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RESEARCH Large-scale data management; Machine learning; Cloud computing

Leading CreateLab at CS@Illinois

ACADEMIC Assistant Professor Jan 2021-Present

POSITIONS Department of Computer Science

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Adjunct Assistant Professor Nov 2019–Dec 2020

Department of Computer Science

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Research Fellow Sep 2017–Jul 2019

Computer Science and Engineering University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

• Principal Investigator: Barzan Mozafari

EDUCATION Ph.D., Computer Science and Engineering Aug 2017

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

• Advisors: Michael Cafarella and Barzan Mozafari

M.S., Computer Science Jun 2013

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

B.S., Electrical Engineering Feb 2009

Seoul National University (SNU)

PROFESSIONAL Co-founder and CTO Aug 2019-Present

EXPERIENCE Keebo, Inc.

Graduate Student Research Assistant Sep 2012–Apr 2017

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

Software Engineer Intern May 2014–Aug 2014

Amazon.com, Seattle

Graduate Student Instructor Jan 2012–Apr 2012

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

Software Engineer Dec 2008–May 2011

Webcash, Seoul

	Research Assistant Seoul National University, Seoul	June 2007–Jan 2008
AWARDS	2021 Engineering Council Outstanding Advising Award	Feb 2021
	Google Cloud Credits, \$5,000	Feb 2021
	Azure Cloud Credits, \$30,000	June 2020
	Google Cloud Credits, \$10,000	Feb 2020
	2018 ACM SIGMOD Jim Gray Dissertation Award Runner-up	Jun 2018
	ACM SIGMOD Student Travel Award, \$900	May 2017
	Rackham Travel Grant, \$800	Jan 2017
	Kwanjeong Graduate Study Fellowship (for Ph.D.), \$100,000	2013-2017
	Jeongsong Graduate Study Fellowship (for Masters), \$55,000	2011–2013
	Korean National Science Scholarship, \$20,000	2004

TEACHING Database Management Systems (CS 411)

Instructor, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Fall 2021

Advanced Data Systems (CS 511)

Instructor, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Spring 2021

Advanced Database Management Systems (EECS 584)

Guest Lecturer, University of Michigan, Fall 2018

Database Management Systems (EECS 484)

Guest Lecturer, University of Michigan, Winter 2018

Web Databases and Information Systems (EECS 485)

Graduate Student Instructor, University of Michigan, Winter 2012

PUBLICATION Referred Conference Papers

- Supawit Chockchowwat, Chaitanya Sood, Yongjoo Park
 Airphant: Cloud-oriented Document Indexing
 ICDE 2022 (research): 38th International Conference on Data Engineering, Kuala, Malaysia, 2022.
- Johes Bater, Yongjoo Park, Xi He, Xiao Wang, Jennie Rogers
 SAQE: Practical Privacy-Preserving Approximate Query Processing for Data Federations

PVLDB 2020 (research): 46th International Conference on Very Large Data Bases, Tokyo, Japan (Online due to COVID-19), 2020.

Yongjoo Park, Shucheng Zhang, Barzan Mozafari
 QuickSel: Quick Selectivity Learning with Mixture Models
 SIGMOD'20 (research): ACM SIGMOD/PODS International Conference on Management of Data, Portland, OR, USA, 2020.

4. Yongjoo Park, Jingyi Qing, Xiaoyang Shen, Barzan Mozafari BlinkML: Efficient Maximum Likelihood Estimation with Probabilistic Guarantees

SIGMOD'19 (research): ACM SIGMOD/PODS International Conference on Management of Data, Amsterdam, The Netherlands, 2019.

 Yongjoo Park, Barzan Mozafari, Joseph Sorenson, Junhao Wang VerdictDB: Universalizing Approximate Query Processing SIGMOD'18 (research): ACM SIGMOD/PODS International Conference on Management of Data, Houston, TX, USA, 2018.

- Wen He, Yongjoo Park, Idris Hanafi, Jacob Yatvitskiy, Barzan Mozafari Demonstration of VerdictDB, the Platform-Independent AQP System SIGMOD'18 (demo): ACM SIGMOD/PODS International Conference on Management of Data, Houston, TX, USA, 2018.
- Yongjoo Park, Amhad Shahab Tajik, Michael Cafarella, Barzan Mozafari
 Database Learning: Toward a Database System that Becomes Smarter Over
 Time

SIGMOD'17 (research): ACM SIGMOD/PODS International Conference on Management of Data, Chicago, IL, USA, 2017. SIGMOD Travel Award

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Active Database Learning

CIDR'17 (abstract): The biennial Conference on Innovative Data Systems Research, Chaminade, CA, USA, 2017.

Yongjoo Park, Michael Cafarella, Barzan Mozafari
 Visualization-Aware Sampling for Very Large Databases
 ICDE'16 (research): IEEE 32nd International Conference on Data Engineering,
 Helsinki, Finland, 2016.

10. Yongjoo Park, Michael Cafarella, Barzan Mozafari Neighbor-Sensitive Hashing

PVLDB'15 (research) for VLDB'16: 42nd International Conference on Very Large Data Bases, New Delhi, India, 2016.

