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## EDUCATION

**PhD Student** | *Computer Science and Engineering*

University of Michigan - Ann Arbor

Fall 2021 – Present

**Bachelor of Science** | *Major: Computer Science*

University of Wisconsin - Madison

Fall 2017 – Winter 2020

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

**Security and Privacy:** Usable Privacy, Web Privacy, Face Recognition Privacy, Social Privacy

**Machine Learning:** Adversarial Machine Learning, Computer Vision, Natural Language Processing

**Human-Computer Interaction:** Usable Privacy, Human-Robot Interaction

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**Graduate Research Assistant**

University of Michigan

Fall 2021 – Present

**Research Intern**

University of Wisconsin - Madison

Spring 2021 – Fall 2021

**Undergraduate Research Assistant**

University of Wisconsin - Madison

Fall 2018 – Spring 2021

**Software Engineering Intern**

Roblox Corporation

Summer 2019

**Software Engineering Intern**

Optum, UHG

Summer 2017

## RESEARCH PROJECTS

**Confidant: A Privacy Controller for Social Robots**

University of Michigan | *17th ACM/IEEE International Conference on Human-Robot Interaction*

Fall 2021

24.8% AR

**Fairness Properties of Face Recognition and Obfuscation Systems[3]**

University of Wisconsin - Madison | *Submitted: USENIX Security 2022*

Summer 2021

**Face-Off: Adversarial Face Obfuscation[1]**

University of Wisconsin - Madison | *21st Symposium of Privacy Enhancing Technologies*

Summer 2020

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**Scaling Properties of Interval Bound Propagation**

University of Wisconsin - Madison | *Course Project*

Spring 2020

**Rearchitecting Classification Frameworks For Increased Robustness[2]**

University of Wisconsin - Madison | *arXiv Preprint*

Spring 2019

## PERSONAL PROJECTS

**Algorithmic Trading Framework**

<https://github.com/ramasrirama99/AlgoTradeFramework>

Summer 2019

**Transcend UW Website** | <https://www.transcenduw.com/>

University of Wisconsin - Madison | *Transcend UW*

Spring 2018

## SERVICE

**PoPETS**

External/Sub Reviewer

Spring 2021

**USENIX Security**

External/Sub Reviewer

Spring 2020

## PRESENTATIONS AND TALKS

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### Face-Off: Adversarial Face Obfuscation[1]

Jan 2021

University of Wisconsin - Madison | VMWare - NSF: Data Privacy and Edge Computing

### Face-Off: Adversarial Face Obfuscation[1]

July 2021

The Internet | *Proceedings on Privacy Enhancing Technologies Symposium*

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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### CVS Health Foundation Program

Fall 2017

Scholarship for outstanding children of CVS employees

### Qualcomm Innovation Fellowship (Nominee)

Spring 2021

Selected abstract on autonomous vehicle domain adaptation

### College of Engineering Fellowship

Fall 2021

University of Michigan 1st year PhD fellowship

## SKILLS

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**Languages:** English (Native), Chinese Mandarin (Spoken-Only), Japanese (N5), French (A2)

**Programming:** Python, C++, JavaScript, SQL, HTML

**Software Development:** GitHub, Perforce, Qt, NginX, Flask, Squish, Flutter, Firebase

**Machine Learning:** TensorFlow, PyTorch, Pandas, NumPy, D3.js

**Hobbies & Interests:** Reading, Investing, Gaming, Anime, Skateboarding, Meditation

## PUBLICATIONS—PREPRINTS—JOURNALS

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- [1] Varun Chandrasekaran et al. "Face-Off: Adversarial Face Obfuscation". In: *21st Privacy Enhancing Technologies Symposium*. 2021. URL: <https://arxiv.org/abs/2003.08861>.
- [2] Varun Chandrasekaran et al. "Rearchitecting Classification Frameworks For Increased Robustness". In: (2020). arXiv: 1905.10900. URL: <https://arxiv.org/abs/1905.10900>.
- [3] Harrison Rosenberg et al. "Fairness Properties of Face Recognition and Obfuscation Systems". In: (2021). arXiv: 2108.02707. URL: <https://arxiv.org/abs/2108.02707>.