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# Real-world Processing-in-Memory Systems for Modern Workloads

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## Processing-in-Memory Course (Spring 2023)

Short weekly lectures

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Hands-on projects



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Interest in making systems efficient and usable

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energy in consumer applications. As a result, the data movement bottleneck is a huge burden that greatly limits the energy efficiency and performance of modern computing systems. This phenomenon is an undesired effect of the dichotomy between memory and the processor, which leads to the data movement

Many modern and important workloads such as machine learning, computational biology, graph processing, databases, video analytics, and real-time data analytics suffer greatly from the data movement bottleneck. These workloads are exemplified by irregular memory accesses, relatively low data reuse, low cache line utilization, low arithmetic intensity (i.e., ratio of operations per accessed byte), and large datasets that greatly exceed the main memory size. The computation in these workloads cannot usually compensate for the data movement costs. In order to alleviate this data movement bottleneck, we need a paradigm shift from the traditional processor-centric design, where all computation takes place in the compute units, to a more data-centric design where processing elements are placed closer to or inside where the data resides. This paradigm of computing is known as Processing-in-Memory (PIM).

This is your perfect P&S if you want to become familiar with the main PIM technologies, which represent "the next big thing" in Computer Architecture. You will work hands-on with the first real-world PIM architecture, will explore different PIM architecture designs for important workloads, and will develop tools to enable research of future PIM systems. Projects in this course span software and hardware as well as the software/hardware interface. You can potentially work on developing and optimizing new workloads for the first real-world PIM hardware or explore new PIM designs in simulators, or do something else that

- Digital Design and Computer Architecture (or equivalent course).
- Interest in future computer architectures and computing paradigms.
- Interest in discovering why things do or do not work and solving problems

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### • February 26<sup>th</sup>: Lectures + Hands-on labs + Invited lectures



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### • March 26<sup>th</sup>: Lectures + Hands-on labs + Invited lectures

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Hands-on Lab: Programming and Understanding a Real

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Dr. Juan Gómez Luna

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## Real PIM Tutorial (ISCA 2023)

### • June 18th: Lectures + Hands-on labs + Invited lectures

#### Real-world Processing-in-Memory Systems for Modern Workloads

#### **Tutorial Description**

Processing-in-Memory (PIM) is a computing paradigm that aims at overcoming the data movement bottleneck (i.e., the waste of execution cycles and energy resulting from the back-and-forth data movement between memory units and compute units) by making memory compute-capable. Table of Contents

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Explored over several decades since the 1960s, PIM systems are becoming a reality with the advent of the first commercial products and prototypes.

A number of startups (e.g., UPMEM, Neuroblade) are already commercializing real PIM hardware, each with its own design approach and target applications. Several major vendors (e.g., Samsung, SK Hynix, Alibaba) have presented real PIM chip prototypes in the last two years. Most of these architectures have in common that they place compute units near the memory arrays. This type of PIM is called processing near memory (PNM).



PIM can provide large improvements in both performance and energy consumption for many modern applications, thereby enabling a commercially viable way of dealing with huge amounts of data that is bottlenecking our computing systems. Yet, it is critical to (1) study and understand the characteristics that make a workload suitable for a PIM architecture, (2) propose optimization strategies for PIM kernels, and (3) develop programming frameworks and tools that can lower the learning curve and ease the adoption of PIM.

This tutorial focuses on the latest advances in PIM technology, workload characterization for PIM, and programming and optimizing PIM kernels. We will (1) provide an introduction to PIM and taxonomy of PIM systems, (2)

give an overview and a rigorous analysis of existing real-world PIM hardware, (3) conduct hand-on labs about important workloads (machine learning, sparse linear algebra, bioinformatics, etc.) using real PIM systems, and (4) shed light on how to improve future PIM systems for such workloads.

10:20am- 11:00am	Dr. Juan Gómez Luna	Processing-Near-Memory: Real PNM Architectures / Programming General-purpose PIM	는 (PDF) P (PPT)
11:20am- 11:50am	Prof. Izzat El Hajj	High-throughput Sequence Alignment using Real Processing-in-Memory Systems	(PDF) P (PPT)
11:50am- 12:30pm	Dr. Christina Giannoula	SparseP: Towards Efficient Sparse Matrix Vector Multiplication for Real Processing-In-Memory Systems	(PDF) P (PPT)
2:00pm- 2:45pm	Dr. Sukhan Lee	Introducing Real-world HBM-PIM Powered System for Memory-bound Applications	(PDF)
2:45pm- 3:30pm	Dr. Juan Gómez Luna / Ataberk Olgun	Processing-Using-Memory: Exploiting the Analog Operational Properties of Memory Components / PUM Prototypes: PiDRAM	→ (PDF) ₽ (PPT) → (PDF) ₽ (PPT)
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### Introducing Real-world HBM-PIM Powered System for Memory-bound Applications



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## Agenda (EDT GMT-4)

