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I. RESEARCH INTERESTS

Big Data Management and Mobile Computing, Distributed Query Processing, Spatial and Spatiotemporal Systems, AI/Machine Learning

II. EDUCATION

Ph.D. Computer Science, University of Cyprus
 Thesis: Algorithms and Indexing Structures for Spatial Big Data
 M.Sc. Computer Science, University of Cyprus
 Thesis: Scalable Continuous All k Nearest Neighbors Queries
 B.Sc. Computer Science, University of Cyprus
 Thesis: SmartTrace: A Distributed Spatio-Temporal Similarity Search
 Framework using Android-based Smartphone

III. ENTREPRENEURIAL APPOINTMENTS

Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer (CEO),

Rinnoco LTD (https://rinnoco.com), Limassol, Cyprus

10/2021-Current

IV. ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Special Scientist, Dept. of Computer Science, University of Cyprus, Cyprus	09/2024-Current
Visiting Postdoctoral Researcher, DMSL Lab, University of Cyprus, Cyprus	06/2023-Current
Visiting Research Assistant Professor, Dept. of Computer Science, University of Cyprus, Cyprus	09/2023-12/2023
Research Associate, ADMT Lab, University of Pittsburgh, USA	01/2019-12/2022
Visiting Research Assistant Professor, Dept. of Computer Science, University of Pittsburgh, USA	07/2021-12/2022
Visiting Lecturer, Dept. of Computer Science, University of Pittsburgh, USA	06/2020-06/2021
Visiting Research Scholar & Instructor, Dept. of Computer Science, University of Pittsburgh, USA	01/2019-06/2020
Special Scientist, Dept. of Computer Science, University of Cyprus, Cyprus	09/2018-01/2019
Research Assistant, DMSL Lab, Dept. of Computer Science, University of Cyprus, Cyprus	2010-2018
Teaching Assistant, University of Cyprus, Cyprus	2011-2018

V. RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

- 06/2024-02/2025 (PI): "Big Data Compression Tool using Attribute-based Signatures", RIF Proposal Number: CONCEPT/0823/0002, Rinnoco Ltd.
- 04/2024-12/2025 (Co-PI): "Automated calculation of Feynman Diagrams on the Lattice", RIF Proposal Number: CONCEPT/0823/0052, Rinnoco Ltd.
- 01/2022-Current (Software Developer/Analyst/System Architect): "Data management system to support the clinical health imaging portability standards", Psychology Software Tools Inc (PST).
- 07/2020-07/2021 (Co-PI/Software Developer): "VA Quantitative Quality Assurance (VA QQA) MRIS", US Department of Veteran Affairs.
- 07/2020-07/2021 (Co-PI/Software Developer/Solution Architect): "HealthDist: Localization Accuracy Evaluation for Social Distancing", Pittsburgh Foundation & NIH U01HL137159.
- 01/2015-12/2015 (Research Assistant/Software Developer/Analyst/System Architect): "Big Data Processing of Telco Data", MTN Cyprus Ltd., Cyprus and University of Cyprus.
- 01/2014-12/2014 (Research Assistant/Android Developer): "Spatio-Temporal Mobile Data Management", Geomatic Technologies Ltd., Cyprus.
- 11/2012-12/2013 (Research Assistant/Backend Developer): "AppCampus Award: Rayzit", Industrial Grant by Aalto University, Microsoft, Nokia..

VI. AWARDS & HONORS

- IEEE MDM'21 Best Industry and Application Paper Award at MDM 2021, "A Context, Location and Preference-Aware System for Safe Pedestrian Mobility", 22nd IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management (MDM'21), Toronto, Canada, June 15 June 18, 2021.
- IEEE MDM'21 Best Demo Award at MDM 2021, "HealthDist: A Context, Location and Preference-Aware System for Safe Navigation", 22nd IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management (MDM'21), Toronto, Canada, June 15 June 18, 2021.
- IEEE MDM'18 Best of MDM 2018 (Geoinformatica Springer journal invitation), "Decaying Telco Big Data with Data Postdiction", 19th IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management (MDM'18), Aalborg, Denmark, June 26 June 28, 2018.
- IEEE MDM'18 Best Demo Award, "FMS: Managing Crowdsourced Indoor Signals with the Fingerprint Management Studio", 19th IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management (MDM'18), Aalborg, Denmark, June 26 June 28, 2018.
- Among the finalists of the 2019 ERCIM Cor Baayen Young Researcher Award for his PhD Thesis titled: "Algorithms and Indexing Structures for Spatial Big Data", 2018.
- Participation in the ACM Europe Summer School on Data Science, 2018.
- Participation in the Onassis Foundation Science Lecture Series in Computer Science devoted to "BIG DATA and Applications", 2017.
- Travel Grant Award among 200 invitees globally to attend the 4th Heidelberg Laureate Forum (HLF), Heidelberg, Germany, Sept 18 23, 2016.
- PI: New Researcher Program, University of Cyprus, Ph.D. Fellowship for C. Costa, Advisor: Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, 2017.

