

# 2018

Self-discipline  
Social Commitment

## The Brief Introduction of

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# TSINGHUA UNIVERSITY

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## Department of Computer Science and Technology



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# History



**Established:  
1911**



**National Tsinghua  
University: 1928**



**Graduate  
School: 1929**

University Mottos :

*Self-discipline, Social Commitment*

University Maxim :

*Actions Speak Louder than Words*





# 20 Schools and 57 Departments

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- School of Architecture
- School of Civil Engineering
- School of Environment
- School of Mechanical Engineering
- School of Aerospace Engineering
- School of Information Science and Technology
- School of Materials Science and Engineering
- Dept. of Engineering Physics
- Dept. of Chemical Engineering
- School of Life Sciences
- School of Medicine

Covering disciplines in science, engineering, literature, art, history, philosophy, economics, management, law, education, and medicine.



# Faculty Number:

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- \* Faculty :3414
- \* Professor:1353
- \* Fellows of the Chinese Academy of Sciences: 45
- \* Fellows of the Chinese Academy of Engineering: 33
- \* IEEE/ACM Fellow: >100



# Diverse student body:47201

- \* Undergraduate: 15570
- \* Masters Students:19311
- \* Ph.D.Candidates:12320
- \* International Studnets:3472

## Well Known Alumni





# Campus Map

- Garden-like campus
- Situated on former imperial gardens of the Qing Dynasty
- Total area of nearly 400 hectares
- Completed construction  $> 260,000 \text{ m}^2$





# Facilities—New Concert Hall and Traditional Auditorium



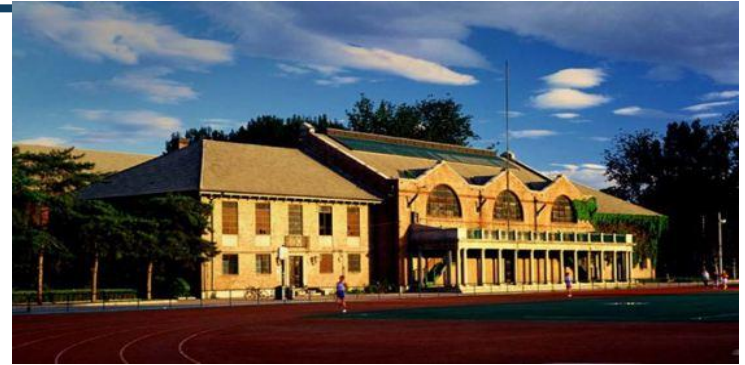


# Facilities—Art Museum





# Facilities—Sports





Welcome to the Department of Computer  
Science and Technology (THCST)







# Mission and Goal

Our goal is to build a world first-class computer science research and teaching institute...

“The Computer Science and Technology Department of Tsinghua University has become a world-class computer science research and teaching institute”

By international assessment experts in 2010





# Evolution of THCST

The computer science major was established

1956

Renamed to Department of Computer Engineering and Science

1979

Network Research Center was established

1994

School of Software was established

2001

Institute of Network and Cyberspace

2012

1958



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Prof. ShimoZhong,  
1st Dept. Head,  
Ph.D. from MIT,  
1947

1984

Department of Automatic Control was set up with computer science as one of its majors

