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Curriculum Vitae

College of Computer Science and Electronic Engineering
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Research Interests

Jie Zhao is a Full Professor of computer sciences in the College of Computer Science and Electronic Engineering of Hunan University. He has been working on compilation techniques since he was a graduated student. He devotes to high-performance code generation for different architectures using compilation approaches and strives to bridge the gap between high-level programming models and underlying computer architectures. Specifically, his research interests and experiences span across:

- systems for machine learning
- code generation and optimization
- numerical program analysis
- high level synthesis

Employments

- 2024.01– **Full Professor**, College of Computer Science and Electronic Engineering, Hunan University, Changsha, China.
present
2023.09– **Associate Professor**, *Cloud and Big Data System Laboratory*, School of Information, Renmin University of China, Beijing, China.
2023.12
2019.01– **Lecturer**, *State Key Laboratory of Mathematical Engineering and Advanced Computing*, School of Cyberspace Security, Information Engineering University, Zhengzhou, China.
2023.07

Experiences

- 2023.08– **Senior Consultant**, *Huawei Technologies Co., Ltd.*, Beijing, China.
2024.07
2021.04– **Senior Consultant**, *Stream Computing Co., Ltd.*, Hangzhou, China.
2023.03
2019.02– **Senior Consultant**, *Huawei Technologies Co., Ltd.*, Hangzhou, China.
2021.12
2020.04– **Visiting Scholar**, *Alibaba Group*, Beijing, China.
2021.03
2018.05– **Consultant**, *Huawei Technologies France SASU*, Paris, France.
2018.09

Education

- 2015.03– **PhD in Mathematics**, *INRIA & École Normale Supérieure*, 75005 Paris, France, PhD
2018.12 Thesis: A Combined Language and Polyhedral Approach for Heterogeneous Parallelism.
Supervised by Prof. Albert Cohen

- 2012.09–2016.06 **PhD in Computer Science**, *National Digital Switching System Engineering & Technological Research Center (NDSC)*, Information Engineering University, 450001, Zhengzhou, China, Phd thesis: Data Dependence Analysis in Parallelizing Compilers.
Supervised by Prof. Rongcai Zhao
- 2009.09–2012.06 **MPhil in Computer Science**, *National Digital Switching System Engineering & Technological Research Center (NDSC)*, Information Engineering University, 450001, Zhengzhou, China, Master thesis: Research on Optimization Technologies of Parallel Compilation for Distributed Memory Architecture.
Supervised by Prof. Rongcai Zhao
- 2005.08–2009.07 **BEng**, *Department of Computer Science and Technology*, Tsinghua University, 100084, Beijing, China.

Grants

- Huawei 2025 **Principle Investigator**, *Automatic Search for Fine-Grained Computation-Communication Overlapping Opportunities*, Huawei Technologies, No. TC20251120013, 2025.12-2026.12.
927,000 CNY
- Huawei 2024 **Principle Investigator**, *Intelligent Compilation and Optimization Techniques for Supernode Parallelism Strategies*, Huawei Technologies, No. TC20241115006, 2025.01-2026.12.
2,286,600 CNY
- NSFC 2024 **Principle Investigator**, *Research on Key Technologies for the Integrated Architecture for Communication, Perception, and Computation in Edge Supercomputing*, National Natural Science Foundation of China, No. U24A20235, 2025.01-2028.12.
2,600,000 CNY
- NSFC 2024 **Principle Investigator**, *Design Automation of Integrated Circuits for Intelligent Chips*, National Natural Science Foundation of China, No. T2422007, 2025.01-2027.12.
2,000,000 CNY
- NSFC 2021 **Principle Investigator of the SKL-MEAC part**, *Deep Learning and Tensor Compilers based on the Polyhedral Model*, National Natural Science Foundation of China, No. U20A20226, 2021.01-2024.12.
2,600,000 CNY in total for the joint (with Tsinghua University and Beijing OneFlow Research.) project, and 800,000 CNY for the SKL-MEAC part
- NSFC 2018 **Researcher**, *Analysis and Optimization of the Precision of Mathematical Functions on Domestic Processors*, National Natural Science Foundation of China, No. 61802434, 2019.01-2021.12.
250,000 CNY
- NSFC 2017 **Principle Investigator**, *Polyhedral Compilation Techniques for Heterogeneous Architectures*, National Natural Science Foundation of China, No. 61702546, 2018.01-2020.12.
240,000 CNY

