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## Education

### Carnegie Mellon University, School of Computer Science

Pittsburgh, PA, USA

PH.D IN SOCIETAL COMPUTING, INSTITUTE FOR SOFTWARE RESEARCH (GPA: 4.0 / 4.33)

08/2019 - present

- Research projects:
  - ICS-ML: Explainable machine-learning-based anomaly detection for industrial control systems
  - DOM-XSS-ML: A hybrid, machine-learning-based system to detect DOM-XSS with reduced overhead
- Graduate Courses:
  - 17-881 - Sensing and Internet-of-Things (Prof. Yuvraj Agarwal)
  - 17-737 - Artificial Intelligence Methods for Social Good (Prof. Fei Fang)
  - 18-731 - Network Security (Prof. Vyas Sekar)
  - 17-762 - Law of Computer Technology (Prof. Michael Shamos)
  - 36-700 - Probability and Mathematical Statistics (Prof. Valerie Ventura)
  - 18-739 - Security and Fairness of Deep Learning (Prof. Piotr Mardziel)
  - 18-730 - Introduction to Computer Security (Prof. Virgil Gligor)

### University of British Columbia

Vancouver, BC, Canada

M.SC IN COMPUTER SCIENCE (GPA: 88 / 100)

09/2016 - 12/2018

- Thesis:
  - Dancing in the Dark: Private Multi-Party Machine Learning in an Untrusted Setting  
Advisor: Ivan Beschastnikh
- Research Projects:
  - Biscotti: A secure, private blockchain-based system for multi-party machine learning
  - FoolsGold: A sybil-resilient federated learning protocol against model poisoning
  - TorMentor: A system for distributed, collaborative, anonymous machine learning
- Graduate Courses:
  - CPSC 532R - Graphical Models (Prof. Siamak Ravanbakhsh)
  - CPSC 540 - Advanced Machine Learning (Prof. Mark Schmidt)
  - CPSC 538W - Data At Scale (Prof. Andrew Warfield)
  - CPSC 538B - Distributed Systems (Prof. Ivan Beschastnikh)
  - CPSC 536F - Algorithmic Game Theory (Prof. Hu Fu)
  - CPSC 340 - Machine Learning (Prof. Mark Schmidt)

### University of Waterloo

Waterloo, ON, Canada

B.A.SC IN SYSTEMS DESIGN ENGINEERING, HONOURS (GPA: 88 / 100)

09/2011 - 05/2016

- Capstone Project:
  - Driven: An Automated System for Intelligent Annotation and Analysis of Lane Change Sentiment  
Advisor: Alexander Wong

## Publications

### REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

#### Attributions for ML-based ICS Anomaly Detection: From Theory to Practice

NDSS 2024

San Diego, CA, USA

Clement Fung, Eric Zeng, Lujo Bauer.

To appear at the 31st Network and Distributed System Security Symposium.

#### Perspectives from a Comprehensive Evaluation of Reconstruction-based Anomaly Detection in Industrial Control Systems

ESORICS 2022

Copenhagen, Denmark

Clement Fung, Shreya Srinarasi, Keane Lucas, Hay Bryan Phee, Lujo Bauer.

27th European Symposium on Research in Computer Security.

#### Biscotti: A Blockchain System for Private and Secure Federated Learning

TPDS 2022

Muhammad Shayan, Clement Fung, Chris J.M. Yoon, Ivan Beschastnikh.

IEEE Transactions on Parallel and Distributed Systems, Volume 32, Issue 7.

#### Towards a Lightweight, Hybrid Approach for Detecting DOM XSS Vulnerabilities with Machine Learning

WWW 2021

Ljubjana, Slovenia (Virtual)

William Melicher, Clement Fung, Lujo Bauer, Limin Jia.

The Web Conference 2021.

## The Limitations of Federated Learning in Sybil Settings

Clement Fung, Chris J.M Yoon, Ivan Beschastnikh.

23rd International Symposium on Research in Attacks, Intrusions and Defenses.

RAID 2020

San Sebastian, Spain (Virtual)

## Brokered Agreements in Multi-Party Machine Learning

Clement Fung, Ivan Beschastnikh.

10th ACM SIGOPS Asia-Pacific Workshop on Systems.

APSys 2019

Hangzhou, China

## GainForest: Scaling Climate Finance for Forest Conservation using Interpretable Machine Learning on Satellite Imagery

David Dao, Catherine Cang, Clement Fung, Ming Zhang, Nick Pawlowski, Reuven Gonzales, Nick Beglinger, Ce Zhang

Climate Change: How Can AI Help?: ICML 2019 Workshop

ICML 2019 Workshop

Long Beach, CA, USA

## PRE-PRINTS

### Model Selection of Anomaly Detectors in the Absence of Labeled Validation Data

Clement Fung, Chen Qiu, Aodong Li, Maja Rudolph.