Renamed to Department of Computer Science and Technology

2007

Institute for Theoretical Computer Science was established

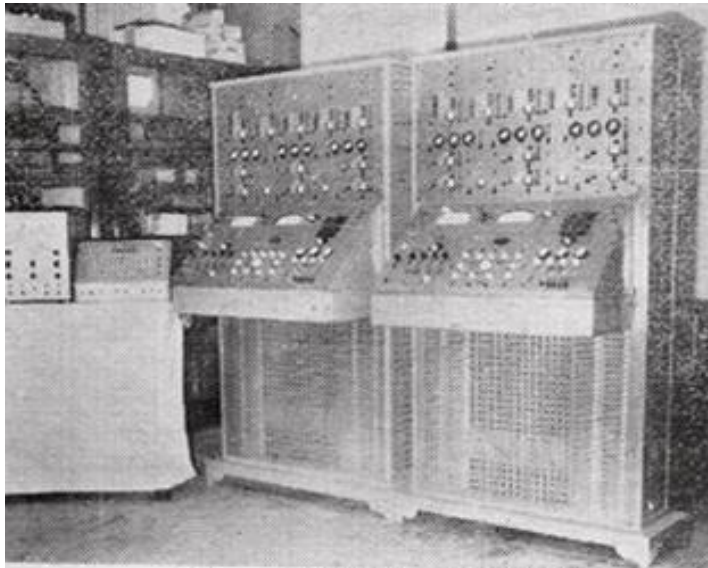






# Milestone—1950s

- \* In 1958, the nonlinear analog computer model 551 was built.
- \* In 1959, the tube-based digital computer model 911 was launched and put into operation in 1964.



红旗-551型非线性电子模拟计算机

The nonlinear analog computer model 551 (1958)



1963年2月日本青年代表团访问清华大学，惊奇地争看“这就是计算机打印出的输出纸带”，它竟能打印出文字，中日两国青年友好万岁！

The tube-based digital computer model 911 (1959)





# Milestone—1980s

- \* **The first IBM compatible micro computer in China**, 0520-C, jointly developed by Tsinghua, Great Wall Computer Corp. and the 6th Institute of Ministry of Electronic Industry, was put into massive production.
- \* An Apple compatible micro computer CEC-1 for high school and primary school students was developed at Tsinghua and over **130,000 units** were produced.



0520C-H (1986)



CEC-1 (1986)

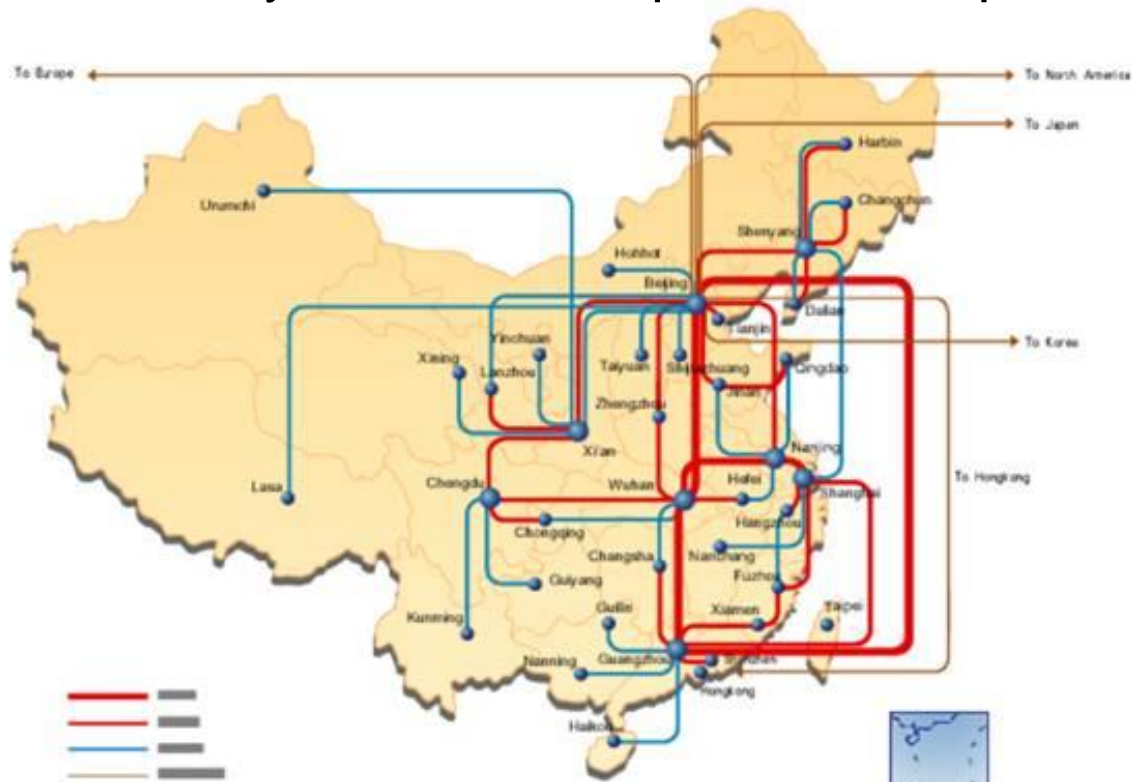






# Milestone—1990s

- \* In the 1990s, CERNET, **the largest national education and research network in the world** was built. As the driving force, Tsinghua University led its development and operation.



