# Dave (Jing) Tian

# Curriculum Vitae

#### Interests

Embedded Systems Security, Operating Systems Security, Trustworthy Computing

### Education

- 2014.09— **Ph.D. candidate**, *University of Florida*, Gainesville, Computer & Information Science & Engineering. Embedded Systems Security and Trusted Computing
- 2012.09- Ph.D. student, University of Oregon, Eugene, Computer & Information Science.
- 2014.08 Machine Learning and Systems Security
- 2006.09- ME, Ocean University of China, Qingdao, Electronic Engineering.
- 2009.06 Digital Signal Processing and Machine Learning
- 2002.09- BS, Qingdao Technological University, Qingdao, Electronic Information Science.
- 2006.06 Electronic Engineering

#### Publications

#### Journals:

- 3 Characterizing the Security of the SMS Ecosystem with Public Gateways; Bradly Reaves, Luis Vargas, Nolen Scaife, <u>Dave Tian</u>, Logan Blue, Patrick Traynor, Kevin Butler; ACM Transactions on Privacy and Security (TOPS), 2018
- 2 Securing ARP/NDP From the Ground Up; Dave (Jing) Tian, Kevin R. B. Butler, Joseph I. Choi, Patrick D. McDaniel, Padma Krishnaswamy; IEEE Transactions on Information Forensics and Security (TIFS), 2017
- 1 Taming the Costs of Trustworthy Provenance through Policy Reduction; Adam Bates, Dave (Jing) Tian, Grant Hernandez, Thomas Moyer, Kevin R. B. Butler, Trent Jaeger; ACM Transactions on Internet Technology (TOIT), 2017

#### Conferences:

- A Practical Intel SGX Setting for Linux Containers in the Cloud; Dave (Jing) Tian, Joseph Choi, Grant Hernandez, Patrick Traynor, Kevin Butler; ACM Conference on Data and Application Security and Privacy (CODASPY'19), 2019; Acceptance Rate = 23.5%
- 14 **LBM: A Security Framework for Peripherals within the Linux Kernel**; Dave (Jing) Tian, Grant Hernandez, Joesph Choi, Vanessa Frost, Peter Johnson, Kevin Butler; IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy (S&P'19), 2019; Acceptance Rate = TBD%
- 13 ATtention Spanned: Comprehensive Vulnerability Analysis of AT Commands Within the Android Ecosystem; Dave (Jing) Tian, Grant Hernandez, Joesph Choi, Vanessa Frost, Christie Ruales, Patrick Traynor, Hayawardh Vijaykumar, Lee Harrison, Amir Rahmati, Mike Grace, Kevin Butler; USENIX Security Symposium, 2018; Acceptance Rate = 19.1%
- 12 SoK: "Plug & Pray" Today Understanding USB Insecurity in Versions 1 through C; Dave (Jing) Tian, Nolen Scaife, Deepak Kumar, Michael Bailey, Adam Bates, Kevin Butler; IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy (S&P'18), 2018; Acceptance Rate = 11.5%
- 11 **FirmUSB: Vetting USB Device Firmware using Domain Informed Symbolic Execution**; Grant Hernandez, Farhaan Fowze, <u>Dave Tian</u>, Tuba Yavuz, Kevin Butler; ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS'17), 2017; Acceptance Rate = 18.1%
- 10 **CPAC:** Securing Critical Infrastructure with Cyber-Physical Access Control; Sriharsha Etigowni, Dave Tian, Grant Hernandez, Kevin Butler, Saman Zonouz; Annual Computer Security Applications Conference (ACSAC'16), 2016; Acceptance Rate = 22.8%
- 9 **ProvUSB:** Block-level Provenance-Based Data Protection for USB Storage Devices; Dave (Jing) Tian, Adam Bates, Kevin Butler, Raju Rangaswami; ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS'16), 2016; Acceptance Rate = 16.5%
- 8 Making USB Great Again with USBFILTER; Dave (Jing) Tian, Nolen Scaife, Adam Bates, Kevin Butler, Patrick Traynor; USENIX Security Symposium, 2016; Acceptance Rate = 15.5%

