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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Computer Systems & Networks: Mobile & Embedded Systems, AI Systems, Quantum Control

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Computer Engineering, Princeton University, 2005
M.S. in Electronic Engineering, Tsinghua University, 2000
B.S. in Electronic Engineering with Honors, Tsinghua University, 1998

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Department of Computer Science, Yale University
- Professor: January 2020 to present.

Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering, Rice University
- Professor: July 2016 to December 2019.
- Associate Professor: July 2011 to June 2016.
- Assistant Professor: September 2005 to June 2011.

Microsoft Research, Redmond
- Visiting Researcher: Summer 2011, March to December 2012, and October 2019 to August 2020.
- Research Intern, Summer 2004 and Summer 2005.

NEC Labs, America, Princeton, NJ
- Summer Research Intern, 2003.

Department of Electrical Engineering, Princeton University
- Graduate Research Assistant: Fall 2000 to Spring 2005.

HONORS & AWARDS

- NDSS Distinguished Paper Award, 2025
- IEEE QCE, Best Paper Award (Quantum Systems Software Track), First Place, 2023
- ACM SIGMOBILE Test-of-Time Award, 2022
- Distinguished Paper Finalist, NDSS Symposium 2019
- ACM SIGMOBILE RockStar Award, 2014
- Charles Duncan Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement (Rice University), 2014
- Best Paper Award, ACM MobiSys, 2011, 2013, and 2014
- Best Paper Award, ACM ASPLOS 2014
- Best Paper Award, ACM PhoneSense Workshop, 2011
- National Science Foundation CAREER Award, 2011
- Brown Teaching Award, 2010
- Best Demo/Poster Award, ACM HotMobile, 2010
- Outstanding Faculty Associate, Jones College 2009
- Mark Weiser Best Paper Award, IEEE PerCom 2009
- Best Paper Award, ACM MobileHCI, 2007
- One of the 30 most influential papers published in the first decade of *IEEE Design Automation & Test in Europe Conference* (DATE), 2007

- Harold W. Dodds Honorific Fellowship, Princeton University, 2004-2005
- AT&T Asian Pacific Leadership Award, 2000

PUBLICATIONS

Preprints

- Namitha Liyanage, Yue Wu, Emmet Houghton, and Lin Zhong, "Network-integrated decoding system for real-time quantum error correction with lattice surgery," arXiv, April 2025.
- Zhiyao Ma, Caihua Li, and Lin Zhong, "MappedTrace: Tracing pointer remotely with compiler-generated maps", arXiv, January 2025.
- Ramla Ijaz, Kevin Boos, and Lin Zhong, "Combining type checking and formal verification for lightweight OS correctness", arXiv, December 2024.
- Neiwen Ling, Guojun Chen, and Lin Zhong, "TimelyLLM: Segmented LLM serving system for time-sensitive robotic applications," arXiv, December 2024.
- In Gim, Seung-seob Lee, and Lin Zhong, "Asynchronous LLM function calling," arXiv, December 2024.
- In Gim, Caihua Li, and Lin Zhong, "Confidential Prompting: Protecting user prompts from Cloud LLM providers," arXiv, October 2024.

Refereed Conference & Workshop Proceedings

1. Zhiyao Ma, Guojun Chen, Zhuo Chen, and Lin Zhong, "Hopter: a safe, robust, and responsive embedded operating system," to appear in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Mobile Systems, Applications and Services* (*MobiSys*), June 2025.

2. In Gim and Lin Zhong, "Serve programs, not prompts," in Proc. *ACM HotOS*, May 2025.

3. Yue Wu, Namitha Liyanage, and Lin Zhong, "Micro Blossom: Accelerated Minimum-Weight Perfect Matching decoding for quantum error correction," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Architectural Support for Programming Languages and Operating Systems* (*ASPLOS*), March 2025.

4. Parthiban Annamalai, Minsung Kim, Anurag Khandelwal, and Lin Zhong, "Exploring intelligent dynamic resource provisioning for elastic massive MIMO vRAN," in *Proc. ACM Int. Workshop on Mobile Computing Systems and Applications* (*HotMobile*), February 2025.

