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PhD

title *Building Source-to-Source Compilers for Heterogeneous Targets*
supervisors François Irigoien (Mines ParisTech/CRI) and Ronan Keryell (Télécom Bretagne/Silkan)
description Given the fast evolution of hardware, compilers can hardly keep up. This PhD proposes a solution based on a scriptable compiler infrastructure combined with high-level code transformations.

Education

2002–2006 **French Grande École d'Ingénieur, \simeq Master Degree, Télécom Bretagne.**
specialized in software engineering & networks

Experience

Vocational

since nov. **Senior Engineer, RedHat, Telecommuting.**
2018 Maintaining, fixing and improving LLVM. *LLVM, C++, Packaging*
2013–2018 **R&D Engineer, QuarksLab, Telecommuting.**
R&D in compilation for security: building an LLVM-based obfuscator. *LLVM, C++, Obfuscation*
2012–2013 **Chief HPC Engineer, Quiet-Oceans, Plouzané.**
R&D in parallel computing: building an ocean noise simulator. *C++, Python, OpenMP, MPI*
2011–2012 **R&D Engineer, HPC Project, Telecommuting.**
Extension and stabilization of the Par4All auto-parallelizing compiler. *C, OpenMP, CUDA, OpenCL*
2008 **R&D Engineer, INRIA/PARIS, Rennes.**
Automatic certification of distributed computations within the KAAPI middleware. *C++, Java, JNI*
2006–2007 **R&D Engineer, INRIA/MOAIIS, Grenoble.**
Extensions and applications of the KAAPI middleware for distributed and parallel computing. *C++*

Open Source Activity

2020–∞ **Scientific Python Stack, Numpy, SciPy, scikit-image.**
Codebase modernization and kernel optimisation.
2020–∞ **xsimd, <https://xsimd.readthedocs.io>.**
Portable SIMD instruction abstraction.
2019–∞ **Fedora, <https://src.fedoraproject.org/user/sergesanspaille>.**
Packaging the LLVM toolchain and a few other projects.
2017–∞ **LLVM, <https://llvm.org/>.**
Various bug fixes and code enhancements.
2017–∞ **Frozen, <https://github.com/serge-sans-paille/frozen>.**
C++14 library providing optimized frozen version for some standard STL containers and algorithms.
2016–∞ **Gast, <https://github.com/serge-sans-paille/gast>.**
Cross-version Python AST abstraction.
2012–∞ **Pythran, <http://pythran.readthedocs.io/>.**
Compiler of a DSL embedded in Python for scientific computing

Computer skills

Compilation Obfuscation, Vectorization, Parallelism
Parallellism Distributed/Shared memory, SIMD
Scientific Computing Legacy codes optimization and parallelization
Packaging and Build System Legacy codes optimization and parallelization
Daily used Tools/Lang C, C++, Python, git, GNU tools, TDD, valgrind

Languages

French	native	English	Cambridge Advanced Certificate
German	Goethe Institut Zertifikat Deutsch	Russian	rusty

Publications

Articles, talks and blog entries on compilation, scientific computing or obfuscation.

RedHat <https://developers.redhat.com/author/serge-guelton>
MiscMag <https://connect.ed-diamond.com/auteur/guelton-serge> (in french)
QuarksLab <https://blog.quarkslab.com/author/serge-guelton.html>
Talks <http://serge-sans-paille.github.io/talks/>
Papers <http://serge.liyun.free.fr/serge/publications.html>

Interests

TaeKwonDo Practicing and teaching – 2nd dan
Storytelling Mostly Nordic, Slavic and Breton tales
Woodcrafting From chopping trees to building furnitures ;-)