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- [B] **Education**
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| Ph. D., Computer Science,
New York University, New York, USA
<i>Advisor:</i> Prof. Zvi Kedem | <i>Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences</i>
May, 1999 |
| M. Sc., Computer Science,
New York University, New York, USA | <i>Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences</i>
May, 1996 |
| B. Sc., Computer Science,
Miami, Florida, USA | <i>Barry University</i>
May, 1993 |
- [C] **Professional Experience**
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| JULIAN T. HIGHTOWER CHAIR,
College of Engineering, | <i>Georgia Tech</i>
August 2022 — present |
| KENAN DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR,
Computer Science Department, | <i>University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill</i>
July 2017 — July 2022 |
| CO-FOUNDER,
Role: Chief Scientist, | <i>Zeropoint Dynamics</i>
March 2015 — 2022 |
| DIR., COMPUTER & INFORMATION SECURITY
Joint appointment with UNC-CH Comp. Sci. | <i>Renaissance Computing Institute</i>
January 2014 — 2018 |
| PROFESSOR,
Computer Science Department, | <i>University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill</i>
January 2013 — present |
| ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR,
Computer Science Department, | <i>University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill</i>
July 2008 — December, 2012 |
| ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR,
Computer Science Department, | <i>Johns Hopkins University</i>
July 2007 — June 2008 |
| ASSISTANT PROFESSOR,
Computer Science Department, | <i>Johns Hopkins University</i>
November 2002 — June 2007 |
| RESEARCH SCIENTIST,
Secure Systems Research, | <i>Bell Laboratories, Lucent Technologies</i>
July 1999 — October 2002 |
| RESEARCH INTERN,
Secure Systems Research Department, | <i>AT&T Labs Research</i>
Summer 1998 |

RESEARCH INTERN, High Availability and Distributed Computing Research Group,	<i>Bell Communications</i> Summer 1997
RESEARCH INTERN, Cryptography and Network Security Research Group,	<i>Bell Communications</i> Summer 1996
RESEARCH ASSISTANT, Computer Science Department,	<i>New York University</i> August 1995 — 1998
RESEARCH ASSISTANT, Distributed Systems Group,	<i>New York University</i> Summer 1994

- [D] Honors**
- CIOS Honor Roll, *GT Center for Teaching and Learning*, Fall, 2023
 - CSSA Graduate Teaching Award, *CS Department*, May, 2021
 - Undergraduate Students Teaching Award, *CS Department*, May, 2015
 - Best Student Paper Award, *IEEE Symposium on Security & Privacy* May, 2013
 - Outstanding Research in *Privacy Enhancing Technologies (PET)*, July, 2012
 - AT&T Best Applied Security Paper Award, *NYU-Poly CSAW*, Nov, 2011
 - Best Paper Award, *IEEE Symposium on Security & Privacy*, May, 2011
 - Best Paper Award, *Intl. Conf. on Internet Monitoring and Protection*, April, 2011
 - Faculty Research Award, *Google* May, 2011
 - Faculty Research Award, *Google* March, 2009
 - CAREER Award, *National Science Foundation*, February, 2006
 - Best Student Paper Award, *8th USENIX Security Symposium* August, 1999
 - Best Overall Paper Award, *8th USENIX Security Symposium* August, 1999
 - USENIX Scholars Research Award Fall 1998
 - Bell Communications Research Scholarship Fall 1997

[E] Funding Awarded Grants & Contracts

[G1] **PI**, DARPA (M. Antonakakis at GaTech (*lead*)), A NOVEL FRAMEWORK TO ASSESS, STATISTICALLY MODEL AND EVADE CYBER ATTACK INFRASTRUCTURE for \$1, 266, 714, October. 22 — October 2025.

[G2] **Co-PI** (with Jan-Michel Frahm), CIA, CYBER IDENTITY AND BEHAVIORAL ANALYTICS

RESEARCH CONSORTIUM (CIBAR) for \$559,000, July 2017 — Dec, 2021.