5. Caihua Li, Seung-seob Lee, and Lin Zhong, "Blindfold: Confidential memory management by untrusted operating system", in *Proc. of Network and Distributed System Security Symposium* (*NDSS*), February 2025. (arXiv, December 2024) (Source code) (***Distinguished Paper Award***)

6. In Gim, Guojun Chen, Seung-Seob Lee, Nikhil Sarda, Anurag Khandelwal, and Lin Zhong, "Prompt Cache: Modular attention reuse for low-latency inference," in *Proc. Conf. Machine Learning and Systems* (*MLSys*), May 2024. (arXiv, November, 2023.) (impact: Anthropic, Google, and OpenAI)

7. Zhiyao Ma, Sam Detor, and Lin Zhong, "Offloading operating system functions to the cloud," in *Proc. ACM International Workshop on Mobile Computing Systems and Applications* (*HotMobile*), February 2024.

8. Ramla Ijaz, Kevin Boos, and Lin Zhong, "Leveraging Rust for lightweight OS correctness", in *Proc. ACM Wrkshp. Kernel Isolation, Safety & Verification* (KISV), October 2023.

9. Zhiyao Ma, Guojun Chen, and Lin Zhong,"Panic recovery in Rust-based embedded systems," in *Proc. ACM Wrkshp. Programming Language & Operating System* (PLOS), October 2023.

10. Yue Wu and Lin Zhong, "Fusion Blossom: fast MWPM decoders for QEC," *Proc. IEEE Int. Conf. Quantum Computing & Engineering* (QCE), September 2023 (***Best Paper, 1st Place, Quantum Systems Software Track***)

11. Namitha Liyanage, Yue Wu, Alexander Deters, and Lin Zhong, "Scalable Quantum Error Correction for Surface Codes using FPGA," in *Proc. IEEE Int. Conf. Quantum Computing & Engineering* (*QCE*), September 2023.

12. Zhiyao Ma and Lin Zhong, "Bringing segmented stacks to embedded systems," in *Proc. ACM International Workshop on Mobile Computing Systems and Applications* (*HotMobile*), February 2023.

13. Seung-seob Lee, Yanpeng Yu, Yupeng Tang, Anurag Khandelwal, Lin Zhong and Abhishek Bhattacharjee, "MIND: in-network memory management for disaggregated data centers," in *Proc. ACM Symp. Operating Systems Principles* (*SOSP*), October 2021.

14. Guojun Chen, Noah Weiner, and Lin Zhong, "POD: a smartphone that flies," in *Proc. ACM Wrkp. Micro Aerial Vehicle Networks, Systems, and Applications* (*DroNet*), June 2021.

15. Jian Ding, Rahman Doost-Mohammady, Anuj Kalia, and Lin Zhong, "Agora: real-time massive MIMO baseband in software" in P*roc. ACM Int. Conf. emerging Networking EXperiments and Technologies* (*CoNEXT*), December 2020.

16. Kevin Boos, Namitha Liyanage, Ramla Ijaz, and Lin Zhong, "Theseus: an experiment in operating system structure and state management," in *Proc. USENIX Symposium on Operating Systems Design and Implementation* (*OSDI*), November 2020.

17. Clayton Shepard, Josh Blum, Ryan E. Guerra, Rahman Doost-Mohammady, and Lin Zhong, "Design and implementation of scalable massive-MIMO networks," in *Proc. International Workshop on Open Software Defined Wireless Networks* (*OpenWireless*), June 2020.

18. Sicong Liu, Junzhao Du, Anshumali Shrivastava, and Lin Zhong, "Privacy adversarial network: representation learning for mobile data privacy," in *Proc. of ACM Interact. Mob. Wearable Ubiquitous Technol.* (*UbiComp*), December 2019.

19. Min Hong Yun and Lin Zhong, "Ginseng: Keeping secrets in registers when you distrust the operating system," in *Proc. of Network and Distributed System Security Symposium* (*NDSS*), February 2019. (***Distinguished Paper Finalist***)

20. Wenqiu Yu and Lin Zhong,"Order matters for accounting idempotent resources," in *Proc. ACM SIGOPS Asia-Pacific Workshop on Systems (APSys)*, August 2018.

21. Clayton Shepard, Rahman Doost-Mohammady, Jian Ding, Ryan Guerra, and Lin Zhong, "ArgosNet: a multi-cell many-antenna MU-MIMO platform," in *Proc. of IEEE Asilomar Conference,* November 2017.

22. Kevin Boos and Lin Zhong, "Theseus: a state spill-free operating system," in *Proc. ACM PLOS Workshop*, October 2017.