CERNET Topology (1994)





# Ranking in China

## No.1 CS Major in China



1996



No.1 CS major  
in China Discipline Ranking

2002



No. 1 in three evaluation terms in  
China Discipline Ranking

2006



No.1 CS major (Full mark)  
in China Discipline Ranking

2012



No.1 CS major  
in China Discipline Ranking

2012



No.1 SE major  
in China Discipline Ranking







# Ranking in the world

## Best Global University for Computer Science

- #1 Massachusetts Institute of Technology**  
United States Cambridge, MA  
#2 – Best Global Universities  
Subject Score: 100
- #2 Tsinghua University**  
China Beijing  
#57 (tied) – Best Global Universities  
Subject Score: 98.2
- #3 Stanford University**  
United States Stanford, CA  
#3 – Best Global Universities  
Subject Score: 96
- #4 Nanyang Technological University**  
Singapore  
#74 – Best Global Universities  
Subject Score: 95.3

## Quacquarelli Symonds World University Rankings





# Institutes

- \* Institute of High- Performance Computing
- \* Institute of Computer Network
- \* Institute of Computer Software
- \* Institute of Human-Computer Interaction and Media Integration
- \* State Key Lab of Intelligent Technology and Systems

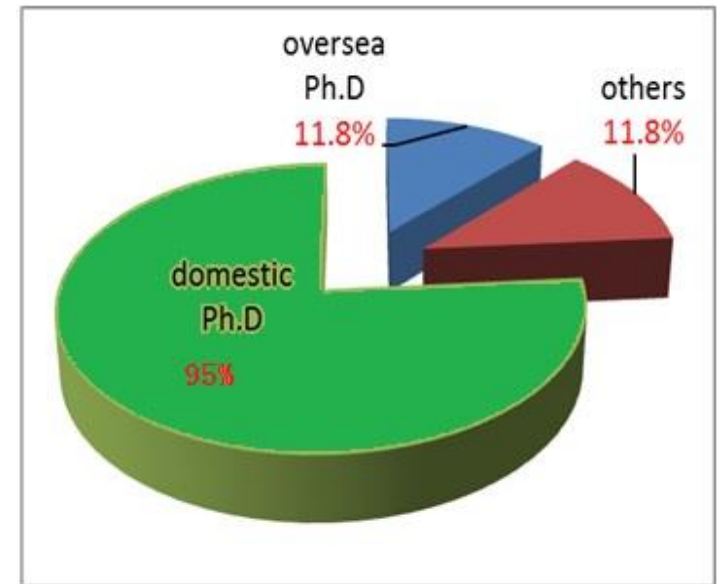






# Faculty Statistics

- \* **97 faculties and 21 staffs**
  - 4 members of Chinese Academy of Science/Engineering
  - 42 full professors
  - 47 associate professors
  - 6 IEEE Fellows
- \* **95% of faculties have PhD degree**
  - 11.8% have overseas Ph.D. degree
- \* **Over 50% have overseas working experience of over half a year**





# Research Areas

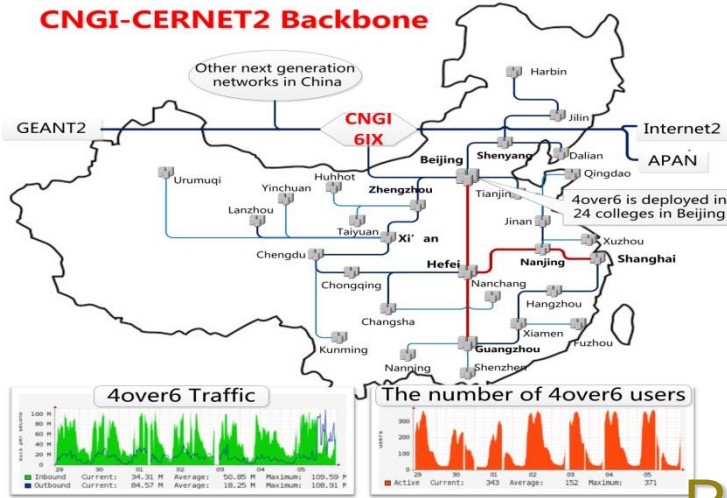
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# Research Highlights



