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Education

9/2008-11/2009 Ph.D in Machine Learning Department, School of Computer Science, Carnegie Mellon University (Advisor: Prof. Christos Faloutsos)
 9/2005-9/2008 M. Sci. in Machine Learning Department, School of Computer Science, Carnegie Mellon University (Advisor: Prof. Christos Faloutsos)
 9/2002-7/2005 M. Eng. in Pattern Recognition and Intelligent System, Tsinghua University (Advisor: Prof. Chongrong Li)
 9/1998-7/2002 B. Eng. in Automation Technology, Tsinghua University

Publications

Book Chapter

1. *Hanghang Tong*, Yehude Koren, and Christos Faloutsos. Direction-Aware Proximity on Graphs. Book chapter in Encyclopedia of Data Warehousing and Mining (2nd edition)

Refereed Journal Publications

- Hanghang Tong, Spiros Papadimitriou, Philip S. Yu and Christos Faloutsos. Fast Monitoring Proximity and Centrality on Time-Evolving Bipartite Graphs. SAM Special Issue on Best of SDM08
- 2. *Hanghang Tong*, Christos Faloutsos, and Jia-Yu Pan. Random Walk with Restart: Fast Solutions and Applications. Knowledge and Information Systems: An International Journal (KAIS), Volume 14 Number 3/ March 2008, pp327-346.
- 3. *Hanghang Tong*, Jingrui He, Mingjing Li, Wei-Ying Ma, Hong-Jiang Zhang, Changshui Zhang. Manifold-Ranking Based Keyword Propagation for Image Retrieval. EURASIP Journal on Applied Signal Processing, vol. 2006, Article ID 79412, 10 pages, 2006. doi:10.1155/ASP/2006/79412.
- 4. Jingrui He, Mingjing Li, Hong-Jiang Zhang, *Hanghang Tong* and Changshui zhang. Generalized Manifold-Ranking Based Image Retrieval. IEEE Transaction on Image Processing. volume 15, issue 10: pp.3170-3177, 2006

Refereed Conference Publications

- 1. *Hanghang Tong*, Huiming Qu, Hani Jamjoom, and Christos Faloutsos. iPoG: Fast Interactive Querying on Graphs. CIKM 2009
- 2. Kensuke Onuma, *Hanghang Tong*, Christos Faloutsos: TANGENT: a novel, 'Surprise me', recommendation algorithm. KDD 2009: 657-666 (*research track, short paper, Acceptance Rate*: 20%)
- 3. *Hanghang Tong*, Huiming Qu, and Hani Jamjoom. Measuring Proximity on Graphs with Side Information. ICDM 2008 (*full paper, Acceptance Rate: 10%*)
- 4. *Hanghang Tong*, Yasushi Sakurai, Tina Eliassi-Rad, Christos Faloutsos. Fast Mining of Complex Time-Stamped Events. CIKM 2008 (*full paper, Acceptance Rate: 17%*)
- 5. Hanghang Tong, Spiros Papadimitriou, Jimeng Sun, Philip Yu, and Christos

- Faloutsos.Colibri: Fast Mining of Large Static and Dynamic Graphs. KDD 2008 (research track, short presentation)
- 6. Brian Gallagher, *Hanghang Tong*, Tina Eliassi-Rad, Christos Faloutsos. Using Ghost Edges for Classification in Sparsely Labeled Networks. KDD 2008 (*research track, full presentation, Acceptance Rate: 10%*)
- 7. *Hanghang Tong*, Spiros Papadimitriou, Philip S. Yu and Christos Faloutsos. Proximity Tracking on Time-Evolving Bipartite Graphs. SDM 2008 (full paper, Acceptance Rate: 14%)

[won Best Paper Award]

- 8. *Hanghang Tong* Yehude Koren, and Christos Faloutsos. Fast Direction-Aware Proximity for Graph Mining. KDD2007 (research track, full paper, Acceptance Rate: <8%)
- 9. Hanghang Tong Brian Gallagher, Christos Faloutsos, and Tina Eliassi-Rad. Fast Best-Effort Pattern Match in Large Attributed Graphs. KDD2007 (research track, short paper, Acceptance Rate: 19%)
- 10. Hanghang Tong and Christos Faloutsos. Center-Piece Subgraphs: Problem Definition and Fast Solutions. KDD 2006 (Full paper, Acceptance Rate: 11%)
- 11. Hanghang Tong, Christos Faloutsos and Jia-Yu Pan. Fast Random Walk with Restarts and Its Applications. ICDM 2006 (Full paper, Acceptance Rate: 10%),

[won Best Research Paper Award]

