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education

phd | computer science

university of california, santa barbara 2011-2017

- research: software engineering, program analysis, software security, constraint solving, string analysis, side-channel analysis
- advisor: Tevfik Bultan
- gpa: 3.87

bs | computer engineering & electric-electronics engineering

fatih university, istanbul, turkey 2004-2009

- graduated with high distinction
- ranked as first double major graduate
- gpa: 3.97

skills

languages

experienced

c++ • c# • javascript • typescript • ruby proficient

java • python • powershell • bash

development experience

cloud applications micro services distributed queues distributed databases single page web applications

general

tools

vim • visual studio • eclipse • LATEX

windows • linux • mac languages

english • turkish

experience

facebook | software engineer | 2020 - present

working on security

microsoft | software engineer | 2017 - 2020

- member of Cloud and AI Security division
- contributed to successful launch of Microsoft Graph Security API
- contributed to successful launch of Microsoft Azure Sentinel
- experienced in scalable, cloud native application development
- experienced in Azure resource provider and Azure portal development

ucsb vlab | research assistant | 2012 - 2017

- designed and implemented algorithms and built tools for software side channel analysis as part of the project that is funded by The Space/Time Analysis for Cybersecurity (STAC) program of DARPA
- worked on several DARPA challenges as a member of a team that spans members from UCSB Verification Lab, CMU Silicon Valley and Vanderbilt, achieved top rankings in competitions
- designed and implemented algorithms that uses static analysis techniques to automatically discover and repair web application vulnerabilities

securedocs | software consultant | 2014 - 2015

- optimization and new feature development on SecureDocs and ContractWorks products
- experienced in ruby on rails framework and javascript frameworks

ibm | research intern | summer 2014

- designed and implemented a user-friendly fine-grained permission control on privacy sensitive data usages which prevents undesired data usages on mobile platforms (Android)
- used dynamic analysis techniques to identify potential privacy violations

appfolio | **software engineering intern** | summer 2013

- contributed to success of SecureDocs before it continues its journey as a new start up company
- experienced in ruby, backbonejs, pair programming, scrum, agile development, test driven development

ucsb | teaching assistant | 2011-2012

- data structures and algorithms, cmpsc 130a
- translation of programming languages, cmpsc 160
- introduction to cryptography, cmpsc 178

hewlett packard | software developer | 2009-2011

• member of an R&D project that spans teams from USA, Brazil, and Turkey

publications

books

- Tevfik Bultan, Fang Yu, Muath Alkhalaf, Abdulbaki Aydin: String Analysis for Software Verification and Security, Springer 2017
- Abdulbaki Aydin: Automata-based Model Counting String Constraint Solver for Vulnerability Analysis, University of California, Santa Barbara, 2017

conferences

- Abdulbaki Aydin, William Eiers, Lucas Bang, Tegan Brennan, Miroslav Gavrilov, Tevfik Bultan, Fang Yu: Parameterized model counting for string and numeric constraints, ESEC/SIGSOFT FSE 2018 %
- Tegan Brennan, Nestan Tsiskaridze, Nicolás Rosner, Abdulbaki Aydin, Tevfik Bultan: Constraint normalization and parameterized caching for quantitative program analysis, ESEC/SIGSOFT FSE 2017 %
- Abdulbaki Aydin, David Piorkowski, Omer Tripp, Pietro Ferrara, Marco Pistoia: Visual Configuration of Mobile Privacy Policies, FASE 2017
- Lucas Bang, Abdulbaki Aydin, Quoc-Sang Phan, Corina S. Pasareanu, Tevfik Bultan: String analysis for side channels with segmented oracles, SIGSOFT FSE 2016 %
- Abdulbaki Aydin, Lucas Bang, Tevfik Bultan: Automata-Based Model Counting for String Constraints, CAV 2015
- Lucas Bang, Abdulbaki Aydin, Tevfik Bultan: Automatically computing path complexity of programs, ESEC/SIGSOFT FSE 2015 %
- Abdulbaki Aydin, Muath Alkhalaf, Tevfik Bultan: Automated Test Generation from Vulnerability Signatures, ICST 2014
- Muath Alkhalaf, Abdulbaki Aydin, Tevfik Bultan: Semantic differential repair for input validation and sanitization. ISSTA 2014

tutorials

 Tevfik Bultan, Abdulbaki Aydin, Lucas Bang String Analysis for Vulnerability Detection and Repair, PLDI 2016

workshops

Abdulbaki Aydin, Muath Alkhalaf, Tevfik Bultan: Automated Test Generation from Vulnerability Signatures, GSWC 2014

research tools

- ABC: Automata-based model counting constraint solver %, co-author </>
- Cashew: Constraint normalization and caching for constraint solvers %,contributor </>
- PAC: A tool for computing path complexity of programs %,co-author </>
- SemRep: A tool for repairing input validation and sanitization code %,co-author </>

awards & honors

• best paper award, graduate student workshop, GSWC,

2014, USA

• outstanding teaching assistant, university of california, santa barbara

2012, USA

high honor, fatih university

2004-2009, Turkey

• ranked as first double major graduate, fatih university

2009, Turkey

• ranked in first 100 among 1.5 million students in the national university entrance exam 2006, Turkey

• ranked as 253_{rd} among 1.5 million students in the national university entrance exam 2004, Turkey