23. Kevin Boos, Emillio Del Vecchio, and Lin Zhong, "A characterization of state spill in modern operating systems," in *Proc. ACM EuroSys Conference*, April 2017.

24. Min Hong Yun, Songtao He, and Lin Zhong, "Reducing latency by eliminating synchrony," in *Proc. the World Wide Web Conference (WWW)*, April 2017.

25. Clayton Shepard, Jian Ding, Ryan E. Guerra, and Lin Zhong, "Understanding real many-antenna MU-MIMO channels," in *Proc. of IEEE Asilomar Conference*, November 2016.

26. Robert LiKamWa, Yunhui Hou, Julian Gao, Mia Polansky, and Lin Zhong, "RedEye: Analog ConvNet image sensor architecture for continuous mobile vision," in *Proc. ACM/IEEE Int. Symp. Computer Architecture* (*ISCA*), June 2016.

27. Clayton Shepard, Abeer Javed, and Lin Zhong, "Control channel design for many-antenna MU-MIMO," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Mobile Computing and Networking* (*MobiCom*), September 2015.

28. Kevin A. Boos, Ardalan Amiri Sani, and Lin Zhong, "Eliminating state entanglement with checkpoint-based virtualization of mobile OS services," in *Proc. ACM SIGOPS Asia-Pacific Workshop on Systems* (*APSys*), July 2015

29. Robert LiKamWa and Lin Zhong,"Starfish: efficient concurrency support for computer vision applications," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Mobile Systems, Applications and Services (MobiSys)*, May 2015.

30. Chao Xu, Xiaozhu Lin, Yuyang Wang, and Lin Zhong, "Automated OS-level device runtime power management," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Architectural Support for Programming Languages and Operating Systems* (*ASPLOS*), March 2015.

31. Hang Yu, Oscar Bejarano, and Lin Zhong, "Combating inter-cell interference in 802.11ac-based multi-user MIMO networks," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Mobile Computing and Networking* (*MobiCom*), September 2014.

32. Mian Dong, Tian Lan, and Lin Zhong, "Rethink energy accounting with multi-player game theory," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Mobile Computing and Networking* (*MobiCom*), September 2014.

33. Chao Xu, Xiaozhu Lin, and Lin Zhong, "Device drivers should not do power management," in *Proc. ACM SIGOPS Asia-Pacific Workshop on Systems* (*APSys*), June 2014.

34. Robert LiKamWa, Zhen Wang, Aaron Carroll, Xiaozhu Lin, and Lin Zhong, "Draining our Glass: an energy and heat characterization of Google Glass," in *Proc. ACM SIGOPS Asia-Pacific Workshop on Systems* (*APSys*), June 2014.

35. Ardalan Amiri Sani, Kevin Boos, Min Hong Yun, and Lin Zhong, "Rio: A system solution for sharing I/O between mobile systems," *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Mobile Systems, Applications and Services* (*MobiSys*), June 2014. (***Received Best Paper Award***)

36. Ardalan Amiri Sani, Kevin Boos, Shaopu Qin, and Lin Zhong, "I/O paravirtualization at the device file boundary," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Architectural Support for Programming Languages and Operating Systems* (*ASPLOS*), March 2014.

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40. Clayton Shepard, Narendra Anand, and Lin Zhong, "Practical performance of MU-MIMO precoding in many-antenna base stations," in *Proc. ACM CellNet Workshop* (collocated with MobiSys), June 2013.

41. Xiaozhu Lin, Zhen Wang, and Lin Zhong, "Supporting distributed execution of smartphone workloads on loosely coupled heterogeneous processors," in *Proc. Wrkshp. Power-Aware Computing and Systems* (*HotPower*), October 2012.

42. Ahmad Rahmati, Chad Tossell, Clayton Shepard, Phil Kortum, and Lin Zhong, "Exploring iPhone usage: the influence of socioeconomic differeces on smartphone adoption, usage and usability," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Human Computer Interaction with Mobile Devices and Services* (*MobileHCI*), September 2012.

43. Clayton Shepard, Hang Yu, Narendra Anand, Li Erran Li, Tom Marzetta, Yang Richard Yang, and Lin Zhong, "Argos: practical base stations with many antennas," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Mobile Computing and Networking* (*MobiCom*), August 2012.

