## NIV DAYAN

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

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**EDUCATION** 

2015–current Postdoctoral Research in Computer Science

Harvard University Investigating how to manage big data for scientific applications, particularly astronomy. Also doing research on adaptive database indexing and managing

the internals of flash devices.

Advisors: Stratos Idreos, Pavlos Protopapas

2012–2015 PhD in Computer Science

IT University of Copenhagen

Investigated how to design the internals of flash devices. Spent one exchange  $% \left\{ 1\right\} =\left\{ 1$ 

semester in New York University.

Advisors: Philippe Bonnet, Luc Bouganim, Dennis Shasha

2010–2012 MSc in Software Development and Technology

IT University of Copenhagen

Specialized in algorithm design and database systems.

Advisor: Philippe Bonnet

University of Dundee

2007–2010 BSc in Computing and Economics

**PUBLICATIONS** 

SIGMOD 2017 Monkey: Optimal Navigable Key-Value Store. Niv Dayan, Manos

Athanassoulis, Stratos Idreos.

SIGMOD 2017 Data Canopy: Accelerating Exploratory Statistical Analysis. Abdul Wasay,

Xinding Wei, Niv Dayan, Stratos Idreos.

SIGMOD 2016 GeckoFTL: Scalable Flash Translation Techniques for Very Large Flash Devices.

Niv Dayan, Philippe Bonnet, Stratos Idreos.

Birte@VLDB 2016 Past and Future Steps for Adaptive Storage Data Systems: From Shallow to

Deep Adaptivity. Stratos Idreos, Manos Athanassoulis, Niv Dayan, Demi Guo,

Mike S. Kester, Lukas Maas, Kostas Zoumpatianos.

Demo@VLDB EagleTree: Exploring the Design Space of SSD-Based Algorithms. Niv Dayan,

Martin Kjaer Svendsen, Matias Bjoerling, Philippe Bonnet, Luc Bouganim.

CIDR 2013 The Necessary Death of the Block Device Interface. Matias Bjoerling, Philippe

Bonnet, Luc Bouganim, Niv Dayan.

TEACHING

2014 Teaching Assistant

IT University of Copenhagen

MSc course in database tuning.

2009 Teaching Assistant

University of Dundee

2013

BSc course in programming.

SOFTWARE

2012 - present EagleTree - SSD Simulator

A simulation framework for analysing the behaviour of SSDs, available at <a href="https://github.com/ClydeProjects/EagleTree">https://github.com/ClydeProjects/EagleTree</a>.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

2012 Data Analyst

Podio, Denmark Analyzed web user behavior and engagement.

2012 Data Analyst

Sunstone Capital, Analyzed industry trends and characterized investment firms using machine

Denmark learning techniques.

2011-2012 Web Developer

Netmester, C# back-end web development.

Denmark

2010 Research Assistant

Academia Sinica, Adapted a fluid dynamics simulator to run on a GPU.

Taiwan

2009 Web Developer

Calico Jack, Ruby back-end and front-end web development. Scotland

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OTHER INFORMATION

Interests guitar · drums · song-writing · science fiction

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