

EDUCATION

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Ph.D. in Computer Science

Advisor: Prof. Jonathan Ragan-Kelley

Cambridge, MA

September 2020 –

The University of Tokyo

Bachelor of Science in Information Science. Major GPA: 3.98/4.0

Awarded a Dean's Award and ranked top at the Department of Information Science.

Advisor: Prof. Takeo Igarashi

Tokyo, Japan

April 2015 – March 2020

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS AND TALKS

- **Guided Optimization for Image Processing Pipelines**

Yuka Ikarashi, Jonathan Ragan-Kelley, Tsukasa Fukusato, Jun Kato, Takeo Igarashi

In *IEEE Symposium on Visual Languages and Human-Centric Computing (VL/HCC)* 2021 short paper.

Best Short Paper Award

- **PaintersView: Automatic Suggestion of Optimal Viewpoints for 3D Texture Painting**

Yuka Takahashi, Tsukasa Fukusato, Takeo Igarashi

In *ACM SIGGRAPH Asia* 2019 technical brief (overall Acceptance Rate 20%).

- **Migrating Large Codebases to C++ Modules**

Yuka Takahashi, Oksana Shadura, Vassil Vassilev

In *19th International Workshop on Advanced Computing and Analysis Techniques in Physics Research (ACAT)* 2019.

- **Stitch: An Interactive Design System for Hand-Sewn Embroidery**

Yuka Takahashi, Tsukasa Fukusato

In *ACM SIGGRAPH* 2018 poster (overall Acceptance Rate 21%).

ACM SIGGRAPH Student Research Competition 3rd Place Award.

- **Optimizing Frameworks' Performance Using C++ Modules-Aware ROOT**

Yuka Takahashi, Vasil Georgiev Vasilev, Raphael Iseman

In *23rd International Conference on Computing in High Energy and Nuclear Physics (CHEP)* 2018.

- **A Better Shell Command-line Autocompletion for Clang**

Yuka Takahashi

In *LLVM developer's meeting* 2017 Lightning Talk.

EXPERIENCE

The University of Tokyo

Project Academic Support Specialist (research staff)

Tokyo, Japan

April 2020 – May 2020

UC Berkeley

Visiting Student

Berkeley, CA

August 2019 – September 2019

Worked on Halide Scheduling Tool under a supervision of Prof. Jonathan Ragan-Kelley.

CERN

Research and Development Engineer

Geneva, Switzerland

March 2018 – February 2019

Worked on Cling C++ interpreter and Clang C++ Modules in ROOT team.

Google Summer of Code

GSoC Student

Remote

April 2017 – August 2017

Worked on a dynamic shell autocompletion project in LLVM/Clang organization.

TEACHING AND MENTORING EXPERIENCE

Google Summer of Code

Remote

Mentor

April 2019 – August 2019

Advised an undergraduate student on Global Modules Index project at HEP software foundation.

Security Mini-Camp

Japan

Lecturer

September 2019

Honored to give a compiler lecture to young students in the government-funded security lecturing project.

INVOLVED PROJECTS

- **ROOT** An open-source data analysis framework widely used in High Energy Physics field. Committer and an everyday contributor since March 2018. Maintaining Cling C++ interpreter and developing ROOT Runtime C++ Modules.
- **LLVM/Clang** An open-source compiler infrastructure. Committer and a regular contributor since 2017. Maintaining autocompletion feature and options in Clang Driver and developing C++ Modules in Clang ASTReader.

AWARDS

- **Masason Foundation Fellowship** Awarded a fellowship by Masason Foundation since 2020.
- **Great Educators Fellowship** A fellowship from MIT EECS. This fellowship was offered to only the strongest candidates. Granted 9 months of tuition and stipend.
- **Dean's Award** Dean's Award from the University of Tokyo, for excellent academic performance and bachelor thesis. I was ranked top at the Department of Information Science.
- **Funai Overseas Scholarship** Doctoral research fellowship from Funai Foundation since 2020. Granted two years of tuition and stipend.
- **Research Internship Grant** *The university of Tokyo Study and Visit Abroad Program (SVAP)*, 2019.