ArXiv Preprint: 2310.10461

ArXiv 2023

### Dancing in the Dark: Private Multi-Party Machine Learning in an Untrusted Setting

Clement Fung, Jamie Koerner, Stewart Grant, Ivan Beschastnikh.

ArXiv Preprint: 1811.09712

ArXiv 2018

### Mitigating Sybils in Federated Learning Poisoning

Clement Fung, Chris J.M. Yoon, Ivan Beschastnikh.

ArXiv Preprint: 1808.04866

ArXiv 2018

## Professional Experience

### Bosch Center for Artificial Intelligence

MACHINE LEARNING RESEARCH INTERN

- Research on applications of diffusion models to anomaly detection.

Pittsburgh, PA, USA

05/2023 - 08/2023

### Oasis Labs

SOFTWARE ENGINEER

- Secure data sharing and other confidential use cases in an early stage blockchain startup.

Berkeley, CA, USA

01/2019 - 07/2019

### LinkedIn Corporation

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING INTERN

- Analytics: Building infrastructure for online relevance scoring at scale

Sunnyvale, CA, USA

06/2015 - 08/2015

### LinkedIn Corporation

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING INTERN

- Distributed Data Systems: Prototyped and designed new derived data serving system, Venice

Mountain View, CA, USA

09/2014 - 12/2014

### Voicebox Technologies

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING INTERN

- Server and Tools: Implemented layer for concurrent database access on a mobile service

Bellevue, WA, USA

01/2014 - 04/2014

### Ontario Institute for Cancer Research

SOFTWARE DEVELOPER INTERN

- Software developer in Prof. Paul Boutros' bioinformatics research group

Toronto, ON, Canada

05/2013 - 08/2013

## Teaching

### Carnegie Mellon University

TEACHING ASSISTANT

- 11-667: Large Language Models Methods and Applications  
Instructors: Daphne Ippolito, Chenyan Xiong

Fall 2023

## University of British Columbia

### TEACHING ASSISTANT

- DSCI 571: Supervised Learning Fall 2018  
Instructors: Michael Gelbart, Varada Kolhatkar
- DSCI 523: Data Wrangling Fall 2018  
Instructors: Jenny Bryan, Rodolfo Lourenzutti
- CPSC 340: Machine Learning Winter 2018  
Instructor: Michael Gelbart
- CPSC 340: Machine Learning Fall 2017  
Instructor: Mark Schmidt
- CPSC 210: Software Construction Winter 2017  
Instructors: Norman Hutchinson, Paul Carter, Mehrdad Oveisi
- CPSC 210: Software Construction Fall 2016  
Instructors: Norman Hutchinson, Ryan Vogt, Jonatan Schroeder

## Service

### ACADEMIC SERVICE

2022 - 2023	<b>Program Committee</b>	ACM FAccT 2023, 2022 IEEE S&P 2024, 2021
2019 - 2023	<b>External Reviewer</b>	USENIX Security 2024, 2023, 2022, 2020 IEEE SaTML 2024 NDSS 2021 SOUPS 2020
2021	<b>Invited Reviewer</b>	IEEE Transactions on Industrial Informatics 2021 ACM CCS Posters 2021

### ORGANIZATIONAL SERVICE

2023	<b>PhD Student Admissions Committee</b>	Institute for Software Research
2022	<b>Faculty Hiring Committee</b>	Institute for Software Research
2022 - 2023	<b>Community Building Committee</b>	Institute for Software Research
2020 - 2022	<b>Prospective PhD Visit Day Organizer</b>	Institute for Software Research
2020 - 2021	<b>Academic Conference Volunteer</b>	SOUPS 2021, Euro S&P 2021, Euro S&P 2020

## Awards

2017	<b>CS Department Graduate Teaching Assistant Award</b>	University of British Columbia
2017	<b>CS Department Student Service Award</b>	University of British Columbia
2016	<b>Sanford Fleming Award for Co-operative Proficiency</b>	University of Waterloo
2016	<b>GM Canada Innovation Award (\$500)</b>	University of Waterloo
2015	<b>W.W. King Exchange Fellowship (\$500)</b>	University of Waterloo
2014	<b>President's International Experience Award (\$1500)</b>	University of Waterloo
2013	<b>Sanford Fleming Award for Outstanding Work Term Report (\$300)</b>	University of Waterloo
2011	<b>Colonel Hugh Heasley Engineering Scholarship (\$10000)</b>	University of Waterloo
2011	<b>President's Scholarship of Distinction (\$2000)</b>	University of Waterloo
Winter 2016	<b>Dean's Honour's List, Class Rank Unknown</b>	University of Waterloo
Winter 2013	<b>Dean's Honour's List, Class Rank 2/81</b>	University of Waterloo
Spring 2012	<b>Dean's Honour's List, Class Rank 2/85</b>	University of Waterloo
Fall 2011	<b>Dean's Honour's List, Class Rank 3/94</b>	University of Waterloo