ACM Gordon Bell Prize 2016  
PRESENTED TO  
Chao Yang, Wei Xue, Hongtao You, Xinliang Yu, Yulong Ao, Fangfang Liu, Ping Xu, Lanning Wang, Guangwen Yang, Weinan...

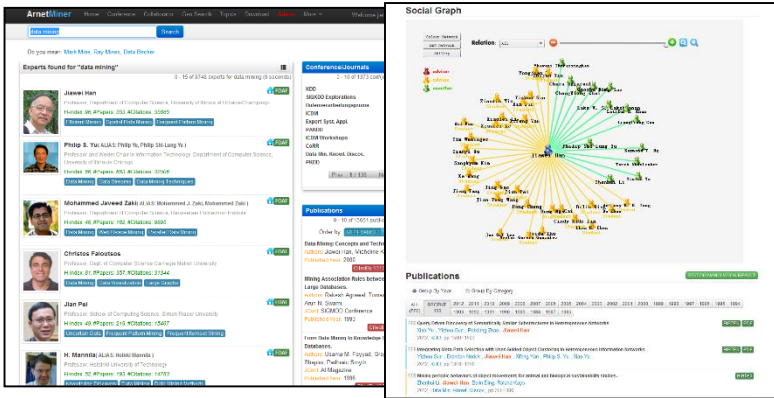
FOR 10M-Core Scalable Fully-Immersive Nonhydrostatic Atmospheric Dynamics Simulation

Yoshihiro Kinoshita  
ACM PRESIDENT AWARDS COMMITTEE CO-CHAIR



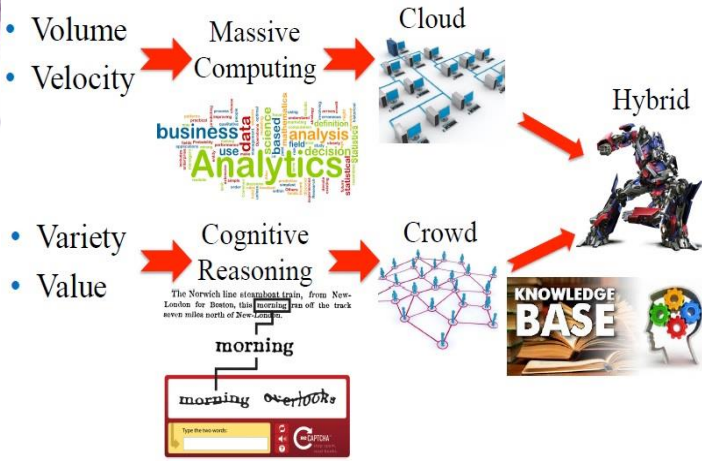
## Cernet

## Run the No.1 HPC in the world (Sunway Taihu Light :125.436PFlops)



## Academic Social network (Aminer) More than 600M visits from 220 countries

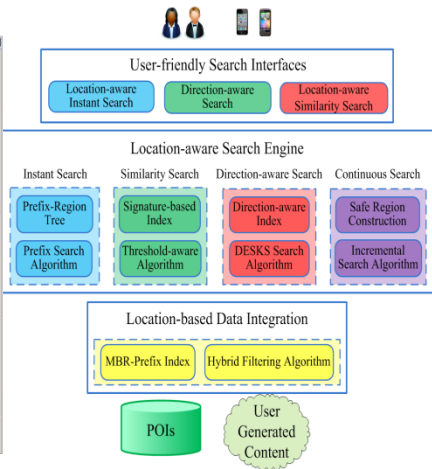
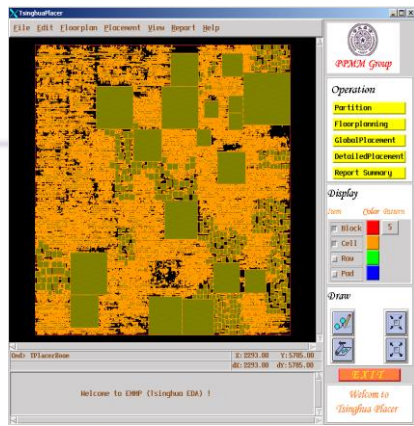




