# SHIH-HAO TSENG

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# **EDUCATION**

#### Cornell University (CU), Ithaca, NY, U.S.A.

Aug. 2013 - Dec. 2018

PhD in Electrical and Computer Engineering (Advisor: Dr. A. Tang)

• Dissertation: Orchestrating Inter-Datacenter Bulk Transfers with CodedBulk

#### National Taiwan University (NTU), Taipei, Taiwan

Sept. 2008 - June 2012

Bachelor of Science in Engineering (minor in Economics)

• GPA: 92.20/100.00; ranking  $2^{nd}$  in a class of 226

# RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Networked systems, in-network processing, edge computing, Internet of Things, scheduling algorithms.
- Control theory, deployment architecture, controller synthesis, stability and optimization.
- Network simulation and emulation, controller performance evaluation.

# **EXPERIENCE**

#### California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA, U.S.A.

Oct. 2018 - Oct. 2021

Postdoctoral Scholar Research Associate

- Led the project of freshness-driven network control.
- Mentored graduate students on parallel model predictive control and formal test-case generation.
- Derived realization-stability lemma that unifies existing controller synthesis methods.
- Investigated the controller deployment architecture for cyber-physical systems.
- Developed efficient computation technique via dynamic programming and flexible Python framework for system level synthesis.

# Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, U.S.A.

Aug. 2014 - Aug. 2018

Graduate Research Assistant/Teaching Assistant

- Built CodedBulk to boost the throughput of inter-datacenter bulk transfers using network coding.
- Studied time-aware network management under software-defined networking.
- Helped teach Introduction to Probability and Inference for Random Signals and Systems.

#### The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shatin, NT, Hong Kong

June 2017 - Aug. 2017

Research Assistant

• Developed efficient scheduling algorithms for hybrid packet/circuit networks.

AT&T, Middletown, NJ, U.S.A.

June 2016 - Aug. 2016

Student Intern - Technical II

• Developed routing algorithms to stabilize carrier-grade hybrid software-defined networks.

# SKILLS

**Programming Languages:** Proficient in C, C++, Python and Verilog; working knowledge of Basic, HTML, Java, JavaScript, MySQL, and PHP.

**Programming Skills:** Working knowledge of Linux based C++ socket, kernel scheduler, GPU parallelization, and multithreaded programming.

Simulation Tools: Proficient in control system (MATLAB) and network simulations (NS-3).

Languages: Fluent in English; native in Mandarin Chinese and Taiwanese Hokkien; basic understanding of Cantonese, French, German, Spanish, and Japanese.

## Honors and Awards

# Winner of the AT&T SDN Network Design Challenge

2016

• Awarded to the top team providing the most efficient and cost effective routing solution to carrier-grade networks. Jacobs Fellowship (CU)

Studying Abroad Scholarship (Ministry of Education, Taiwan(R.O.C.))

2013 2012

Honorary Member of the Phi Tau Phi Scholastic Honor Society

• Presented to seniors from each college in Taiwan ranking within top 1% of their department.

President's Awards (NTU)

2009, 2010, 2011, 2012

President's Awards (NTU)
Four-time recipient; awarded to students ranking within top 5% of their department.

#### Outstanding Project Award

2011

• Awarded to the top 10 teams of Cross-Strait Finals of 2011 Innovate Asia Competition (FPGA design).

## PATENT

[p1] U.S. Patent 10,411,990 B2: "Routing Stability in Hybrid Software-Defined Networking Networks," September 10, 2019.

## Воок

[b1] A. Tang and S.-H. Tseng, Traffic Management in Computer Networks: A Systems Approach, in preparation.

# JOURNAL ARTICLES

- [j1] S.-H. Tseng and J. Anderson, "Synthesis to Deployment: Cyber-Physical Control Architectures," in submission, [Online] arXiv:2012.05211.
- [j2] S.-H. Tseng, S. Han, and A. Wierman, "In-Network Freshness Control: Trading Throughput for Freshness," in submission, [Online] arXiv:2106.02156.
- [j3] S.-H. Tseng, A. Tang, G. Choudury, and S. Tse, "Routing Stability in Hybrid Software-Defined Networks," in *IEEE/ACM Trans. Netw.*, 2019.

