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Languages: English (fluent), German (ÖSD Zertifikat B2), Russian (mother tongue), French (beginner)

Research interests: model checking, parameterized verification, verification of distributed algorithms,

fault tolerance, blockchains, temporal logic of actions (TLA<sup>+</sup>)

# Appointments

Informal Systems GmbH / Interchain Foundation, Vienna, Austria:

Oct 2019 – present. Senior Research Scientist

INRIA Nancy — Grand Est, Nancy, France:

Mar 2018 – Sep 2019 (leave of absence). Researcher (permanent, chargé de recherche de classe normale)

Vienna University of Technology (TU Wien), Faculty of Informatics, Austria:

Jan 2016 – Feb 2018. Postdoctoral researcher, principal investigator in the WWTF project APALACHE

Dec 2011 - Dec 2015. Postdoctoral assistant professor (Universitätsassistent, limited contract)

Jul 2011 – Dec 2011. Postdoctoral researcher (Projektassistent)

Moscow State University (MSU), Faculty of Computational Mathematics and Cybernetics, Russia:

Jan 2010 – Jun 2011. Junior research fellow (m.n.s.)

Dec 2006 – Jan 2010. Pre- and postdoctoral research and teaching assistant

Sytech LLC, Russia: 2006–2010, Part-time systems architect, 2004–2006, Software developer

IFirst LLC, Russia: 01.09.2002–15.09.2003, Part-time programmer

# Higher education, degrees, and titles

Dec 2019. Vienna University of Technology (TU Wien), Austria: Privatdozent — Habilitation in Computer Science

Oct 2003 - Nov 2008. Moscow State University, Russia: Ph.D. in Computer Science (awarded in Feb 2009)

Sep 1998 – Jul 2003. Moscow State University, Russia: Specialist (approx. MSc) in Applied Math. & Informatics With distinction, 97% are the best score: avg. score 1.06 (German scale) = avg. score 4.87 (Russian scale)

# Project acquisition and participation

2016–2019. WWTF: Vienna Science and Technology Fund. Project ICT15–103 APALACHE

**539k**€ TU Wien

Abstraction-based Parameterized TLA Checker

Role: principal investigator, with: J.Widder (co-PI), H. Veith (core team)

Acceptance rate: 10 out of 137 proposals (approx. 7%)

2015-2018. FWF: Austrian National Research Network S11403-N23 SHiNE

Systematic Methods in Systems Engineering TU Wien

Role: researcher, Coordinator: R. Bloem (3.7 Mio. €), PI: H. Veith 625k€

2011–2014. WWTF: Vienna Science and Technology Fund. Project PROSEED 598k€

TU Wien Proof Seeding for Software Verification

Role: researcher, PI: H. Veith

2010–2014. FWF: Austrian National Research Network S11403-N23 RiSE

TU Wien Rigorous Systems Engineering

Role: researcher, Coordinator: R. Bloem (3.7 Mio. €), PI: H. Veith 582.8k€

2010–2012. Russian Federal Special-Purpose Programme, Project 14.740.11.0399 approx. 200k€

Developing a Prototype for Computer Simulation of Real-Time Distributed Systems

Role: responsible for coordination, research agenda, and report writing, PI: R.L. Smeliansky

2009–2011. RFBR: Russian Fund for Basic Research, Project Nr. 09–01–00277-a approx. 32k€

Structural and Semantic Analisys Using Formal Models of Sequential and Parallel Processes

**MSU** 

Role: researcher, PI: R.I. Podlovchenko

2006–2009. INTAS: EU research cooperation with the New Independent States, Project Nr. 05–1000008–8144

Practical Formal Verification Using Automated Reasoning and Model Checking

Role: researcher, Coordinator: T. Jebelian, PI: V.E. Plisko

2006–2008. RFBR: Russian Fund for Basic Research, Project Nr. 06–01–00106-a approx. **52k**€

Formal Models of Sequential and Parallel Processes and the Analysis of Their Semantic Properties

