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Education

University of Southern California: Los Angeles, CA, USA

5/2015 **Doctor of Philosophy** in Computer Science

Dissertation: Proactive Detection of Higher-Order Software Design Conflicts

Advisor: Prof. Nenad Medvidovic

University of Southern California: Los Angeles, CA, USA

5/2010 **Master of Science** in Computer Science

Soongsil University: Seoul, Republic of Korea

6/2008 **Bachelor of Engineering** in Computer Science

Work History

Quandary Peak Research: Los Angeles, CA, USA

3/2019 – present **Computer Scientist**: Responsible for conducting research in software analysis, design comparison, quality evaluation, reverse-engineering, cost estimation, and failure investigation for software-related litigation, including patent and copyright infringement, theft of trade secrets, breach-of-contract, and other matters.

Kakao Corporation: Seongnam-si, Gyeonggi-do, Republic of Korea

6/2015 – 2/2019 **Software Engineer / Researcher**: Designed and implemented the user identity platform used by over 100 million users of Kakao services such as KakaoTalk the messaging app. Responsible systems including:

- Kakao Account: user authentication system for all Kakao services
- Biz Account: authentication system for Kakao's business partners
- The anti-abuser and anti-spammer system
- The personal information protection system

University of Southern California: Los Angeles, CA, USA

5/2009 – 5/2015 **Research Assistant**: Led the collaborative software design research as the primary scientist, publishing 7 first-authored academic papers and submitting one US patent application as a result. Also played a major role in the reliability of large-scale distributed software systems research and the data security in the Android platform research at USC.

University of Southern California: Los Angeles, CA, USA
1/2014 – 12/2014 **Teaching Assistant** (USC CSCI 578: Software Architecture)
Infosys Limited: Bangalore, Karnataka, India
6/2012 – 8/2012 **Graduate Research Intern**: Conducted a large-scale empirical study as
a member of Infosys Labs on collaborative software design by surveying
and interviewing practicing software architects at Infosys.

Technical Vetting / Due Diligence Consulting

Startup Investment (Confidential) 6/2020 – present
Technologies: Smartphone Operating Systems and User Interface

Litigation Consulting

Revitch v. New Moosejaw, LLC, et al. 8/2020 – present
Jurisdiction: District Court, Northern District of California
Counsel: Bursor & Fisher, P.A.
Nature of Suit: Corporate Civil Suit
The Hertz Corp. v. Accenture, LLP 7/2019 – present
Jurisdiction: District Court, Southern District of New York
Counsel: Wiggin and Dana, LLP
Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract
Farmobile, LLC v. Farmers Edge Inc. 4/2019 – present
Jurisdiction: Federal Court of Canada
Counsel: Gowling WLG (Canada) LLP
Nature of Suit: Patent
OnSors, LLC v. Sabrina Schueppel dba NuMe, ABV Group, Inc., et al. 3/2019 – 9/2019
Jurisdiction: Superior Court of the State of California
Counsel: Ulich Balmuth Fisher, LLP
Nature of Suit: Breach of Contract

Patents

1. US Patent Application US-2019-0349756-A1, SEALANT: Security for End-Users of Android via Light-Weight Analysis Techniques, published on November 14th, 2019.
2. US Patent Application US-2012-0089960-A1, Extensible Collaborative Software Modeling, published on April 14th, 2012.

Publications

Journal Papers

1. Jae young Bang, Yuriy Brun, and Nenad Medvidovic. "Collaborative Design Conflicts: Costs and Solutions." *IEEE Software*, vol. 35, no. 6, November/December 2018, pp. 25–31
2. Yuriy Brun, Jae young Bang, George Edwards, and Nenad Medvidovic. "Self-Adapting Reliability in Distributed Software Systems." *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering (TSE)*, 2015