- 12. *Hanghang Tong*, Jingrui He, Mingjing Li, Changshui Zhang, Wei-Ying Ma. Graph based multi-modality learning. ACM Multimedia 2005: 862-871 (*Full paper, Acceptance Rate:* 16%)
- 13. Hanghang Tong, Jingrui He, Mingjing Li, Hong-Jiang Zhang, Changshui Zhang. A Unified Optimization Based Learning Method for Image Retrieval, CVPR2005 (Acceptance Rate: 22%)
- *14. Hanghang Tong*, Mingjing Li, Hong-Jiang Zhang, Changshui Zhang, Jingrui He. Learning No-Reference Quality Metric by Examples. The 11th International Multi-Media Modelling Conferene (MMM 2005).
- 15. Jingrui He, Changshui Zhang, Nanyuan Zhao and Hanghang Tong. Boosting Web Image Search by Co-Ranking. International Conference on Acoustics, Speech, and Signal Processing 2005 (ICASSP 2005)
- 16. *Hanghang Tong*, Chongrong Li, Jingrui He. Internet Traffic Prediction by W-Boost: Classification and Regression Proc. ISNN (3) 2005: 397-402
- 17. *Hanghang Tong*, Chongrong Li, Jingrui He, Jiajian Chen, Quang-Anh Tran, Hai-Xin Duan, Xing Li: Anomaly Internet Network Traffic Detection by Kernel Principle Component Classifier. ISNN (3) 2005: 476-481
- 18. *Hanghang Tong*, Mingjing Li, Hong-Jiang Zhang, Jingrui He and Changshui Zhang. Classification of Digital Photos Taken by Photographers or Home Users. 2004 Pacific-Rim Conference on Multimedia (PCM2004).
- Hanghang Tong, Mingjing Li, Hong-Jiang Zhang, Changshui Zhang. No Reference Quality Assessment for JPEG2000 Compressed Images. International Conference on Image Processing 2004 (ICIP 2004).
- 20. *Hanghang Tong*, Mingjing Li, Hong-Jiang Zhang, Changshui Zhang. Blur Detection for Digital Images Using Wavelet Transform. International Conference on Multimedia and

- Expo 2004 (ICME 2004).
- 21. *Hanghang Tong*, Chongrong Li, Jingrui He. Boosting Feed-Forward Neural Network for Internet Traffic Prediction. The Third International Conference on Machine Learning and Cybernetics (ICMLC 2004).
- 22. *Hanghang Tong*, Chongrong Li, Jingrui He. A Boosting-based Framework for Self-similar and Non-linear Internet Traffic Prediction. International Symposium on Neural Network 2004 (ISNN2004).
- 23. Jingrui He, Mingjing Li, Hong-Jiang Zhang, *Hanghang Tong*, Changshui Zhang. Manifold-Ranking Based Image Retrieval. ACM Int. Conf. on Multimedia 2004 (*Full paper, Acceptance Rate: 17%*)
- 24. Jingrui He, Mingjing Li, Hong-Jiang Zhang, *Hanghang Tong*, and Changshui Zhang. Pseudo Relevance Feedback Based on Iterative Probabilistic One-Class SVMs in Web Image Retrieval. Proc. Pacific-Rim Conference on Multimedia (PCM), 2004.
- 25. Jingrui He, Mingjing Li, Hong-Jiang Zhang, *Hanghang Tong*, and Changshui Zhang. Automatic Peak Number Detection in Image Symmetry Analysis. Proc. Pacific-Rim Conference on Multimedia (PCM), 2004

Tutorials

- 1. Christos Faloutsos, *Hanghang Tong*. Large Graph Mining: Patterns, Tools, and Case Studies. CIKM 2008, full day tutorial.
- 2. Christos Faloutsos, *Hanghang Tong*. Large Graph Mining: Patterns, Tools, and Case Studies. ICDE 2008.

Demos in Conferences

- Duen Horng Chau, Aniket Kittur, *Hanghang Tong*, Christos Faloutsos, and Jason I. Hong. SHIFTR: A Fast and Scalable System for Ad Hoc Sensemaking of Large Graphs. KDD 2009
- Duen Horng Chau, Christos Faloutsos, *Hanghang Tong*, Jason Hong, Brian Gallagher, and Tina Eliassi-Rad. GRAPHITE: A Visual Query System for Large Graphs. ICDM 2008
- 3. José Fernando Rodrigues Jr., *Hanghang Tong*, Agma J. M. Traina, Christos Faloutsos, Jure Leskovec: Gmine: A System for Scalable, Interactive Graph Visualization and Mining. VLDB 2006: 1195-1198