- 7 **Detecting SMS Spam in the Age of Legitimate Bulk Messaging**; Bradley Reaves, Logan Blue, <u>Dave Tian</u>, Patrick Traynor, Kevin Butler; ACM Conference on Security and Privacy in Wireless and Mobile Networks (WiSec'16), 2016; Acceptance Rate = 35.0%
- 6 Sending out an SMS: Characterizing the Security of the SMS Ecosystem with Public Gateways; Bradley Reaves, Nolen Scaife, <u>Dave Tian</u>, Logan Blue, Patrick Traynor, Kevin Butler; IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy (S&P'16), 2016; Acceptance Rate = 13.3%
- 5 **Defending Against Malicious USB Firmware with GoodUSB**; Dave (Jing) Tian, Adam Bates, Kevin Butler; Annual Computer Security Applications Conference (ACSAC'15), 2015; Acceptance Rate = 24.3%
- 4 **Trustworthy Whole-System Provenance for the Linux Kernel**; Adam Bates, <u>Dave Tian</u>, Kevin Butler, Thomas Moyer; USENIX Security Symposium, 2015; Acceptance Rate = 15.7%
- 3 More Guidelines Than Rules: CSRF Vulnerabilities from Noncompliant OAuth 2.0 Implementations; Ethan Shernan, Henry Carter, <u>Dave Tian</u>, Patrick Traynor, Kevin Butler; International Conference on Detection of Intrusions and Malware & Vulnerability Assessment (DIMVA'15), 2015; Acceptance Rate = 22.7%
- 2 Securing ARP from the Ground Up; Jing (Dave) Tian, Kevin R.B. Butler, Patrick D. McDaniel, Padma Krishnaswamy; ACM Conference on Data and Application Security and Privacy (CODASPY'15), 2015; Acceptance Rate = 33.3%
- 1 Securing SSL Certificate Validation through Dynamic Linking; Adam Bates, Joe Pletcher, Tyler Nichols, Braden Hollembaek, Jing (Dave) Tian, Abdulrahman Alkhelaifi, Kevin R. B. Butler; ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS'14), 2014; Acceptance Rate = 19.5%

#### Submitted:

- 6 **BigMAC: Fine-Grained Policy Analysis of Android Firmware**; Grant Hernandez, <u>Dave Tian</u>, Anurag Yadav, Byron Williams, Kevin Butler; IN SUBMISSION, 2019
- 5 **Enclave-based Protocols for Privacy-Preserving Localization**; Joseph Choi, <u>Dave Tian</u>, Tyler Ward, Kevin Butler, Patrick Traynor, John Shea, Tan Wong; IN SUBMISSION, 2019
- 4 Examining DES-based Cipher Suite Support within the TLS Ecosystem; Vanessa Frost, <u>Dave Tian</u>, Christie Ruales, Vijay Prakash, Kevin Butler, Patrick Traynor; IN SUBMISSION, 2019
- 3 A Hybrid Approach to Secure Function Evaluation using SGX; Joseph Choi, <u>Dave Tian</u>, Grant Hernandez, Christopher Patton, Benjamin Mood, Thomas Shrimpton, Kevin Butler, Patrick Traynor; IN SUBMISSION, 2019
- 2 **Towards Automated Firmware Analysis in the IoT Era**; Grant Hernandez, <u>Dave Tian</u>, Farhaan Fowze, Tuba Yavuz, Kevin Butler; IN SUBMISSION, 2018
- 1 **ProXray: Protocol Model Learning and Guided Firmware Analysis**; Farhaan Fowze, <u>Dave Tian</u>, Grant Hernandez, Kevin Butler, Tuba Yavuz; IN SUBMISSION, 2018

### Service

Program USENIX Security: '19 Committee

Conference IEEE S&P: '16,'17,'18; USENIX Security: '14,'15,'17,'18; ISOC NDSS: '16,'17,'18,'19; ACM CCS: '14,'15,'16; External USENIX OSDI: '16; ACM AsiaCCS: '15,'17,'18; USENIX Woot: '16; ACSAC: '16; PETS: '15; IEEE MOST: '15; Review IEEE CNS: '17

Journal Security and Communication Networks (SCN), Journal of Network and Systems Management (JONS) Review

# Invited Talks

- Nov 2018 Defending Operating Systems from Malicious Peripherals, Pennsylvania State University, Host: Patrick McDaniel
- Nov 2018 Defending Operating Systems from Malicious Peripherals, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, Host: Adam Bates
- Feb 2019 Defending Operating Systems from Malicious Peripherals, Drexel University, Host: Dario Salvucci
- Feb 2019 Defending Operating Systems from Malicious Peripherals, Duke University, Host: Benjamin Lee
- Feb 2019 Defending Operating Systems from Malicious Peripherals, Purdue University, Host: Dongyan Xu
- Feb 2019 Defending Operating Systems from Malicious Peripherals, Virginia Tech, Host: Kirk Cameron
- Mar 2019 Defending Operating Systems from Malicious Peripherals, University of California Santa Cruz, Host: Owen Arden
- Mar 2019 Defending Operating Systems from Malicious Peripherals, University of Michigan, Host: Atul Prakash
- Apr 2019 Defending Operating Systems from Malicious Peripherals, University of Minnesota, Host: Nick Hopper