Awards

- 2025 Distinguished YueLu Scholar (B Class) of the Hunan University
- 2025 Research Fellow of Beijing Academy of Artificial Intelligence
- 2023 ACM SIGHPC China Rising Star
- 2023 Outstanding Young Scholar (A Class) of Renmin University of China
- 2020 IEEE/ACM MICRO-53 Best Paper Nominees
- 2019 SKL-MEAC Outstanding Young Teacher

- 2019 HPC China 2019 Outstanding Paper Award
- 2016 SIGPLAN PLMW Scholarship for OOPSLA 2016
- 2014 NDSC Scholarship
- 2013 NDSC's Excellent Master Dissertation Award, 1st place

Languages

Mandarin	Mothertongue	<i>Daily use</i>
English	Flent	<i>Con conversationally fluent</i>
French	Basic	<i>Basic words and phrases only</i>

Books

- TUP Book **Jie Zhao** and Baoliang Li, *Polyhedral Compilation Theory and its Practice in Deep Learning (in Chinese)*, Tsinghua University Press, 1 November, 2022, 293 pages.

Conference Publications

- ASPLOS 2025 Zhanyuan Di, Leping Wang, En Shao, Zhaojia Ma, Ziyi Ren, Feng Hua, Lixian Ma, **Jie Zhao**, Guangming Tan, and Ninhui Sun, *Optimizing Deep Learning Inference Efficiency through Block Dependency Analysis*, In Proceedings of the 30th ACM International Conference on Architectural Support for Programming Languages and Operating Systems (ASPLOS 2025), Volume 2, 30 March–3 April, 2025, Rotterdam, Netherlands, pages 719–733. (acceptance rate: 160/912=17.5%).
- CC 2025 Shaobai Yuan, Jihong He, Yihui Xie, Feng Wang, and **Jie Zhao**, *Post-Link Outlining for Code Size Reduction*, In Proceedings of the 34th ACM SIGPLAN International Conference on Compiler Construction (CC 2025), 1–2 March, 2025, Las Vegas, NV, USA, pages 154–166. (acceptance rate: 17/56=30.4%).
- ISSTA 2024 Jinchen Xu, Mengqi Cui, Fei Li, Zuoyan Zhang, Hongru Yang, Bei Zhou, and **Jie Zhao**, *Arfa: an Agile Regime-based Floating-point Optimization Approach for Rounding Errors*, In Proceedings of the 33rd ACM SIGSOFT International Symposium on Software Testing and Analysis (ISSTA 2024), 16-20 September, 2024, Vienna, Austria, 1516-1528. (acceptance rate: 143/694=20.6%).
- OSDI 2024 Yi Zhai, Sijia Yang, Keyu Pan, Renwei Zhang, Shuo Liu, Chao Liu, Zichun Liu, Jianmin Ji, **Jie Zhao**, Yu Zhang, and Yanyong Zhang, *Enabling Tensor Language Model to Assist in Generating High-Performance Tensor Programs for Deep Learning*, In Proceedings of the 18th USENIX Symposium on Operating Systems Design and Implementation (OSDI 2024), 10-12 July, 2024, Santa Clara, CA, USA, pages 289-305. (acceptance rate: 44/282=15.6%).
- PPoPP 2024 Jinchen Xu, Guanghui Song, Bei Zhou, Fei Li, Jiangwei Hao, and **Jie Zhao**, *A Holistic Approach to Automatic Mixed-Precision Code Generation and Tuning for Affine Programs*, In Proceedings of 29th ACM SIGPLAN Annual Symposium on Principles and Practice of Parallel Programming (PPoPP'24), 02-06 March, 2024, Edinburgh, UK, 55-67. (acceptance rate: 32/153=20.9%).
- ASE 2023 Zuoyan Zhang, Bei Zhou, Jiangwei Hao, Hongru Yang, Mengqi Cui, Yuchang Zhou, Guanghui Song, Fei Li, Jinchen Xu, and **Jie Zhao**, *Eiffel: Inferring Input Ranges of Significant Floating-point Errors via Polynomial Extrapolation*, In Proceedings of the 38th IEEE/ACM International Conference on Automated Software Engineering (ASE 2023), 11-15 September, 2023, Kirchberg, Luxembourg, pages 1441-1453. (acceptance rate: 134/629=21.3%).

