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Abstract

We report on the Year 2 Project Workshop of the AVISPA Project. The workshop, titled "Automated Reasoning for Security Protocol Analysis" (ARSPA), was held at the University College, Cork (Ireland), on July 4, 2004 in the context of the 2nd International Joint Conference on Automated Reasoning (IJCAR'04). The workshop brought together researchers and practitioners from both the security and the automated reasoning communities, from academia and industry, who are working on developing and applying automated reasoning techniques and tools for the formal specification and analysis of security protocols. The results of the workshop have been significant in terms of dissemination and cross-fertilisation of ideas. The workshop proceedings will be published as a special issue of the Electronic Notes in Theoretical Computer Science. Moreover, the members of the program committee of ARSPA will guest-edit a Special Issue of the Journal of Automated Reasoning collecting original papers on automated reasoning techniques and tools for the formal specification and analysis of security protocols.

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1 Introduction

The Year 2 Project Workshop, titled "Automated Reasoning for Security Protocol Analysis" (ARSPA), was held at the University College, Cork (Ireland), on July 4, 2004 in the context of the 2nd International Joint Conference on Automated Reasoning (IJCAR'04). The workshop was devoted to recent advances on the specification of security protocols and their properties and well as on the techniques for their automatic analysis. The goal of the workshop was to bring together researchers working in the drafting, specification, and verification of Internet security-sensitive applications, in order to compare different approaches and methodologies, and foster cross-fertilisation of ideas.

The Organising Committee, consisting of Alessandro Armando (UNIGE), David Basin (ETHZ), Jorge Cuellar (SIEMENS), Michaël Rusinowitch (INRIA), and Luca Viganò (ETHZ) was set well in advance in order to plan and undertake the necessary organisational measures. Alessandro Armando and Luca Viganò were appointed program chairs of the workshop.

Following the call published by the IJCAR Workshop Chair, a workshop proposal (see Annex A) was prepared by the Organising Committee. Upon acceptance of the proposal (as IJCAR workshop W6, see `http://www.mpi-sb.mpg.de/~baumgart/ijcar-workshops/`), the organisation of the event started with the creation of the workshop web site (URL: `http://www.avispa-project.org/arspa`) and the preparation and publication of the call for papers (see Annex B).

By the deadline, 18 papers were submitted from a wide variety of countries: France, Ireland, Italy, Malaysia, Mexico, The Netherlands, Portugal, Switzerland, UK, and USA. The reviewing process was carried out by the Organising Committee with the collaboration of 16 additional referees. Each paper was reviewed by at least 2 independent referees. As a result of the reviewing process, 9 regular papers were accepted for presentation at the workshop. Two additional papers presenting interesting, even though not completely mature work were accepted for short presentations at the workshop.

2 Description of the event

The program of the workshop (see Table 1) consisted of the presentation of the 9 regular papers, the presentation of the two short papers, and by an invited talk given by an internationally renown researcher, namely

- Prof. Simon Foley from the University College, Cork, Ireland.

Prof. Foley's talk about the problems associated with the modelling and formalisation of the notion of the integrity raised several interesting issues, which the audience discussed in detail

Participation in the workshop was open to the public, and ARSPA was one of the most successful of the IJCAR'04 workshops, with approximately 50 participants.[1]

Table 1: Program of the workshop

Morning		
9:00-9:10	A. Armando, L. Viganò	*Opening*
9:10-10:00	S. Foley	*Believing the Integrity of a System* (Invited Talk)
10:00-10:30	M. Bond, J. Clulow	*Extending Security Protocol Analysis: New Challenges*
11:00-11:30	H. Chen, J.A. Clark, J.L. Jacob	*Synthesizing Efficient and Effective Security Protocols*
11:30-12:00	C. Lynch, C. Meadows	*On the Relative Soundness of the Free Algebra Model for Public Key Encryption*
12:00-12:30	Y. Chevalier, R. Küsters, M. Rusinowitch, M. Turuani	*Deciding the Security of Protocols with Commuting Public Key Encryption*
Afternoon		
14:00-14:40	C. Caleiro, L. Viganò, D. Basin	*Metareasoning about Security Protocols using Distributed Temporal Logic*
14:30-15:00	A. Armando, L. Compagna	*An Optimized Intruder Model for SAT-based Model-Checking of Security Protocols*
15:00-15:30	L. Mazaré	*Satisfiability of Dolev-Yao Constraints*
16:00-16:30	G. Steel, A. Bundy	*Attacking a Group Multicast Protocol using CORAL*
16:30-17:00	P. Hankes Drielsma, S. Mödersheim	*The ASW Protocol Revisited: A Unified View*
17:00-17:15	E. Kleiner, B. Roscoe	*Web Services Security: a preliminary study using Casper and FDR* (short paper)
17:15-17:30	F. Sadri, F. Toni	*A logic-based approach to reasoning with beliefs about trust* (short paper)

