

# Yifan Li

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Currently, I'm in the fourth year of undergraduate studies. I'm interested in **Systems and Parallel Computing**.

## Education

- 2021–now **B.Eng.**, *Tsinghua University*, China  
Major: Computer Science and Technology, *current GPA: 3.98/4.0, ranking: Top 3%*
- 2023 **Exchange Student**, *Cornell University*, USA  
Department of ECE, August 2023 to December 2023, *GPA: 4.2/4.3*

## Publication

- [1] **Yifan Li** and G. Guidi, "High-performance sorting-based k-mer counting in distributed memory with flexible hybrid parallelism," in *Proceedings of the 53rd International Conference on Parallel Processing (ICPP' 24)*, pp. 919–928, 2024.

## Experience

- 2024 **Summer @ EPFL**, with Prof. Sanidhya Kashyap, EPFL, Switzerland  
*Area: Operating System*  
Explored automatic tuning of linux kernel knobs. Combined static and runtime analysis to identify crucial knobs, applied various methods to tune the knobs.
- 2023- **Undergraduate Research**, with Prof. Giulia Guidi, Cornell University, USA  
*Area: HPC, Computational Biology*  
Worked on the 'ELBA' *de novo* long read genome assembly workflow. Designed and implemented the fastest distributed memory *K-mer* counter, with support for hybrid parallelism.

## Awards and Honors

- 2024 **Overall Winner, SC24 Student Cluster Competiton**, *ACM/IEEE CS*  
Responsible for the Reproducibility Challenge
- 2024 **Award of Comprehensive Excellence**, *Tsinghua University*  
Top 3% School-wide
- 2022, 2023 **Award of Comprehensive Excellence**, *Tsinghua University*  
Top 5% School-wide

## Teaching and Talks

- 2024 **MemPanG24**, Memphis, Tennessee, USA (Virtual Attendance)  
*Topic: Counting K-mers on Distributed Memory Efficiently with Sorting and Task-based Parallelism.*
- 2023 **SAST Summer Tutorial**, Department of CST, Tsinghua University  
*Courses taught: Introduction to Python, Introduction to Web*  
Achieved more than 100 live audience and 10,000 online replays.

## Selected Courses and Service

**A+ courses:** Linear Algebra, Discrete Mathematics 1, Data structures, Introduction to Computer Systems, Theory of Computer Network, Computer Architecture, Introduction to Modern Cryptography, Advanced Topics in Parallel Computing.

**Service:** Vice President of Students' Association of Science and Technology  
*Participated in projects such as "SAST Skill Docs", which received more than 100 stars on github. Developed web services.*

## Languages

Chinese Native  
English Proficient (*TOEFL 112*)  
German Elementary (*~A2*)

## Programming Skills

Language C++, Python, Rust, SQL, Web  
Model MPI, OpenMP, NCCL, UPC++, CUDA, SYCL(basic)