**MSU** 

Role: researcher, PI: R.I. Podlovchenko

R&D projects with industry and state companies

**2009–2010.** Obfuscation techniques on intermediate code representation Computer Systems Lab/MSU

Role: team lead of 1 master student and 1 PhD student, PI: R.L. Smeliansky

**2007–2008.** Obfuscation techniques for C++Role: team lead of 1 master student and 1 PhD student, PI: R.L. Smeliansky

**2008.** Teachable static analysis workbench The Open Web Application Security Project (OWASP)

Role: developer, PI: D.D. Kozlov

2007–2008. Static analysis of python web applications for vulnerabilities Computer Systems Lab/MSU

Role: developer, PI: R.L. Smeliansky

Selected invited talks & lectures

VMCAI Winter School, New Orleans, LA/USA

tutorial Model checking of distributed algorithms: from classics towards Tendermint blockchain Jan 2020

Dagstuhl Seminar 18211: "Formal Methods and Fault-Tolerant Distributed Computing: Forging an Alliance"

Dagstuhl/Germany, invited tutorial What my computer can find about your distributed algorithm May 2018

Bertrand Meyer's Vericlub seminar, U. Toulouse, Toulouse/France

Nov 2016

MSU

MSU

Computer Systems Lab/MSU

invited seminar talk Model checking of threshold-quarded distributed algorithms: beyond reachability

### Rigorous System Design Laboratory, EPFL, Lausanne/Switzerland

Sep 2016

invited seminar talk Model checking of fault-tolerant distributed algorithms: safety and liveness

Workshop on Program Semantics, Specification & Verification at CSR'16, St. Petersburg/Russia Jun 2016 invited talk Model checking of threshold-based fault-tolerant distributed algorithms

## Spring School Logic & Verification, Vienna/Austria

Apr 2016

lectures on Complete parameterized & bounded model checking of threshold-based fault-tolerant distributed algorithms

Amazon, Herndon, VA/USA

Jun 2015

invited talk Model checking of threshold-based fault-tolerant distributed algorithms

Dagstuhl Seminar: "Distributed Cloud Computing", Dagstuhl/Germany

Feb 2015

talk Model checking of threshold-based fault-tolerant distributed algorithms

Tools & Methods of Program Analysis'14, Kostroma/Russia

Nov 2014

invited talk Parameterized model checking of fault-tolerant distributed algorithms by abstraction

Summer School'14: "Verification Technology, Systems & Applications", Luxembourg

Oct 2014

lectures on Model checking of fault-tolerant distributed algorithms (together with Helmut Veith)

**Dagstuhl Seminar:** "Formal Verification of Distributed Algorithms", Dagstuhl/Germany invited talk Counter attack on Byzantine generals

Apr 2013

Concurrency Seminar, Computing Laboratory, Oxford/UK

Feb 2011

invited talk An invariant-based approach to the verification of asynchronous parameterized networks

# Teaching experience

Vienna University of Technology (TU Wien)

2013–2017. Computer Aided Verification

Master students, compulsory, lectures & practicals, 3 ECTS

In 2017, held the lecture course. Until 2017, read parts of the lecture course, teaching assistance.

2013–2017. Program & Systems Verification

Bachelor students, compulsory, lectures & practicals, 6 ECTS

Teaching assistance

2011–2015. Formal Methods of Informatics

Master students, compulsory, lectures & practicals, 6 ECTS

Teaching assistance

Moscow State University (MSU)

2008–2010. Software model checking (Dr. Savenkov)

8th semester, compulsory, lectures & seminars, 32 hrs.

Designed the course together with K. Savenkov, read parts of the lecture course, teaching assistance

2004. Seminars on The C Programming Language and UNIX

3rd semester, compulsory, 32 hrs.

Instructed at all seminars (approx. 20 students)

2005. Seminars on Syntax Analysis and C++

4th semester, compulsory, 32 hrs.

Instructed at all seminars (approx. 20 students)

**2004.** Operating Systems (Prof. Terekhov)

3rd semester, compulsory, lectures, 54 hrs.