# Conference Papers

- [c1] L. E. Conger and S.-H. Tseng, "Output-Feedback System Level Synthesis via Dynamic Programming," in submission, [Online] arXiv:2111.00098.
- [c2] C. Amo Alonso and S.-H. Tseng, "Effective GPU Parallelization of Distributed and Localized Model Predictive Control," in submission, [Online] arXiv:2103.14990.
- [c3] S.-H. Tseng and J. S. Li, "SLSpy: Python-Based System-Level Controller Synthesis Framework," in submission, [Online] arXiv:2004.12565.
- [c4] S.-H. Tseng, "A General Approach to Robust Controller Analysis and Synthesis," in Proc. IEEE CDC, 2021.
- [c5] S.-H. Tseng, "Realization, Internal Stability, and Controller Synthesis," in Proc. IEEE ACC, 2021.
- [c6] S.-H. Tseng, S. Agarwal, R. Agarwal, H. Ballani, and A. Tang, "CodedBulk: Inter-Datacenter Bulk Transfers using Network Coding," in *Proc. USENIX NSDI*, 2021.
- [c7] S.-H. Tseng, C. Amo Alonso, and S. Han, "System Level Synthesis via Dynamic Programming," in Proc. IEEE CDC, 2020.
- [c8] J. S. L. Li and S.-H. Tseng, "SLS-MATLAB Toolbox: Do-It-Yourself System Level Synthesis [Poster]," in *Proc. IEEE ACC*, 2020.
- [c9] S.-H. Tseng and J. Anderson, "Deployment Architectures for Cyber-Physical Control Systems," in Proc. IEEE ACC, 2020.
- [c10] S.-H. Tseng, "A Generic Solver for Unconstrained Control Problems with Integral Functional Objectives," in Proc. IEEE ACC, 2020.
- [c11] S.-H. Tseng, "Perseverance-Aware Traffic Engineering in Rate-Adaptive Networks with Reconfiguration Delay," in Proc. IEEE ICNP, 2019.
- [c12] J. Cheng, S.-H. Tseng, and A. Tang, "Worst-Case Latency Performance of Load Balancing Through Distributed Waterfilling Algorithm," in *Proc. CISS*, 2019.
- [c13] N. Wu, S.-H. Tseng, and A. Tang, "Accurate Rate-Aware Flow-Level Traffic Splitting," in Proc. Allerton, 2018.
- [c14] S.-H. Tseng and A. Tang, "Coflow Deadline Scheduling via Network-Aware Optimization," in Proc. Allerton, 2018.
- [c15] S.-H. Tseng, B. Bai, and J. C. S. Lui, "Hybrid Circuit/Packet Network Scheduling with Multiple Composite Paths," in *Proc. IEEE INFOCOM*, 2018.
- [c16] S.-H. Tseng and A. Tang, "A Local Search Algorithm for the Witsenhausen's Counterexample," in *Proc. IEEE CDC*, 2017.
- [c17] S.-H. Tseng, E. Bitar, and A. Tang, "Random Convex Approximations of Ambiguous Chance Constrained Programs," in *Proc. IEEE CDC*, 2016.
- [c18] A. Gushchin, S.-H. Tseng, and A. Tang, "Optimization-Based Network Flow Deadline Scheduling," in *Proc. IEEE ICNP*, 2016.
- [c19] S.-H. Tseng, C. L. Lim, N. Wu, and A. Tang, "Time-Aware Congestion-Free Routing Reconfiguration," in *Proc. IFIP Networking*, 2016.
- [c20] S.-H. Tseng, "Part-Time Emulation of Network Applications via Simulated Links," in preparation.
- [c21] S.-H. Tseng, "Network-Calculus-Based Upper Bounds on Age of Information," in preparation.