Tech Reports

- 1. Hanghang Tong, B. Aditya Prakash, Charalampos Tsourakakis, Tina Eliassi-Rad, Christos Faloutsos, and Duen Horng Chau. BridgeFind: Fast Detection of Top-k Bridges in Large Graphs. Lawrence Livermore Technical Report, LLNL-TR-414449, July 2009.
- 2. *Hanghang Tong*, Christos Faloutsos, and Jia-Yu Pan. Fast Random Walk with Restart and Its Application. CMU-ML-06-109
- 3. *Hanghang Tong* and Christos Faloutsos. Center-Piece Subgraphs: Problem Definition and Fast Solutions. CMU-ML-06-102

Workshop Publications

 Jingrui He, *Hanghang Tong*, Spiros Papadimitriou, Tina Eliassi-Rad, Christos Faloutsos, and Jaime Carbonell. PaCK: Scalable Parameter-Free Clustering on K-Partite Graphs. SDM 2009 Workshop on Link Analysis, Counterterrorism and Security, Reno, NV, May 2009.

2. Jingrui He, *Hanghang Tong*, Mingjing Li, Wei-Ying Ma and Changshui Zhang. Multiple random walk and its application in content-based image retrieval. ACM Multimedia 2005 workshop on Multimedia information retrieval: 151-158.

Publications in Chinese

- 1. Nan Zhu, Chongrong Li, Yalei Wang and Hanghang Tong. Hierarchical Periodic Broadcasting Stratagem and Resource Allocation. Journal of Huangzhong University of Science and Technology (Nature Science), vol 31, 2003.10.
- 2. Rongrong Tong and *Hanghang Tong*. Tele-Immersion and its Application to Distance Learning. Global Chinese Conference on Computer in Education (GCCCE2003).
- 3. *Hanghang Tong*, Ling Wang, and Jingrui He. Reference Point-Based Near Insertion Approach and Its Improvement for Traveling Salesman Problem. Computers Engineering and Applications.

Academic Honors (Selected)

2008	SDM 2008 Best Paper Award
2006	ICDM 2006 Best Research Paper Award
2005	Nominated as 'Rising Academic Star' in Tsinghua Univeristy
	(1%, the only one who is a master candidate)
2005	Excellent thesis (2%)
2004	Tsinghua-Lianxin Fellowship for Excellent Student (top grade 1%)
2003	Tsnghua-Guanghua Fellowship for Excellent Student (second grade)
2000	Tsinghua Fellowship for Excellent Student (third grade)

Working Experience

6/2008-9/2008	Intern in Operation Insight Group, IBM T.J. Watson Labs Mentor: Huiming Qu; Manager: Hani Jamjoom
	(Led to 2 paper and 2 patents pending)
5/2006-7/2006	Intern in Information Visualization Group, AT&T Shannon Labs
	Mentor: Yehuda Koren; Manager: Stephen C. North
	(Led to 1 paper, 1 book chapter and 1 patent pending)
7/2004-7/2005	Intern in Web Search and Mining Group, Microsoft Research Asia
	Mentor: Mingjing Li; Manager: Wei-Ying Ma
	(Led to 5 papers)
7/2003-7/2004	Intern in Media Computing Group, Microsoft Research Asia
	Mentor: Mingjing Li; Manager: Hong-Jiang Zhang
	(Led to 2 papers)

Funding Experience

2009	Co-PI in a NSF proposal pending, Proposal No. 1017415: III:Small: Influence
	and Virus Propagation in Large Graphs - Theory and Algorithms, \$499K.
2/2009-9/2009	Helped in a successful proposal for a Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory,
	Contract No. B580840: Trend and Anomaly Detection in Network Traffic, \$100K.
2/2008-9/2009	Helped in a successful proposal Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory
	(LLNL) grant, Contract No. B579447: Mining Large Time-Evolving Graphs,

\$50K

3/2007-9/2008 Helped in a successful proposal for Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

(LLNL), Contract No. B573265: Mining Large Time-Evolving Graphs, \$90K

2006-2007 Helped in a successful proposal for a Yahoo! Research Alliance gift: Analysis

and Mining of the Query and Answer System of Yahoo, \$75K

Teaching Experience (TA)

Fall, 2008 Machine Learning

Spring, 2008 Multimedia Databases and Data Mining

Service Experience

2010 PC Member of KDD 2010

2009 PC Member of PKDD 2009; PC Member of CNIKM'09.

2009 Admission Committee, Machine Learning Department, CMU.2008 Admission Committee, Machine Learning Department, CMU.

References

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