- PI: New Researcher Program, University of Cyprus, Ph.D. Fellowship for C. Costa, Advisor: Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, 2016.
- Young Researcher: "New Researcher Program", University of Cyprus, PhD Fellowship for C. Costa, Advisor: Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, 2014.
- Appcampus Award, "Rayzit: Crowd Messaging" by Microsoft, Nokia and Aalto University (Finland), 2013.
- Startup prize award at HackCyprus sponsored by the CIIM Entrepreneurship and Innovation Centre, 2013.
- Best Mobile Application Award at HackCyprus sponsored by Cocoon Creations, 2013.
- Ranked 1st place at the Microsoft ImagineCup national competition with *iDOC* implementation, 2011.

VII. RESEARCH GRANTS AND FUNDING

• CONCEPT/0823/0002, Cyprus' Research Promotion Foundation RESTART programme, under project COMPASS, 2024.

More: https://rinnoco.com/projects/compass.html

• CONCEPT/0823/0052, Cyprus' Research Promotion Foundation RESTART programme, under project FEDILA, 2024.

More: https://rinnoco.com/projects/fedila.html

• INNOVOUCHERS/0722/0025, Cyprus' Research Promotion Foundation RESTART programme, under project SIBACO, 2023.

More: https://rinnoco.com/projects/sibaco.html

• The Pittsburgh Foundation Grant, Healthy Social Distancing Project, 2020 - 2021. More: https://db.cs.pitt.edu/healthdist

VIII. PUBLICATIONS

Google Scholar Citations: 458; h-index¹: 13; i10-index²: 14

JOURNAL AND MAGAZINE PAPERS

- J7. "A Sustainable Energy Management Framework for Smart Homes", Soteris Constantinou, Constantinos Costa, Andreas Konstantinidis, Panos K. Chrysanthis and Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti IEEE Transactions on Sustainable Computing (TSUSC '24), IEEE Computer Society, Volume x, Pages: x-x, Los Alamitos, CA, USA, 2024.
- J6. "A Blockchain Datastore for Scalable IoT Workloads using Data Decaying, Panagiotis Drakatos, Constantinos Costa, Andreas Konstantinidis, Panos K. Chrysanthis and Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti Distributed and Parallel Databases (DAPD '24), Springer Nature, Volume xx, Pages: 41 pages, 2024.

¹h-index is the largest number h such that h publications have at least h citations.

²i10-index is the number of publications with at least 10 citations.

- J5. "ASTRO: Reducing COVID-19 Exposure through Contact Prediction and Avoidance".
 - Chrysovalantis Anastasiou, Constantinos Costa, Panos K. Chrysanthis, Cyrus Shahabi, Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, ACM Trans. Spatial Algorithms Syst. Association for Computing Machinery (TSAS'22), Volume 8, New York, NY, USA, 2022.
- J4. "Continuous Decaying of Telco Big Data with Data Postdiction", Constantinos Costa, Andreas Charalampous, Andreas Konstantinidis, Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, Mohamed F. Mokbel, International Journal on Advances of Computer Science for Geographic Information Systems (GeoInformatica '19), 23(4): 533-557, 2019.
- J3. "Crowdsourcing Emergency Data in Non-Operational Cellular Networks", Georgios Chatzimilioudis, Constantinos Costa, Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, Wang-Chien Lee, Information Systems (InfoSys), Special Issue on Large-Scale Data Management for Mobile Applications, 64: 292-302, 2017.
- J2. "Distributed In-Memory Processing of All k Nearest Neighbor Queries", Georgios Chatzimilioudis, Constantinos Costa, Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti and Wang-Chien Lee and Evaggelia Pitoura, Transactions on Knowledge and Data Engineering (TKDE), IEEE Computer Society, 28(4): 925-938, 2016.
- J1. "Crowdsourced trace similarity with smartphones",
 Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, Christos Laoudias, Costantinos Costa, Michalis Vlachos,
 Dimitrios Gunopulos, IEEE Transactions on Knowledge and Data Engineering (TKDE),
 IEEE Computer Society, 25(6): 1240-1253, 2013.

CONFERENCE/WORKSHOP/DEMO PAPERS

(ADBIS 2023), 46-55, 2023.