- [G3] **PI**, DARPA (M. Antonakakis at GaTech (*lead*)), ATTRIBUTING CYBER ACTORS THROUGH TENSOR DECOMPOSITION AND NOVEL DATA ACQUISITION for \$2,019,181, Nov. 2016 — August 2021.
- [G4] **PI**, NIST, KNOWLEDGE IS POWER: ASSESSING THE SECURITY AND PRIVACY OF CONSUMER IOT ARCHITECTURES AND SYSTEMS for \$183,063.00, July 2017 — July, 2018.
- [G5] **PI**, IEEE, ADVANCING CYBERSECURITY EDUCATION THROUGH ACTIVE, CHALLENGE-BASED, LEARNING EXERCISES for \$119,999.44, Jan. 2017 — August, 2018.
- [G6] **PI**, Department of Defense University Research Instrumentation Program (DURIP), NEXT GENERATION DEFENSES AGAINST WEB-BASED EXPLOITS for \$116,500.00, April, 2016 — May 2017.
- [G7] **Co-PI** (with Jan-Michel Frahm (*lead*)), Department of Defense University Research Instrumentation Program (DURIP), UNDERSTANDING PRIVACY RISKS OF UBIQUITOUS PERSONAL AUGMENTED REALITY HEAD-MOUNTED DISPLAYS for \$95,385.00, June, 2014 — May 2015.
- [G8] **PI**, NSF *Secure and Trustworthy Computing*, TWC: TTP OPTION: SMALL: SCALABLE TECHNIQUES FOR BETTER SITUATIONAL AWARENESS: ALGORITHMIC FRAMEWORKS AND LARGE SCALE EMPIRICAL ANALYSES for \$667,900.00, Sept. 2014—August 2017.
- [G9] **PI** Department of Homeland Security *Transition to Practice Program*, SUPPLEMENT TO NSF SDCI SEC: NEW SOFTWARE PLATFORMS FOR SUPPORTING NETWORK-WIDE DETECTION OF CODE INJECTION ATTACKS for \$350,000.00, Sept. 2014—August 2015.
- [G10] **PI**, Department of Defense University Research Instrumentation Program (DURIP), NEXT-GENERATION DEFENSES FOR SECURING VOIP COMMUNICATIONS for \$114,345.00, June, 2013 — May 2014.
- [G11] **PI**, NSF *Secure and Trustworthy Computing*, SUPPORT FOR THE 2014 USENIX SECURITY SYMPOSIUM; SAN DEIGO for \$20,000.00, July 30, 2014— October 2015.
- [G12] **PI**, NSF *Secure and Trustworthy Computing*, TOWARD PRONOUNCEABLE AUTHENTICATION STRINGS for \$499,997.00, Aug. 2013—July 2016.
- [G13] **PI**, NSF *Secure and Trustworthy Computing*, SUPPORT FOR THE 2013 USENIX SECURITY SYMPOSIUM; WASHINGTON D.C. for \$10,000.00, July 30, 2013— October 2013.
- [G14] **PI**, Department of Homeland Security, EFFICIENT TRACKING, LOGGING, AND BLOCKING OF ACCESSES TO DIGITAL OBJECTS (with C. Schmitt and M. Bailey) for \$1,035,590. September 2012 — August 2014.
- [G15] **Co-PI** (Jan-Michel Frahm (*lead*)), NSF *Division of Information & Intelligent Systems*, EAGER: AUTOMATIC RECONSTRUCTION OF TYPED INPUT FROM COMPROMISING REFLECTIONS for \$151,749.00, August 2011—July 2013.
- [G16] **PI**, Verisign Labs Research Awards Program, ON EXPLORING APPLICATIONS OF PHONETIC EDIT DISTANCE for \$65,000.00, June 2011.

- [G17] **PI**, *Google Faculty Research Awards Program*, SHELLOS: AN EFFICIENT RUNTIME PLATFORM FOR DETECTING CODE INJECTION ATTACKS for \$61,635.00, May 2011.
- [G18] **PI**, *NSF Office of Cyberinfrastructure*, SDCI SEC: NEW SOFTWARE PLATFORMS FOR SUPPORTING NETWORK-WIDE DETECTION OF CODE INJECTION ATTACKS for \$800,000.00, Aug. 2011—July 2014.
- [G19] **PI**, *NSF Trustworthy Computing*, SUPPORT FOR THE 2011 USENIX SECURITY SYMPOSIUM; SAN FRANCISCO for \$20,000.00, July 30, 2011— October 2011.
- [G20] **PI**, *NSF Trustworthy Computing*, TC: SMALL: EXPLORING PRIVACY BREACHES IN ENCRYPTED VOIP COMMUNICATIONS for \$496,482.00, Aug. 2010—July 2013.
- [G21] **PI**, *NSF Trustworthy Computing*, SUPPORT FOR THE 2010 USENIX SECURITY SYMPOSIUM; WASHINGTON D.C. for \$20,000.00, July 30, 2010— October 2010.
- [G22] **PI** (A. Stavrou at GMU (*lead*)), *NSF Trustworthy Computing*, COLLABORATIVE RESEARCH: SCALABLE MALWARE ANALYSIS USING LIGHTWEIGHT VIRTUALIZATION for \$259,264.00, Sept. 2009—August 2011.
- [G23] **PI**, DETECTING AND MONITORING MALFEASANCE ON THE NET, *Google Faculty Research Awards Program* for \$90,000.00, March 2009–Feb 2010.
- [G24] **Co-PI** (W. Lee at GaTech (*lead*)), *NSF Cyber Trust: CLEANSE: CROSS-LAYER LARGE-SCALE EFFICIENT ANALYSIS OF NETWORK ACTIVITIES TO SECURE THE INTERNET* for \$1,839,297.00, July 2008 — June 2012.
- [G25] **PI**, Department of Homeland Security, NEW FRAMEWORKS FOR DETECTING AND MINIMIZING INFORMATION LEAKAGE IN ANONYMIZED NETWORK DATA for \$962,609.00. April 2008—April 2011.
- [G26] **Co-PI** (G. Masson (*lead*)), SECURITY THROUGH VIRTUALIZATION. Information Assurance Scholarship Program for \$142,948.00. DoD, ANNEX II, Feb, 2008.
- [G27] **Co-PI** (A. Terzis (*lead*)), *NSF Cyber Trust: THINKING AHEAD: A PROACTIVE APPROACH FOR COUNTERING FUTURE INTERNET MALWARE* for \$350,000.00. September 2006 — August 2009.
- [G28] **PI**, *NSF Cyber Trust: CAREER: TOWARDS EFFECTIVE IDENTIFICATION OF APPLICATION BEHAVIORS IN ENCRYPTED TRAFFIC* for \$400,000.00. September 2006 — August 2011.
- [G29] **PI**, *NSF Cyber Trust: GENERATIVE MODELS FOR IMPROVING BIOMETRICALLY ENHANCED SYSTEMS* for \$696,553.00. December 2004 — October 2007.
- [G30] **Co-PI**, *NSF STI: TOWARDS MORE SECURE INTER-DOMAIN ROUTING* (A. Rubin (*lead*)) for \$616,923.00. November 2003 — June 2006.