- OSDI 2023 **Jie Zhao**, Siyuan Feng, Xiaoqiang Dan, Fei Liu, Chengke Wang, Sheng Yuan, Wenyuan Lv, and Qikai Xie, *Effectively Scheduling Computational Graphs of Deep Neural Networks toward Their Domain-Specific Accelerators*, In Proceedings of the 17th USENIX Symposium on Operating Systems Design and Implementation (OSDI 2023), 10-12 July, 2023, Boston, MA, USA, pages 719-737. (acceptance rate: 50/255=19.6%).
- MLSys 2023 Yijin Li, Jiacheng Zhao, Qianqi Sun, Haohui Mai, Lei Chen, Wanlu Chao, Yanfan Chen, Zhicheng Li, Ying Liu, Xiyuan Zhang, Xiyu Shi, **Jie Zhao**, Jingling Xue, Huimin Cui, and Xiaobing Feng, *Sirius: Harvesting Whole-Program Optimization Opportunities for DNNs*, In Proceedings of the 6th Conference on Machine Learning and Systems (MLSys 2023), 4-8 June, 2023, Miami, Florida, USA, pages 377-393. (acceptance rate: 46/207=22.2%).
- PACT 2022 **Jie Zhao**, Cédric Bastoul, Yanzhi Yi, Jiahui Hu, Wang Nie, Renwei Zhang, Zhen Geng, Chong Li, Thibaut Tachon, and Zhiliang Gan, *Parallelizing Neural Network Models Effectively on GPU by Implementing Reductions Atomically*, In Proceedings of the 31st International Conference on Parallel Architectures and Compilation Techniques (PACT 2022), 10-12 October, 2022, Chicago, Illinois, USA, pages 451-466. (acceptance rate: 40/118=33.9%).
- ICPP 2022 Xiaohan Tao, Yu Zhu, Boyang Wang, Jinlong Xu, Jianmin Pang, and **Jie Zhao**, *Automatically Generating High-performance Matrix Multiplication Kernels on the Latest Sunway Processor*, In Proceedings of the 51st International Conference on Parallel Processing (ICPP 2022), 29 August-1 September, 2022, Online Event, Bordeaux, France, Article No. 52, 12 pages. (acceptance rate: 84/311=27.0%).
- MLSys 2022 **Jie Zhao**, Xiong Gao, Ruijie Xia, Zhaochuang Zhang, Deshi Chen, Lei Chen, Renwei Zhang, Zhen Geng, Bin Cheng, and Xuefeng Jin, *Apollo: Automatic Partition-based Operator Fusion through Layer by Layer Optimization*, In Proceedings of the 5th Conference on Machine Learning and Systems (MLSys 2022), 29 August - 1 September, 2022, Santa Clara, pages 1-19. (acceptance rate: 51/247=20.6%).
- PLDI 2021 **Jie Zhao**, Bojie Li, Wang Nie, Zhen Geng, Renwei Zhang, Xiong Gao, Bin Cheng, Chen Wu, Yun Cheng, Zheng Li, Peng Di, Kun Zhang, and Xuefeng Jin, *AKG: Automatic Kernel Generation for Neural Processing Units using Polyhedral Transformations*, In Proceedings of the 42nd ACM SIGPLAN Conference on Programming Language Design and Implementation (PLDI 2021), 20-25 June, 2021, Vitual, Canada, pages 1233-1248. (acceptance rate: 87/320=27.2%).
- MICRO 2020 **Jie Zhao** and Peng Di, *Optimizing the Memory Hierarchy by Compositing Automatic Transformations on Computations and Data*, In Proceedings of the 53rd IEEE/ACM International Symposium on Microarchitecture (MICRO-53), 17-21 October, 2020, Global Online Event, pages 427-441. (acceptance rate: 82/446=18.4%).
- ICS 2019 Huihui Sun, Florian Fey, **Jie Zhao**, and Sergei Gorlatch, *WCCV: Improving the Vectorization of IF-statements with Warp-coherent Conditions*, In Proceedings of the 33rd ACM International Conference on Supercomputing (ICS 2019), 26-28 June, 2019, Phoenix, Arizona, USA, pages 319-329. (acceptance rate: 45/193=23.3%).
- CC 2018 **Jie Zhao**, Micheal Kurse, and Albert Cohen, *A Polyhedral Compilation Framework for Loops with Dynamic Data-dependent Bounds*, In Proceedings of the 27th International Conference on Compiler Construction (CC 2018), 24-25 February, 2018, Vienna, Austria, pages 14-24. (acceptance rate: 18/52=34.6%).
- SKG 2012 Baoliang Li, **Jie Zhao**, Junhui Wang, and Wenhua Dou, *A max-plus algebra approach for network-on-chip end-to-end delay estimation*, In Proceedings of the 8th International Conference on Semantics, Knowledge and Grids (SKG 2012), 22-24 October 2012, Beijing, China, pages 217-220.

