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Current position

Post-doctoral researcher, NTT Secure Platform Laboratories, Tokyo.
Post-quantum cryptology, lattices, algebraic number theory

Scientific interests

- Cryptology
- Computer algebra
- Algebraic geometry
- Computer security
- Algorithmic
- Number theory

Education

- 2013–2016 **Ph. D. in computer science**, Université Pierre et Marie Curie, Sorbonne, Paris.
Thesis: “*Le problème de décomposition de points dans les variétés Jacobiennes*”
Advisor: J-C. Faugère, Supervisor: V. Vitse
- September 2012 **Master degree in fundamental mathematics**, École Normale Supérieure de Lyon.
Memoir: “*Éléments de K -théorie des C^* -algèbres*”.
- July 2011 “**Agrégation**” in mathematics, prepared at Université Claude Bernard, Lyon 1.
Highly selective nation-wide qualification in mathematics at post-graduate level
- September 2010 **Master degree in applied mathematics**, Université Claude Bernard, Lyon 1.
Memoir: “*Introduction au problème du logarithme discret*”.

Supervision of students

- April 2018, 4 months Thanh Huyen Nguyen, research internship at ENS de Lyon.
In collaboration with E. Kirshanova and D. Stehlé

Journal articles

- To appear On the smoothing parameter and last minimum of random orthogonal lattices, *with E. Kirshanova, T. H. Nguyen and D. Stehlé, Design, Codes and Cryptography (DCC)*.
- Published The Point Decomposition Problem in the divisor class group of hyperelliptic curves: toward efficient computations in even characteristic, *with J-C. Faugère, Design, Codes and Cryptography (DCC)*.

Peer-reviewed conferences

- Published An LLL algorithm for module lattices, *with A. Pellet-Mary, C. Lee, and D. Stehlé, International Workshop on Mathematical Cryptology, ASIACRYPT 2019*.
Selected for an extended version in the Journal of Cryptology
- Published One Bit is All It Takes: A Devastating Timing Attack on BLISS’s Non-Constant Time Sign Flips, *with M. Tibouchi, International Workshop on Mathematical Cryptology, MATH-CRYPT 2019*.
- Published On the Ring-LWE and Polynomial-LWE problems, *with M. Rosca and D. Stehlé, International Conference on Cryptology and Information Security, EUROCRYPT 2018*.
- Published Improved Sieving on Algebraic Curves, *with V. Vitse, International Conference on Cryptology and Information Security in Latin America, LATINCRYPT 2015*.

Selected presentations

Side-channel against BLISS

18 August 2019 MATHCRYPT, Santa Barbara, USA.

Algebraic aspects of “Learning with errors”

11 September 2018 Cryptology and security seminar NTT, Tokyo, Japan.

15 June 2018 CCA Seminar, INRIA Center, Paris, France.

20 October 2017 Lattice Meetings, ENS Lyon, LIP, France.

Discrete logarithm over algebraic curves

17 May 2017 ECO/ESCAPE Seminar, LIRMM, Montpellier, France.

24 April 2017 National days of Coding et Cryptography, La Bresse, France.

14 March 2017 National days of the Mathematical Computer Science society, LIRMM, Montpellier, France.

25 August 2015 LATINCRYPT 2015, Guadalajara, Mexico.

Professional and scientific experiences

2017 – 2019 **Post-doctoral researcher**, *ENS de Lyon*, France, Supervisor: D. Stehlé.

Topics: post-quantum cryptology, lattices, algebraic number theory

2012 – 2013 **Maths teacher**, *Parc Chabrières Highschool*, Oullins, France.

May 2012, **Research internship**, *Camille Jordan Institute*, Lyon, France.

4 months Topic: K-theory for C^* -algebras and non-commutative index theory. Supervisor: D. Perrot

May 2010, **Research internship**, *Camille Jordan Institute*, Lyon, France.

4 months Topic: Introduction to the discrete logarithm problem. Supervisor: C. Delaunay

Teachings

2018 **Teacher assistant in Computer Science**, École Normale Supérieure de Lyon, 69.
2nd semester

- Tutorials in Computer Algebra in master degree
- Evaluation of undergraduate interns

2013 – 2016 **Teacher assistant in bachelor of computer science**, Université Pierre et Marie Curie, Sorbonne, Paris.

- 3rd year: Introduction to Cryptology
- 2nd year: Scientific computations , Types and Data structures in C, Machine Architecture and Representation , Development and compilation environment , Discrete structures
- 1st year: Introduction to programming with Python

Other Master SFPN of Université Pierre et Marie Curie, LIP6, specialization in Computer security and Cryptology.

- Elaboration of exams
- Realization of a Side-Channel Attack (SCA) on a faulty AES implementation

2012 – 2013 **Maths Teacher**, *Parc Chabrières Highschool*, Oullins, 69.

- Full responsibility of two classes for an entire year: lectures and exercises, homeworks, exams.
- Trimestrial meetings with the team of teachers and the hierarchy.
- Relationships with parents, orientation of students.

Skills

Programming Basic skills in C, C++, Assembler (8051, x86, MIPS), Python, Shell
Computer algebra Magma, Maple, Sage
Environments Windows, Linux
Other Basic skills in reverse-engineering, web-security fault exploitations and injections.

Languages

- French: native
- English: full professional proficiency
- German: school level (B1)
- Japanese: school level (B1)
- Russian: school level (A2)