Teaching assistance

2003–2011. Computer Networks (Prof. Smeliansky)

6th semester, compulsory, lectures, 64 hrs.

Teaching assistance

2003–2004. The Java Programming Language

optional, lectures, 32 hrs.

Read parts of the lecture course, teaching assistance

**2003–2004.** MSU math entrance exams

compulsory

Corrected written math exams, participated in the oral math exams

Kazakhstan branch of Moscow State Univ., Astana/Kazakhstan

**2011.** Software model checking

8th semester, compulsory, lectures & seminars, 32 hrs.

held the lecture course and the seminars

Tashkent University, Tashkent/Uzbekistan

2011–2013. Participated in EU project CANDI: Teaching Competency & Infrastructure for e-Learning and Retraining

Advising

PhD students (TU Wien):

Associated Faculty of Doctoral College LogiCS [logic-cs.at]

**2016**—present. Thanh Hai Tran (advising)

with Priv.-Doz. Dr. Josef Widder

**2016**—**present.** Jure Kukovec (advising)

with Priv.-Doz. Dr. Josef Widder

2015–2019. Frau Dr. Marijana Lazić (co-advising)

with Priv.-Doz. Dr. Josef Widder

 $Reduction\ techniques\ for\ parameterized\ model\ checking\ and\ synthesis\ of\ fault-tolerant\ distributed\ algorithms$ 

2011–2014. Frau Dr. Annu Gmeiner (informal co-advising) advisors: Prof. Helmut Veith and PD. Dr. Josef Widder Parameterized model checking of fault-tolerant distributed algorithms

Master students:

2019. Viktor Sergeev (Univ. of Lorraine)

 $Bounded\ Model\ Checking\ of\ Liveness\ Properties\ of\ TLA+\ Specifications$ 

co-advised with Stephan Merz

2016. Jure Kukovec (Univ. Ljubljana)

 $Extensions\ of\ Threshold\ Automata\ for\ Reachability\ in\ Parameterized\ Systems$ 

co-advised with Prof. Andrej Bauer

**2015–2016.** Thanh Hai Tran (TU Wien)

User-guided  $Predicate\ Abstraction\ of\ TLA+\ Specifications$ 

co-advised with Prof. Helmut Veith

2009–2011. Alexander Mischenko (MSU)

Static Type Analysis of Python Programs on Bytecode Level

**2007–2009.** Denis Sigaev (MSU)

Detection of Programs Protected from Reverse Engineering

co-advised with A. Kachalin

2008. Alexey Schevchenko (MSU)

Application of Regular Model Checking to Infinite State Systems

2007. Peter Bulychev (MSU)

Game-Theoretic Methods of Protocol Verification

co-advised with Prof. Vladimir Zakharov

Bachelor students:

2013. Sebastian Neumaier (TU Wien)

A Simple Simulation Language for Distributed Algorithms

2011. Andrey Babak and Anton Artyomov (MSU)

Static Analysis of Python Programs

# Community service

# Conference organization:

PC co-chair of CONCUR 2020 in Vienna [concur2020.forsyte.at]

Artifact evaluation chair: Computer-Aided Verification (CAV'18) [cavconference.org/2018]

Workshop chair: Computer-Aided Verification (CAV'13) [cav2013.forsyte.at]

**Program Committees:** 

ACM Symposium on Principles of Distributed Computing (PODC'18)

London/UK

Formal Methods in Computer-Aided Design (FMCAD) 2017 & 2018 Vienna/Austria & Austria/TX, US

Computer Aided Verification'16 (External Reviewer Committee) Toronto/Canada

Symbolic and Numeric Algorithms for Scientific Computing 2013, 2016, and 2017 Timisoara/Romania

Stabilization, Safety, and Security of Distributed Systems'15 Edmonton/Canada

Intl. Conf. on Verification & Evaluation of Computer & Comm. Systems (VECoS'18) Grenoble/France

