



# Gabrielle De Micheli

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## General Information

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## Scientific Interests

Cryptography, Security, Computational Number Theory, Lattices, Algebra (Group Theory, Representation Theory), Geometry (Riemannian Geometry), General Relativity.

## Education

### Current Work

Sep 2016 - current **PhD in Computer Science**, *University of Pennsylvania*, Philadelphia, USA.

My work lies at the intersection of Mathematics and Cryptography, with particular research interests in lattice-based cryptography, computational number theory, and the Number Field Sieve algorithm. I am interested in both attacks and defenses with a particular interest in using mathematical techniques for obtaining a better understanding of the security properties of commonly used cryptographic primitives in real-world applications.

### Past Degrees

May 2018 **Master of Computer Science**, *University of Pennsylvania*, Philadelphia, PA, USA.

Under the supervision of Nadia Heninger: Lattice-based cryptography

Oct 2016 **Master of Mathematics**, *EPFL, Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne*, Lausanne, Switzerland.

### Master Thesis

Title *The Riemannian Penrose Inequality*

Supervisors Prof. Marc Troyanov & Prof. Spyros Alexakis

July 2014 **Bachelor of Mathematics**, *EPFL, Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne*, Lausanne, Switzerland.

### International experience

Sep 2015-Jan 2016 **Semester abroad (Master thesis)**, *Imperial College*, London, UK.  
Sep 2013-June 2014 **Erasmus year**, *Heriot-Watt University*, Edinburgh, Scotland, UK.

#### Projects in mathematics

December 2014 **Understanding gravitational multi-instantons.**  
June 2014 **Braid Group, Hecke and Temperley-Lieb algebras.**  
December 2013 **Galois Theory.**  
June 2013 **Discrete Logarithm Problem on Elliptic Curves.**

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### Publications

De Micheli, Shani, Heninger **Characterizing Overstretched NTRU Attacks**, *Mathcrypt*, to appear in *Journal of Mathematical Cryptology*, 2018.  
Dall, De Micheli, Eisenbarth, Genkin, Heninger, Moghimi, Yarom **CacheQuote: Efficiently Recovering Long-term Secrets of SGX EPID via Cache Attacks**, *CHES*, published in *IACR Trans. Cryptogr. Hardw. Embed. Syst.* 2018(2), 2018.

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### Invited Talks and Workshops

September 2018 **CacheQuote: Efficiently Recovering Long-term Secrets of SGX EPID via Cache Attacks**, *Security Seminar*, MIT, Boston, USA.  
Talk  
September 2018 **CacheQuote attack and Hidden Number Problem performance analysis**, *Security Seminar*, University of Pennsylvania, USA.  
Talk  
August 2018 **Characterizing overstretched NTRU Attacks**, *Mathcrypt*, Santa Barbara, USA.  
Talk  
Avril 2018 **Hidden Number Problem: Performance Analysis**, *Computational Challenges in the Theory of Lattices*, ICERM, Providence, USA.  
Poster presentation

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### Teaching Experience

Feb -June 2013 **Teaching assistant for General Physics II**, *EPFL*, Lausanne.

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### Editorial tasks

Reviewer **Crypto 17', Asiacrypt 18', CHES 18'.**  
Translator **Exercises and solutions for Analysis I and II, translation from French to English**, *EPFL*, Lausanne, Sep 2014 - June 2015.

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### Computer skills

Matlab, HTML,  $\text{\LaTeX}$ , Python, Sage

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## Languages

Fluent English, French, Italian  
Basic German