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## Education

<b>Georgia Institute of Technology</b>	Ph.D. in Computer Science Atlanta, GA Advisor: Dr. Taesoo Kim Thesis: <i>Systems Abstractions for Big Data Processing on a Single Machine</i>	08/2019 GPA: 4.0 / 4.0
<b>Georgia Institute of Technology</b>	M.Sc. in Computer Science Atlanta, GA Specialization: <i>Networking</i>	12/2014 GPA: 4.0 / 4.0
<b>University of Stuttgart</b>	M.Sc. in Computer Science Stuttgart, Germany Specializations: <i>Database Systems</i> and <i>Distributed Systems</i> Thesis: <i>Distributed Graph Processing and Partitioning for Spatiotemporal Queries in the Context of Camera Networks</i>	08/2015 GPA: 1.1 / 1.0 ( <i>excellent with distinction</i> )
<b>University of Stuttgart</b>	B.Sc. in Computer Science Stuttgart, Germany Thesis: <i>Efficient Strategies for Task Distribution for Public Sensing</i>	09/2012 GPA: 1.5 / 1.0 ( <i>excellent</i> )

## Publications

- SOLROS: A Data-Centric Operating System Architecture for Heterogeneous Computing**  
Changwoo Min, Woon-Hak Kang, Mohan Kumar, Sanidhya Kashyap, **Steffen Maass**, Heeseung Jo, and Taesoo Kim.  
*EuroSys'18*, Porto, Portugal, April, 2018.  
Acceptance rate: 16.4%
- LATR: Lazy Translation Coherence**  
Mohan Kumar\*, **Steffen Maass\***, Sanidhya Kashyap, Ján Veselý, Zi Yan, Taesoo Kim, Abhishek Bhattacharjee, and Tushar Krishna.  
*ASPLOS'18*, Williamsburg, VA, USA, March, 2018.  
\* marks joint first authors.  
Acceptance rate: 17.5%  
Code: <https://github.com/sslab-gatech/mosaic/>
- MOAIC: Processing a Trillion-Edge Graph on a Single Machine.**  
**Steffen Maass**, Changwoo Min, Sanidhya Kashyap, Woon-Hak Kang, Mohan Kumar, and Taesoo Kim.  
*EuroSys'17*, Belgrade, Serbia, April, 2017.  
**Best Student Paper Award**  
Acceptance rate: 20.5%  
Coverage: [The Morning Paper](#), [TheNextPlatform](#), [Hacker News](#), [HN II](#), [Georgia Tech News I](#), [GT News II](#)  
Code: <https://github.com/sslab-gatech/mosaic/>
- Understanding Manycore Scalability of File Systems**  
Changwoo Min, Sanidhya Kashyap, **Steffen Maass**, Woon-Hak Kang, and Taesoo Kim.  
*ATC'16*, Denver, CO, June, 2016.  
Acceptance rate: 19.0%  
Code: <https://github.com/sslab-gatech/fxmark/>

## Workshops

1. **KALEIDOSCOPE: Graph Analytics on Evolving Graphs.**  
**Steffen Maass** and Taesoo Kim.  
In *the 12th EuroSys Doctoral Workshop Workshop (EuroDW)*, Porto, Portugal, April, 2018.

## Posters

1. **MOSAIC: Processing a Trillion-Edge Graph on a Single Machine.**  
**Steffen Maass**, Changwoo Min, Sanidhya Kashyap, Woon-Hak Kang, Mohan Kumar, and Taesoo Kim.  
In *the Workshop on Optimization & Big Data (OBD'18)*, KAUST, Saudi Arabia, Feb, 2018.  
**Best Contribution Award**
2. **DISTCOZ: Tell Me What to Optimize in My Distributed Application**  
**Steffen Maass**, Mohan Kumar, and Taesoo Kim.  
*NSDI'17 - Poster*, Boston, MA, April, 2017.
3. **Network Function Fault Isolation in a Single Address Space**  
Mohan Kumar, **Steffen Maass**, and Taesoo Kim.  
*NSDI'17 - Poster*, Boston, MA, April, 2017.

## Awards

OBD'18	Best Contribution Award	02/2018
EuroSys'17	Best Student Paper Award	04/2017

## Travel Grants

1. **14th USENIX Symposium on Networked Systems Design and Implementation**  
Boston, MA 03/2017

## Invited Talks and Presentations

EuroDW'18	KALEIDOSCOPE: Graph Analytics on Evolving Graphs	Porto, 04/2018
ASPLOS'18 - Lightning Talk	LATR: Lazy Translation Coherence	Williamsburg, 03/2018
OBD'18 - Spotlight Talk	MOSAIC: Processing a Trillion-Edge Graph on a Single Machine	KAUST, 02/2018
Intel ISTC	MOSAIC: Processing a Trillion-Edge Graph on a Single Machine	Atlanta, 06/2017
EuroSys'17	MOSAIC: Processing a Trillion-Edge Graph on a Single Machine	Belgrade, 04/2017

## Work Experience

Software Engineer	Google, Sunnyvale, CA Working in the cloud networking team on Google's load balancing platform.	since 08/2019
Ph.D. Software Engineering Intern	Google, Sunnyvale, CA Intern in the cloud networking team, working on Google's load balancing platform.	05/2018 – 08/2018

<b>Ph.D. Software Engineering Intern</b>	Google, Mountain View, CA Intern in the Platforms team, working on performance diagnosis of Google's next-gen SDN platform.	05/2016 – 08/2016
<b>Ph.D. Software Engineering Intern</b>	Google, New York, NY Working on the control plane of the load-balancing platform of Google's front-end serving infrastructure.	05/2015 – 08/2015
<b>Graduate Research Assistant</b>	Georgia Tech, Atlanta, GA Research in the <i>Embedded Pervasive Lab</i> under Dr. Kishore Ramachandran and <i>Systems Software &amp; Security Lab</i> under Dr. Taesoo Kim.	08/2013 – 05/2019
<b>Software Developer</b>	maß IT consulting, Kirchheim unter Teck, Germany Development of customized web applications.	2008 – 2013

## Teaching Experience

<b>Graduate Teaching Assistant</b>	Georgia Tech, Atlanta, GA Graduate Teaching Assistant for <i>Computability &amp; Algorithms</i> , <i>Computer Networks</i> , and <i>Advanced Operating Systems</i> .	2014 – 2018
<b>Teaching Assistant</b>	University of Stuttgart, Germany Teaching Assistant for <i>Distributed Systems</i> & a hands-on class on processor architecture and design.	2011 – 2013

## Technical Strengths

<b>Languages</b>	C++, C, Java, and Python
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## Professional Service

<b>External Reviewer</b>	NSDI'19
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