44. Chad Tossell, Phil Kortum, Ahmad Rahmati, Clayton Shepard, and Lin Zhong, "Characterizing web use on smartphones," in *Proc. ACM SIGCHI Conf. Human Factors in Computing Systems* (*CHI*), May 2012.

45. Zhen Wang, Felix Xiaozhu Lin, Lin Zhong, and Mansoor Chishtie, "How far can client-only solutions go for mobile browser speed?" in *Proc. the World Wide Web Conference* (*WWW*), April 2012.

46. Ning Ding, A. Pathak, D. Koutsonikolas, C. Shepard, Y. C. Hu, and Lin Zhong, "Realizing the full potential of PSM using proxying," in *Proc. IEEE INFOCOM Mini-Symposium*, March 2012

47. Xiaozhu Lin, Zhen Wang, Robert LiKamWa, and Lin Zhong, "Using low-power processors in smartphones without knowing them," in *Proc. Int. Conf. Architectural Support for Programming Languages and Operating Systems* (*ASPLOS*), March 2012.

48. Robert LiKamWa, Yunxin Liu, Nicholas D. Lane, and Lin Zhong, "Can your smartphone infer your mood?" in *Proc. ACM Workshop on Sensing Applications on Mobile Phones* (*PhoneSense*), co-located with ACM SenSys, November 2011. (received ***Best Paper Award***)

49. Hang Yu, Lin Zhong, Ashutosh Sabharwal, and David Kao, "Beamforming on mobile devices: a first study," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Mobile Computing and Networking* (*MobiCom*), September 2011.

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51. Dong Mian and Lin Zhong, "Chameleon: a color-adaptive web browser for mobile OLED displays," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Mobile Systems, Applications, and Services* (*MobiSys*), June 2011 (**received Best Paper Award**)

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53. Xuan Bao, Trevor Narayan, Ardalan Amiri Sani, Wolfgang Richter, Romit Roy Choudhury, Lin Zhong, and Mahadev Satyanarayanan, "The case for context-aware compression," to appear in *Proc. ACM Int. Workshop on Mobile Computing Systems and Applications* (*HotMobile*), March 2011.

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56. Chad Tossel, Phillip Kortum, Clayton Shepard, Ahmad Rahmati, and Lin Zhong, "Assessing the performance of common tasks on handheld mobile computers," in *Proc. Human Factors and Ergonomics Society* (*HFES*), September 2010.

57. Ardalan Amiri Sani, Lin Zhong, and Ashutosh Sabharwal, "Directional antenna diversity for mobile devices: characterizations and solutions," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Mobile Computing and Networking* (*MobiCom*), September 2010.

58. Ardalan Amiri Sani, Hasan Dumanli, Lin Zhong, and Ashutosh Sabharwal, "Power-efficient directional wireless communication on small form-factor mobile devices, " *in Proc. ACM/IEEE Int. Symp. Low Power Electronics and Design* (*ISLPED*), August 2010.

59. Clay Shepard, Ahmad Rahmati, Chad Tossel, Lin Zhong, and Phil Kortum, "LiveLab: measuring wireless networks and smartphone users in the field," in *Proc. Workshop on Hot Topics in Measurement & Modeling of Computer Systems* (*HotMetrics*), June 2010.

60. Ahmad Rahmati, Lin Zhong, Jehan Wickramasuriya, and Venu Vasudevan, and Daniel Stewart, "Enabling pervasive mobile applications with the FM radio broadcast data system," in *Proc. ACM Int. Workshop on Mobile Computing Systems and Applications* (*HotMobile*), February 2010.

61. Hang Yu, Lin Zhong, and Ashutosh Sabharwal, "Adaptive RF chain management for energy-efficient spatial-multiplexing MIMO transmission," in *Proc. ACM/IEEE Int. Symp. Low Power Electronics and Design* (*ISLPED*), August 2009.

62. Jiayang Liu, Lin Zhong, Jehan Wickramasuriya, and Venu Vasudevan, "User evaluation of lightweight user authentication with a single tri-axis accelerometer," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Human Computer Interaction with Mobile Devices and Services* (*MobileHCI*), September 2009.

63. Xiaoming Chen, Zhendong Zhao, Ahmad Rahmati, Ye Wang, and Lin Zhong, "Sensor-assisted motion estimation for efficient H.264/AVC video encoding," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Multimedia*, October 2009.