Intl. Symposium on Formal Approaches to Parallel and Distributed Systems

(4PAD) 2018 & 2019 Orléans/France & Dublin/Ireland

Workshop on Methods and Tools for Rigorous System Design (MeTRiD'18)

Thessaloniki/Greece

Tools & Methods of Program Analysis 2015 & 2017

St. Petersburg & Moscow/Russia

Workshop on Program Semantics, Specification, and Verification 2017–2019

Russia

Parallel, Distributed, and Network-based Processing'17 (Formal approaches track)

St. Petersburg/Russia

Journal and book chapter reviews: FMSD (2018), Computing (2018), LMCS (2017), ACM ToCL (2017), MAIS (2017), MiCS (2017), TIME (2015),

Handbook of Model Checking (eds. E. Clarke, T. Henzinger, H. Veith)

Guest editor: Special issue on Computer Aided Verification'13 in Formal Methods in System Design (Springer)

(with Helmut Veith and Natasha Sharygina)

Editorial board: Proceedings of the Institute for System Programming of the Russian Academy of Sciences since 2016 [www.ispras.ru/en/proceedings]

External reviewer: FSTTCS'17, QEST'17, TACAS'17, STACS'17, VMCAI'17, MARS'17, ICFEM'16, CONCUR'16, IJCAR'16, LICS'16, EuroPar'16, AAMAS'16, CAV'15, FMCAD'15, TACAS'15, FoSSaCS'15, CAV'14, SAS'14, GandALF'14, ESOP'14, HVC'14, CAV'13, LATA'13, SSS'13, CAV'12, NFM'12, SPIN'12, VMCAI'12, FMICS'11, CSL'11

Student Award Committee. VCLA International Student Awards 2014–2015

# Tools

2016—present. APALACHE: symbolic model checker for TLA<sup>+</sup> [forsyte.at/software/apalache]

2012—present. BYMC: model checker of parameterized fault-tolerant distributed algorithms

[forsyte.at/software/bymc]

2004–2009. Cheaps: model checker of parameterized asynchronous distributed systems

[lvk.cs.msu.su/~konnov/cheaps]

# Scholarships & sponsored summer schools

- 2009–2010. Fellowship for young researchers: Faculty of Computational Mathematics and Cybernetics, MSU
- 2009. Marktoberdorf Summer School Engineering Methods and Tools for Software Safety and Security
- 2008. Marktoberdorf Summer School Logics and Languages for Reliability and Security
- 2005. Microsoft Summer School Mathematics and Programming: from Theory Towards Practice
- 2003–2005. PhD student scholarship: LSI Logic

# Publications and talks

#### Book

[1] R. Bloem, S. Jacobs, A. Khalimov, I. Konnov, S. Rubin, H. Veith, and J. Widder. *Decidability of Parameterized Verification*. Vol. 6. 1. Morgan & Claypool, 2015, pp. 1–170. DOI: 10.2200/S00658ED1V01Y201508DCT013.

# Book chapter

[2] A. Gmeiner, I. Konnov, U. Schmid, H. Veith, and J. Widder. "Tutorial on Parameterized Model Checking of Fault-Tolerant Distributed Algorithms". In: Formal Methods for Executable Software Models. LNCS. Springer, 2014, pp. 122–171. DOI: 10.1007/978-3-319-07317-0\_4.

# Invited paper

[3] I. Konnov, H. Veith, and J. Widder. "What You Always Wanted to Know About Model Checking of Fault-Tolerant Distributed Algorithms". In: Perspectives of System Informatics: PSI 2015, in Memory of Helmut Veith, Revised Selected Papers. Springer, 2016, pp. 6–21. DOI: 10.1007/978-3-319-41579-6\_2.