- C34. "A Framework for Continuous kNN Ranking of EV Chargers with Estimated Components",
 - Soteris Constantinou, Constantinos Costa, Andreas Konstantinidis, Mohamed F. Mokbel, Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, *Proceedings of the 40th IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering*, (ICDE 2024), 13 pages, Utrecht, Netherlands, May 13 May 17, 2024.
- C33. "EcoCharge: A Framework for Sustainable Electric Vehicles Charging", Soteris Constantinou, Dimitris Papazachariou, Constantinos Costa, Andreas Konstantinidis, Mohamed F. Mokbel, Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, *Proceedings of the 25th IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management*, (MDM 2024), 4 pages, Brussels, Belgium, June 24 June 27, 2024.
- C32. "GIO.G: A Generator for Indoor-Outdoor Graphs to Simulate and Analyze Urban Environments",

 Vasilis E. Sarris, Connor P. Sweeney, Sean M. Linton, Brian T. Nixon, Panos K. Chrysanthis
 - Vasilis E. Sarris, Connor P. Sweeney, Sean M. Linton, Brian T. Nixon, Panos K. Chrysanthis, Constantinos Costa, *Proceedings of the 25th IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management*, (MDM 2024), 4 pages, Brussels, Belgium, June 24 June 27, 2024.
- C31. "Remembering the Forgotten: Clustering, Outlier Detection, and Accuracy Tuning in a Postdiction Pipeline",
 Anna Baskin, Scott Heyman, Brian T. Nixon, Constantinos Costa, Panos K. Chrysanthis,
 Proceedings of the 39th IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering Workshops,
- C30. "Recommending the Least Congested Indoor-Outdoor Paths without Ignoring Time", Sarris, Vasilis Ethan and Chrysanthis, Panos K. and Constantinos Costa, Proceedings of the 18th International Symposium on Spatial and Temporal Data (SSTD '23), Calgary, AB, Canada Association for Computing Machinery, 121–130, 2023.

- C29. "RETSINA: Reproducibility and Experimentation Testbed for Signal-Strength Indoor Near Analysis",
 - Anna Baskin, Scott Heyman, Brian T. Nixon, **Constantinos Costa**, Panos K. Chrysanthis and Christos Laoudias, *Proceedings of the Intl. Conference on Indoor Positioning and Indoor Navigation* (IPIN '23), xx-xx, 2023.
- C28. "An IoT Data System for Solar Self-Consumption",
 Soteris Constantinou, Savvas Polycarpou, Constantinos Costa, Andreas Konstantinidis,

K. Chrysanthis and Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, *Proceedings of the 24st IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management*, (MDM '23), 2023.

- C27. "GreenCap: A Platform for Solar Self-Consumption using IoT Data", Soteris Constantinou, Savvas Polycarpou, Constantinos Costa, Andreas Konstantinidis, K. Chrysanthis and Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, Proceedings of the 24st IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management, (MDM '23), 2023.
- C26. "CAPRIO with Inclusive Pedestrian Path Recommendations", Brian T. Nixon, Chen, Konduru, Liu, Constantinos Costa and Panos K. Chrysanthis, Proceedings of the 24st IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management, (MDM '23), 2023.
- C25. "Towards a Signature Based Compression Technique for Big Data Storage", Constantinos Costa, Panos K. Chrysanthis, Marios Costa Efstathios Stavrakis and Nicolas Nicolaou, Proceedings of the 39th IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering Workshops, (ICDE 2023), 100-104, 2023.
- C24. "Efficient Detection of COVID-19 Exposure",
 Brian Nixon, Rakan Alseghayer, Benjamin Graybill, Xiaozhong Zhang, Constantinos Costa,
 Panos K. Chrysanthis, Proceedings of the 22nd IEEE International Conference on Mobile
 Data Management, (MDM '22), 2022.
- C23. "ASTRO-K: Finding Top-k Sufficiently Distinct Indoor-Outdoor Paths", Vasilis Ethan Sarris, Constantinos Costa, and Panos K. Chrysanthis, Proceedings of the 1st IEEE Intl. Workshop on Algorithms for Indoor Architectures and Systems, (ALIAS 2022), 372-377, 2022.
- C22. "Thinking Inclusively with CAPRIO", Lucas W. Leiby, Constantinos Costa, and Panos K. Chrysanthis, Proceedings of the 1st IEEE Intl. Workshop on ALgorithms for Indoor Architectures and Systems, (ALIAS 2022), 378-380, 2022.
- C21. "EPICGen: An Experimental Platform for Indoor Congestion Generation and Forecasting", Chrysovalantis Anastasiou, Constantinos Costa, Panos K. Chrysanthis, Proceedings of the VLDB Endowment (PVLDB), 14(14): 2803-2806, 2021.
- C20. "A Context, Location and Preference-Aware System for Safe Pedestrian Mobility",
 Constantinos Costa, Brian Nixon, Sayantani Bhattacharjee, Benjamin Graybill, Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, Walter Schneider, Panos K. Chrysanthis, Proceedings of the 22nd IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management, (MDM '21), 2021.
- C19. "HealthDist: A Context, Location and Preference-Aware System for Safe Navigation",
 Brian Nixon, Sayantani Bhattacharjee, Benjamin Graybill, Constantinos Costa, Sudhir Pathak, Walter Schneider, Panos K. Chrysanthis, Proceedings of the 22nd IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management, (MDM '21), 2021.

