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Education

2018.9 - **Hong Kong University of Science and Technology**, *Ph.D. Candidate*, Computer Science & present Engineering

O Advisor: Prof. Kai Chen

2014.9 - Huazhong University of Science and Technology, BEng., Computer Science & Technology

2018.6 O Advisor: Prof. Song Wu

Research Interests

Machine Learning Systems

Hardware Acceleration

Datacenter Networking

Publications

Conference Proceedings

- [1] Luyang Li, Heng Pan, **Xinchen Wan**, Kai Lv, Zilong Wang, Qian Zhao, Feng Ning, Qingsong Ning, Shideng Zhang, Zhenyu Li, Layong Luo, and Gaogang Xie. Harmonia: a unified framework for heterogeneous fpga acceleration in the cloud. In *ACM ASPLOS*, 2025.
- [2] Han Tian, Xudong Liao, Decang Sun, Chaoliang Zeng, Yilun Jin, Junxue Zhang, **Xinchen Wan**, Zilong Wang, Yong Wang, and Kai Chen. Achieving fairness generalizability for learning-based congestion control with jury. In *ACM EuroSys*, 2025.
- [3] Xinchen Wan, Luyang Li, Han Tian, Xudong Liao, Xinyang Huang, Chaoliang Zeng, Zilong Wang, Xinyu Yang, Ke Cheng, Qingsong Ning, Guyue Liu, Layong Luo, and Kai Chen. A generic and efficient communication framework for message-level in-network computing. In *IEEE INFOCOM*, 2025.
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- [6] Hao Wang, Han Tian, Jingrong Chen, **Xinchen Wan**, Jiacheng Xia, Gaoxiong Zeng, Wei Bai, Junchen Jiang, Yong Wang, and Kai Chen. Towards domain-specific network transport for distributed dnn training. In *USENIX NSDI*, 2024.
- [7] Zilong Wang, Xinchen Wan, Luyang Li, Yijun Sun, Peng Xie, Xin Wei, Qingsong Ning, Junxue Zhang, and Kai Chen. Fast, scalable, and accurate rate limiter for rdma nics. In ACM SIGCOMM, 2024.
- [8] Chaoliang Zeng, Xudong Liao, Xiaodian Cheng, Han Tian, **Xinchen Wan**, Hao Wang, and Kai Chen. Accelerating neural recommendation training with embedding scheduling. In *USENIX NSDI*, 2024.
- [9] **Xinchen Wan**, Kaiqiang Xu, Xudong Liao, Yilun Jin, Kai Chen, and Xin Jin. Scalable and efficient full-graph gnn training for large graphs. In *ACM SIGMOD*, 2023.

- [10] Zilong Wang, Layong Luo, Qingsong Ning, Chaoliang Zeng, Wenxue Li, Xinchen Wan, Peng Xie, Tao Feng, Ke Cheng, Xiongfei Geng, et al. Srnic: a scalable architecture for rdma nics. In USENIX NSDI, 2023.
- [11] Zilong Wang, **Xinchen Wan**, Chaoliang Zeng, and Kai Chen. Accurate and scalable rate limiter for rdma nics. In *ACM APNet*, 2023.
- [12] **Xinchen Wan**, Kai Chen, and Yiming Zhang. Dgs: communication-efficient graph sampling for distributed gnn training. In *IEEE ICNP*, pages 1–11. IEEE, 2022.
- [13] **Xinchen Wan**, Hong Zhang, Hao Wang, Shuihai Hu, Junxue Zhang, and Kai Chen. Ratresilient allreduce tree for distributed machine learning. In *ACM APNet*, pages 52–57, 2020.

Journal Articles

- [1] Kaiqiang Xu, **Xinchen Wan**, Hao Wang, Zhenghang Ren, Xudong Liao, Decang Sun, Chaoliang Zeng, and Kai Chen. Tacc: a full-stack cloud computing infrastructure for machine learning tasks. *arXiv preprint arXiv:2110.01556*, 2021.
- [2] Hao Wang, Jingrong Chen, **Xinchen Wan**, Han Tian, Jiacheng Xia, Gaoxiong Zeng, Weiyan Wang, Kai Chen, Wei Bai, and Junchen Jiang. Domain-specific communication optimization for distributed dnn training. *arXiv* preprint arXiv:2008.08445, 2020.

Industrial Experiences

Nov 2021 - Research Intern, Hardware Acceleration Group Aug 2023

ByteDance, Beijing

Worked with Dr. Layong Luo. Design an RDMA-based AI Interconnect network, and a generic and efficient platform for Message-level In-Network Computing.

Awards

2018-now Postgraduate Student Scholarship

HKUST

2017 Chinese National Scholarship

- Ministry of Education
- 2016 Learning Excellence Scholarship (Top 2 students in CS department)
- HUST

2015 Outstanding Student Cadres Scholarship

HUST

Talks

2023 Scalable and Efficient Full-Graph GNN Training for Large Graphs

Seattle, USA

2022 DGS: Communication-Efficient Graph Sampling for Distributed GNN Training

Online

2020 Rat-resilient allreduce tree for distributed DNN training

Online

Teaching Experiences

2019 Fall - Teaching Assistant Coordinator at HKUST CSE

2021 Spring

2019 Spring Teaching Assistant of HKUST COMP1022Q Excel VBA

Skills

Languages Mandarin Chinese (native), English (proficiency)

Program- C/C++, Python, Go, LATEX, Bash scripts

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