Conference Papers

1. Jae young Bang, Yuriy Brun, and Nenad Medvidovic. "Continuous Analysis of Collaborative Design." *In proceedings of the IEEE International Conference on Software Architecture (ICSA17)*, Gothenburg, Sweden, April 2017. **Best Paper Award.**
2. Youn Kyu Lee, Jae young Bang, Gholamreza Safi, Arman Shahbazian, Yixue Zhao, and Nenad Medvidovic. "A SEALANT for Inter-App Security Holes in Android." *In proceedings of the 39th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE17)*, Buenos Aires, Argentina, May 2017.
3. Jae young Bang and Nenad Medvidovic. "Proactive Conflict Detection of Higher-Order Software Design Conflicts." *In proceedings of the 12th Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture (WICSA15)*, Montreal, Quebec, Canada, May 2015.
4. Youn Kyu Lee, Jae young Bang, Joshua Garcia, and Nenad Medvidovic. "ViVA: A Visualization and Analysis Tool for Distributed Event-Based Systems." *In proceedings of the 36th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE14)*, Hyderabad, India, May 2014.
5. Yuriy Brun, George Edwards, Jae young Bang, and Nenad Medvidovic. "Smart Redundancy for Distributed Computation." *In proceedings of the 31st International Conference on Distributed Computing Systems (ICDCS11)*, Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA, June 2011.
6. Jae young Bang, Daniel Popescu, George Edwards, Nenad Medvidovic, Naveen Kulkarni, Girish M. Rama, and Srinivas Padmanabhuni. "CoDesign – A Highly Extensible Collaborative Software Modeling Framework." *In proceedings of the 32nd International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE10)*, Cape Town, South Africa, May 2010.

Workshop Papers

1. Dohyeon Kim, Joongheon Kim, and Jae young Bang. "A Reliable, Self-Adaptive Face Identification Framework via Lyapunov Optimization." *In Proceedings of the Workshop on AI Systems at Symposium on Operating Systems Principles (AISys17)*, Shanghai, China, October 2017.
2. Jae young Bang, Ivo Krka, Nenad Medvidovic, Naveen Kulkarni, and Srinivas Padmanabhuni. "How Software Architects Collaborate: Insights from Collaborative

Software Design in Practice.” *In proceedings of the 6th International Workshop on Cooperative and Human Aspects of Software Engineering at International Conference on Software Engineering (CHASE13)*, San Francisco, California, USA, May 2013.

3. Jae young Bang, Daniel Popescu, and Nenad Medvidovic. “Enabling Workspace Awareness for Collaborative Modeling.” *Presented at the Future of Collaborative Software Development at Computer Supported Cooperative Work (FutureCSD12)*, Seattle, Washington, USA, February 2012.

Non-refereed Publications

1. Youn Kyu Lee, Ruhollah Shemirani, Jae young Bang, Arman Shahbazian, Gholamreza Safi, and Nenad Medvidovic. “SEALANT: Preventing Inter-Application Attacks in Android.” *Technical Report USC-CSSE-16-601*, Center for Systems and Software Engineering, University of Southern California, 2016.
2. Yuriy Brun, George Edwards, Jae young Bang, and Nenad Medvidovic. “Online Reliability Improvement via Smart Redundancy in Systems with Faulty and Untrusted Participants.” *Technical Report USC-CSSE-2009-510*, Center for Systems and Software Engineering, University of Southern California, 2009.

Research Grants

1. “Computation- and Data-Privacy on the Cloud Google”, Google Research, Cloud Credits Award (10,000 USD)

Formal Presentations and Guest Lectures

1. Software Forensics in Practice. Guest lecture for USC CS699 Software Forensics, January 27th, 2020.
2. Collaborative Design Conflicts: Costs and Solutions. Invited talk at the Korean Conference on Software Engineering 2019 (KCSE19), Pyeongchang, Korea, January 29th, 2019.
3. Continuous Analysis of Collaborative Design. The IEEE International Conference on Software Architecture (ICSA17), Gothenburg, Sweden, April 6th, 2017.
4. Proactive Detection of Higher-Order Software Design Conflicts. The 12th Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture (WICSA15), Montreal, Quebec, Canada, May 7th, 2015.
5. Proactive Detection of Higher-Order Software Design Conflicts. University of Southern California Center of Systems and Software Engineering Annual Research Review 2015, Los Angeles, CA, April 15th, 2015.
6. Proactive Detection of Higher-Order Software Design Conflicts. PhD Dissertation Defense, Los Angeles, CA, March 19th, 2015.
7. Using a Next-Generation Climate Architecture in Education. The 3rd Annual ESGF/UV-CDAT F2F Meeting, Livermore, CA, December 5th, 2013.

