

## **PROFILE**

Extremely passionate about problem solving, learning new technologies and exploring interesting ideas. With a B.Sc. in Mathematics a M.Sc. in Computer Science, I have developed a deep love for problem solving. Passionate about working with open-source projects and communities to keep driving advances around security and privacy. Currently a PhD student, with a focus on applied cryptography, eager to bring those cryptographic primitives to the real world, through standardization efforts, research focused on applicability as well as novelty, and implementations development.

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# **HOBBIES**

Coding
Playing Music
Cycling
Riddle Solving

# **VASILIS KALOS**

## **EDUCATION**

M.Sc., Computer Science.

2020 - 2021.

Athens University of Economics and Business.

Department of Informatics.

B.Sc., with Honours, Mathematics.

2014 - 2020.

National Kapodistrian University of Athens.

Department of Mathematics.

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### MATTR | Cryptography Engineer

Nov 2021 - Today, New Zeeland,

Working on cryptographic algorithms, implementations, and technical cryptographic open standards focused on zero-knowledge proofs. Security engineering and developing with Rust. Researching mobile hardware security.

# MMLab AUEB | PhD Student - Cryptography

March 2022 - Today, Greece,

Research in cryptography, focused on public key systems, zero-knowledge proofs, multi-party computations, threshold schemes, post-quantum cryptography as well as credential systems and identity management.

NCSR Demokritos, Nanometrisis | Internship – Mathematical Modeling Aug 2019 – Nov 2019, Greece,

Mathematical analyses of nano imprinted materials and surfaces.

## **SELECTED PUBLICATIONS**

Kalos, V., & Polyzos, G. C. "Requirements and Secure Serialization for Selective Disclosure Verifiable Credentials", In IFIP International Conference on ICT Systems Security and Privacy Protection, (2022).

Fotiou, N., Faltaka, E., Kalos, V., Kefala, A., Pittaras, I., Siris, V. A., & Polyzos, G. C. "Continuous authorization over HTTP using Verifiable Credentials and OAuth 2.0". Open Identity Summit, (2022).

Fotiou, N., Kalos, V., Thomas, Y., Xylomenos, G., Siris, V. A., & Mobile, G. C. P. "Selective Content Disclosure using Zero-Knowledge Proofs", (2022)

Looker, T., Kalos, V., Whitehead, A., & Lobber, M. (2022). "The BBS Signature Scheme". Active Internet-Draft, Internet Eng. Task Force (2022).

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Programing Languages: Rust, C/C++, Node, Js/Ts, Java, Kotlin
Tools and Frameworks: Git/GitHub, GitLab, Docker, React Native, Shell
Scripting, Web Assembly

Other: Trusted computing (secure hardware, trusted platform modules etc.), Linux OS, Android OS