[F] Bib.

Manuscripts
Under Review /
Revision

- [U1] *The Guardian of Name Street: Studying Defensive Registrations for the Fortune 500*. Boladji Vinny Adjibi, Athanasios Avgetidis, Michael Bailey, Fabian Monroe and Manos Antonakakis. 2024.
- [U2] *Systematically Discovering Unknown APT Infrastructure*. Athanasios Avgetidis, Boladji Vinny Adjibi, Panagiotis Kintis, Tillson Galloway, Zane Ma, Omar Alrawi, Manos Antonakakis, Roberto Perdisci, Fabian Monroe and Angelos Keromytis. 2024.
- [U3] *Don't Miss Out on the Cross-Family Gossip: Using Shared Implementations of Behaviors to Uncover Relationships Within and Between Malware Families*. Kevin Valakuzhy, Miuyin Yong Wong, Omar Alrawi, Angelos D. Keromytis and Fabian Monroe. 2024.

**Refereed
Conference
Publications**

- [P1] *Contrasting Theory to Practice: Results from Interviews with Expert Malware Analysts*. Miuyin Wong, Matthew Landen, Frank Li, Fabian Monroe and Mustaque Ahamad. In USENIX Symposium on Usable Privacy and Security, August, 2024.
- [P2] *CrashTalk: Automated Generation of Precise, Human Readable, Descriptions of Software Security Bugs*. Kedrian James, Kevin Valakuzhy, Kevin Snow and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of the ACM Conference and Computer and Data Security, June, 2024.
- [P3] *Towards Practical Fabrication Stage Attacks Using Interrupt-Resilient Hardware Trojans*. Athanasios Moschos, Fabian Monroe and Angelos Keromytis. In IEEE International Symposium on Hardware Oriented Security and Trust, May, 2024.
- [P4] *Improving Security Tasks Using Compiler Provenance Information Recovered At the Binary-Level*. Yufei Du, Omar Alwari, Kevin Snow, Manos Antonakakis and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security, November, 2023.
- [P5] *Stale TLS Certificates: Investigating Precarious Third-Party Access to Valid TLS Keys*. Zane Ma, Aaron Faulkenberry, Thomas Papastergiou, Zakir Durumeric, Michael D. Bailey, Angelos D. Keromytis, Fabian Monroe and Manos Antonakakis. In Proceedings of ACM Internet Measurement Conference, Oct, 2023.
- [P6] *More Carrot or Less Stick: Organically Improving Student Time Management With Practice Tasks and Gamified Assignments*. Mac Malone and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of ACM Conference on Innovation and Technology In CS Education, July, 2023.
- [P7] *Securely Autograding Cybersecurity Exercises Using Web Accessible Jupyter Notebooks*. Mac Malone, Yicheng Wang and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of ACM SIGCSE Technical Symposium, March, 2023.
- [P8] *Beyond the Gates: An Empirical Analysis of HTTP-managed password stealers and operators*. Omar Alrawi, Athanasios Avgetidis, Kevin Valakuzhy, Charles Lever, Paul Burbage, Angelos Keromytis, Fabian Monroe, and Manos Antonakakis. In Proceedings of the USENIX Security Symposium, August 2023.

- [P9] *View from Above: Exploring the Malware Ecosystem from the Upper DNS Hierarchy*. Aaron Faulkenberry, Athanasios Avgetidis, Zane Ma, Omar Alrawi, Charles Lever, Panagiotis Kintis, Fabian Monroe, Angelos Keromytis, and Manos Antonakakis. In Proceedings of the Annual Computer Security Applications Conference, Dec 2022.
- [P10] *Automatic Recovery of Fine-grained Compiler Provenance Information at the Binary Level*. Yufei Du, Ryan Court, Kevin Z. Snow and Fabian Monroe. USENIX Annual Technical Conference, July, 2022. (Acceptance rate=16.5%)
- [P11] *Disentangling Style and Content for Low Resource Video Domain Adaptation: A Case Study on Keystroke Inference Attacks*. John Lim, Jan-Michael Frahm and Fabian Monroe. In ACM Conference on Data and Application Security (CODASPY), April, 2022.
- [P12] *An Online Gamified Learning Platform for Teaching Cybersecurity and More*. Mac Malone, Yicheng Wang and Fabian Monroe. ACM Annual Conference on IT Education (SIG-ITE), October, 2021.
- [P13] *DynPTA: Combining Static and Dynamic Analysis for Practical Selective Data Protection*. Tapti Palit, Jarin Fiore Moon, Fabian Monroe and Michalis Polychronakis. In Proceedings of the IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy, May, 2021. (Acceptance rate=11.8%).
- [P14] *Applicable Micropatches and Where to Find Them: Finding and Applying New Security Hot Fixes to Old Software*. Mac Malone, Yicheng Wang, Kevin Snow and Fabian Monroe. IEEE International Conference on Software Testing, Verification and Validation, April, 2021. (Acceptance rate=24.8%)
- [P15] *The Circle Of Life: A Large-Scale Study of The IoT Malware Lifecycle*. Omar Alrawi, Charles Lever, Kevin Valakuzhy, Ryan Court, Kevin Snow, Fabian Monroe and Manos Antonakakis. USENIX Security Symposium, August, 2021. (Acceptance rate=18.8%).
- [P16] *To Gamify or Not? On Leaderboard Effects, Student Engagement, and Learning outcomes in a Cybersecurity Intervention*. Mac Malone, Yicheng Wang, Kedrian James, Murray Anderegg, Jan Werner and Fabian Monroe. ACM SIGCSE Technical Symposium, 2021. (Acceptance rate=31%).
- [P17] *A Flexible Framework for Expediting Bug Findings by Leveraging Past (Mis-)Behavior to Discover New Bugs*. Sanjeev Das, Kedrian James, Jan Werner, Manos Antonakakis, Michalis Polychronakis and Fabian Monroe. ACM Annual Computer Security Applications Conference (ACSAC), December 2020. (Acceptance rate=23.1%).
- [P18] *Methodologies for Quantifying (Re-)randomization Security and Timing under JIT-ROP*. Md Salman Ahmed, Ya Xiao, Kevin Z. Snow, Gang Tan, Fabian Monroe and Danfeng Yao. In Proceedings of the ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security, October, 2020. (Acceptance rate=17%).
- [P19] *Mitigating Data Leakage by Protecting Memory-resident Sensitive Data*. Tapti Palit, Fabian Monroe and Michalis Polychronakis. In Proceedings of the Annual Computer Security Application Conference, December 2019. (Acceptance rate=22.6%).
- [P20] *The SEVerESt Of Them All: Inference Attacks Against Secure Virtual Enclaves*. Jan Werner, Joshua Mason, Manos Antonakakis, Michalis Polychronakis and Fabian Monroe. In

