# Wenlong Ding (Curriculum Vitae)

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## **EDUCATION**

## The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK)

Shatin, Hong Kong SAR, China

Ph.D. in Computer Science and Engineering

08/2021 - Present

• Research Topics: Machine Learning (ML) for network management

## Huazhong University of Science and Technology (HUST)

Wuhan, Hubei, China 09/2017 - 06/2021

B.E. in Computer Science and Technology (ACM class)

• GPA: 90.64/100 or 3.96/4.0 | Rank: Top 5%

#### Research Projects

## Topic 1: ML for Network Traffic Management (Traffic Engineering)

08/2021 - Present

- [Project 1] Archie: Efficient link restoration with ML in traffic engineering system.
- [Project 2] dNE: Traffic engineering acceleration with ML.

## Topic 2: ML for Network Configuration Management

04/2023 – Present

- [Project 1] Xumi: Automatic ACL configuration with natural language intents.
- [Misc] Automatic network configuration knowledge base creation; automatic routing configurations...

## Publication List

## **Conference Papers**

[C2] Wenlong Ding, and Hong Xu. Dynamic Learning-based Link Restoration in Traffic Engineering with Archie. In *Proceedings of IEEE International Conference on Computer Communications (IEEE INFOCOM)*, 2024.

[C1] Wenlong Ding, Libin Liu, Li Chen, and Hong Xu. ABC: Automatic Bottom-up Construction of Configuration Knowledge Base for Multi-Vendor Networks. In Proceedings of the Fifth IEEE International Conference on Cognitive Machine Intelligence (IEEE CogMI) (Invited Paper), 2023.

#### Posters

[P1] Wenlong Ding, Jianqiang Li, Zhixiong Niu, Huangxun Chen, and Hong Xu. Poster: Automating Network Configuration with Natural Language Intents. In *Proceedings of the ACM SIGCOMM 2024 Conference: Posters and Demos (ACM SIGCOMM Posters and Demos)*, 2024.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

## Teaching Assistants in CUHK

CSCI4430 Data Communication and Computer Networks. Spring 2023; Fall 2023.

ENGG2020 Digital Logic and Systems. Fall 2022; Spring 2024.

CSCI3170 Introduction to Database System. Fall 2024.

ENGG1103 Multivariable Calculus for Engineers. Spring 2022.

ENGG2760 Probability for Engineers. Fall 2021.

## Honors and Awards

06/2021	Excellent Undergraduate Thesis (3%), HUST
05/2021	Outstanding Graduate and Honours Bachelor's Degree (3%), HUST
09/2020	Merit Student (5%), HUST
12/2019	Outstanding Individual in University Students Innovation and Entrepreneurship Project, HUST
04/2019	Meritorious Winner, Mathematical Contest in Modeling (5%), COMAP, USA