- C18. "The Anyplace 4.0 IoT Localization Architecture",
 Paschalis Mpeis, Thierry Roussel, Manish Kumar, Constantinos Costa, Christos Laoudias,
 Denis Capot-Ray Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, Proceedings of the 21st IEEE International
 Conference on Mobile Data Management, (MDM '20), 2020.
- C17. "CAPRIO v2.0: A Context-Aware Unified Indoor-Outdoor Path Recommendation System",
 Constantinos Costa, Xiaoyu Ge, Evan McEllhenney, Evan Kebler, Panos K. Chrysanthis

Constantinos Costa, Xiaoyu Ge, Evan McEllhenney, Evan Kebler, Panos K. Chrysanthis and Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti of the 21th IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management (MDM 2020), June 30 - July 3, Versailles, France, 2020.

C16. "CAPRIO: Context Aware Path Recommendation exploiting Indoor and Outdoor information",

Constanting Costs, Vicewy Co. and Panes V. Chrysonthia, Proceedings of the 1st IEEE

Constantinos Costa, Xiaoyu Ge, and Panos K. Chrysanthis, *Proceedings of the 1st IEEE Intl. Workshop on ALgorithms for Indoor Architectures and Systems*, (ALIAS 2019), 431-436, 2019.

C15. "CAPRIO: Graph-based Integration of Indoor and Outdoor Data for Path Discovery",

Constantinos Costa, Xiaoyu Ge, and Panos K. Chrysanthis, *Proceedings of the VLDB Endowment* (PVLDB), 12(12): 1878-1881, **2019**.

- C14. "Telco Big Data Research and Open Problems", Constantinos Costa and Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, Proceedings of the 35th IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering (ICDE 2019), 2056-2059, 2018.
- C13. "Decaying Telco Big Data with Data Postdiction", Constantinos Costa, Andreas Charalampous, Andreas Konstantinidis, Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, and Mohamed F. Mokbel, *Proceedings of the 19th IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management*, (MDM 2018), 106-115, 2018.
- C12. "Telco Big Data: Current State & Future Directions",
 Constantinos Costa and Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, Proceedings of the 19th IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management, (MDM 2018), 11-14, 2018.
- C11. "FMS: Managing Crowdsourced Indoor Signals with the Fingerprint Management Studio",
 Marileni Angelidou, Constantinos Costa, Artyom Nikitin and Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, Proceedings of the 19th IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management,
 (MDM 2018), 288-289, June 25 June 28, 2018, AAU, Aalborg, Denmark, 2018.
- C10. "TBD-DP: Telco Big Data Visual Analytics with Data Postdiction", Constantinos Costa, Andreas Charalampous, Andreas Konstantinidis, Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, and Mohamed F. Mokbel *Proceedings of the 19th IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management*, (MDM 2018), 280-281, June 25 June 28, 2018, AAU, Aalborg, Denmark, 2018.
- C9. "Towards Real-Time Road Traffic Analytics using Telco Big Data", Constantinos Costa, Georgios Chatzimilioudis, Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti and Mohamed F. Mokbel, Proceedings of the 11th Intl. Workshop on Real-Time Business Intelligence and Analytics (BIRTE 2017), collocated with VLDB 2017, 5:1–5:5, 2017.
- C8. "Efficient Exploration of Telco Big Data with Compression and Decaying", Constantinos Costa, Georgios Chatzimilioudis, Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, Mohamed F. Mokbel, *Proceedings of the 33rd IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering* (ICDE 2017), 1332-1343, 2017.

- C7. "SPATE: Decaying and Exploration of Telco Big Data", Constantinos Costa, Georgios Chatzimilioudis, Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, Mohamed F. Mokbel, Demo at *Proceedings of the 33nd International Conference on Data Engineering* (ICDE 2017), 1419-1420, 2017.
- C6. "Distributed In-Memory Processing of All k Nearest Neighbor Queries", Georgios Chatzimilioudis, Constantinos Costa, Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti and Wang-Chien Lee and Evaggelia Pitoura, *Proceedings of the 32nd IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering* (ICDE 2016),1490-1491, 2016.
- C5. "Rayzit: An Anonymous and Dynamic Crowd Messaging Architecture", Constantinos Costa, Chrysovalantis Anastasiou, Georgios Chatzimilioudis and Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti Proceedings of the 3rd IEEE International Workshop on Mobile Data Management Mining and Computing on Social Networks collocated with IEEE MDM '15 (Mobisocial 2015), (2):98-103, 2015.
- C4. "Managing Smartphone Testbeds with SmartLab",
 George Larkou, Constantinos Costa, Panayiotis K. Andreou, Andreas Konstantinides and
 Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti Proceedings of the 27th USENIX Large Installation System Administration Conference (LISA 2013), 115-132, 2013.
- C3. "Demo: A Programming Cloud of Smartphones", Andreas Konstantinidis, Constantinos Costa, George Larkou and Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, The 10th International Conference on Mobile Systems, Applications and Services (MobiSys 2012), 465-466, 2012.
- C2. An Indoor Trajectory Comparison Framework for Android Smartphones, Christos Laoudias, Constantinos Costa, Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, Christos G. Panayiotou, Demo at the International Conference on Indoor Positioning and Indoor Navigation (IPIN 2011), 2011.
- C1. "SmartTrace: Finding Similar Trajectories in Smartphone Networks without Disclosing the Traces", Constantinos Costa, Christos Laoudias, Demetrios Zeinalipour-Yazti, Dimitrios Gunopulos Demo at 27th International Conference on Data Engineering March (ICDE 2011), 1288-1291, 2011.