[1] Note also that related talks on protocol analysis were given also as part of the main technical program of the IJCAR conference (2 talks), as well as in two other associated workshops (3 talks at the "UNIF" workshop and 1 at the "Disproving" workshop), which further shows that protocol analysis is currently one of the most important and research topics in computer science; see `http://www.4c.ucc.ie/ijcar/` for more details on these talks.

3 Dissemination

The workshop proved to be a stimulating forum for the exchange of ideas on state-of-the-art techniques for the modelling, formalisation, and automatic analysis of security protocols. Special measures were planned and undertaken by the Organising Committee in order to ensure a timely and widespread dissemination of the works presented at the workshop.

Workshop Proceedings. In order to provide a timely dissemination of ideas, workshop proceedings were made available in electronic format on the workshop web-site before the workshop took place. Furthermore, hard copies of the workshop proceedings have been distributed to the participants. Finally, in order to ensure a wide dissemination of the results, workshop proceedings have been collected and will soon be published by Elsevier as a special issue of the Electronic Notes in Theoretical Computer Science (ENTCS, URL: `http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/journal/15710661`).

Special Issue of the Journal of Automated Reasoning. Following contacts with the Editor in Chief of the Journal of Automated Reasoning, the Organising Committee of ARSPA is working at the organisation of a special issue of the Journal of Automated Reasoning devoted "Automated Reasoning for Security Protocol Analysis". Authors of the papers presented at the ARSPA workshop will be invited to submit extended version of their papers, but submission will be open to other researchers as well. In any case submitted papers will be subject to the standard journal refereeing process. Papers submitted to the special issue must be original and not submitted for publication elsewhere. The call for papers of the Special Issue will be published in August 2004 (see Annex C).

A Workshop Proposal

Workshop Proposal

Workshop on
Automated Reasoning for
Security Protocols Analysis (ARSPA)

July 04, 2004, Cork, Ireland

co-located with the Second International Joint Conference on Automated Reasoning, IJCAR 2004

SCOPE
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Based on this progress, a large number of formal methods and tools have been developed that have been quite successful in determining strengths and weaknesses of many protocols, i.e. in proving the correctness of the protocols or in identifying attacks on them. Thus, this progress can be seen as one of the recent success stories of the automated reasoning community.

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INVITED TALKS
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Besides for presentations of accepted papers, we will schedule a couple of invited talks and a panel discussion "Bridging the analysis gap: from the Clark/Jacob library to Internet protocols".

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David Basin has been a professor of Computer Science at ETH Zurich since January 2003. He received his bachelor’s degree in mathematics from Reed College in 1984, his Ph.D. in Computer Science from Cornell University in 1989, and his Habilitation in computer science from the University of Saarbruecken in 1996. His appointments include a postdoctoral research position at the University of Edinburgh (1990-1991), and afterwards he led a subgroup, within the programming logics research group, at the Max-Planck-Institut fuer Informatik (1992-1997). From 1997 to 2002 he was a full professor of Software Engineering at the University of Freiburg in Germany. His research area is Information Security, in particular methods and tools for building secure and reliable systems. He currently leads the Zurich Information Security Center (ZISC). He also serves on the editorial boards of Acta Informatica, Information Processing Letters, and Higher-Order and Symbolic Computation. Among others, he has chaired the Workshop on Formal Methods in Security Engineering (FMSE, co-located with CCS’03) and co-chairs IJCAR’04.

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Luca Vigano‘ received his Masters in Electronic Engineering from the University of Genova in 1994, his Ph.D. in Computer Science from the University of Saarbruecken in 1997, and his Habilitation in Computer Science from the University of Freiburg in 2003. His appointments include a research position at the Max-Planck-Institut fuer Informatik in Saarbruecken (1994-1997), an assistant professor position at the Institute for Software Engineering at the University of Freiburg (1997-2002), and a senior research scientist position at ETH Zurich (since 2003). His research focuses on methods for the specification, verification, and construction of secure systems. His work includes foundational work on the theory and applications of non-classical and security logics, of proof development systems, and of logical frameworks. On these topics he has co-organized several classes and seminars, and has published a book and more than 20 papers in international journals and conferences. He is member of the steering committee of the ‘‘First Order Theorem Proving’’ workshop series.

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