# Hybrid Machine-Human Computing



Brain-Controlled Robot



# Software Engineering



Human-Computer Interface



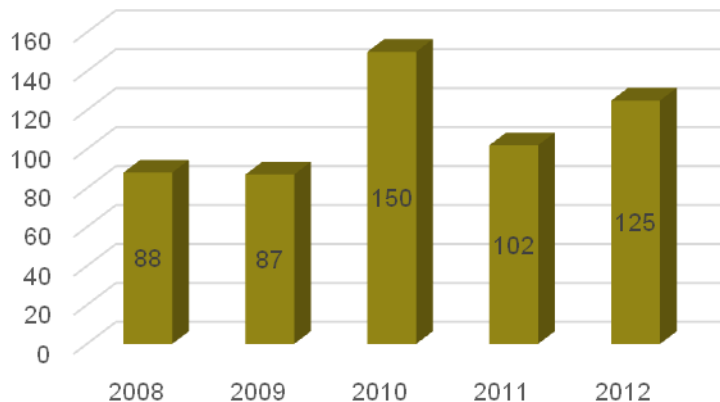




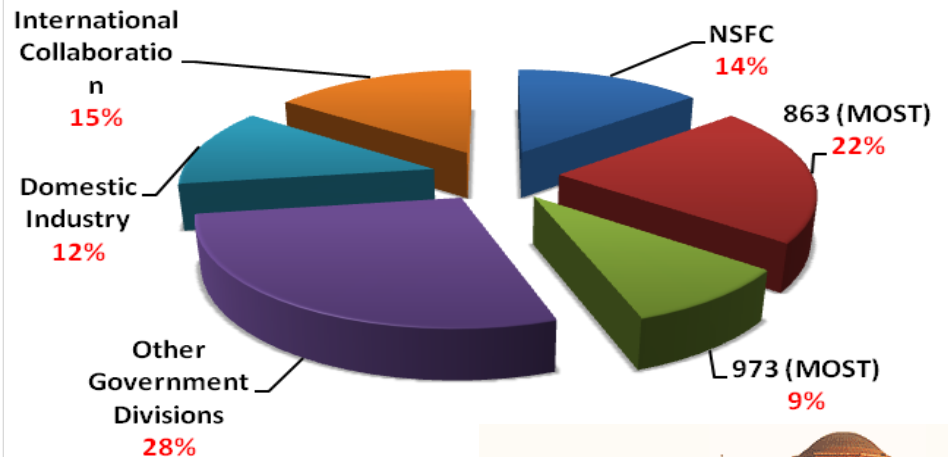
# Research Grants

- \* Research grants has been increasing consistently over the past years
  - 1~2M RMB / faculty
  - About 2/3 of research funding comes from government, 1/3 from industry
  - International Cooperation with more than 20 countries from North America, Europe, Asia, Australia, Africa.

Annual Research Funding(Unit:1M RMB)



Source of Research Funding





# Education Programs

## \* Programs & Degrees

- \* Undergraduate program(Bachelor): 4 years
- \* Master program
  - Master of Science (M.S.): 3 years
  - Master of Engineering (M.E.): 3 years
  - Master in Advanced Computing (for foreign students, in English): 2 years
- \* Ph.D. program (Ph.D.): 4-6 years





# Undergraduate

## \* Admission

- TOP 10 in their home provinces
- 92% of all IOI winners
- 85% of all NOI winners
- 150 students/year
- About 610 students







# Undergraduate

- \* 83 courses (CS and public courses)
- \* 17 outstanding courses
- \* 3 Beijing distinguished teachers
- \* Three unique features:
  - Freshmen Seminar
  - Advanced Laboratory
  - Student Research Training (SRT)





# Student Research Training

- \* Student Research Training (SRT) helps undergraduates gain experience at early stage of their research career.
- \* Selected students joined research projects advised by faculty members. More than 600 undergraduate students worked on over 740 SRT projects in recent five years.



