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### **Interests**

My research interests lie in the field of dependability in software systems, with a particular focus on fault tolerance and security.

#### Education

Ph.D. Candidate in Computer Science (Dec 2013 - present)

Technische Universität Dresden (TU Dresden), Germany

Advisors: Prof. Dr. Christof Fetzer and Prof. Dr. Pramod Bhatotia

Master of Science in Computer Science (Oct 2011 - Nov 2013)

Technische Universität Dresden (TU Dresden), Germany

**Diplom** in Electrical Engineering (Sep 2004 - Jul 2010)

Bauman University, Moscow, Russia

## **Employment**

Auriga Inc, Moscow, Russia (Sep 2010 - Aug 2011)

Certification engineer, Software developer

#### Responsibilities:

- documenting and testing code of the PikeOS embedded operating system (C)
- writing medical special-purpose programs (C++ and C#)

Diasoft, Moscow, Russia (Sep 2007 - Aug 2010)

Software developer

Responsibilities: programming insurance subsystems using Transact SQL and Delphi

#### **Awards**

Carter Award (Best student paper) at DSN'15

Best paper award at SRDS'14

Erasmus Mundus Action 2 MULTIC scholarship, 2011-2013

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#### Ph.D. Dissertation

**Topic:** Dependable Systems Leveraging New ISA Extensions (Preliminary) **Supervisors:** Prof. Dr. Christof Fetzer and Prof. Dr. Pramod Bhatotia

In the context of my Ph.D. dissertation, I investigate and build systems to increase software dependability leveraging recent sets of ISA extensions in Intel processors, with the focus on software-based fault tolerance and security for legacy C/C++ programs.

#### Research projects:

**Intel MPX Explained**: Detailed evaluation of Intel MPX and discussion of its applicability in comparison to other bounds-checking approaches.

— Software: Intel-MPX.github.io

**SGXBounds**: LLVM-based bounds checker to detect and tolerate security bugs in multithreaded legacy C/C++ programs inside Intel SGX enclaves.

— Software: https://github.com/tudinfse/sgxbounds

**Elzar**: LLVM compiler pass to detect and mask transient CPU faults in multithreaded legacy C/C++ programs using Intel AVX.

— Software: https://github.com/tudinfse/elzar

**HAFT**: LLVM compiler pass to detect and tolerate transient CPU faults in multithreaded legacy C/C++ programs using Intel TSX.

— Software: https://github.com/tudinfse/haft

 $\Delta$ -Encoding: Source-to-source compiler to detect transient and permanent CPU faults in legacy C programs utilizing unused IPC resources of modern CPUs.

#### **Publications**

#### Conference publications:

[1] Intel MPX Explained

Oleksii Oleksenko, Dmitrii Kuvaiskii, Pramod Bhatotia, Pascal Felber, and Christof Fetzer **USENIX ATC 2017** (Under submission)

[2] SGXBounds: Memory Safety for Shielded Execution

Dmitrii Kuvaiskii, Oleksii Oleksenko, Sergei Arnautov, Bohdan Trach, Pramod Bhatotia, Pascal Felber, and Christof Fetzer

**EuroSys 2017** (Under submission)

[3] Elzar: Triple Modular Redundancy using Intel Advanced Vector Extensions Dmitrii Kuvaiskii, Oleksii Oleksenko, Pramod Bhatotia, Pascal Felber, and Christof Fetzer DSN 2016

[4] HAFT: Hardware-Assisted Fault Tolerance

Dmitrii Kuvaiskii, Rasha Faqeh, Pramod Bhatotia, Pascal Felber, and Christof Fetzer

EuroSys 2016

[5] Δ-Encoding: Practical Encoded Processing

Dmitrii Kuvaiskii and Christof Fetzer

DSN 2015 Carter Award (Best student paper)

[6] HardPaxos: Replication hardened against hardware errors Diogo Behrens, Dmitrii Kuvaiskii, and Christof Fetzer

SRDS 2014 Best paper award

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#### **Extended abstracts:**

[7] Efficient Fault Tolerance using Intel MPX and TSX
Oleksii Oleksenko, Dmitrii Kuvaiskii, Pramod Bhatotia, Christof Fetzer, and Pascal Felber
Fast abstract at **DSN 2016** 

#### **Talks**

DSN'16, Toulouse, June 2016

Elzar: Triple Modular Redundancy using Intel Advanced Vector Extensions

EuroSys'16, London, April 2016

HAFT: Hardware-Assisted Fault Tolerance

**DSN'15**, Rio de Janeiro, June 2015 Δ-*Encoding: Practical Encoded Processing* 

### **Teaching**

Teaching assistant: Distributed Systems Engineering (DSE) courses, TU Dresden, Dec 2013 - present

- Concurrent and Distributed Systems lab, summer semesters: 2014, 2015, & 2016
- Principles of Dependable Systems exercises, winter semesters: 2014, 2015, & 2016
- Software Fault Tolerance exercises, summer semesters: 2014, 2015, & 2016

#### **Activities**

Shadow PC member: EuroSys 2016

#### Skills

Languages: C, C++, Assembly (expert), Unix shell, Python, R (competent)

Frameworks: LLVM, gdb, Intel Pin, Intel SDE

Technologies: Intel SSE/AVX, Intel TSX, Intel MPX, Intel SGX

#### References

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