BOOK CHAPTERS

B1. "1 - Challenges of Fingerprinting in Indoor Positioning and Navigation",
Antoni Pérez-Navarro and Joaquín Torres-Sospedra and Raul Montoliu and Jordi Conesa
and Rafael Berkvens and Giuseppe Caso and Constantinos Costa and Nicola Dorigatti
and Noelia Hernández and Stefan Knauth and Elena Simona Lohan and Juraj Machaj and
Adriano Moreira and Pawel Wilk, Geographical and Fingerprinting Data to Create
Systems for Indoor Positioning and Indoor/Outdoor Navigation, A volume in Intelligent Data-Centric Systems, Academic Press, Pages: 1 - 20, ISBN: 978-0-12-813189-3,
2019.

TALKS & PRESENTATIONS

- Invited Talk, "Innovative Big Data Tools and Systems for Data Storage Efficiency", COM-PASS Project, January 10, University of Pittsburgh, PA, USA, 2025.
- Invited Talk, "Innovative Big Data Analytics and Applications", ACSC115, November 27, Frederick University, Nicosia, Cyprus, 2024.
- Invited Talk, "Innovative Big Data Analytics and Applications", EPL202, March 1, University of Cyprus, Nicosia, Cyprus, 2024.

- Invited Talk, "Innovative Big Data Analytics and Applications", The EuroCC-2 Seminar Series, November 8, The Cyprus Institute, Nicosia, Cyprus, 2023.
- Presentation, "Towards a Signature Based Compression Technique for Big Data Storage", The 14th IEEE International Workshop on Self-Managing Database Systems (SMDB 2023) @ ICDE 2023, April 3 7, Anaheim, California, USA, 2023.
- Presentation, "Thinking Inclusively with CAPRIO", The 2nd IEEE International Workshop on ALgorithms for Indoor Architectures and Systems (ALIAS 2022 @ MDM 2022, June 6 9, Paphos, Cyprus, 2022.
- Demo Presentation, "CAPRIO v2.0: A Context-Aware Unified Indoor-Outdoor Path Recommendation System", he 21st IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management, June 30 July 3, Versailles, France, 2020.
- Demo Presentation, "CAPRIO: Graph-based Integration of Indoor and Outdoor Data for Path Discovery", The 45th International Conference on Very Large Data Bases (VLDB'19), Los Angeles, California, August 26 - August 30, 2019.
- Presentation, "Telco Big Data Research and Open Problems", The the 35th IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering (ICDE 2019), 2056-2059, Macao, Macao, April 8 April 11, 2019.
- Presentation, "Towards Real-Time Road Traffic Analytics using Telco Big Data", The 11th Intl. Workshop on Real-Time Business Intelligence and Analytics, collocated with VLDB 2017 (BIRTE '17), Munich, Germany, August 28, 2017.
- Demo Presentation, "SPATE: Compacting and Exploring Telco Big Data", The 33rd IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering (ICDE 2017), San Diego, CA, USA, April 19, 2017.
- Presentation, "Efficient Exploration of Telco Big Data with Compression and Decaying", The 33rd IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering (ICDE 2017), San Diego, CA, USA, April 19, 2017.
- Presentation, "Anyplace Indoor Information Service", Symposium on Challenges of Fingerprinting in Indoor Positioning and Navigation, Open University of Catalonia, Barcelona, Spain, May 3, 2016.
- Presentation, "Managing Smartphone Testbeds with SmartLab", 27th USENIX Large Installation System Administration Conference '(LISA '13), Washington D.C., USA, November 7, 2013.
- Presentation, "Trajectory Similarity with SmartTrace", Final Conference of MOVE COST Action IC903, Vienna, Austria, Sept 30 - Oct 1, 2013, October 1, 2013.
- Presentation, "Data Management in Smartphone Networks (for High School Students)", 2nd Computer Science Day for High School Students, University of Cyprus, Nicosia, Cyprus, March 19, 2011.