**SRT students present system to industry collaborators**





# Graduate Students

- \* Current graduate students: 1195
  - Doctoral candidates: 484
  - Master of Science: 341
  - Master of Engineering: 370
- \* Courses
  - 70 graduate courses
  - 11 Tsinghua Outstanding Courses







# Student' Best Paper Awards

- \* Students have published hundreds of papers in top conferences/journals such as SIGGRAPH, SIGCOMM, SIGMOD, SIGKDD.
- \* A number of **best paper awards** at ACL, COLING, CHI, Multimedia, ICME, ICCD, FSE etc.





# Opportunities for Students

## \* Internship in industry

- MSRA, Google, IBM, Intel, Tencet, Baidu, Sohu, Netease

## \* Scholarship from major IT companies

- Tsinghua THCST became the 11<sup>th</sup> member of Siebel Scholars Program in 2009, the only one outside U.S.



## \* International conferences and visits

- ~200 students attend international conferences per year
- ~100 students visit international institutions per year





# Advanced Computing (International)

- \* International Master/PhD program
  - \* Launched in 2010/2017
  - \* students
    - 105 Degree students
    - more than 70 Exchange students
- \* International diversity
  - \* ~ 20 countries
    - 40% from Europe
    - 40% from Asia
    - 10% from U.S.
    - 10% from Africa







# Advanced Computing (cont.)

- \* Two years
  - 24 credits (~10 courses)
- \* Applicants should have a Bachelor's degree in CS or related areas
  - GPA:3.2
- \* Living cost
  - About 3500 RMB/month
  - Food, housing... included
- \* Scholarship
  - Chinese Government Scholarship
  - Beijing Government Scholarship
  - 60% degree student will get scholarship





# Advanced Computing—Courses

## \* **Compulsory course (12 credits)**

- Chinese Language
- Chinese Culture and Society
- Academic Activities
- Literature Survey and Thesis Proposal
- Combinatorics and Algorithms Design
- Machine Learning

## \* **Elective Courses (no fewer than 11 credits)**

- Web Information Retrieval
- Database Technologies
- Fundamentals of Computer Graphics
- Topics in Advanced Multimedia Technologies
- .....





# Culture Exploration







# Student Exchange

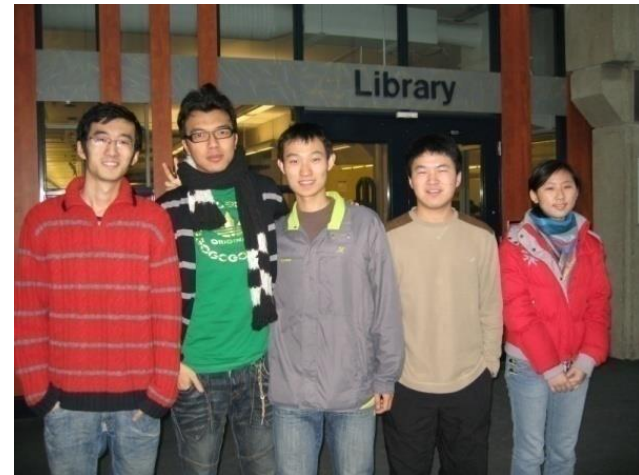
- \* Notre Dame University/University of South California/Stanford/MIT/CMU... (Research based)
- \* USC/CMU...in US (Course/Research based)
- \* Imperial College London (Course/Research based)
- \* Epitech and Suplec in France (to our English Master program) (Course/Research based)
- \* Five universities in Hong Kong (Course/Research based)





# Dual-degree Program (MS)

- \* CMU/USC, 3 years
  - Master degree from both Universities
- \* Waterloo: 3 years (in Tsinghua) + X years ( $X \geq 2$ )
  - Bachelor degree from Tsinghua University and Master degree from Waterloo





**THANK YOU!**