- HPCC 2012 **Jie Zhao**, Rongcai Zhao, and Lin Han, *A nonlinear array subscript dependence test*, In Proceedings of the IEEE 14th International Conference on High Performance Computing and Communication (HPCC 2012), 24-25 February, 2012, Liverpool, UK, pages 764-771.

Journal Publications

- TACO 2025 Jiawei Tan, Jiapeng Zhang, Zhuo Tang, Xiong Xiao, Bingting Jiang, **Jie Zhao**, and Kenli Li, *ASSG: Enhanced Workload Balancing via Adaptive State Scheduling Granularity Approach for Stateful Distributed Stream Processing*, ACM Transactions on Architecture and Code Optimization, 2025, 22(4): Article 160, 26 pages.
- TACO 2025 Zhanyuan Di, Leping Wang, Zhaojia Ma, En Shao, **Jie Zhao**, Ziyi Ren, Siyuan Feng, Dingwen Tao, Guangming Tan, and Ninghui Sun, *Accelerating Parallel Structures in DNNs via Parallel Fusion and Operator Co-Optimization*, ACM Transactions on Architecture and Code Optimization, 2025, 21(3): Article 92, 26 pages.
- TOCS 2023 **Jie Zhao**, Jinchun Xu, Peng Di, Wang Nie, Jiahui Hu, Yanzhi Yi, Sijia Yang, Zhen Geng, Renwei Zhang, Bojie Li, Zhiliang Gan, and Albert Cohen, *Modeling the Interplay between Loop Tiling and Fusion in Optimizing Compilers using Affine Relations*, ACM Transactions on Computer Systems, 2023, 41(1-4): Article 5, 45 pages.
- TACO 2019 **Jie Zhao** and Albert Cohen, *Flexextended tiles: a flexible extension of overlapped tiles for polyhedral compilation*, ACM Transactions on Architecture and Code Optimization, 2019, 16(4): Article 47, 25 pages.
- Journal of Supercomputing 2018 **Jie Zhao** and Rongcai Zhao, *K-DT: A formal system for the evaluation of linear data dependence testing techniques*, The Journal of Supercomputing, 2018, 71(1): 340-368.
- Science China 2017 **Jie Zhao** and Rongcai Zhao, *Identifying superword level parallelism with directed graph reachability*, Science China: Information Sciences, 2017, 60(1): 019103.
- Computer Journal 2016 **Jie Zhao**, Rongcai Zhao, and Jinchun Xu, *Code generation for distributed-memory architectures*, The Computer Journal, 2016, 59(1): 119-132.
- Journal of Supercomputing 2015 **Jie Zhao**, Rongcai Zhao, Xi Chen and Bo Zhao, *An improved nonlinear data dependence test*, The Journal of Supercomputing, 2015, 71(1): 340-368.
- IET Software 2013 **Jie Zhao**, Rongcai Zhao, Lin Han, and Jinlong Xu, *QP test: a dependence test for quadratic array subscripts*, IET Software, 2013, 7(5): 271-282.

Workshops, Posters, Preprints, and Others

- PPoPP 2025 Poster Zhanyuan Di, Leping Wang, Ziyi Ren, En Shao, **Jie Zhao** Siyuan Feng, Dingwen Tao, Guangming Tan, and Ninghui Sun, *Poster: Magneto: Accelerating Parallel Structures in DNNs via Co-Optimization of Operators*, In Proceedings of 30th ACM SIGPLAN Annual Symposium on Principles and Practice of Parallel Programming (PPoPP 2025), 1-5 March, 2025, Las Vegas, NV, USA, pages 563-565. (poster acceptance rate: 49/189=25.9%).
- arXiv 2021 Jinhui Yuan, Xinqi Li, Cheng Cheng, Juncheng Liu, Ran Guo, Shenghang Cai, Chi Yao, Fei Yang, Xiaodong Yi, Chuan Wu, Haoran Zhang and **Jie Zhao**, *OneFlow: Redesign the Distributed Deep Learning Framework from Scratch*, arXiv:2110.15032v6 [cs.DC], <https://doi.org/10.48550/arXiv.2110.15032>.
- CGO 2018 SRC **Jie Zhao**, *A general purpose automatic overlapped tiling technique in polyhedral frameworks*, Student Research Competition at 16th IEEE/ACM International Symposium on Code Generation and Optimization (CGO 2018), 24-25 February, 2018, Vienna, Austria.

