

Ideas for articles

Writing articles is part of my [retirement plan](#). Most of the ideas for articles listed below will probably stay as just ideas. Articles I've actually written after retiring are [here](#).

- Memories of my PhD research
- Trying to understand probability and what it means
- Catching up with the last thirty years of functional programming
- The mysterious allure category theory
- Longer version of my article “Christopher Strachey: recollections of his influence”
- Recollections of Gordon Plotkin’s discovery of logical relations
- Wisdom gained from supervising and examining students
- The amazing longevity and inspiration of Hoare logic ideas
- The amazing longevity and inspiration of Milner’s LCF ideas
- Reflections on the evolution and future prospects of HOL
- Memories of the RSRE Viper microprocessor
- A history of the ideas underlying deep and shallow embedding
- My fruitful collaboration with Graham Birtwhistle

- A history of linking HOL and ACL2
- Why I think the CakeML project is awesome
- Research suggestions for other people
- Why I published so few papers
- Some background to my Mother's memoir "A Himalayan Sunset" describing her childhood in India