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Education

- 2015 2019 Ph.D., Computer Science and Engineering, The Chinese University of Hong Kong. Research interest: distributed storage systems, erasure coding, and reliability Supervisor: Prof. Patrick P. C. Lee
- 2010 2014 **B.E., Software Engineering**, Shandong University. GPA: 91.35/100, Ranking: 3/259

Experience

- 2019 Now **Postdoctoral Researcher**, *The Chinese University of Hong Kong*.
 - 2019 Backend Engineer, Grab China.
 - 2018 **Research Intern**, *Networking System Group*, *Microsoft Research Asia*. Design and implement Regex Integrator to accelerate regex matching in ModSecurity. Mentored by Wei Bai at Networking Research Group.
- 2015 2018 Teaching Assistant, The Chinese University of Hong Kong.

Design and grade assignments, hold weekly tutorials and laboratory sessions for: Introduction to Cloud Computing and Storage, Data Communication and Computer Networks, and Operating Systems.

Publications

Conference

- Parity-Only Caching for Robust Straggler Tolerance.
 Mi Zhang, Qiuping Wang, Zhirong Shen, and Patrick P. C. Lee. The 35th International Conference on Massive Storage Systems and Technology (MSST), 2019. (CCF B)
- [2] A Simulation Analysis of Reliability in Erasure-Coded Data Centers. Mi Zhang, Shujie Han, and Patrick P. C. Lee. *The 36th IEEE International Symposium on Reliable Distributed Systems (SRDS)*, 2017. (CCF B)

Journal

- [3] SimEDC: A Simulator for the Reliability Analysis of Erasure-Coded Data Centers. Mi Zhang, Shujie Han, and Patrick P. C. Lee. Accepted for publication in *IEEE Transactions on Parallel and Distributed Systems (TPDS)*. (CCF A, SCI IF: 3.971)
- [4] Optimal Repair Layering for Erasure-Coded Data Centers: From Theory to Practice. Yuchong Hu, Xiaolu Li, Mi Zhang, Patrick P. C. Lee, Xiaoyang Zhang, Pan Zhou, and Dan Feng. ACM Transactions on Storage (TOS), 13(4), pp. 33:1-33:24, November 2017.

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Honors & Awards

Scholarships CUHK Postgraduate Studentship, 2015 - 2019 Google Excellence Scholarship, 2013 National Scholarship of China, 2011, 2012

- The First-class Scholarship for Outstanding Students of Shandong University, 2011 2013
- Others Certificate of Merit for Excellent Teaching Assistantship at CUHK, 2016, 2018

Excellent Graduate of Shandong Province and Shandong University, 2014

Skills

LanguagesUse Java, C/C++, Python, R in research projects.SystemsHadoop, Spark, Ignite, Cassandra, Redis.