- Proceedings of the ACM Asia Conference on Computer and Communication Security, July 2019. (Acceptance rate=21.4%).
- [P21] *SoK: The Challenges, Pitfalls, and Perils of Using Hardware Performance Counters for Security*. S. Das, J. Werner, M. Antonakakis, M. Polychronakis and F. Monroe. In Proceedings of the IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy, May, 2019. (Acceptance rate=13.6%).
- [P22] *SoK: Security Evaluation of Home-Based IoT Deployments*. O. Alrawi, C. Lever, M. Antonakakis and F. Monroe. In Proceedings of the IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy, May, 2019. (Acceptance rate=13.6%).
- [P23] *Security Concerns in Asynchronous Web Server Architectures: When Performance Optimizations Empower Data-oriented Attacks*. M. Morton, J. Werner, K. Z. Snow, M. Antonakakis, M. Polychronakis and F. Monroe. In Proceedings of the IEEE European Symposium on Security and Privacy, April, 2018. (Acceptance rate=22%).
- [P24] *Practical Attacks Against Graph-based Clustering*. Y. Chen, Y. Nadji, A. Kountouras, F. Monroe, R. Perdisci, M. Antonakakis, N. Vasiloglou. In Proceedings of the ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security, October, 2017. (Acceptance rate=18%).
- [P25] *Keeping Zombie Gadgets at Bay by Re-randomizing after Disclosure*. Micah Morton, Forrest Li, Kevin Snow, Michalis Polychronakis and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of Engineering Secure Systems and Software conference (ESSoS), July, 2017.
- [P26] *Revisiting Browser Security in the Modern Era: New Data-only Attacks and Defenses*. Roman Rogowski, Micah Morton, Forrest Li, Kevin Z. Snow, Fabian Monroe and Michalis Polychronakis. In Proceedings of the IEEE European Symposium on Security and Privacy, March 2017. (Acceptance rate=17.5%).
- [P27] *Virtual U: Defeating Face Liveness Detection by Building Virtual Models From Your Public Photos*. Yi Xu, True Price, Jan-Michael Frahm and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of the USENIX Security Symposium, August 2016. (Acceptance rate=15.5%).
- [P28] *Return to the Zombie Gadgets: Undermining Destructive Code Reads via Code-Inference Attacks*. Kevin Z. Snow, Roman Rogowski, Jan Werner, Hyungjoon Koo, Fabian Monroe and Michalis Polychronakis. In Proceedings of the IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy, May, 2016. (Acceptance rate=14%).
- [P29] *No-Execute-After-Read: Preventing Code Disclosures in Commodity Software*. Jan Werner, George Baltas, Rob Dallara, Nathan Otterness, Kevin Snow, Fabian Monroe and Michalis Polychronakis. In Proceedings of the ACM Asia Conference on Computer and Communication Security, May 2016. (Acceptance rate=21%).
- [P30] *Detecting Malicious Exploit Kits using Tree-based Similarity Searches*. Teryl Taylor, Xin Hu, Ting Wang, Jiyong Jang, Marc Stoeckin, Fabian Monroe and Reiner Sailer. In Proceedings of the ACM Conference on Data and Application Security and Privacy, pages 255-266, March, 2016. (Acceptance rate=19%).
- [P31] *Cache, Trigger, Impersonate: Enabling Context-Sensitive Honeyclient Analysis On-the-Wire*. Teryl Taylor, Kevin Snow, Nathan Otterness and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of

the 23rd ISOC Network and Distributed Systems Security Symposium (NDSS), Feb., 2016. (Acceptance rate=15.4%).

