

# Yongheng Chen

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“Only those who are crazy enough to think they can change the world are the ones who do.”

## Education

### Georgia Institute of Technology

PHD STUDENT IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

- Computer security and program analysis, advised by Prof. Wenke Lee. GPA 4.0/4.0

Atlanta, GA, US

Sept. 2019 - now

### Nanjing University

B.S. IN COMPUTER SCIENCE.

- **Elite program**(only top 19 out of over 200 students can enter it) GPA:4.26/5, Rank:10/19.

Nanjing, China

Sept. 2015 - June. 2019

## Work Experience

### Software Engineering Intern

GOOGLE, TEAM SUNDEW

- Develop a new fuzzing framework for c++ applications.

Remote, US

May - August, 2021

## Project Experience

### (Java) Mobile Application Debloating

ANDROID, PROGRAM ANALYSIS

- Remove unnecessary code features from android apk according to users' needs.

2021-2022

### (Rust) Scalable Distributed Fuzzing Framework

FUZZING, ASYNCHRONOUS PROGRAMMING, SYSTEM DESIGN

- Develop a scalable fuzzing framework that can run across machines.

2021-2022

### (C++) Database & Language Processors Testing

FUZZING, PROGRAM ANALYSIS

- Found over 230 bugs and 40 CVEs in popular software: SQLite, MySQL, PHP, Chrome, etc.

2019-2020

### (Python) Testing Compilers For Optimization Issues

PROGRAM ANALYSIS, DIFFERENTIAL ANALYSIS

- Perform differential analysis with symbolic execution using Angr. 3 bugs found in SQLite.

2020

## Skills

**Programming Languages:** C/C++, Rust, Java, Python

**CTF player & Organizer:** Good at Windows & Linux userspace and kernel exploitation, browser exploitation, VM escape.

**Open source contributor:** Top 20% contributor of CTF wiki(<https://github.com/ctf-wiki/ctf-wiki>). Over **5.4k** star.

## Publication

### One Engine to Fuzz 'em All: Generic Language Processor Testing with Semantic Validation

FUZZING

S&P

2021

### Identifying Behavior Dispatchers for Malware Analysis

MALWARE ANALYSIS

AsiaCCS

2021

## SQUIRREL: Testing Database Management Systems with Language Validity and Coverage Feedback

FUZZING

CCS

2020

## Automated Finite State Machine Extraction

PROGRAM ANALYSIS

FEAST 2019 (CCS workshop)

2019

## PT-DBG: Automatically anti-debugging bypassing based on Intel Processor Trace

MALWARE ANALYSIS

S&P, Poster

2018

# Honors & Awards

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## HACKING COMPETITION

2018-2021 **Finalist**, DEFCON CTF World Final

Las Vegas, U.S.A &  
remote

2018-2019 **Champion**, XCTF 2018 International CTF Final and **3 times** champions in XCTF Final

China

2019 **Champion**, Tencent CTF 2019 Final

International

2018 **Runner-Up**, 34c3CTF 2018

International

2018 **Champion & Runner Up**, Defcon China CTF Qual, Defcon China CTF Final

Beijing, China

## SCHOLARSHIP

2018 **Specialty Scholarship**, Elite Program Scholarship

Nanjing University

2017 **Specialty Scholarship**, Elite Program Scholarship

Nanjing University