# Journal articles

- [4] J. Kukovec, T.-H. Tran, and I. Konnov. "Extracting symbolic transitions from TLA+ specifications". In: Science of Computer Programming 187 (2020), p. 102361. DOI: https://doi.org/10.1016/j.scico.2019.102361.
- [5] I. Konnov. "Review: Edmund M. Clarke, Thomas A. Henzinger, Helmut Veith, and Roderick Bloem (eds): Handbook of model checking - Springer International Publishing AG, Cham, Switzerland, 2018". In: Formal Asp. Comput. 31.4 (2019), pp. 455–456. DOI: 10.1007/s00165-019-00486-z.
- [6] I. Konnov, J. Kukovec, and T. Tran. "TLA+ model checking made symbolic". In: PACMPL 3.OOPSLA (2019), 123:1–123:30. URL: https://doi.org/10.1145/3360549.
- [7] I. V. Konnov, H. Veith, and J. Widder. "On the completeness of bounded model checking for threshold-based distributed algorithms: Reachability". In: *Information and Computation* 252 (2017). (Extended version of the conference paper I. Konnov, H. Veith, J. Widder. "On the Completeness of Bounded Model Checking for Threshold-Based Distributed Algorithms: Reachability". In Concurrency Theory 25th International Conference, CONCUR, 2014, pp. 125–140), pp. 95–109. DOI: 10.1016/j.ic.2016.03.006.
- [8] I. Konnov, M. Lazic, H. Veith, and J. Widder. "Para<sup>2</sup>: Parameterized Path Reduction, Acceleration, and SMT for Reachability in Threshold-Guarded Distributed Algorithms". In: Formal Methods in System Design (2017). (Extended version of the conference paper I. Konnov, H. Veith, J. Widder. "SMT and POR Beat Counter Abstraction: Parameterized Model Checking of Threshold-Based Distributed Algorithms". In Computer-Aided Verification, vol. 9206, LNCS, 2015, pp. 85–102.) DOI: 10.1007/s10703-017-0297-4. URL: https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s10703-017-0297-4.
- [9] R. Bloem, S. Jacobs, A. Khalimov, I. Konnov, S. Rubin, H. Veith, and J. Widder. "Decidability in Parameterized Verification". In: ACM SIGACT News 47.2 (2016), pp. 53–64. DOI: 10.1145/2951860.2951873.
- [10] D. Y. Volkanov, V. A. Zakharov, D. A. Zorin, V. V. Podymov, and I. V. Konnov. "A combined toolset for the verification of real-time distributed systems". In: *Programming and Computer Software* 41.6 (2015), pp. 325–335. DOI: 10.1134/S0361768815060080.

[11] I. Konnov, V. Podymov, D. Volkanov, V. Zakharov, and D. Zorin. "How to Make a Simple Tool for Verification of Real-Time Systems". In: *Automatic Control and Computer Sciences* 48.7 (2014), pp. 534–542. DOI: 10.3103/S0146411614070232.

- [12] I. V. Konnov. "On application of weaker simulations to parameterized model checking by network invariants technique". In: *Automatic Control and Computer Sciences* 44.7 (2010), pp. 378–386. DOI: 10.3103/S0146411610070035.
- [13] I. V. Konnov and V. A. Zakharov. "An invariant-based approach to the verification of asynchronous parameterized networks". In: *Journal of Symbolic Computation* 45.11 (2010), pp. 1144–1162. DOI: 10.1016/j.jsc.2008.11.006.
- [14] I. V. Konnov and V. A. Zakharov. "Using Adaptive Symmetry Reduction for LTL Model Checking". In Russian. In: *Modelling and Analysis of Information Systems* 17.4 (2010), pp. 78-87. URL: http://www.mathnet.ru/php/archive.phtml?wshow=paper&jrnid=mais&paperid=38&option\_lang=eng.
- [15] I. V. Konnov and V. A. Zakharov. "An Approach to the Verification of Symmetric Parameterized Distributed Systems". In: *Programming and Computer Software* 31.5 (2005), pp. 225–236. DOI: 10.1007/s11086-005-0034-4.

