# Yeyuan Chen

### EDUCATION

University of Michigan

PhD in Computer Science and Engineering

Ann Arbor, US

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University of Oxford

Undergraduate Visiting Student in Computer Science

Oxfordshire, UK Oct. 2021 - June. 2022

Xi'an Jiaotong University

Bachelor of engineering in Computer Science, Honor class of CS; GPA: 4.03/4.3

Xi'an, China Sept. 2019 - July. 2023

Xi'an Jiaotong University

Xi'an, China

Young Gifted Class preparatory course

Sept. 2017 - June. 2019

## Publications/Manuscripts

Unless otherwise stated, all authors contribute equally to the project. For those papers in theoretical computer science, authors are usually sorted in alphabetical order.

- Explicit Folded Reed-Solomon and Multiplicity Codes Achieve Relaxed Generalized Singleton Bounds Yeyuan Chen, Zihan Zhang
  - o STOC 2025 Best Student Paper
- The Gap Between Greedy Algorithm and Minimum Multiplicative Spanner
- Yeyuan Chen
  - Submitted
- Unique-neighbor Expanders with Better Expansion for Polynomial-sized Sets
- Yeyuan Chen
  - o SODA 2025
- Calibrate and Boost Logical Expressiveness of GNN Over Multi-Relational and Temporal Graphs Yeyuan Chen, Dingmin Wang
  - o NeurIPS 2023
- Range Avoidance, Remote Point, and Hard Partial Truth Table via Satisfying-Pairs Algorithms Yeyuan Chen, Yizhi Huang, Jiatu Li, Hanlin Ren
  - o STOC 2023
- Efficient Embeddings of Logical Variables for Query Answering over Incomplete Knowledge Graphs Dingmin Wang, Yeyuan Chen, Bernardo Cuenca Grau
  - o AAAI 2023

#### Selected Honors and Awards

- STOC 2025 Machtey/Lewin Best Student Paper Award
- Rackham Graduate Student Research Grant Award
- NeurIPS 2023 Scholar Award
- U Michigan CSE Honors Competition 2nd Place 2024
- International Collegiate Programming Contest
  - o Bronze Medal (13th place, 16th team) in 2022-2023 47th World Finals in Luxor
  - o 1st place in East Asia Regional Contest (Shanghai site 2020) (1/676) Advances to World Finals 2021
  - o 2nd place in East Asia Regional Contest (Hongkong site 2022) (2/115) Advances to World Finals 2023
  - o 2nd place in North American East Central Regional Contest (3rd place in the whole East) 2023
  - o 4th place in East Asia Regional Contest (Nanjing site 2022) (4/417)
  - o 5th place in Northwestern Europe Finals 2021 (5/129) (https://2021.nwerc.eu/standings/)
  - o 15th place in North American Finals 2024 Advances to World Finals 2024 in Astana

- China Collegiate Programming Contest
  - o 2nd place in Qinhuangdao site 2020 (2/243), 3rd place in Harbin site 2019 (3/272)
  - $\circ$  4th place in China Finals 2021 (4/115), 4th place in Weihai site 2020 (4/267)
- CCF Collegiate Computer Systems & Programming Contest Gold Medal 2021
- Scholarships: Jieshan Scholarship 2021, XJTU First Class Scholarship 2021

#### Talks

- U Michigan CSE Honors Competition 2024 Explicit Folded Reed-Solomon and Multiplicity Codes Achieve Relaxed Generalized Singleton Bounds
- SODA 2025 Unique-neighbor Expanders with Better Expansion for Polynomial-sized Sets

#### Miscellaneous

• GRE 329 Verbal 159, Quantitative 170, AW 3.5