

Yexi Jiang

Resume

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Summary

A passionate applied researcher and software developer with hands-on skills on data mining/machine learning algorithm development and research. Extensive R&D experience at the world's leading companies and open source community like Facebook, IBM, Microsoft, and Apache Software Foundation. More than 15 research paper published at recognized international conferences and journals. Strong eagerness to work with talented and energetic people on promising projects.

Experience

Industrial Experience

05/2015 **Research Scientist, Facebook Inc.**, Menlo Park, CA, USA.

Trying to make the work more open and connected.

Summer of **Intern, Facebook Inc.**, Menlo Park, CA, USA.

- 2014 ○ Designed and implemented the pipeline as well as the related analytics tools for personalized News Feed ranking at Internet scale, making the recommendation more accurate for active users in Facebook.

Summer of **Intern, IBM T.J Watson Research Center**, New York, NY, USA.

- 2011, 2012, 2013 ○ Participated in the design and implementation of an interactive service retrieval system called *Cloud Services Marketplace* to facilitate the cloud services acquisition. This prototype evolved into IBM 2013 Global Technology Outlook project "Scalable Services Ecosystem".
- Designed and implemented a time-series prediction algorithm to help the cloud capacity planning and reduce the VM fulfillment time of IBM's Smart Cloud Enterprise from the perspective of resource prediction.
- Participated in the design and implementation of a tool that leverages data mining techniques to improve the efficiency for both the customers and service providers during server configuration.

03/2009- **Intern, Microsoft Research**, Beijing, China.

- 07/2009 ○ Designed and implemented a distributed frequent sequential mining algorithm to discover the users' popular operation sequences from the log of Office software to help the UI designers ameliorate the layout of the next version of Office.

Open Source Projects

- Apache **PMC Member, Apache Hama: a BSP computing framework on top of Hadoop.**
- Software ○ Working on the distributed machine learning package, including the design and implementation of distributed multilayer perceptron, linear regression, logistic regression, and auto-encoder.
- Foundation [GitHub Link]

Academic

08/2010- **Research Assistant, Knowledge Discovery Research Group, FIU**, Miami, FL, USA.

- 04/2015 ○ Designing and implementing a distributed monitoring system to conduct the continuous monitoring over the computer clusters. [GitHub Link]
- Participating in the design and implementation of FIU-Miner: An integrated and user-friendly data mining system under distributed environment. [Web Page Link]

Programming Skills

Languages	Java (proficient), Python (proficient), C/C++ (familiar), Scala (prior experience)	Frameworks & Libries	Apache Hive, Apache Hama, Apache Hadoop, ActiveMQ, Storm
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Patents

1. *Cloud Provisioning Accelerator*. With Rong Chang, Mihwa Choi, Meir Laker, Chang-Shing Perng, Hidayatullah Shaikh, Edward So, Tao Tao. **US 20130139152**.
2. *Interactive Acquisition of Remote Services*. With Rahul Akolkar, Thomas Chefalas, Jim Laredo, Chang-Shing Perng, Anca Sailer, Frank Schaffa, Alla Segal, Ignacio Silva-Lepe, Tao Tao, Yang Zhou. **US 20140337010**.
3. *Complex Service Network Ranking and Clustering*. With Rahul Akolkar, Thomas Chefalas, Jim Laredo, Chang-Shing Perng, Anca Sailer, Frank Schaffa, Alla Segal, Ignacio Silva-Lepe, Tao Tao, Yang Zhou. **Filed**.

Selected Publications (20+ publications in total)

1. Liang Tang, **Yexi Jiang**, Lei Li, Tao Li. "Personalized Recommendation via Parameter-Free Contextual Bandits", *ACM Conference on Information Retrieval (SIGIR)*, 2015.
2. **Yexi Jiang**, Chunqiu Zeng, Jian Xu, Tao Li. "Real time contextual collective anomaly detection over multiple data streams". *ACM SIGKDD Workshop on Outlier Detection & Description under Data Diversity (SIGKDD Workshop ODD²)*, 2014.
3. Liang Tang, **Yexi Jiang**, Lei Li, Tao Li. "Ensemble Contextual Bandits for Personalized Recommendation". *ACM Conference on Recommender Systems (RecSys)*, 2014.
4. **Yexi Jiang**, Chang-shing Perng, Tao Li. "META: Multi-resolution Framework for Event Summarization", *SDM International Conference on Data Mining (SDM)*, 2014.
5. Li Zheng, Chungqiu Zeng, Lei Li, **Yexi Jiang**, Wei Xue, Jingxuan Li, et al. "Applying Data Mining Techniques to Address Critical Process Optimization Needs in Advanced Manufacturing", *ACM SIGKDD Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (SIGKDD)*, 2014.
6. **Yexi Jiang**, Chang-shing Perng, Tao Li, Rong Chang. "Cloud Analytics for Capacity Planning and Instant VM Provisioning", *IEEE Transactions on Network and Service Management (TNSM)*, 2013.
7. Liang Tang, Tao Li, **Yexi Jiang** Zhiyuan Chen. "Dynamic Query Forms for Database Queries", *IEEE Transactions on Knowledge and Data Engineering (TKDE)*, 2013.
8. **Yexi Jiang**, Chang-shing Perng, Tao Li, Rong Chang. "Self-adaptive Cloud Capacity Planning". *International Conference on Service Computing (SCC)*, 2012.
9. **Yexi Jiang**, Chang-shing Perng, Tao Li, Rong Chang. "ASAP: A Self-Adaptive Prediction System for Instant Cloud Resource Demand Provisioning". *IEEE International Conference on Data Mining (ICDM)*, 2011.
10. **Yexi Jiang**, Chang-shing Perng, Tao Li. "Natural Event Summarization". *ACM Conference on Information and Knowledge Management (CIKM)*, 2011.

Education

- 2015 **Ph.D. in Computer Science**, *Florida International University*, Miami, FL, USA.
Research Area: Temporal Data Mining, Distributed Data Mining, GPA: 3.9
- 2010 **B.S and M.S. in Computer Science**, *Sichuan University*, Chengdu, Sichuan, China.
Research Area: Data Mining, GPA: 3.2