- [P32] *Isomeron: Code Randomization Resilient to (Just-in-Time) Return-Oriented Programming*. Luca Davi, Christopher Liebchen, Ahmad-Reza Sadeghi, Kevin Z. Snow, and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of the 22nd ISOC Network and Distributed Systems Security Symposium (NDSS), Feb., 2015. (Acceptance rate=21%).
- [P33] *Watching the Watchers: Inferring TV Content from Outdoor Light Effusions*. Yi Xu, Jan-Michael Frahm and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of the 21st ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS), November, 2014. (Acceptance rate=19%).
- [P34] *Emergent Faithfulness to Morphological and Semantic Heads in Lexical Blends*. Katherine Shaw, Elliott Moreton, Andrew White and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of the Annual Meeting on Phonology, February, 2014.
- [P35] *Seeing Double: Reconstructing Obscured Typed Input from Repeated Compromising Reflections*. Yi Xu, Jared Heinly, Andrew M. White, Fabian Monroe and Jan-Michael Frahm. In Proceedings of the 20th ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS), November, 2013. (Acceptance rate=20%)
- [P36] *Check my profile: Leverage static analysis for fast and accurate detection of ROP gadgets*. Blaine Stancill, Kevin Snow, Nathan Otterness, Fabian Monroe, Lucas Davi, and Ahmad-Reza Sadeghi. In Proceedings of the 16th International Symposium on Research in Attacks, Intrusions, and Defenses, October, 2013.
- [P37] *Crossing the Threshold: Detecting Network Malfeasance via Sequential Hypothesis Testing*. Srinivas Krishnan, Teryl Taylor, Fabian Monroe and John McHugh. In Proceedings of the 42nd Annual IEEE/IFIP International Conferences on Dependable Systems and Networks; Performance and Dependability Symposium, June, 2013.
- [P38] *Just-In-Time Code Reuse: On the Effectiveness of Fine-Grained Address Space Layout Randomization*. Kevin Snow, Lucas Davi, Alexandra Dmitrienko, Christopher Liebchen, Fabian Monroe and Ahmad-Reza Sadeghi. In Proceedings of 34th IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy, May, 2013. (**Best Student Paper Award**). (Acceptance rate=12%)
- [P39] *Clear and Present Data: Opaque Traffic and its Security Implications for the Future*. Andrew White, Srinivas Krishnan, Michael Bailey, Fabian Monroe and Phil Porras. In Proceedings of the 20th ISOC Network and Distributed Systems Security Symposium, Feb., 2013. (Acceptance rate=18.8%)
- [P40] *Security and Usability Challenges of Moving-Object CAPTCHAs: Decoding Codewords in Motion*. Yi Xu, Gerardo Reynaga, Sonia Chiasson, Jan-Michael Frahm, Fabian Monroe and Paul van Oorschot. In Proceedings of the 21th USENIX Security Symposium, August, 2012. (Acceptance rate=19%)
- [P41] *Toward Efficient Querying of Compressed Network Payloads*. Teryl Taylor, Scott E. Coull, Fabian Monroe and John McHugh. In USENIX Annual Technical Conference, June, 2012. (Acceptance rate=18%)

- [P42] *iSpy: Automatic Reconstruction of Typed Input from Compromising Reflections*. Rahul Raguram, Andrew White, Dibyendusekhar Goswami, Fabian Monroe and Jan-Michael Frahm. In Proceedings of the 18th ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS), November, 2011. (Acceptance rate=14%)
- [P43] *ShellOS: Enabling Fast Detection and Forensic Analysis of Code Injection Attacks*. Kevin Snow, Srinivas Krishnan, Fabian Monroe and Niels Provos. In Proceedings of the 20th USENIX Security Symposium, August, 2011. (Acceptance rate=17%)
- [P44] *An Empirical Study of the Performance, Security and Privacy Implications of Domain Name Prefetching*. Srinivas Krishnan and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of the 41st Annual IEEE/IFIP International Conferences on Dependable Systems and Networks; Dependable Computing and Communications Symposium, June, 2011. (Acceptance rate=17.6%)
- [P45] *Amplifying Limited Expert Input to Sanitize Large Network Traces*. Xin Huang, Fabian Monroe, and Michael K. Reiter. In Proceedings of the 41st Annual IEEE/IFIP International Conferences on Dependable Systems and Networks; Performance and Dependability Symposium, June, 2011.
- [P46] *Phonotactic Reconstruction of Encrypted VoIP Conversations*. Andrew White, Kevin Snow, Austin Matthews and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of 32nd IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy, May, 2011. (**Best Paper Award**). (Acceptance rate=11.1%)
- [P47] *Towards Optimized Probe Scheduling for Active Measurement Studies*. Daniel Kumar, Fabian Monroe and Michael K. Reiter. In Proceedings of the 6th International Conference on Internet Monitoring and Protection (ICIMP), March, 2011 (**Best Paper Award**).
- [P48] *On Measuring the Similarity of Network Hosts: Pitfalls, New Metrics, and Empirical Analyses*. Scott Coull, Micheal Bailey and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of the 18th Annual Network and Distributed Systems Security Symposium, February, 2011. (Acceptance rate=20%)
- [P49] *Trail of Bytes: Efficient Support for Forensic Analysis*. Srinivas Krishnan, Kevin Snow, and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of the 17th ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS), November, 2010. (Acceptance rate=17.2%)
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- [P51] *Traffic Classification using Visual Motifs: An Empirical Evaluation*. Wilson Lian, Fabian Monroe and John McHugh. In Proceedings of the 7th International Symposium on Visualization for Cyber Security (VizSec), September, 2010.
- [P52] *Understanding Domain Registration Abuses*. Scott Coull, Andrew White, Ting-Fang Yen, Fabian Monroe and Michael K. Reiter. In Proceedings of the International Information Security Conference, September, 2010.
- [P53] *English Shellcode*. Josh Mason, Sam Small, Greg McManus and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of the 16th ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS), pages 524-533, November, 2009. (Acceptance rate=18.4%)