IX. DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

- Judge, 6th SteelHacks hackathon hosted at the University of Pittsburgh, 2020.
- Mentor, 5th SteelHacks hackathon hosted at the University of Pittsburgh, 2019.
- **Evaluator**, Second ACM ICPC (Inter-Collegiate Programming Competition) Cyprus Competition, 2018.

- **Evaluator/ Organizer**, 6th National Logipaignion Contest for Elementary and High School Students, 2014.

X. PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY & MEMBERSHIPS

• Editorial Boards:

- Special Issue Lead Guest Editor, "Special Issue on Self-Managing and Hardware-Optimized Database Systems 2022", Special Issue in Distributed and Parallel Databases journal, Editors-in-Chief: Mohamed Mokbel (University of Minnesota, MN, USA) and Divyakant Agrawal (University of California, Santa Barbara, CA, USA), 2022 2023.
- Special Issue Guest Editor, "Special Issue on Self-Managing and Hardware-Optimized Database Systems 2020", Special Issue in Distributed and Parallel Databases journal, Editors-in-Chief: Mohamed Mokbel (University of Minnesota, MN, USA) and Divyakant Agrawal (University of California, Santa Barbara, CA, USA), 2020 2021.

• Organizing Committee Member:

- **Program Committee Member** The 8th IEEE International Workshop on Big Spatial Data (BSD 2024), Dec 15 to Dec 18, Washington DC, USA, **2024**.
- **Program Committee Member** The 7th International Workshop on Big Data Visual Exploration and Analytics (BigVis2024), August 30 2024, Guangzhou, China, **2024**.
- Executive Online Platforms Chair The 24rd IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management (MDM 2023), July 3 July 6, Singapore, 2023.
- **Program Chair** Self-managing Database Systems (SMDB 2023), 3 APRIL 2023, Anaheim, California, USA, **2023**.
- Session Chair/Online Platform Chair The 23rd IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management (MDM 2022), June 6 9, 2022, Paphos, Cyprus, 2022.
- **Program Chair** Self-managing Database Systems (SMDB 2022), 9 MAY 2022, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, **2022**.
- Session Chair 47th International Conference on Very Large Data Bases (VLDB 2021), August 16-20, Copenhagen, Denmark, 2021, 2021.
- **PhD Forum Chair** 22nd IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management (MDM'21), Toronto, Canada, June 15 June 18, **2021**.
- Executive Online Platform Chair 22nd IEEE International Conference on Mobile Data Management (MDM'21), Toronto, Canada, June 15 June 18, 2021.
- Workshops Proceedings Chair 24th International Conference on Extending Database Technology (EDBT 2021), March 23 26, 2021 Nicosia, Cyprus, **2021**.
- Vice Program/Communication Chair Self-managing Database Systems (SMDB 2021), April 19, 2021 Crete, Greece, 2021.
- Vice Program/Communication Chair Self-managing Database Systems (SMDB 2020), April 20, 2020 Dallas, Texas, 2020.
- Vice Program Chair Self-managing Database Systems (SMDB 2019), April 8, 2019
 Macau, 2019.
- Webmaster Data Management Day, DMD'19, June 19, 2019 Nicosia, Cyprus, 2019.
- Webmaster 16th Hellenic Data Management Symposium (HDMS 2018), July 2-4, 2018 Larnaca, Cyprus, **2018**.
- Webmaster 3rd International Workshop On Human Mobility Computing and Privacy (HuMoComP 2015), held in conjunction with the 16th IEEE MDM 2015, June 18, 2015
 Pittsburgh, PA, USA, 2015.

• Referee for Journals and Magazines:

- TSAS Transactions on Spatial Algorithms and Systems, 2025.
- TSAS Transactions on Spatial Algorithms and Systems, 2024.
- CSUR Computing Surveys, 2023.
- TSAS Transactions on Spatial Algorithms and Systems, 2023.
- TSAS Transactions on Spatial Algorithms and Systems, 2021.
- VLDB Very Large Data Bases, 2021.
- DAPD Distributed and Parallel Databases, 2021.
- TSAS Transactions on Spatial Algorithms and Systems, 2020.
- DAPD Distributed and Parallel Databases, 2020.
- COMP Computing Journal, 2019.
- IJCIS International Journal of Cooperative Information Systems, 2019.
- COMP Computing Journal, 2018.
- FGCS InFuture Generation Computer Systems Journal, 2018.