- IMPACT 2017 **Jie Zhao** and Albert Cohen, *A general compilation algorithm to parallelize and optimize counted loops with dynamic data-dependent bounds*, the 7th International Workshop on Polyhedral Compilation Techniques (IMPACT 2017), 23 January, 2017, Stockholm, Sweden.

Teaching Experiences

- CP 2025 **Principle Instructor of Compiler Principles**, *Undergraduate-level*, 52/52 teaching hours, fall 2025.
- CP 2024 **Principle Instructor of Compiler Principles**, *Undergraduate-level*, 52/52 teaching hours, fall 2024.
- CA 2020 **Principle Instructor of Computer Architecture**, *Undergraduate-level*, 34/60 teaching hours, spring 2020.
- PC 2022 **Guest Instructor of Principles of Compiler**, *Undergraduate-level*, 2/40 teaching hours, fall 2022, invited by the National University of Defense and Technology.
- ACA 2021 **Guest Instructor of Advanced Computer Architecture**, *Graduate-level*, 2/40 teaching hours, fall 2021.
- ACA 2019 **Guest Instructor of Advanced Computer Architecture**, *Graduate-level*, 2/40 teaching hours, fall 2019.

Graduated Student Mentoring

- MEng 2024 **Mentoring Wei Zhao's MEng thesis in 2024**, *Zhengzhou University*, MEng thesis: Research on Operator Fusion and Optimization Techniques Based on LLVM, Defensed in June 2024.
Co-advise with Prof. Lin Han
- MEng 2024 **Mentoring Zuoyan Zhang's MEng thesis in 2024**, *Information Engineering University*, MEng thesis: Research on Error Detection Methods for Floating-point Arithmetic Expressions, Defensed in June 2024.
Co-advise with Prof. Shaozhong Guo
- MEng 2023 **Mentoring Xiaoyue Xu's MEng thesis in 2023**, *Zhengzhou University*, MEng thesis: Research on Automatic Generation of DCU Kernel Code Based on LLVM, Defensed in June 2023.
Co-advise with Prof. Lin Han
- Mphil 2023 **Mentoring Guanghui Song's Mphil thesis in 2023**, *Information Engineering University*, Mphil thesis: Automatic Generation and Optimization of Mixed-precision Computation for Loop Nested Code, Defensed in June 2023.
Co-advise with Prof. Shaozhong Guo
- PhD 2022 **Mentoring Xiaohan Tao's PhD thesis in 2022**, *Information Engineering University*, PhD thesis: High Performance Code Generation and Optimization for Sunway Heterogeneous Many-core Architecture, Defensed in June 2022.
Co-advise with Prof. Jianmin Pang
- Mphil 2022 **Mentoring Boyang Wang's Mphil thesis in 2022**, *Zhengzhou University*, Mphil thesis: Vector Code Generation based on Polyhedron Model, Defensed in June 2022.
Co-advise with Prof. Jianmin Pang
- PhD 2021 **Mentoring Yingying Li's PhD thesis in 2021**, *Information Engineering University*, PhD thesis: Research on Key Techniques of Polyhedral Compiler Optimizations for Heterogeneous Systems, Defensed in June 2021.
Co-advise with Prof. Jianmin Pang

Scholar Services

- Program Committee Co-Chairs for IMPACT 2024
- Program Committee for CGO 2026, CC 2026
- Program Committee for IMPACT 2025, 2023, 2022 and 2021
- Reviewers for ACM Transactions on Architecture and Code Optimization, ACM Transactions on Embedded Computing Systems, IEEE Transactions on Computers, IEEE Transactions on Parallel and Distributed Systems, IEEE Transactions on Computer-Aided Design of Integrated Circuits and Systems, Elsevier Parallel Computing, , Springer Journal of Computer Science and Technology, Springer Journal of Supercomputing, IET Software
- Reviewers of National Natural Science Foundation of China (2019 and 2025)