

# Georges Younes

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## Curriculum Vitae

### Education

- 2015–Present **PhD in Computer Science**, *MAP-i Doctoral Program*, Universities of Minho, Porto and Aveiro, Portugal.
- 2011–2013 **Masters of Computer Science and Telecommunication**, *Université Toulouse III*, France.  
First Of Class
- 2007–2010 **Bachelor of Computer Science**, *The Lebanese University*, Fanar, Lebanon.

### Experience

- 2017–present **LightKone Project**, HASLAB/INESC TEC AND UNIVERSIDADE DO MINHO, Braga, Portugal, under the supervision of Ali Shoker and Carlos Baquero.  
Developing the runtime system for the LightKone European Project
- 2016–2017 **Syncfree Project**, NOVA-LINCS AND FCT/ UNIVERSIDADE NOVA DE LISBOA, Lisboa, Portugal, under the supervision of Carlos Baquero and Nuno Preguiça.  
Implementing multi-master replication using CRDTs in Redis.
- 2016 **Google Summer of Code 2016**, BEAM COMMUNITY, with Christopher Meiklejohn.  
Implementation and Evaluation of operation-based CRDTs in Lasp.
- 2015 **Masters internship**, HASLAB/ INESC TEC AND UNIVERSITY OF MINHO, Braga, Portugal, under the supervision of Ali Shoker and Carlos Baquero.  
Implementing pure operation-based CRDTs in Soundcloud/Roshi
- 2013–2014 **Software Engineer**, PATH SOLUTIONS, Lebanon.  
Web Development using MVC architecture, struts2, J2EE platform, spring framework and MyBatis.
- 2011–2012 **Analyst Developer**, TELECOM EXPERTS S.A.L., Lebanon.  
Web Development for J2EE platform using spring framework.

### Grants and Awards

- 2018 **Project TEC4Growth**, *Pervasive Intelligence, Enhancers and Proofs of Concept with Industrial Impact*, NORTE-01-0145-FEDER-000020, HASLab/INESC TEC.
- 2017 **Project CORAL**, *Sustainable Ocean Exploitation: Tools and Sensors*, NORTE-01-0145-FEDER-000036, HASLab/INESC TEC.
- 2016 **GSOC'16**, *Google Summer of Code 2016 Award and Certificate*, with Christopher Meiklejohn, Google Inc..

- 2016 **EU Project SyncFree**, *Research grant from European FP7 SyncFree project*, 609551, FCT/Universidade Nova de Lisboa.
- 2015 **Research Grant**, *Internship Grant at Universidade do Minho*, Highly-Available and Conflict-Free Distributed Key-Value Cache, HASLab/ INESC TEC.
- 2009 **Merite Blé Vert**, *Full Scholarship*, College de la Sagesse, Audi Bank Saradar group.

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## Publications

- 2018 **Published**, *The GDPR-Blockchain paradox: a work around*, Middleware-WGCS, with Fabio Coelho.
- 2018 **Accepted**, *The Pitfalls in Achieving Tagged Causal Delivery*, EuroSys-PaPoC, with Paulo Sérgio Almeida and Carlos Baquero.
- 2017 **Published**, *Compact Resettable Counters through Causal Stability*, EuroSys-PaPoC, with Paulo Sérgio Almeida and Carlos Baquero.
- 2016 **Published**, *Integration Challenges of Pure operation-based CRDTs in Redis*, ECOOP-PMLDC, with Ali Shoker, Carlos Baquero and Paulo Sérgio Almeida.

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## Teaching/Supervision

- 2016–Present **Msc. thesis in Computer Eng.**, *Implementation and Evaluation of Tagged Causal Multicast as a Rust Library*, Supervisor, with Paulo Sérgio Almeida.

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## Conferences and Presentations

- 2016 **Presentation**, *Integration Challenges of Pure operation-based CRDTs in Redis*, ECOOP-PMLDC, Rome, Italy.
- 2016 **Presentation**, *European Project SyncFree*, Lisbon, Portugal.
- 2016 **Poster**, *Poster session at OPEN DAY HASLAB*, INESC TEC, Porto, Portugal.
- 2017 **Presentation**, *European Project LightKone*, Braga, Portugal.
- 2017 **Talk**, *CRDTs: In theory and practice*, InfoBlender HASLab Seminar, Braga, Portugal.
- 2017 **Presentation**, *Compact Resettable Counters through Causal Stability*, EuroSys-PaPoC, Belgrade, Serbia.
- 2017 **Student Volunteer**, *EuroSys'17*, The 12th European Conference on Computer Systems, Belgrade, Serbia.
- 2017 **Subreviewer**, *DAIS'17*, The 17th International Conference on Distributed Applications and Interoperable Systems.
- 2018 **Talk**, *Discussion/Training on operation-based CRDTs*, IPFS/Protocol Labs, Lisbon, Portugal.
- 2018 **Student Volunteer**, *EuroSys'18*, The 13th European Conference on Computer Systems, Porto, Portugal.
- 2018 **Student Volunteer**, *Chain-In*, The International Industrial and Academic Conference on Blockchain Technology, Porto, Portugal.

2018 **Presentation**, *The Pitfalls in Achieving Tagged Causal Stability*, EuroSys-PaPoC, Porto, Portugal.

2018 **Subreviewer**, *SRDS'18*, The 37th IEEE International Symposium on Reliable Distributed Systems.

## Languages

Arabic **Native Proficiency**

English **Effective Operational Proficiency**

*IELTS C1 Certified*

French **Upper-Intermediate Proficiency**

*DELF B2 Certified*

Portuguese **Intermediate Proficiency**

*A2 Certified*

## Interests

- Puzzles, brain-teasers

- Kickboxing

- Reading

- Classical music