#### Awards

- 2018 Second Place Award, SEC Academic Conference (Cybersecurity) Student Poster Presentation
- 2017 Best Poster Award, FICS Annual Research Conference
- 2017 Gartner Group Info Tech Scholarship, University of Florida
- 2016 Best Poster Award, FICS Annual Research Conference
- 2015 ACSAC Student Conferenceship Award, ACSA
- 2015 CISE Travel Grant, University of Florida
- 2015 USENIX Security Student Grant, USENIX
- 2014 Gartner Group Graduate Fellowship, University of Florida
- 2011 Alcatel-Lucent R&D Well Done Award, Alcatel-Lucent
- 2009 Alcatel-Lucent R&D Innovation Award, Alcatel-Lucent
- 2009 Comprehensive Award of Excellent Graduate Scholarship, Ocean University of China
- 2009 Excellent Graduate Student Scholarship, Ocean University of China
- 2006 Full Graduate Scholarship, Ocean University of China
- 2004 Outstanding Student Cadre Scholarship, Qingdao Technological University

#### Work

- 2018.05- Security Research Engineer Intern, Fortanix, Mountain View, CA, Runtime Encryption.
- 2018.08 Intel SGX research for Containers
- 2017.05- Security Research Engineer Intern, Samsung Research America (SRA), Mountain View, CA, KNOX Security.
- 2017.08 Security analysis on USB interfaces for Android phones
- 2008.12- Software Engineer, Nokia R&D (former Lucent Technologies), Qingdao, China, Linux Control Platform (LCP).
- 2012.08 System software development on Linux platform
- 2006.03- **POS Tester Intern**, *Hisense R&D*, Qingdao, China, POS Testing.
- 2006.04 POS endurance testing

## Experience

- 2014.09— **Graduate Research Fellow**, *FICS Research*, Computer & Information Science & Engineering Department, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL.
  - Systems Security Embedded Systems Security and Trusted Computing
- 2016.09- Lead Graduate Student, FICS Research, Computer & Information Science & Engineering Department, University
- 2018.09 of Florida, Gainesville, FL.
  - Systems Security Embedded Systems Security and Trusted Computing
- 2013.06- Graduate Research Fellow, OSIRIS Lab, Computer & Information Science Department, University of Oregon,
- 2014.08 Eugene, OR.
  - Systems Security Trusted computing and Embedded Storage
- 2012.09- Graduate Teaching Fellow, AIM Lab, Computer & Information Science Department, University of Oregon,
- 2013.05 Eugene, OR.
  - Al and Machine Learning Semantic Web and Ontology
- 2009.09- Graduate Research Fellow, Electronic Engineering Department, Ocean University of China, Qingdao, China.
- 2012.11 DSP and Machine Learning Support Vector Machine (SVM)
- 2018.09— Guest Lecturer, Computer & Information Science & Engineering Department, University of Florida, Gainesville,
  - CNT 5410 Computer and Network Security (Fall 2018)
- 2012.09- Graduate Teaching Fellow, Computer & Information Science Department, University of Oregon, Eugene, OR.
- $2013.06\,\,$   $\circ\,$  CIS 122 Intro to Programming & Problem Solving Using Python (Fall 2012, lab)
  - o CIS 122 Intro to Programming & Problem Solving Using Python (Winter 2013, lab)
  - CIS 415 Operating Systems (Spring 2013, lab)
- 2013.12- Technical Reviewer, Packt Publishing, Birmingham, UK.
- Present Mastering Python Regular Expressions
  - Python 3 Text Processing with NLTK 3 Cookbook
  - o Building Probabilistic Graphical Models with Python
  - Mastering Probabilistic Graphical Models with Python
  - Embedded Linux Projects Using Yocto Project Cookbook
  - Yocto for Raspberry Pi
  - LLVM Cookbook

# Certifications

- 2011 AIX certification (AN10, AN12), IBM
- 2010 Project Management, ChoiZe Management Consulting
- 2010 Linux Debugging and Performance, JOHN BRYCE
- 2008 Sun Certified Java Programmer (SCJP), Sun Microsystems
- 2008 Solaris OS Architecture, Sun ERI & OpenTech
- 2008 Solaris 10 Admin Training, Sun Developer Network (China) & Unix-Center
- 2007 Sun Studio Hands-on Training with Unix/Linux Commands, Sun Developer Network (China) & Unix-Center
- 2004 National Computer Rank Examination (NCRE), Rank 2, C programming, China Education Ministry
- 1998 Microcomputer Operation Certification for Adult (DOS, Foxbase), Pute Computer Training Center of Qingdao Technological University

### Links

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My code https://github.com/daveti

FICS Res. https://fics.institute.ufl.edu/