- [P54] *Browser Fingerprinting from Coarse Traffic Summaries: Techniques and Implications*. Ting-Fang Yen, Xin Huang, Fabian Monroe and Michael K. Reiter. In Proceedings of 6th Conference on Detection of Intrusions and Malware and Vulnerability Assessment, pages 157-175, July, 2009.
- [P55] *Toward Resisting Forgery Attacks via Pseudo-Signatures*. Jin Chen, Dan Lopresti and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of 10th International Conference on Document Analysis and Recognition (ICDAR), July, 2009.
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- [P57] *Efficient Defenses Against Statistical Traffic Analysis*. Charles Wright, Scott Coull and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of Network and Distributed Systems Security, pages 237-250 Feb, 2009. (Acceptance rate=11.7%).
- [P58] *Towards Practical Biometric Key Generation with Randomized Biometric Templates*. Lucas Ballard, Seny Kamara, Fabian Monroe, and Michael K. Reiter. In Proceedings of the 15th ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security, pages 235-244. Oct, 2008. (Acceptance rate=18.2%).
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- [P60] *To Catch a Predator: A Natural Language Approach for Eliciting Protocol Interaction*. Sam Small, Josh Mason, Fabian Monroe, Niels Provos and Adam Stubblefield. In Proceedings of the 17th USENIX Security Symposium, pages 171-183, July, 2008. (Acceptance rate=15.9%).
- [P61] *Peeking Through the Cloud: DNS-based client estimation techniques and its applications*. Moheeb Rajab, Niels Provos, Fabian Monroe and Andreas Terzis. In Proceedings of the 6th Applied Cryptography and Network Security conference (ACNS), pages 21-38, June, 2008.
- [P62] *Spot Me If You Can: recovering spoken phrases in encrypted VOIP conversations*. Charles Wright, Lucas Ballard, Scout Coull and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of 29th IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy, May, 2008 (17 pages). (Acceptance rate=11.2%).
- [P63] *Taming the Devil: Techniques for Evaluating Anonymized Network Data*. Scott Coull, Charles Wright, Angelos Keromytis, Fabian Monroe, and Michael Reiter. In Proceedings of the 15th Annual Network and Distributed Systems Security Symposium, pages 125-146, Feb., 2008 (Acceptance rate=18%).
- [P64] *On Web Browsing Privacy in Anonymized NetFlows*. Scott Coull, Michael Collins, Charles Wright, Fabian Monroe, and Michael Reiter. In Proceedings of the 16th USENIX Security Symposium, pages 339-352, August, 2007. (Acceptance rate=12.29%).
- [P65] *Language Identification of Encrypted VoIP Traffic: Alejandra y Roberto or Alice and Bob?* Charles Wright, Lucas Ballard, Fabian Monroe and Gerald Masson. In Proceedings

- of the 16th USENIX Security Symposium, pages 43-54, August, 2007. (Acceptance rate=12.29%).
- [P66] *Towards Valley-free Inter-domain Routing*. Sophie Qiu, Patrick McDaniel and Fabian Monroe. In Proceedings of the IEEE International Conference on Communications, June, 2007. (8 pages)
 - [P67] *Playing Devil's Advocate: Inferring Sensitive Information from Anonymized Traces*. Scott Coull, Charles Wright, Fabian Monroe, Michael Collins and Michael Reiter. In Proceedings of the 14th Annual Network and Distributed Systems Security Symposium (NDSS), pages 35-47, February 2007. (Acceptance rate=15%).
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- [P107] *Efficient Techniques for Detecting False Origin Advertisements in Inter-domain Routing*. Sophie Qui, Patrick McDaniel, Fabian Monroe, and Andreas Terzis. In Proceedings of the 2nd Workshop on Secure Network Protocols, pages 12-19, November 2006. (Acceptance rate=40%).
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- *Advanced Computer Security*, Fall 2023, 16 students.
- *Introduction to Computer Security*, Spring 2022, 59 students.
- *Computer and Network Forensics*, Spring 2021, 13 students.
- *Technical Communications and Writing in Computer Science*, Spring 2021, 14 students.
- *Introduction to Computer Security*, Fall 2020, 19 students.
- *Technical Communications and Writing in Computer Science*, Spring 2020, 18 students.
- *Introduction to Computer Security*, Spring 2019, 34 students.
- *Introduction to Computer Security*, Spring 2017, 48 students.
- *Computer Forensics*, Fall 2016, 14 students.
- *Introduction to Computer Security*, Spring 2016, 43 students.
- *Introduction to Computer Security*, Spring 2015, 30 students.
- *Introduction to Computer Security*, Spring 2012, 26 students.
- *Network Security*, Fall 2008, 21 students.

- *Special Topics in Computer Science*, Spring 2009, 7 students.
- *Network Security*, Fall 2009, 16 students.
- *Introduction to Computer Security*, Spring 2010, 17 students.
- *Network Security*, Fall 2010, 11 students.
- *Introduction to Computer Security*, Spring 2012, 25 students.

