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#### EDUCATION

## • UC San Diego

USA, Sept 2020-June 2026(Expected)

o Ph.D. student in operating systems and security advised by Pr. Yuanyuan Zhou

## • Grandes Ecoles System

France, Sept 2014-Dec 2019

- o M.S in Computer Science, Bordeaux-INP Top 15 French Engineering university, 2017 2019: GPA 4.0
- o B.S in Computer Science, Bordeaux-INP 2014 2017: GPA 3.2

## • UC San Diego

USA, Sept 2018-April 2019

o Selected in UC France Exchange Partnership Program, Computer Science

#### EXPERIENCE

• Security Software Engineer

Whova

San Diego, Oct-July 2019-2020

- o Improved the security of APIs receiving 10M requests per day by automating penetration tests
- Led the transition from Python2 to Python3 for the entire codebase
- o Trained the engineering team on cybersecurity by giving talks, writing newsletters and organizing quizzes

## • Security Research Summer Intern

LaBRI Research

Bordeaux, April-Sept 2019

- Improved Intel SGX performance by reallocating functions dynamically, proposal paper accepted in the french conference COMPAS 2019
- Benchmarked Hyperledger blockchains to evaluate POET-SGX consensus algorithm performance

#### • Blockchain Research Summer Intern

LaBRI Research

Bordeaux, June-August 2018

- $\circ~$  Designed a blockchain solution based on Hyperledger Fabric for P2P rewarding
- o Implemented a POC with MS-Stream.net video player for future papers using ReactJs and NodeJs
- Researched and created models to optimize rewarding incentivity in GO

## • Lead Security Software Engineer

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Bordeaux, Feb-June 2018

- Led a team of 7 fellow graduates with whom I built a video system to provide security and anonymity for the user
- o Implemented a proxy in C to encrypt video data and a NodeJs extension to the DashJs video player
- Improved proxy integrity by using the trusted execution environment of Intel SGX

## • Cybersecurity and R&D Intern

Expertcom

Bordeaux, July-August 2017

- Studied a defense system called Honeypot to sell a solution against man-in-the-middle attacks
- Created a supervision tool in JavaScript to present PRTG API data

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

## • Creating Symbolic execution based tests for access-control changes checking

Ongoing

- Customizing the S2E symbolic execution framework to execute exclusively access control code
- o Implementing static analysis algorithm with LLVM to identify which variables should be made symbolic
- Translating constraints on access from symbolic execution to requests using Z3

## • Detecting risky access-control changes with configuration testing

Oct-June 2020-2021

- Automatized test creation for access control configuration changes using logs
- o Created sandbox environment with Docker using copy-on-write and firewall rules
- Designed a trimming method to accelerate the tests by up to 98% by skipping the data-related procedures
- Tested real-world Docker images from 72 images and found 25 vulnerabilities that have been confirmed

## SKILLS

• Php, JavaScript, NodeJS, Python, Shell, Java, C, Go, Git, Docker, MongoDB, MySQL, Rust