

# Zixuan Xie

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## EDUCATION

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<b>Fudan University (FDU)</b>	09/2020-06/2024
B.E. in Software Engineering	GPA: 3.58*/4.0
Course Highlight: Software Engineering (A), Operating System (A), Database Design (A), Computer Architecture (A), Software Requirement Engineering (A), Engineering Ability and Accomplishment (A-), Industrial Internet Software Technology (A-)	
<b>University of Alberta (UA)   Exchange Program</b>	01/2023-04/2023
Major: Computer Science	GPA: 4.0/4.0
Course Highlight: Algorithm (A+), 3D Modeling and Animation (A+)	

## PUBLICATION

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Xie, Zixuan, et al. "Combinatorial Properties for a Class of Simplicial Complexes Extended from Pseudo-fractal Scale-free Web." *Fractals* 31.03 (2023): 2350022.

## CONFERENCE ATTENDED

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WINE 2023 The 19th Conference On Web And InterNet Economics Shanghai, China, December 4-8, 2023

## RESEARCH & PROJECT

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<b>Calculating Kemeny Constant and Biharmonic Distance for Large Graphs</b>	06/2023-present
<i>Core member, supervised by Professor Zhongzhi Zhang</i>	<i>Fudan University</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Designing an approximation algorithm to reduce the time complexity of calculating Kemeny constant and biharmonic distance on large graphs with probability guarantees</li><li>➤ Decomposed the graph Laplacian matrix using the incomplete Cholesky factorization to streamlining computations</li></ul>	
<b>Learning, Optimization, and Games Reading Group</b>	04/2023-present
<i>Group member, supervised by Professor Xiaoqi Tan</i>	<i>University of Alberta</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Attended group meetings of the Learning, Optimization, and Games (LOG) Reading Group</li><li>➤ Gave a presentation on Dynamic TCP Acknowledgement Problem about the deterministic algorithm derivation and provided the corresponding randomized algorithm</li><li>➤ Explored various solution methods beyond Primal-Dual and finished a written report</li></ul>	
<b>Combinatorial Properties for a Class of Simplicial Complexes</b>	06/2022-03/2023
<i>Core member, supervised by Professor Zhongzhi Zhang</i>	<i>Fudan University</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Completed the expressions of the combinatorial properties for a class of simplicial complexes created by a graph product, including independence number, domination number, chromatic number, number of acyclic orientations, number of spanning trees, and number of perfect matching for some particular cases</li><li>➤ Drafted a paper as the first author, which was published in March 2023 in <i>Fractals</i></li><li>➤ Received approval for the Fudan Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program and passed the final academic defense</li></ul>	
<b>Forest Carbon Sequestration Prediction and Decision-Making Model</b>	02/2022
<i>Programmer in ICM Contest</i>	<i>Fudan University</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Established a modified logistic model to predict the carbon sequestration in forests with different deforestation frequencies and the decision model to provide the most environmentally friendly plan</li><li>➤ Collected and applied the model to forest data from Tennessee</li><li>➤ Won Meritorious Winner of Interdisciplinary Contest in Modeling (Top 7%)</li></ul>	
<b>The Convergence Time of Opinion Dynamics Models With Opinion Leaders</b>	01/2022-05/2022
<i>Core member, supervised by Professor Zhongzhi Zhang</i>	<i>Fudan University</i>

\* recalculated due to the reformation of the GPA policy of Fudan University.

- Proposed an innovative estimator-based algorithm using sampling techniques, which bypassed computational complexities associated with matrix inverses

## **EXTRACURRICULAR & VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES**

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**FDU Student Choir** | Alto Principal 09/2020-07/2023

- Organized weekly rehearsals and acted as principal for major events, responsible for costume, commuting, etc.

**FDU Expedition Club for community volunteer service** | Manager of New Jiangwan Street Service Station 09/2020-06/2022

- Held weekly science popularization lectures for underrepresented children in New Jiangwan street library

**FDU Computer Science Student Association** | Human Resources Officer 09/2020-06/2021

- Contacted both parties before crucial events, nailed down lecture topics, time and participant numbers, etc.

## **SCHOLARSHIP & HONORS**

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Meritorious Winners of Interdisciplinary Contest in Modeling, ICM 2022

Outstanding Undergraduate Graduate of Fudan University 2024

Excellent Student at Fudan University (recommended by art troupe) 2022-2023

Second Prize Scholarship at Fudan University 2021-2022

Excellent Student at Fudan University (recommended by Software School) 2021-2022

Excellent Student at Fudan University (recommended by Software School) 2020-2021

Third Prize Scholarship at Fudan University 2020-2021

Fudan-OPTV of China Scholarship 2023-2024

## **SKILLS & QUALIFICATIONS**

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**Computer Language:** C (3 yrs), C++ (2 yrs), Java (2yrs), Python (1yr), Matlab (1yr)

**Software:** Office, Matlab, IDEA, Visual Studio Code

**Language:** Mandarin (native), English (professional working proficiency)