Ph.D. Students

- Sophie Qui (co-advised with G. Mason), Ph.D., Spring 2007, (*Cisco Systems*)
- Charles Wright, Spring 2008, Ph.D., (*Portland State University*)
- Seny Kamara, Spring 2008, Ph.D., (*Brown University*)
- Moheeb Abu Rajab (co-advised with A. Terzis), Ph.D., Spring 2008, (*Google Inc.*)
- Lucas Ballard, Spring 2008, Ph.D., (*Google Inc.*)
- Scott Coull, Fall 2009, Ph.D., (*RedJack*)
- Josh Mason, Fall 2009, Ph.D., (*Research Professor, UIUC*)
- Kevin Snow, Spring 2014, Ph.D., (*Zerpoint Dynamics*)
- Andrew White, Fall 2015, Ph.D., (*Netflix*)
- Teryl Taylor, Summer 2016, Ph.D., (*IBM TJ Watson*)
- Srinivas Krishnan (co-advised with K. Jeffay; deferred), *Google*
- Yi Xu (co-advised with Jan-Michael Frahm), *Snapchat*
- John Lim (co-advised with Jan-Michael Frahm) *Salesforce*
- Mac Malone (*Lean*)
- Kedrian James
- Yufei Du
- Kevin Valakuzhy (co-advised with M. Antonakakis)
- James Fullwood
- Vinny Adjibi (co-advised with M. Antonakakis)

Doctoral Committees

- (**Reader**) Breno de Medeiros, *New Cryptographic Primitives and Applications*, Ph.D., Johns Hopkins University, May 2004

- **(Reader)** Kendall Giles, *Knowledge Discovery in Computer Network Data: A Security Perspective*, Ph.D., Johns Hopkins University, October, 2006
- **(Advisor)** Sophie Qui, *Towards Stable, Reliable and Policy-Compliant Inter-domain Routing*, Ph.D., Johns Hopkins University, May, 2007
- **(Reader, external examiner)** Julie Thorpe, *On the Predictability and Security of User Choice in Passwords*, Ph.D., Carleton University, Fall, 2007
- **(Reader)** Sujata Doshi, *New Techniques to Defend Against Computer Security Attacks*, Ph.D., Johns Hopkins University, October, 2008
- **(Advisor)** Charles Wright, *On Information Leakage Attacks in Encrypted Network Traffic*, Ph.D., Johns Hopkins University, 2008
- **(Advisor)** Seny Kamara, *Improved Definitions and Efficient Constructions for Secure Obfuscation*, Ph.D., Johns Hopkins University, 2008
- **(Advisor)** Lucas Ballard, *Robust Techniques for Evaluating Biometric Cryptographic Key Generators*, Ph.D., Johns Hopkins University, 2008
- **(Co-Advisor)** Moheeb Abu Rajab, *Towards a Better Understanding of Internet-Scale Threats*, Ph.D., Johns Hopkins University, 2008
- **(Advisor)** Joshua Mason, *Towards Stronger Adversarial Threat Models in Systems Security*, Ph.D., Johns Hopkins University, June, 2009
- **(Advisor)** Scott Coull, *Methods for Evaluating the Privacy of Anonymized Network Data*, Ph.D., Johns Hopkins University, 2009
- **(Reader, external examiner)** Lu Liming, *Traffic Monitoring and Analysis for Source Identification*, Ph.D., Singapore University, Spring, 2011
- **(Reader, external examiner)** M. Antonakakis, *Improving Internet Security via Large-Scale Passive and Active DNS Monitoring*, Ph.D., Georgia Institute of Technology, Spring, 2012
- **(Reader)** Y. Song, *A Behavior-based Approach Towards Statistics-Preserving Network Trace Anonymization*, Ph.D., Columbia University, Spring, 2012
- **(Reader)** V. Pappas, *Defending Against Return-Oriented Programming*, Ph.D., Columbia University, Spring, 2014
- **(Advisor)** Kevin Z. Snow, *Identifying Code Injection and Code Reuse Payloads in Memory Error Exploits*, Ph.D., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Fall, 2014.
- **(Advisor)** Andrew M. White, *Practical Analysis of Encrypted Network Traffic*, Ph.D., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Fall, 2015.
- **(Co-Advisor)** Yi Xu, *Toward Robust Video Event Detection and Retrieval Under Adversarial Constraints*, Ph.D., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Spring, 2016.
- **(Advisor)** Teryl Taylor, *Using Context to Improve Network-based Malware Detection*, Ph.D., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Summer, 2016.

- **(Reader)** Dennis Bueno, *Automated Software Security Analysis Using Control and Data Abstractions*, Ph.D., University of Michigan, 2017.
- **(Reader)** Tracey John, *Virtual Career Advisor System*, MPhil., University of the West Indies, Barbados, 2017.
- **(Reader)** Louis Soleyn, *Software Techniques for Implementing Dynamic, Network-Aware, Energy-Efficient Mobile Applications*, MPhil., University of the West Indies, Barbados, 2018.
- **(Reader)** Chaz Lever, *Empirical Analysis of Existing and Emerging Threats at Scale Using DNS*, Georgia Institute of Technology, Fall, 2017.
- **(Reader, external examiner)** Adrian Tang, *Security Engineering of Hardware-Software Interfaces*, Columbia University, Spring, 2018.
- **(Reader)** Calvin Deutschbein, *Mining Secure Behavior of Hardware Designs*, **UNC Chapel Hill, July, 2021.**
- **(Reader)** Tapti Palit, *Sensitive Data Encryption: A Scalable Defense against Sensitive Data Leakage*, **Stony Brook University, October, 2021.**
- **(Reader, external examiner)** Salman Ahmed, *Quantitative Metrics and Measurement Methodologies for System Security Assurance*, **Virginia Tech, Dec, 2021.**
- **(Reader)** Omar Alrawi, *Security and Threat Evaluation of Smart Home Technology*, **Georgia Institute of Technology, July, 2022.**
- **(Advisor)** Mac Malone, *Improving Student Engagement and Learning Outcomes with a Gamified Learning Platform*, Ph.D., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, **May, 2023.**
- **(Reader)** Evan Downing, *Improving the Understanding of Malware Using Machine Learning*, Georgia Institute of Technology, **December 2023.**
- **(Advisor)** Kedrian James, *Improving Software Security Triage and Remediation*, **Ph.D., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, May, 2024.**
- **(Reader)** Kevin Hutto, *Remote Sensor Security Through Encoded Computation and Cryptographic Signatures*, Ph.D., Georgia Institute of Technology, **May, 2024.**
- **(Reader)** Matthew Pruett, *A Framework for Analyzing Undefined Behavior in C Software*, **Georgia Institute of Technology, 2025 (expected)**
- **(Reader)** Miuyin M. Wong, *Narrowing the Gap between Research and Practice through the Understanding of Malware Analysis Workflows*, **Georgia Institute of Technology, 2024 (expected)**

