Fellowship****2018***University of Washington, Department of Computer Science and Engineering***Service****AccessComputing****Oct 2018–Present**

Community focused on increasing access to computer science for people with disabilities.