64. Xiaohan Ma, Mian Dong, Lin Zhong, and Zhigang Deng, "Statistical power consumption analysis and modeling for GPU-based computing," in *Proc. ACM Wrkshp. Power Aware Computing and Systems* (*HotPower*), Co-located with SOSP, October 2009.

65. Mian Dong, Kevin Choi, and Lin Zhong, "Power-saving color transformation of mobile graphical user interfaces on OLED-based displays," in *Proc. ACM/IEEE Int. Symp. Low Power Electronics and Design* (*ISLPED*), August 2009.

66. Mian Dong, Kevin Choi, and Lin Zhong, "Power modeling of graphical user interfaces on OLED displays," in *Proc. ACM/IEEE Design Automation Conf.* (*DAC*), July 2009.

67. Yunxin Liu, Ahmad Rahmati, Yuanhe Huang, Hyukjae Jang, Lin Zhong, and Yongguang Zhang, "xShare: supporting impromptu sharing of mobile phones," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Mobile Systems, Applications, and Services* (*MobiSys*), June 2009.

68. Stephen So, Ardalan Amiri Sani , Lin Zhong, Frank Tittel ,and Gerard Wysocki, "Laser spectroscopic trace-gas sensor networks for atmospheric monitoring applications," in *Proc. IPSN Wrkshp. Sensor Networks for Earth and Space Science Applications* (*ESSA*), April 2009.

69. Husheng Li, Lin Zhong, and Kun Zheng, "Drowsy transmission: physical layer energy optimization for transmitting random packet traffic," in *Proc. IEEE Conf. Computer Communications* (*INFOCOM*), April 2009.

70. Jiayang Liu, Zhen Wang, Lin Zhong, Jehan Wickramasuriya, and Venu Vasudevan, "uWave: Accelerometer-based personalized gesture recognition and its applications," in *Proc. IEEE Int. Conf. Pervasive Computing and Communication* (*PerCom*)*,* March 2009. (**received the Mark Weiser Best Paper Award**)

71. Ahmad Rahmati*, Clayton Shepard*, and Lin Zhong, "NoShake: Content stablization for shaking screens of mobile devices," in *Proc. IEEE Int. Conf. Pervasive Computing and Communication* (*PerCom*)*,* March 2009. (*Equal contribution)

72. Guangming Hong, Ahamd Rahmati, Ye Wang, and Lin Zhong, "SenseCoding: Acceleration-assisted motion estimation for efficient video encoding," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Multimedia*, October 2008.

73. Mian Dong and Lin Zhong, "Challenges to crossbar integration of nanoscale two-terminal symmetric memory devices," in *Proc. IEEE Int. Conf. Nanotechnology*, August 2008.

74. Jiayang Liu and Lin Zhong, "Micro power management of active 802.11 interfaces," in Proc. *ACM/ USENIX Int. Conf. Mobile Systems, Applications, and Services* (*MobiSys*)*,* June 2008.

75. Mian Dong and Lin Zhong, "Logic synthesis with nanowire crossbar: Reality check and standard cell-based integration," in *Proc. IEEE Design Automation & Test in Europe Conf* (*DATE*), March 2008.

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84. Lin Zhong, Bin Wei, and Mike Sinclair, "SMERT: Energy-efficient design of a multimedia messaging system for mobile devices," in Proc. *ACM/IEEE Design Automation Conf.* (*DAC*), July, 2006.

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91. Yunsi Fei, Lin Zhong, and Niraj K. Jha, "An energy-aware framework for coordinated dynamic software management in mobile computers," in Proc. *IEEE/ACM Int. Symp. on Modeling, Analysis, and Simulation of Computer & Telecommunication Systems* (*MASCOTS*), Oct. 2004.

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- Member, CS Faculty Search Committee 2023, 2025
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- Chair, Faculty Search Committee, 2015 and 2016
- Chair, Computer Engineering Undergraduate Curriculum Committee 2013
- Member, ECE Department Visibility Committee 2005-2006, 2014-Present
- Member, ECE Department Graduate Committee 2006-2007
- Member, ECE Department Undergraduate Committee, 2007-Present
- Member, ECE Department Faculty Search Committee, 2009-2012
- Faculty Associate, Hanszen College 2005-2008
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- Member, University Committee on Examinations and Standing, 2016-Present

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

- Steering Committee member: ACM MobiSys
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