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Education

Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST)

Hong Kong, China

Ph.D. in Computer Science and Engineering

2015 - 2022

Advisor: Prof. Kai Chen.

University of Science and Technology of China (USTC)

Hefei, China

B.E. in Electronic Engineering and Information Science

2011 - 2015

Work Experiences

[Principal Research Engineer] Huawei Technologies. Shenzhen, China.

2022.02 - Present

[Research Intern] Peng Cheng Laboratory. Shenzhen, China.

2019.09 - 2020.01

[Research Intern] Chinese Academy of Sciences. Beijing, China.

2014.07 - 2014.08

Research Interest

Computer Networks & Systems: Data Center Networking; Transport Protocols; etc.

Publications

Conference & Workshop Publications:

- **Gaoxiong Zeng**, Li Chen, Bairen Yi, Kai Chen. “Cutting Tail Latency in Commodity Datacenters with Cloudburst”, in Proceedings of the 41th IEEE International Conference on Computer Communications (INFOCOM), Virtual Event, May 2-5, 2022.
- **Gaoxiong Zeng**, Jianxin Qiu, Yifei Yuan, Hongqiang Liu, Kai Chen. “FlashPass: Proactive Congestion Control for Shallow-buffered WAN”, in Proceedings of the 29th IEEE International Conference on Network Protocols (ICNP), Virtual Event, November 1-5, 2021.
- Shuihai Hu, Wei Bai, **Gaoxiong Zeng**, Zilong Wang, Baochen Qiao, Kai Chen, Kun Tan, Yi Wang. “Aeolus: A Building Block for Proactive Transport in Datacenters”, in Proceedings of the Annual Conference of the ACM Special Interest Group on Data Communication (SIGCOMM), Virtual Event, August 10-14, 2020.
- **Gaoxiong Zeng**, Wei Bai, Ge Chen, Kai Chen, Dongsu Han, Yibo Zhu, Lei Cui. “Congestion Control for Cross-Datacenter Networks”, in Proceedings of the 27th IEEE International Conference on Network Protocols (ICNP), Chicago, USA, October 7-10, 2019.
- Jiacheng Xia, **Gaoxiong Zeng**, Junxue Zhang, Weiyang Wang, Wei Bai, Junchen Jiang, Kai Chen. “Rethinking Transport Layer Design for Distributed Machine Learning”, in Proceedings of the 3rd ACM Asia-Pacific Workshop on Networking (APNet), Beijing, China, August 17-18, 2019.
- **Gaoxiong Zeng**, Wei Bai, Ge Chen, Kai Chen, Dongsu Han, Yibo Zhu. “Combining ECN and RTT for Datacenter Transport”, in Proceedings of the 1st ACM Asia-Pacific Workshop on Networking (APNet), Hong Kong SAR, China, August 3-4, 2017.

Journal Publications:

- **Gaoxiong Zeng**, Wei Bai, Ge Chen, Kai Chen, Dongsu Han, Yibo Zhu, Lei Cui. “Congestion Control for Cross-Datacenter Networks”, in IEEE/ACM Transactions on Networking (ToN), 2022.
- Shuihai Hu, **Gaoxiong Zeng**, Wei Bai, Zilong Wang, Baochen Qiao, Kai Chen, Kun Tan, Yi Wang. “Aeolus: A Building Block for Proactive Transport in Datacenter Networks”, in IEEE/ACM Transactions on Networking

(ToN), 30(2), 2022.

- **Gaoxiong Zeng**, Shuihai Hu, Junxue Zhang, Kai Chen. “Transport Protocols for Data Center Networks: A Survey”, in ICT-CAS/CCF Journal of Computer Research and Development (**J-CRAD**), 57(1), 2020.
- Wei Bai, Shuihai Hu, **Gaoxiong Zeng**, Kai Chen. “Data Center Flow Scheduling”, in Communications of the China Computer Federation (**CCCF**), 15(4), 2019.

Miscellaneous:

- **Gaoxiong Zeng**, Li Chen, Bairen Yi, Kai Chen. “Optimizing Tail Latency in Commodity Datacenters using Forward Error Correction”, in arXiv:2110.15157 [cs.NI], October 28, 2021.
- Ge Chen, **Gaoxiong Zeng**, Li Chen. “P4COM: In-Network Computation with Programmable Switches”, in arXiv:2107.13694 [cs.NI], July 29, 2021.
- Hao Wang, Jingrong Chen, Xinchun Wan, Han Tian, Jiacheng Xia, **Gaoxiong Zeng**, Weiyan Wang, Kai Chen, Wei Bai, Junchen Jiang. “Domain-specific Communication Optimization for Distributed DNN Training”, in arXiv:2008.08445 [cs.DC], August 16, 2020.
- Shuihai Hu, Kai Chen, **Gaoxiong Zeng**. “Improved Path Compression for Explicit Path Control in Production Data Centers”, in Poster Session of the 13th USENIX Symposium on Networked Systems Design and Implementation (**NSDI**), Santa Clara, USA, March 16-18, 2016.

Selected Talks

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| [INFOCOM] Cutting Tail Latency in Commodity Datacenters with Cloudburst. Virtual Event. | <i>2022.05</i> |
| [ICNP] FlashPass: Proactive Congestion Control for Shallow-buffered WAN. Virtual Event. | <i>2021.11</i> |
| [ICNP] Congestion Control for Cross-Datacenter Networks. Chicago, USA. | <i>2019.10</i> |
| [APNet] Combining ECN and RTT for Datacenter Transport. Hong Kong, China. | <i>2017.08</i> |

Professional Services

- [Reviewer] IEEE/ACM Transactions on Networking (ToN), IEEE INFOCOM, etc.
- [Review Helper] SIGCOMM 2021, NSDI 2021, INFOCOM 2021, CoNEXT 2020, SIGCOMM 2019, etc.

Teaching & Tutoring

- [Teaching Assistant] HKUST FYP: Transport Design for Data Center Networks. *Fall 2019, Spring 2020*
- [Teaching Assistant] HKUST COMP2611: Computer Organization. *Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Spring 2017*

Honors & Awards

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| [Huawei] Gifted Young Award (天才少年计划). | <i>2022</i> |
| [HKUST] Research Postgraduate Scholarship. | <i>2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021</i> |
| [USTC] Graduate of the Talent Program in Computer and Information Science and Technology. | <i>2015</i> |
| [USTC] Outstanding Student Scholarship (top 15% or top 30%). | <i>2012, 2013, 2014</i> |
| [Department of Education, Guangdong] Provincial Soong Ching Ling Scholarship. | <i>2010</i> |

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