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Advisees

- Wilson Lian, *Traffic Classification using Visual Motifs*, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Honors Thesis, 2010.
- Austin Matthews, *Phonetic Edit Distance: New Techniques and Empirical Analyses*, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Honors Thesis, 2011.

- Chris Allen, *WarFlying: Creating Aerial WiFi-maps using Custom Drones*, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Honors Thesis, 2013.
- Rob Dallara, *On the (In)effectiveness of Execute-no-Read (XNR) as a Defense against Just-in-Time Code Reuse Attacks*. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Comprehensive paper, 2015.
- Micah Moreton, *Detecting Potential for Server-side Data-oriented Attacks*, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2017
- Roman Rogowski, *Revisiting Browser Security in the Modern Era*. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Comprehensive paper, 2017.
- Boo Fullwood, *Revisiting Charger-based Side Channel Password Inference Attacks*. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Comprehensive paper, 2022.
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Service

- ECE PhD Admissions committee (Chair for Software & Systems TIG), 2024
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- Faculty Recruiting Committee member, School of Cybersecurity & Privacy, 2023
- 13th ACM Conference on Data and Application Security and Privacy, 2023
- 29th Annual Computer Security Applications Conference, 2021
- 41st IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy, 2020
- 40th IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy, 2019
- 20th Symposium on Research in Attacks and Defenses, 2018
- CVPR Workshop on Computer Vision and Computer Security, 2017
- 18th Symposium on Research in Attacks and Defenses, (Chair), 2016
- 1st IEEE APWG Symposium on Electronic Crime Research (eCrime), 2016
- ACM Workshop on Information Sharing and Collaborative Security, 2015
- 17th Symposium on Research in Attacks and Defenses, (Co-Chair), 2015
- DARPA Information Science and Technology (ISAT) advisory group 2014
- 9th USENIX Workshop on Hot Topics in Security (Co-Chair) 2014
- 16th Symposium on Research in Attacks and Defenses, 2014

- 15th Symposium on Research in Attacks and Defenses, (**General Chair**), 2013
- 22nd USENIX Security Symposium, 2013
- 20th ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security, 2013
- 11th International Conference on Cryptography and Network Security 2012
- NSF Secure and Trustworthy Cyberspace Panelist, 2012
- 15th International Symposium on Recent Advances in Intrusion Detection 2012
- 12th Annual Digital Forensics Research Conference 2012
- 16th Financial Cryptography and Data Security 2012
- 6th USENIX Workshop on Hot Topics in Security 2011
- NSF Cyber Trust panelist, 2006—2009, 2011
- 11th Annual Digital Forensics Research Conference 2011
- 18th ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security 2011
- 17th ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security 2010
- 14th Financial Cryptography and Data Security 2010
- 30th International Conference on Distributed Computing Systems 2010
- 16th ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security 2009
- 18th USENIX Security Symposium, (**Program Chair**) 2009
- 16th Annual Network and Distributed Systems Security Symposium 2009
- 29th International Conference on Distributed Computing Systems 2008
- 17th USENIX Security Symposium 2008
- 29th Annual IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy 2008
- 15th Annual Network and Distributed Systems Security Symposium 2008
- 1st USENIX Workshop on Large-scale Exploits & Emergent Threats, (**Program Chair**) 2008
- 6th IEEE Biometrics Symposium 2008
- 14th Annual Network and Distributed Systems Security Symposium 2007
- 2nd USENIX Workshop on Hot Topics in Security 2007
- 10th Information Security Conference 2007
- 1st USENIX Workshop on Hot Topics in Understanding Botnets 2007
- 16th USENIX Security Symposium 2007

- 28th Annual IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy 2007
- NSF Exploratory Research panelist, 2006–2007
- 15th USENIX Security Symposium 2006
- 4th ACM Workshop of Recurring Malware 2006
- 13th Annual Network and Distributed Systems Security Symposium 2006

Editorial/Advisory Boards

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Organizing & Steering Committees

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- *General and Local Chair*, Research in Attacks, Intrusions and Defenses (RAID) 2013
- *Local Arrangements Chair*, Financial Cryptography and Data Security 2011
- *Steering Committee*, USENIX Security Symposium 2012-2015
- *Steering Committee*, Network & Distributed Systems Security Symposium 2007-10
- *Steering Committee*, USENIX Wksh. on Large-scale Exploits & Emergent Threats 2009-2014
- *Publicity Chair*, ACM Workshop on Rapid Malcode, Arlington 2006
- *Co-organizer*, DIMACS Workshop on Security and Usability, Rutgers 2004

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- [G9] Google Inc. v. Uniloc 2017 LLC., Patent 8,949,954, Declaration, January, 2020, Washington D.C.