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Curriculum Vitae

Computerbeveiliging & Ind. Crypt. Leuven,
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Date of birth: 16/10/1995 Nationality: Turkish Country of Residence: Belgium

Education

2019-Present Ph.D. in Cryptography, Cosic, KU Leuven, Belgium.

Securing Against Physical Attacks - Fault Injection

2019–2021 MS in Information Security Technology, Eindhoven University of Technology,

The Netherlands.

Graduation date: August 2021

GPA - 8.07/10

Thesis - 8.5/10: Behaviour of Algebraic Ciphers in Fully Homomorphic Encryption

2014–2019 **BS in Computer Science and Engineering**, *Sabancı University*, Turkey.

Graduation date: June 2019

GPA - 3.84/4

Mathematics Minor, GPA - 4.00/4

 Graduation Project: Design and Development of Homomorphic Multiparty Processing Infrastructure for Discovering Genetic Variants Associated with a Trait

2017 **Erasmus Exchange Program**, *Delft University of Technology*, The Netherlands, Computer Science.

Experience

Teaching Experience

2020 Q4 **Teaching Assistant**, Eindhoven University of Technology.

o Computer Networks and Security, Instructors: Tanir Ozcelebi, Jerry den Hartog

2015–2018 **Teaching Assistant**, Sabancı University.

o Advanced Programming, Instructor: Kamer Kaya

o Calculus, Instructor: Cem Güneri

2015 Fall **Learning Assistant**, Sabancı University.

Nature of Science, Instructor: Zehra Sayers

Work Experience

12.2020 - Research Assistant, Riscure, The Netherlands.

02.2021 • Fault Injection - SIFA on AES/DES

2020 **Summer Research Intern**, *Riscure*, The Netherlands.

 Internship Project: How to measure fault injection attack resistance of an implementation quickly? (SIFA)

- 2018 **Summer Research Intern**, *Delft University of Technology*, Cyber Security Group, The Netherlands.
 - Internship Project: iDASH Privacy & Security Competition 2018/Track 2 Secure Parallel Genome Wide Association Studies using Homomorphic Encryption

Publications

- 2022 Ashur, T. & Mahzoun, M. & Toprakhisar, D. Chaghri an FHE-friendly Block Cipher. ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS) in Los Angeles, U.S.A; Conference Date: 7-11-2022 Through 11-11-2022.
- 2022 Ashur, T. & Mahzoun, M. & Toprakhisar, D. How Not To Design an Efficient FHE-friendly Block Cipher: Seljuk. The Computer Journal Special Issue on Failed Approaches and Insightful Losses in Cryptology.
- 2021 Ashur, T. & Toprakhisar, D., A Comparative Study of Vision and AES in FHE Setting. May 2021. WIC symposium on Information Theory and Signal Processing in the Benelux, SiTB; Conference date: 20-05-2021 Through 21-05-2021.
- 2021 Ashur, T. & Mahzoun, M. & Toprakhisar, D. A Comparative Study of Vision and AES in FHE Setting. August 2021. The Conference for Failed Approaches and Insightful Losses in Cryptology, CFail; Conference date: 14-08-2021

Honors and Awards

- 2019 ALSP Scholarship granted by Eindhoven University of Technology.
 - Full tuition wavier and monthly stipend granted
- 2014 Full tuition wavier and housing granted by Sabanci University.
 - Received as the result of the success in the National University Entrance Exam, ranked as 1639th among 2 million participants in Turkey
- 2014 Third honor's degree of graduation, Vefa High School, Istanbul, Turkey.

Skills

Programming C, C++, C#, Python, Java, MS Visual Studio, Eclipse, MATLAB, R Skills

Languages Turkish (Native), English (Professional)