Michael Anderson, Dolan Antenucci, Victor Bittorf, Matthew Burgess, Michael Cafarella, Arun Kumar, Feng Niu, Yongjoo Park, Christopher Ré, Ce Zhang Brainwash: A Data System for Feature Engineering

CIDR'13 (vision): The biennial Conference on Innovative Data Systems Research, Asilomar, CA, USA, 2013.

Thesis

12. Yongjoo Park

Fast Data Analytics by Learning

Ph.D. Dissertation

Awarded 2018 ACM SIGMOD Jim Gray Dissertation Award runner-up

Non-Referred Technical Reports (full versions to published papers)

- 13. Yongjoo Park, Jingyi Qing, Xiaoyang Shen, Barzan Mozafari

 BlinkML: Efficient Maximum Likelihood Estimation with Probabilistic Guarantees
- 14. Yongjoo Park, Barzan Mozafari, Joseph Sorenson, Junhao Wang VerdictDB: Universalizing Approximate Query Processing
- 15. Yongjoo Park, Amhad Shahab Tajik, Michael Cafarella, Barzan Mozafari

 Database Learning: Toward a Database System that Becomes Smarter Over

 Time
- 16. Yongjoo Park, Michael Cafarella, Barzan Mozafari Neighbor-Sensitive Hashing
- 17. Yongjoo Park, Michael Cafarella, Barzan Mozafari
 Visualization-Aware Sampling for Very Large Databases

ADVISING	Zhaoheng (Billy) Li (PhD, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)	2021–Present
	Nikhil Sheoran (MS, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)	2021-Present
	Supawit Chockchowwat (Ph., University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)	2020-Present
	Chaitanya Sood (BS, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)	2020-Present
	Shucheng Zhong (BS and MS, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor)	2018-2020
	Wen He (BS, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor)	2017-2018
	Jingyi Qing (BS, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor)	2017-2018
	Xiaoyang Shen (BS, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor)	2017-2018
	Joseph Sorenson (MS, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor)	2017-2018
	Junhao Wang (BS, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor)	2017-2018

TALKS University of Massachusetts Amherst Dream Lab, via Zoom, Nov 2020 AWS User Gruop, Chicago, Nov 2019

SIGMOD, Amsterdam, June 2019

WAX workshop at FCRC, Phoenix, June 2019

Criteo NABD conference, Ann Arbor, May 2019

University of Texas, Austin, April 2019

Penn State University, State College, April 2019

Purdue University, West Lafayette, April 2019

Northeastern University, Boston, March 2019

University of Waterloo, March 2019

Georgia Tech, Atlanta, March 2019

University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, March 2019

Microsoft Research, Redmond, February 2019

Northwestern University, Redmond, February 2019

Microsoft, Redmond, February 2019

IBM Research, Almaden, February 2019

SIGMOD, Houstin, June 2018

AVL (www.avl.com), Ann Arbor, April 2018

Oracle BI Group, Redwood City, December 2017

ACAIA workshop, San Jose, November 2017

Oracle Database Group, Redwood City, November 2017

Cloudera Impala Team, Palo Alto, November 2017

Big Data Innovation Summit, Boston, Septembber 2017

New Tech Meetup, Ann Arbor, July 2017

SIGMOD, Chicago, May 2017

University of Michigan Software Group, Ann Arbor, May 2017

Brown Database Group, Providence, March 2017

Stanford InfoLab, Palo Alto, February 2017

CIDR, Chaminade, California, January 2017

MBDOC, Chicago, September 2016

NEDB, Boston, January 2016

ICDE, Helsinki, Finland, May 2016

AVL (www.avl.com), Ann Arbor, April 2016

VLDB, New Delhi, India, September 2016

VSM workshop at ICCV, Santiago, Chile, December 2015

SERVICE Program Committee, Fifth Conference on Machine Learning and Systems (MLSys) 2022

Faculty search committee, Computer Science, UIUC, 2022

Program Committee, ACM Symposium on Cloud Computing (SoCC) 2021

Graduate admissions committee, Computer Science, UIUC, 2021

Co-chair, SIGMOD 2021-2022 Student Research Competition

Research Track Program Committee, VLDB 2021

Research Track Program Committee, VLDB 2020

Program Committee, SIGMOD 2020

Program Committee, SIGMOD 2020 Student Research Competition

Reviewer, TKDE 2019

Reviewer, VLDB Journal 2019

Program Committee, ACM Symposium on Cloud Computing (SoCC) 2019

Reviewer, IEEE Transactions on Knowledge and Data Engineering (TKDE) 2018

Program Committee, aiDM workshop at SIGMOD 2018 (http://www.aidm-conf.org/)

Reviewer, SIGMOD 2018

Publicity Chair, ACAIA workshop 2017 (http://dbgroup.eecs.umich.edu/acaia/)

Reviewer, VLDB Journal 2017

Organizer of

- University of Michigan Database Group meetings 2016, 2014
- MIDAS (Michigan Data Science) seminars 2014