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Research Interests

Formal Verification

Archimedean Quadratic Modules

Groebner basis algorithms

Quantifier-free interpolation algorithms for decidable logics

Ph.D. in Computer Science, Advisor: Prof. Deepak Kapur

Non-classical logics

EDUCATION

University of New Mexico

Albuquerque, New Mexico

2020-Current

University of New Mexico

Albuquerque, New Mexico

M.S. in Computer Science, Advisor: Prof. Deepak Kapur, GPA: 4.05/4.00

2016-2020

- Thesis: Implementation of Uniform Interpolation Algorithms

Universidad de las Americas Puebla

Cholula, Puebla

B.S. in Electronics Engineering, Advisor: Prof Maurio Javier Osorio Galindo, GPA: 9.7/10

2010 - 2015

- Thesis: Revisiting C_1

WORK EXPERIENCE

Microsoft Research
Research Intern; Mentor: Principal RSDE Mark Marron

Redmond, Washington

Summer 2019

- Verification in Bosque
- Developed a prototype of the verification engine for the Bosque programming language in F^* . Bosque is a language that does not implement loops but offers to programmers transformers and functional programming constructions (limited fold operation) to do their programming tasks.

Universidad de las Americas Puebla

Cholula, Puebla

Research Student; Advisor: Prof. Mauricio J. Osorio Galindo

2015-2017

- Research on Paraconsistent Logics
- Collaboration with a group of researchers on Paraconsistent Logics. My activities included working on some theorems and generate models using the answer set solver Clasp.

Universidad de las Americas Puebla

Cholula, Puebla

Intern: Advisor: Prof. Ofelia Cervantes Gutierrez

Summer 2015

- Innova4D
- Analysed and implemented graph algorithms to compute Freeman centralities for the development of a recommendation system.

PUBLICATIONS

- [1] J Castellanos Joo, Silvio Ghilardi, Alessandro Gianola, and Deepak Kapur. Axdinterpolator: A tool for computing interpolants for arrays with maxdif. In 19th International Workshop on Satisfiability Modulo Theories co-located with 33rd International Conference on Computer Aided Verification (CAV 2021), volume 2908, pages 40–52. CEUR-WS. org, 2021.
- [2] Mauricio Osorio, J. L. Carballido, C. Zepeda, and J. A. Castellanos. Weakening and extending Z. *Logica Universalis*, 9(3):383–409, Aug 2015.
- [3] Mauricio Osorio and José Abel Castellanos. A single proof of classical behaviour in da costa's C_n systems. Electronic Notes in Theoretical Computer Science, 315:3–16, Sep 2015.
- [4] Mauricio Osorio and José Abel Castellanos Joo. Equivalence among rc-type paraconsistent logics. *Logic Journal of IGPL*, page jzw065, Jan 2017.

TEACHING ASSISTANT EXPERIENCE

Head Teaching Assistant at University of New MexicoFall 2022CS 241 - Data Organization using C with Prof. Soraya Abad-MotaSpring 2022Teaching Assistant at University of New MexicoSpring 2022CS 429/529 - Machine Learning with Prof. Trilce EstradaFall 2019Teaching Assistant at University of New MexicoFall 2019CS 530 - Geometric and Probabilistic Methods in Computer Science with Prof. Lance WilliamsSpring 2019Teaching Assistant at University of New MexicoSpring 2019CS 500 - Theory of Computation with Prof. Deepak KapurFall 2018Teaching Assistant at University of New MexicoFall 2018CS 561 - Algorithms and Data Structures with Prof. Jared SaiaFall 2018

SKILLS LANGUAGES

- Programming languages
 - Imperative: C/C++, Java, Go
 - Scripting: Python, Bash, Makefile
 - Logical/Functional: Haskell, Ocaml, Scala
 - Verification: Z3, Mathsat, SMTInterpol, F*, Prover9, Mace4
 - Symbolic/Algebraic: Mathematica, Maple, Macaulay2, Singular
 - Document typesetting: L^AT_EX, Pandoc, Madoko, Markdown, Org
 - Web design: HTML, CSS, Javascript, Typescript, Hugo

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- English: Fluent
- TOELF iBT: TODO: Find score
- Spanish: Native

SOFTWARE PROJECTS

AXDInterpolator 2021

This project implements an interpolation algorithm proposed in FoSSaCS 2021 using the Z3 API. The project allows the user to choose Z3, Mathsat, or SMTInterpol as interpolation engines. The tool returns a formula in SMTLIB2 format, which allows compatibility with model checkers and invariant generators using such a format.

EUFInterpolator 2020

Master thesis work implementing new interpolation algorithms for the theory of equality and uninterpreted functions (EUF), octagonal formulas, and its combination.

Bosque Transpiler to F^*

Prototypical implementation of a transpiler embedding the Bosque semantics into the Proof-oriented programming language F^* .

WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

Satisfiability: Theory, Practice, and Beyond	2021
Beyond Satisfiability	
Satisfiability: Theory, Practice, and Beyond	2021
Theoretical Foundations of SAT/SMT Solving	
AMS Short Course	2019
Sum of Squares: Theory and Applications	

Conference Refereeing

CONFERENCE REFERENCE		
Thirteen Latin America Workshop on New Methods of Reasoning $Reviewer$	2020	
35th International Conference on Logic Programming Reviewer	2019	
11th Latin American Workshop on New Methods of Reasoning $PC\ member$	2018	
14th Annual Computer Science Student Conference Reviewer	2018	
17th Latin American Symposium on Mathematical Logic Reviewer	2017	
$10{\rm th}$ Latin American Workshop on Logic/Languages, Algorithms and New Methods of Reasoning $Reviewer$	2016	
8th Mexican Congress on Artificial Intelligence Reviewer	2016	
$12 { m th}$ International Colloquium on Theoretical Aspects of Computing $Reviewer$	2015	

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Travel Scholarship OPLSS	2017
Travel scholarship to attend Oregon Programming Languages Summer School https://www.cs.uoregon.edu/research/summerschool/summer17/	
AMIGO Scholarship	TODO
Scholarship for Graduate Studies at the University of New Mexico	
ANFEI	2015
Best student of the Electronics Engineering 2015 class	
Magna Cum Lauda (BSc)	2015
Universidad de las Americas Puebla.	
Roberto Rocca Scholarship	TODO
Scholarship for Undergraduate Studies at Universidad de las Americas Puebla	

SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

Women in Computing association at the University of New Mexico.

SERVICE	
CS Board Graduate Student Representative	2021 - 2022
TODO	
CSGSA - Treasurer	2017 - 2018
Developed website for the Computer Science Student Conference 2018 at UNM and keep track of Internal	Requisitions.
Founder member of the Clique Student Organization	2014 - 2015
This organization provided students a proper environment to develop programming skills for programming like the ACM ICPC.	competitions