8. How Software Architects Collaborate: Insights from Collaborative Software Design in Practice. University of Southern California Center of Systems and Software Engineering Annual Research Review 2013, Los Angeles, CA, March 13th, 2013.
9. Fast Conflict Detection for Remote Collaborative Software Modeling. University of Southern California Center of Systems and Software Engineering Annual Research Review 2011, Los Angeles, CA, March 8th, 2011.
10. CoDesign–A Highly Extensible Collaborative Software Modeling Framework. The 32nd International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE10), Cape Town, South Africa, May 5th, 2010.
11. CoDesign – A Highly Extensible Collaborative Software Modeling Framework. University of Southern California Center of Systems and Software Engineering Annual Research Review 2010, Los Angeles, CA, March 9th, 2010.
12. CoDesign/CoWare: A Highly Extensible and Scalable Collaborative Software Modeling Infrastructure. Infosys Aurora 09'. Los Angeles, CA, October 19th, 2009.

Research Project Experience

Funded

University of Southern California: Los Angeles, CA, USA
 6/2009 – 12/2014 **CoDesign/CoWare**: A highly extensible, scalable, and event-based collaborative software modeling framework that provides real-time model synchronization, inconsistency checking and conflict detection and resolution via extensible plug-ins. Funded by Infosys Limited.

Graduate-level

University of Southern California: Los Angeles, CA, USA
 1/2015 – 5/2015 **FLAME**: An extensible collaborative software design framework that detects high-order design conflicts in a proactive way, i.e., before an architect synchronizes her model and finally becomes aware of them.
 Project website: <http://flamedesign.org/>

6/2014 – 12/2014 **sTile**: Secure distributed computation architecture on clouds

3/2009 – 11/2009 **Smart Redundancy**: Novel redundancy technique for distributed computation. Deployed modified BOINC on PlanetLab.

7/2009 – 9/2009 **rMapReduce**: A programming model and software framework that extends the MapReduce paradigm to gracefully and efficiently tolerate a wide class of failures, including hard-to-detect failures caused by faulty and malicious nodes. Deployed modified Hadoop on PlanetLab.

1/2009 – 3/2009 **Mahjong on PlanetLab**: Deployed Mahjong, by Prof. Yuriy Brun, on PlanetLab, as a Directed Research student under the supervision of Prof. Nenad Medvidovic at University of Southern California

Professional Services

Refereeing and Reviewing

- Computing (COMP) 2018
- Transactions on Software Engineering and Methodology (TOSEM) 2015
- 8th European Conference on Software Architecture (ECSA 2014) 2014
- 28th Int'l Conference on Automated Software Engineering (ASE 2013) 2013
- 7th European Conference on Software Architecture (ECSA 2013)
- 4th Int'l Symposium on Architecting Critical Systems (ISARCS 2013)
- 16th Int'l Symposium on Component-Based Software Engineering (CBSE 2013)
- 7th Int'l Symposium on Software Engineering for Adaptive and Self-Managing Systems (SEAMS 2012) 2012
- 6th Int'l Symposium on Software Engineering for Adaptive and Self-Managing Systems (SEAMS 2011) 2011
- 26th Int'l Conference on Automated Software Engineering (ASE 2011)

Technical Expertise

Programming: Java (Spring, JDBC), Ruby on Rails, HTML (Slim), CSS, JavaScript (React, Angular, Node, CoffeeScript, TypeScript, JQuery)

Cloud platforms: Microsoft Azure, Google Compute Engine, Amazon AWS

Frameworks: Hadoop, PlanetLab, BOINC, GME, Prism-MW, XTEAM

Honors, Awards, Fellowships

4/2017 Best Paper Award at Int'l Conference on Software Architecture 2017

8/2010– 5/2014 USC Annenberg Graduate Fellowship