• External Referee for Workshops:

- IEEE BSD International Workshop on Big Spatial Data, 2024.
- BigVis International Workshop on Big Data Visual Exploration and Analytics, 2024.
- IEEE ALIAS Intl. Workshop on ALgorithms for Indoor Architectures and Systems, 2022.
- BigMine Intl. Workshop on Big Data, IoT Streams and Heterogeneous Source Mining, 2019.
- IEEE ALIAS Intl. Workshop on ALgorithms for Indoor Architectures and Systems, 2019.
- IEEE MobiSocial (MDM) Intl. Workshop on Mobile Data Management, Mining, and Computing on Social Networks, 2015.

• External Referee for Conferences/Symposiums:

- EDBT/ICDT Joint Conference, 2025.
- ACM SIGSPATIAL Intl. Conf. on Advances in GIS, 2024.
- IEEE ICDE Intl. Conference on Data Engineering, 2024.
- ACM SIGSPATIAL Intl. Conf. on Advances in GIS, 2024.
- ACM SIGMOD Intl. Management of Data Conference, 2024.
- ACM SIGSPATIAL Intl. Conf. on Advances in GIS, 2023.
- ACM SIGMOD Intl. Management of Data Conference, 2022.
- ACM SIGSPATIAL Intl. Conf. on Advances in GIS, 2021.
- ACM SIGMOD Intl. Management of Data Conference, 2021.
- IEEE MDM Intl. Conference on Mobile Data Management, 2021.
- VLDB Very Large Data Bases Conference, 2021.
- IEEE ICDE Intl. Conference on Data Engineering, 2021.
- IEEE MDM Intl. Conference on Mobile Data Management, 2020.
- IEEE ICDE Intl. Conference on Data Engineering, 2020.
- EDBT/ICDT Intl. Conference on Extending Database Technology, 2020.
- EDBT/ICDT Intl. Conference on Extending Database Technology, 2019.
- CIKM Intl. Conference on Extending Database Technology, 2018.
- IEEE MDM Intl. Conference on Mobile Data Management, 2018.
- EDBT/ICDT Intl. Conference on Extending Database Technology, 2018.
- IEEE TMC Transactions on Mobile Computing, 2017.

- IEEE MDM Intl. Conference on Mobile Data Management, 2017.
- EDBT/ICDT Intl. Conference on Extending Database Technology, 2017.
- VLDB Very Large Data Bases Conference, 2016.
- EDBT/ICDT Intl. Conference on Extending Database Technology, 2016.
- IEEE ICDE Intl. Conference on Data Engineering, 2016.
- ACM SIGMOD Intl. Management of Data Conference, 2015.
- IEEE MDM Intl. Conference on Mobile Data Management, 2015.
- VLDB Very Large Data Bases Conference, 2014
- ECML PKDD European Conference on Machine Learning and Principles and Practice of Knowledge Discovery in Databases, 2014.
- EDBT/ICDT Intl. Conference on Extending Database Technology, 2014.
- ACM DEBS Intl. Conference on Distributed Event-Based Systems, 2014.
- IEEE TSC Transactions on Services Computing, 2014.
- ACM SIGMOD Intl. Management of Data Conference, 2014.
- IEEE ISSNIP Ninth Intl. Conference on Intelligent Sensors, Sensor Networks and Information Processing, 2014.
- IEEE ICDE Intl. Conference on Data Engineering, 2013.
- SSDBM Intl. Conference on Scientific and Statistical Database Management, 2013.
- VLDB Very Large Data Bases Conference, 2013.

XI. TEACHING WORK EXPERIENCE

TEACHING APPOINTMENTS

Special Scientist, Dept. of Computer Sc., University of Cyprus

2024-current

- EPL498 Mobile Computing & Applications, (Fall 2024) https://costadb.com/courses/fall24/epl498/
- EPL498 Mobile Computing & Applications, (Fall 2023) https://costadb.com/courses/fall23/epl498/
- EPL035 Data Structures and Algorithms for ECE, (Fall 2023) https://costadb.com/courses/fall23/epl035/

Instructor, Dept. of Computer Sc., University of Pittsburgh

2019-2022

- CS 1555/2055 Database Management Systems, (Spring 2022) http://db.cs.pitt.edu/courses/cs1555/22-2/
- CS 3550 Advanced Topics in Management of Data, (Spring 2021) https://db.cs.pitt.edu/courses/cs3550/21-2/
- CS 1555/2055 Database Management Systems, (Spring 2021) http://db.cs.pitt.edu/courses/cs1555/21-2/
- CS 1645/2045 Introduction to High Performance Computing, (Spring 2021) http://db.cs.pitt.edu/courses/cs1645/21-2/
- CS 1555/2055 Database Management Systems, (Fall 2020) http://db.cs.pitt.edu/courses/cs1555/21-1/
- CS 1645/2045 Introduction to High Performance Computing, (Spring 2020) http://db.cs.pitt.edu/courses/cs1645/21-1/