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- [16] N. Bertrand, I. Konnov, M. Lazic, and J. Widder. "Verification of Randomized Consensus Algorithms Under Round-Rigid Adversaries". In: *CONCUR 2019*. Vol. 140. LIPIcs. 2019, 33:1–33:15. DOI: 10.4230/LIPIcs.CONCUR.2019.33.
- [17] I. Stoilkovska, I. Konnov, J. Widder, and F. Zuleger. "Verifying Safety of Synchronous Fault-Tolerant Algorithms Bounded Model Checking". In: *TACAS*. 2019, pp. 357–374. DOI: 10.1007/978-3-030-17465-1\_20.
- [18] I. Konnov and J. Widder. "ByMC: Byzantine Model Checker". In: Leveraging Applications of Formal Methods, Verification and Validation. Distributed Systems. Cham: Springer International Publishing, 2018, pp. 327–342. DOI: 10.1007/978-3-030-03424-5\_22. URL: https://hal.inria.fr/hal-01909653.
- [19] J. Kukovec, I. Konnov, and J. Widder. "Reachability in Parameterized Systems: All Flavors of Threshold Automata". In: 29th International Conference on Concurrency Theory, CONCUR 2018, September 4-7, 2018, Beijing, China. 2018, 19:1-19:17. DOI: 10.4230/LIPIcs.CONCUR.2018.19. URL: https://doi.org/10.4230/LIPIcs.CONCUR.2018.19.
- [20] J. Kukovec, T. Tran, and I. Konnov. "Extracting Symbolic Transitions from TLA<sup>+</sup> Specifications". In: *Abstract State Machines*, *Alloy*, *B*, *TLA*, *VDM*, and *Z*. 2018, pp. 89–104. DOI: 10.1007/978-3-319-91271-4\_7. URL: http://forsyte.at/wp-content/uploads/abz2018\_full.pdf.
- [21] I. V. Konnov, M. Lazic, H. Veith, and J. Widder. "A short counterexample property for safety and liveness verification of fault-tolerant distributed algorithms". In: *Proceedings of the 44th ACM SIGPLAN Symposium on Principles of Programming Languages, POPL 2017, Paris, France, January 18-20, 2017.* 2017, pp. 719–734. URL: http://dl.acm.org/citation.cfm?id=3009860.
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# Invited speaker at conferences and workshops

- [33] I. Konnov. Model Checking of Threshold-based Fault-Tolerant Distributed Algorithms. Invited talk at the 7th Workshop on Program Semantics, Specification & Verification, St. Petersburg, Russia, June. 2016. URL: http://pssv-conf.ru/en/2016/program.
- [34] I. Konnov. Parametrized Model Checking of Fault-tolerant Distributed Algorithms by Abstraction. Tutorial at the International Conference Tools and Methods of Program Analysis, Kostroma, Russia, November. 2014. URL: http://tmpaconf.org/pasteventsmaterialsen/keynote-speakersen#2014.

#### **Tutorials**

- [0] I. Konnov. Model checking of distributed algorithms: from classics towards Tendermint blockchain. Tutorial at VM-CAI Winter School, New Orleans, LA, USA, January. 2020. URL: https://popl20.sigplan.org/home/VMCAI-2020.
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# Peer-reviewed workshop contributions

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# Conference contributions

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- [61] I. Konnov. Verifying Safety and Liveness of Threshold-guarded Fault-Tolerant Distributed Algorithms. Talk at LO-RIA/INRIA seminar, Nancy, France, May. 2017.
- [62] I. Konnov. Model Checking of Fault-tolerant Distributed Algorithms: Safety and Liveness. Invited talk at the Seminar of Rigorous System Design Laboratory, Lausanne, Switzerland, September. 2016.

[63] I. Konnov. Model Checking of Threshold-based Fault-tolerant Distributed Algorithms. Invited talk at the Seminar on Foundations of Mathematics and Theoretical Computer Science, Ljubljana University, Ljubljana, Slovenia, May. 2016.

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- [72] I. Konnov. An invariant-based approach to the verification of asynchronous parameterized networks. Talk at the Concurrency Seminar, Computing Laboratory, Oxford University, Oxford, UK, February. 2011.
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