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### **EDUCATION**

University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida, USA

Aug 2015 - Aug 2022

Ph.D. in Electrical and Computer Engineering **Advisors**: Shuo Wang, Yier Jin, Yuguang Fang

Dissertation: Towards the Next Generation Power Grid: Security Defense of Smart Grid

University of Science and Technology of China, Hefei, Anhui, China

Sep 2011 - Jun 2015

B.S. in Applied Physics

### RESEARCH INTERESTS

- 1. Cyber-Physical Energy System Security
- 2. Attack-Resilient State Estimation
- 3. Secure Distributed Energy Resources Integration into Smart Grid

### **PUBLICATIONS**

- 1. Xiaochen Xian, Alexander Semenov, **Yaodan Hu**, Andi Wang, Yier Jin "Adaptive Sampling and Quick Anomaly Detection in Large Networks," IEEE Transactions on Automation Science and Engineering (TASE), 2022 (to appear).
- 2. Xiaorui Liu, Yaodan Hu, Yier Jin, Charalambos Konstantinou, "CHIMERA: A Hybrid Estimation Approach to Limit the Effects of False Data Injection Attacks," IEEE International Conference on Communications, Control, and Computing Technologies for Smart Grids (SmartGridComm), 2021.
- 3. Yaodan Hu, Xiaochen Xian, Yier Jin, "RADM: A Risk-Aware DER Management Framework with Real-time DER Trustworthiness Evaluation," ACM/IEEE International Conference on Cyber-Physical Systems (ICCPS), 2021.
- 4. Max Panoff, Raj Gautam Dutta, **Yaodan Hu**, Kaichen Yang, and Yier Jin, "On Sensor Security in the Era of IoT and CPS," Springer Nature Computer Science (SNCS), 2020.
- 5. Raj Gautam Dutta, **Yaodan Hu**, Feng Yu, Teng Zhang, and Yier Jin, "Design and Analysis of Secure Distributed Estimator for Vehicular Platooning in Adversarial Environment," IEEE Transactions on Intelligent Transportation Systems (TITS), 2020.
- 6. **Yaodan Hu**, Haoqi Shan, Raj Gautam Dutta and Yier Jin, "P2SA: Protecting Platoons from Stealthy Jamming Attack," Asian Hardware Oriented Security and Trust (AsianHOST), 2020.
- 7. Feng Yu, **Yaodan Hu**, Teng Zhang, Yier Jin, "Special Issue: Resilient Distributed Estimator with Information Consensus for CPS Security," IEEE International Conference on Computer Design (ICCD), 2020.
- 8. Ali Sayghe, **Yaodan Hu**, Ioannis Zografopoulos, XiaoRui Liu, Raj Gautam Dutta, Yier Jin, Charalambos Konstantinou, "A Survey of Machine Learning Methods for Detecting False Data Injection Attacks in Power Systems," IET Smart Grid, 2020.

- 9. Feng Yu, Raj Gautam Dutta, Teng Zhang, **Yaodan Hu**, Yier Jin, "Fast Attack-Resilient Distributed State Estimator for Cyber-Physical Systems" International Conference on Embedded Software (EMSOFT), 2020.
- Raj Gautam Dutta, Feng Yu, Teng Zhang, Yaodan Hu, and Yier Jin, "Security for Safety: A Path Toward Building Trusted Autonomous Vehicles," International Conference On Computer Aided Design (ICCAD), 2018.
- 11. Jianqing Liu, **Yaodan Hu**, Hao Yue, Yanmin Gong, Yuguang Fang, "A Cloud-based Secure and Privacy-Preserving Clustering Analysis of Infectious Disease," IEEE Symposium on Privacy-Aware Computing (PAC), 2018.
- 12. Yaodan Hu, Xuanheng Li, Jianqing Liu, Haichuan Ding, Yanmin Gong, Yuguang Fang, "Mitigating Traffic Analysis Attack in Smartphones with Edge Network Assistance," IEEE International Conference on Communications (ICC), 2018.
- 13. Yanmin Gong, Chi Zhang, **Yaodan Hu**, Yuguang Fang, "Privacy-Preserving Genome-Aware Remote Health Monitoring," IEEE Global Communications Conference (GLOBECOM), 2016.
- 14. **Yaodan Hu**, Xiaochen Xian, Yier Jin, Shuo Wang, "Fairness-Guaranteed DER Coordination under False Data Injection Attacks," (submitted to the IEEE Internet of Things Journal, under reivew).

#### **PROJECTS**

- 1. Development of Holistic Monitoring for Modern Large-Scale Dynamic Internet of Energy (submitted to the Department of Energy, under review)

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  - Develop an Internet of Energy monitoring framework against cyber and physical attacks, securing physical operating environment, and dynamically allocating resources for monitoring
- 2. Security Certification of Autonomous Cyber-Physical Systems (Sponsor: NSF, Medium Project)
  - Develop algorithms for detection and recovery of CPS from attacks on sensors of the system
- 3. Adversarially Robust Machine Learning Methods for Cyber-Physical Energy Systems (Sponsor: Florida State Government)
  - Develop algorithms to enhance the resiliency of learning models to false data injection attacks in state estimation routines of energy management systems
- 4. S3-IoT: Design and Deployment of Scalable, Secure, and Smart Mission-Critical IoT Systems (Sponsor: NSF)

Develop algorithms to cross-validate the sensing data from multiple devices

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor 2022 - Present

Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Idaho State University

# Graduate Research Assistant

2015 - 2022

Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Florida

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

#### Instructor

Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Idaho State University

1. Undergraduate Course: ECE3310 - Signals and Systems

### Teaching Assistant

Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Florida

1. Undergraduate Course: EEL4930 - Microprocessor Applications II Spring 2020 & 2021

2. Graduate Course: EEL5718 - Computer Communications Fall 2018

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND SERVICES

## Technical Program Committee Member

1. IEEE International Conference on Consumer Electronics (ICCE) 2019, 2022, 2023

2. Annual Industrial Control System Security (ICSS) Workshop 2022

3. International Conference on Cyber-Technologies and Cyber-Systems (CYBER) 2022

### Journal Reviewer

1. IEEE Internet of Things Journal

2. IEEE Transactions on Vehicular Technology

3. IEEE Transactions on Computer-Aided Design of Integrated Circuits and Systems

4. ACM Computing Surveys

#### Member

1. IEEE Member 2022-Present

2. IEEE Student Member 2018 - 2022

3. IEEE Young Professionals 2018 - Present

### **PRESENTATIONS**

International Conference on Cyber-Physical Systems (ICCPS), (Virtual)
 May 2021
 Title: RADM: A Risk-Aware DER Management Framework with Real-time DER Trustworthiness
 Evaluation

2. Asian Hardware Oriented Security and Trust (AsianHOST), (Virtual)

Title: P2SA: Protecting Platoons from Stealthy Jamming Attack

3. Nelms Women in IoT Workshop, (Virtual)

Title: Physics-Informed Real-time DER Security Evaluation

Oct 2020

4. IEEE International Conference on Communication (ICC), Kansas City, MO

May 2018

Title: Mitigating Traffic Analysis Attack in Smartphones with Edge Network Assistance

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

- 1. Student Travel Grant for IEEE International Conference on Communication, Office of Research, University of Florida, 2018
- 2. Student Travel Grant for IEEE International Conference on Communication, Graduate Student Council, University of Florida, 2018
- 3. Undergraduate Scholarship, University of Science and Technology of China, 2011–2015