- 7:55am-8:00am, Dr Juan Gómez Luna, "Welcome & Agenda."
- 8:00am-9:20am, Prof. Onur Mutlu / Geraldo F. Oliveira, "Memory-centric Computing: Introduction to PIM as a Paradigm to Overcome the Data Movement Bottleneck."
  - PIM taxonomy: PNM (processing near memory) and PUM (processing using memory).
  - DAMOV Workload Characterization Methodology.
- 9:20am-10:20am, Dr. Juan Gómez Luna, "Processing-Near-Memory: Real PNM."
  - PNM prototypes: Samsung HBM-PIM, SK Hynix AiM, Samsung AxDIMM, Alibaba HB-PNM.
  - UPMEM PIM: Architecture Characterization, Programming.
- Coffee break (10:20am-10:40am)
- 10:40am-11:20am, Prof. Youngsok Kim (Yonsei University), "PID-Join: A Fast In-Memory Join Algorithm for Commodity PIM-Enabled DIMMs."
- 11:20am-12:00pm, Dr. Abu Sebastian (IBM Research Zürich), "PUM Based on Memristive Devices: The IBM HERMES Project Chip."
- Lunch break (12:00pm-1:00pm)
- 1:00pm-2:00pm, Geraldo F. Oliveira, "Processing-Using-DRAM: Ambit, SIMDRAM, pLUTo."
- 2:00pm-3:15pm, Dr. Juan Gómez Luna, "Accelerating Modern Workloads on a General-purpose PIM System: Machine leaning, Genomics..."
- 3:15pm-3:45pm, Dr. Juan Gómez Luna, "Adoption Issues: How to Enable PIM?"
- 3:45pm-4:15pm, Dr. Juan Gómez Luna, "SimplePIM: A Software Framework for High-level PIM Programming."
- 4:15pm-5:00pm, Ataberk Olgun, "Processing-Using-Memory Prototypes: PiDRAM."
- 5:00pm-5:10pm, Dr. Juan Gómez Luna, "Introduction/Preparation for Hands-on Labs."
  - Optional Hands-on Lab: Programming and Understanding a Real PIM Architecture.

## Join Algorithm for Commodity PIM DIMMs

- PID-Join: A Fast In-Memory Join Algorithm for Commodity PIM-Enabled DIMMs
  - Prof. Youngsok Kim
- Abstract: Modern dual in-line memory modules (DIMMs) now allow applications to offload their memory-intensive operations onto the in-DIMM processors (IDPs) located near the memory banks of a DIMM. The IDPs can greatly accelerate in-memory joins whose performance is frequently bottlenecked by main-memory accesses. In this talk, I will present PID-Join, a fast in-memory join algorithm which exploits the IDPs to further improve the performance of in-memory joins. PID-Join is optimized for UPMEM DIMMs, currently the only publicly-available DIMMs equipped with the IDPs. PID-Join achieves significant speedups over the existing CPU-based join implementations by prototyping and evaluating hash, sort-merge, and nested-loop algorithms optimized for the IDPs, enabling fast inter-IDP communication using host CPU cache streaming and vector instructions, and facilitating fast rank-wise data transfers between the IDPs and the main memory.
- **Bio:** Youngsok Kim is currently an assistant professor with the Department of Computer Science at Yonsei University. His research interests span computer architecture and system software with an emphasis on architecture-conscious database management systems, performance modeling, and architectural support for deep learning. He received his BSc and PhD in Computer Science and Engineering from POSTECH. He was a post-doc researcher at Seoul National University before joining Yonsei University, and was an intern at Consumer Hardware, Google Inc. and S.LSI Business, Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd. during his PhD studies.

## **PUM based on Memristive Devices**

- PUM based on Memristive Devices: The IBM HERMES Project Chip
  - Dr. Abu Sebastian
- Abstract: I will introduce analog in-memory computing (or processing using memory) based on memristive technology. A multi-tile, mixed-signal AIMC prototype chip (The IBM HERMES Project Chip) aimed at deep learning inference application will be presented. This chip fabricated in 14nm CMOS technology comprises 64 AIMC cores/tiles based on phase-change memory technology. I will delve deeper into the device, circuits, architectural and algorithmic aspects of AIMC based on this prototype chip. Finally, I will conclude with a brief overview of on-going research activities.
- **Bio:** Dr. Abu Sebastian is one of the technical leaders of IBM's research efforts towards next generation AI Hardware and manages the in-memory computing group at IBM Research Zurich. He is the author of over 200 publications in peer-reviewed journals/conference proceedings and holds over 90 US patents. In 2015 he was awarded the European Research Council (ERC) consolidator grant and in 2020, he was awarded an ERC Proof-of-concept grant. He was an IBM Master Inventor and was named Principal and Distinguished Research Staff Member in 2018 and 2020, respectively. In 2019, he received the Ovshinsky Lectureship Award for his contributions to "Phase-change materials for cognitive computing". In 2023, he was conferred the title of Visiting Professor in Materials by University of Oxford. He is a distinguished lecturer and fellow of the IEEE. Homepage: https://research.ibm.com/people/abu-sebastian

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