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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Machine learning & combinatorial algorithms in electronic design automation (EDA) and computer vision (CV).

EXPERIENCE

Associate Professor, CSE Department	Aug. 2021 – present
Assistant Professor, CSE Department	Aug. 2015 – Aug. 2021
The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong SAR	
Postdoctoral Researcher, ECE Department	Aug. 2014 – July 2015

EDUCATION

University of Texas at Austin, TX, USA	Aug. 2010 – Aug. 2014
Ph.D., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering	
Tsinghua University, Beijing, P.R. China	Sep. 2007 – Jul. 2010
M.S., Department of Computer Science and Technology	
UESTC, Chengdu, P.R. China	Sep. 2003 – Jul. 2007
B.S., Information and Compute Science	

SELECTED AWARDS AND HONORS

Best Paper Award	ICCAD	2024
Best Paper Award	IEEE TSM	2022
Best Paper Award	DATE	2022
Best Paper Award	ICCAD	2021
Best Paper Award	ASPDAC	2021
Best Paper Award	Integration, VLSI Journal	2018
Best Paper Award	ISPD	2017
Best Paper Award	ICCAD	2013
Best Paper Award	ASPDAC	2012
Best Student Paper Award	ICTAI	2019
Best Student Paper Award	SPIE	2016
Best Paper Award Nomination	ICCAD	2024
Best Paper Award Nomination	ISPD	2024
Best Paper Award Nomination	ASPDAC	2023
Best Paper Award Nomination	MLCAD	2022
Best Paper Award Nomination	DATE	2021
Best Paper Award Nomination	ASPDAC	2019
Best Paper Award Nomination	DAC	2014
Best Paper Award Nomination	ASPDAC	2013
Best Paper Award Nomination	ICCAD	2011
Research Fellow Scheme (RFS) Award	RGC	2024
Under-40 Innovator Award	DAC	2024
Distinguished Lecturer	IEEE CEDA	2024
Mid-Career Award	IEEE TCSDM	2022
Ernest S. Kuh Early Career Award	IEEE CEDA	2022
Meritorious Service Award	ACM SIGDA	2021
Outstanding Dissertation Award	EDAA	2014
Outstanding Students Abroad Award	China Scholarship Council	2014
SPIE Scholarship	SPIE	2013
IBM Ph.D. Scholarship	IBM	2012
1st Place Award in CAD Contest	ICCAD	2024
1st Place Award in CAD Contest	ICCAD	2015
2nd Place Award in CAD Contest	ICCAD	2018
2nd Place Award in CAD Contest	ICCAD	2013
2nd Place Award in CAD Contest	ICCAD	2012
3rd Place Award in CAD Contest	ICCAD	2022
3rd Place Award in ISPD Contest	ISPD	2020
3rd Place Award in ISPD Contest	ISPD	2017
2nd Place Award in ICDAR Competition	ICDAR	2021

PUBLICATIONS

Summary: IEEE TCAD (**76**), DAC (**53**), ICCAD (**51**), etc.

Journal Papers

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- [J126] Yuyang Ye, Peng Xu, Lizheng Ren, Tinghuan Chen, Hao Yan, Bei Yu, Longxing Shi, “Learning-driven Physically-aware Large-scale Circuit Gate Sizing”, accepted by IEEE Transactions on Computer-Aided Design of Integrated Circuits and Systems (**TCAD**).
- [J125] Wenqian Zhao, Shuo Yin, Chen Bai, Zixiao Wang, Bei Yu, “[BAQE: Backend-Adaptive DNN Deployment via Synchronous Bayesian Quantization and Hardware Configuration Exploration](#)”, accepted by IEEE Transactions on Computer-Aided Design of Integrated Circuits and Systems (**TCAD**).
- [J124] Hongduo Liu, Peiyu Liao, Mengchuan Zou, Bowen Pang, Xijun Li, Mingxuan Yuan, Tsung-Yi Ho, Bei Yu, “[Layout Decomposition via Boolean Satisfiability](#)”, accepted by IEEE Transactions on Computer-Aided Design of Integrated Circuits and Systems (**TCAD**).
- [J123] Rongliang Fu, Mengmeng Wang, Yirong Kan, Olivia Chen, Nobuyuki Yoshikawa, Bei Yu, Tsung-Yi Ho, “[Buffer and Splitter Insertion for Adiabatic Quantum-Flux-Parametron Circuits](#)”, accepted by IEEE Transactions on Computer-Aided Design of Integrated Circuits and Systems (**TCAD**).
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- [J119] Ziyi Wang, Chen Bai, Zhuolun He, Guangliang Zhang, Qiang Xu, Tsung-Yi Ho, Yu Huang, Bei Yu, “[FGNN2: A Powerful Pre-training Framework for Learning the Logic Functionality of Circuits](#)”, accepted by IEEE Transactions on Computer-Aided Design of Integrated Circuits and Systems (**TCAD**).
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- [J117] Jiequan Cui, Zhisheng Zhong, Zhuotao Tian, Shu Liu, Bei Yu, Jiaya Jia, “[Generalized Parametric Contrastive Learning](#)”, accepted by IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (**TPAMI**).
- [J116] Lei Chen et al., “[Large circuit models: opportunities and challenges](#)”, Science China Information Sciences (**SCIS**), vol. 67, no. 10, 200402, 2024.
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- Associate Editor, Integration, the VLSI Journal, 2016–present.
- Associate Editor, IET Cyber-Physical Systems: Theory & Applications, 2016–2023.

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- IEEE Consumer Electronics Magazine Special Issue on ISVLSI
- IEEE Design & Test Special Issue on Machine Learning for CAD / EDA
- IEEE Transactions on Sustainable Computing (TSUSC) Special Issue on Sustainable Cyber-Physical Systems
- Integration, the VLSI Journal Special Issue on Emerging Technologies for System Level Design and Interconnects.
- Integration, the VLSI Journal Special Issue on ASP-DAC 2017.
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- **Chair**, ACM Student Research Competition at ICCAD, 2018, 2019.
- **Chair**, EDAThon, 2022.
- Assistant Vice President Publicity, IEEE CEDA, 2024–Present.
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- AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2023, 2024, 2025.
- ACM/IEEE Workshop on Machine Learning for CAD (MLCAD), 2019 (TPC Co-Chair), 2020, 2021.
- ACM/IEEE Design Automation Conference (DAC), 2016, 2017, 2018.
- ACM International Symposium on Physical Design (ISPD), 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2023, 2024, 2025.
- ACM Great Lakes Symposium on VLSI (GLSVLSI), 2016, 2017, 2018 (CAD Track Chair).
- IEEE/ACM International Conference On Computer Aided Design (ICCAD), 2016, 2017, 2018, 2024.
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- IEEE/ACM Asia and South Pacific Design Automation Conference (ASPDAC), 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022 (DFM track chair), 2024 (DFM track chair), 2025 (DFM track chair).
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