- CS 1555/2055 Database Management Systems, (Spring 2020) http://db.cs.pitt.edu/courses/cs1555/20-2/
- CS 1645/2045 Introduction to High Performance Computing, (Spring 2020) http://db.cs.pitt.edu/courses/cs1645/20-2/
- CS 1645/2045 Introduction to High Performance Computing, (Fall 2019) http://db.cs.pitt.edu/courses/cs1645/20-1/
- CS/COE 0445 Data Structures, (Fall 2019) http://db.cs.pitt.edu/courses/cs0445/20-1/
- CS 1555/2055 Database Management Systems, (Summer 2019) http://db.cs.pitt.edu/courses/cs1555/19-3/
- CS 1555/2055 Database Management Systems, (Spring 2019) http://db.cs.pitt.edu/courses/cs1555/19-2/
- CS0008 Introduction to Computer Programming, (Spring 2019) http://db.cs.pitt.edu/courses/cs0008/19-2/

Special Scientist, Dept. of Computer Sc., University of Cyprus

2018

• EPL035 - Data Structures and Algorithms for ECE., (Fall 2018) https://costadb.com/courses/fall18/epl035/

Teaching Assistant, Dept. of Computer Sc., University of Cyprus

2011-2018

- EPL660 Information Retrieval and Search Engines, taught by Prof. George Pallis
 - http://www.cs.ucy.ac.cy/courses/EPL660/
- EPL646: Advanced Topics in Databases, taught by Prof. Demetris Zeinalipour https://www.cs.ucy.ac.cy/~dzeina/courses/epl646/
- EPL342 Databases, taught by Prof. Demetris Zeinalipour and Dr. Panayiotis G. Andreou
 - https://www.cs.ucy.ac.cy/~dzeina/courses/ep1342/
- EPL451 Data Mining on the Web, taught by Prof. George Pallis http://www.cs.ucy.ac.cy/courses/EPL451/
- EPL233 Object-Oriented Programming, taught by Prof. Georgia Kapitsaki, Dr. Panayiotis G. Andreou and Dr. Demetris Trihinas https://www.cs.ucy.ac.cy/~dzeina/courses/epl233/
- EPL231 Data Structures and Algorithms, taught by Prof. George Pallis https://www.cs.ucy.ac.cy/~dzeina/courses/epl231/
- EPL031 Introduction to Programming, taught by Prof. Fudos Ioannis http://moodle.cs.ucy.ac.cy/course/info.php?id=101

XII. ADVISING

• PhD. Defense Committee Member:

- Rakan A. Alseghayer, PhD Student advised by Panos K. Chrysanthis, "Optimizing Operators for Temporal and Spatiotemporal Data", Department of CS, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, USA. Defense: August 2, 2023.

• M.Sc. Committee Member::

- Arun Balajiee Lekshmi Narayanan, MS Student advised by Myself and Panos K. Chrysanthis, "Embedding Indices and Bloom Filters in Parquet files for Fast Apache Arrow Retrievals", Department of CS, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, USA. Defense: July 30, 2020.

• MS Thesis Supervised:

- Arun Balajiee Lekshmi Narayanan, MS Student, "Embedding indices and bloom filters in parquet files for fast Apache arrow retrievals", Department of CS, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, USA, 2020. (Co-advised with Panos Chrysanthis)
- Vasilis Ethan Sarris, BS/MS Student, "Comparing Forms of Indoor Congestion Modeling", Department of CS, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, USA, 2022. (Coadvised with Panos Chrysanthis)
- Benjamin Graybill, BS/MS Student, "CovidReduce/CAPRIO", Department of CS, University of Pittsburgh, PA, USA, 2021. (Co-advised with Panos Chrysanthis)

• BS Internships/Capstone Projects Supervised:

- Lucas Leiby, BSc, "Thinking Inclusively with CAPRIO", Department of CS, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, USA, 2021. (Co-advised with Panos Chrysanthis)
- Sayantani Bhattacharjee, Student Intern, "CovidReduce/CAPRIO", Department of CS, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, USA, 2021. (Co-advised with Panos Chrysanthis)
- Robert Kline, BSc, "CAPRIO v2: Accessibility Information", Department of CS, University of Pittsburgh, PA, USA, 2021. (Co-advised with Panos Chrysanthis)
- Evan Kiebler and Evan McEllhenny, BSc Students, "Context-Aware Path Recommendation", Department of CS, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, USA, 2019. (Coadvised with Panos Chrysanthis)

• Other Advising:

Marios Vladimirou, Panayiotis Eracleous, Philippos Papaphilippou, Philokypros Ioulianou, Winning in National ImagineCup contest (Rainbow Beams), Department of CS, University of Cyprus, Cyprus, 2014.

XIII. LANGUAGES

- Greek (native)
- English (fluent)

XIV. PERSONAL INFORMATION

• Gender: Male

• Place of Birth: Limassol/Cyprus

• Nationality: Cypriot

XV. REFERENCES

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