# Anand Agrawal

# BITS Pilani, Hyderabad Campus Telangana

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#### **EXPERIENCE**

Research Engineer

June 2019 - Aug 2020

#### New York University, Abu Dhabi

#### Technology: Gidra, Radare 2, RSCAD, Codesys environment

- Working in Modern Microprocessors Architecture Lab. Website
- Development and Cyber Security assessment of federated smart grid and smart city testbeds.
- Developed detection tool using Ensemble learning (Boosting method Light-GBM) to classify attack and normal events.
- Analysis of Codesys compiled binaries in different Languages and Architectural context.
- Studying the dependencies of critical infrastructure testbeds
- Automated collection of ICS compiled and project binaries.

Software Engineer

Sep 2017 - May 2019

## National University of Singapore, Singapore Technology: Python, NS Simulator, Ansible, Vagrant

- Worked in National Cyber-Security R&D Lab. Website
- Develop Virtual environment for Critical infrastructure(OT Testbed) and develop IT based attack on OT, and detection of physics based attack using SVM classifier.
- Develop Pentest lab testing environment and Evaluation platform for security solution
- Maintained a shared national infrastructure that provides computing and networking resources for CyberSecurity research and development community.
- Federation of the industrial testbeds to enrich its capabilities

Software Engineer

Nov 2016 - Aug 2017

## YuppTV.com, Hyderabad, India

#### Technology: Scala, Slick, Postgres, Redis

- Worked on project Rivulet (Mutli Tenant LIVE and VOD Streaming OTT Platform). Website
- Developed YuppFLIX content crawler for movie and their cast(YuppFlix brings an easy access to Indian movies and TV Shows across 9 regional languages).
- Developed Bazaar kids Category for kid content to broadcast in YUPPTV Bazaar section.

Research Assistant

Feb 2016 - Oct 2016

# Singapore University of Technology and Design, Singapore Technology: Python, Mininet, Ladder Logic, Flask

• Worked in a Cyber-Physical Security Project "CYPRO" at SCy-Phy group leading by Assist. Prof Nils Ole Tippenhauer. website link: Scy-Phy

• CYPRO project is about analyzing the vulnerabilities in Critical Infrastructure and different attack surfaces are investigated on Secure water treatment plant in "iTRUST" lab.

Assistant Professor

July 2014 - Jan 2016

Vignan Foundation of Science and Technology in Research University, India.

Technology: C, C++, Java

- Taught subjects on Data Structure and Advance Problem Solving.
- Involved in funded projects along with technical committee team member.

### **EDUCATION**

Doctor of Philosophy,

March 2021 - Ongoing

BITS Pilani, Hyderabad Campus

Master of Technology in computer science with 7.68 CGPA, July 2012 - June 2014 IIIT Hyderabad, Hyderabad, India

Bachelor of Engineering in computer science with 73.6 %, August 2008 - June 2012 Shri Vaishnav Institute of Tech. and Science, Indore, India

Senior Secondary with 84 percentage, Universal Academy, Indore, India

July 2007 - June 2008

Secondary with 87.6 percentage, Baithal H S school, Indore, India July 2005 - June 2006

# **SKILLS**

**TECHNOLOGY** Programming Languages: C, C++, Core Java, Python, Ladderlogic, Scala, MIPS Web Technologies: HTML, CSS.

Database: MySQL, Sqlite, Postgres, Redis.

Development Tools: Eclipse, Intellij IDEA, Cisco Packet Tracer, Mininet, Slick, Latex, Github, NS3

Area of Interest: Algorithm and Complexity, Cyber Physical System Security, Wireless Network Security and Cryptography.

#### PROJECTS

Running Projects: BITS Pilani, Hyderabad Campus

Vulnerability in Wireless Security Protocols

- Analysis of wireless security protocols like WPA/WPA2 and passivey detection of attacks like KRACK using Machine Learning.
- Classification of different type of Rogue Access point created by different traditional routers and the smart IoT device.

Smart Lake Testbed for data analytics, monitoring and feedback capabilities.

- Development of robust and scalable smart lake testbed.
- Perform data analytics and monitoring of the water quality and take prior decision for benefiting the aquatic animals

Completed Projects: IIIT Hyderabad, Hyderabad, India

#### Online Chat Summarization

2014

• Developed an automatic text summarizer tool.

• Tool extracts sentences from the conversation to form a summary by investigating new features and generic features set for email/chat conversation.

# Wikipedia Search Engine

2013

#### IIIT Hyderabad, Hyderabad, India

 Built an efficient search engine algorithm for searching data in data set around 40GB.

#### ARTICLE

#### Published Article

 "Cyber-Security Solution Evaluation published in Association of Small & Medium Enterprises (ASME) Singapore in January 2019 issue"

#### RESEARCH

#### Research Papers

- "CheckShake: Passively Detecting Anomaly in Wi-Fi Security Handshake using Gradient Boosting based Ensemble Learning" submitted in Transaction of Dependable and Secure Computing and is in under review.
- "kTRACKER: Passively Tracking KRACK using ML Model" accepted in CO-DASPY 2022 held in Baltimore-Washington DC Area, USA (Virtual).
- "Towards Robust Power Grid Attack Protection using LightGBM with Concept Drift Detection and Retraining" accepted in CPSIoTSEC 2020 held in Orlando USA(Virtual).
- "VOTNET: Modeling and Simulation approach for Operational Technology" accepted in WSC 2018 held in Gothenburg, Sweden.
- Poster: "Physics-Based attack detection for an Insider threat Model in a Cyber-Physical System" published in Asia CCS 2018 held in Incheon South Korea.
- "Matrix Hashing with Two Level of Collision Resolution" published in 8th International Conference on Cloud Computing, Data Science & Engineering (CONFLUENCE 2018), Uttar Pradesh, India. Jan 2018.
- "Towards High Interaction ICS Virtual Honeypot-in-a-Box" in Cyber-Physical System Security and Privacy(CPS-SPC) in conjunction with the 23<sup>rd</sup> ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security(CCS) in Vienna, Austria.
- "On Ladder Logic Bombs in Industrial Control Systems" in Proceedings of the Workshop on the Security of Industrial Control Systems and of Cyber-Physical Systems (CyberICPS), co-located with ESORICS in Oslo Norway, 2017
- Conflation of IoT with Raspberry pi 2 for MI Board Interaction. The 3rd IEEE sponsored 3rd International Conference on Electronics and Communication Systems (ICECS 2016), Coimbatore, India. Feb 2016
- Concom Sorting Algorithm (Approach based on counting and comparison). The 4th IEEE International Conference on Computer Science and Network Technology (ICCSNT 2015), Harbin, China. DEC 2015
- Experimental Analysis of Fixed Parameter Algorithms for Odd Cycle Transversals and Feedback Vertex Sets. International Journal of Engineering and Management Research. Vandana Publication, India. Oct 2015
- link: Google Scholar

# ACADEMIC HONOURS

Secured All India GATE Rank 419 and 608 in the year 2014 and 2012 respectively. GATE is the highest Technical level National examination in India for the entrance of post-graduates aspirants in prestigious colleges.

# EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- TPC member of 2nd & 3rd International Workshop on Artificial Intelligence and Industrial Internet-of-Things Security (AIoTS).
- Technical challenge maker team in Scy-phy week 2016. Scy-phy week is an annual event of SUTD to discuss and mitigate cyber attacks in future.
- Conducted Technical events "logic killer" & "code Exchange" in Vignan University.

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