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Fall 2020 ~ Present

Madison, WI

GPA: 4.0/4.0

Research Interests

Cybersecurity, Privacy, Anti-censorship, Operating Systems, Computer Networks, Cloud Computing

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University of Wisconsin-Madison

B.S. Honors Candidate, Computer Sciences & Data Science

Thesis: Network Censorship Measurement and Evasion Framework

Advisor: Rahul Chatterjee

Neung-In High School Spring 2017 ~ Fall 2019 Daegu, Republic of Korea

STEM High School Degree

Positions

Madison, WI University of Wisconsin-Madison - MadS&P

06/2021 ~ Present Undergraduate Research Assistant

UW-Madison Cybersecurity Operations Center Madison, WI

Cybersecurity Intern Analyst 10/2020 ~ Present

Cybersecurity UW Club Madison, WI

Head Officer & CTF Team Member 09/2020 ~ Present

Carnegie Mellon University - CyLab Pittsburgh, PA

Summer 2022 Undergraduate Research Assistant

Igloo Security Seoul, Republic of Korea

Cybersecurity Intern Analyst Summer 2019

Research

Network Censorship Measurement and Evasion Framework

UW-Madison Security & Privacy Research Group (MadS&P)

Developed an internet filtering measurement pipeline and tested it on networks under various nations

Discovered that the evasion sequence model is highly effective for certain countries

Engineering Privacy in iOS App Groups

Carnegie Mellon University Information Networking Institute (INI)

Implemented a data leakage threat model for the iOS app group containers

Analyzed the group containers for 200 iOS apps to detect potential leakage for restricted data

picoCTF: Introducing Adversarial Machine Learning to CTFs

Carnegie Mellon University Security & Privacy Laboratory (CyLab)

Developed five NLP-based and five CNN-based Adversarial Machine Learning challenges

Constructed a user study for the challenges to be released at picoCTF 2023

Introduced "ramped" difficulty system, optimized for beginning learners

CookieEnforcer: Automated Cookie Notice Analysis and Enforcement

Wisconsin Privacy & Security Research Group (WI-PI)

Explored the results of the front-end interface user study for the CookieEnforcer research

Developed a Chrome Extension that connects the CookieEnforcer backend with the React frontend

Published the extension to the Chrome Extension Store

Securely Measuring Password-based Logins

UW-Madison Security & Privacy Research Group (MadS&P)

Analyzed 30 million network packets to find a pattern of credential stuffing attacks

Used Pandas and Matplotlib of Python to visualize and find edge cases from the data

Found multiple patterns in the clustered data that exhibited anomalies

Zero-day Vulnerability Analysis and Exploitation

Daegu University Information Security Research Group

Analyzed the risk of CVE-2019-0708 (Bluekeep) on traditional embedded systems

Designed a PoC that sends payloads to execute arbitrary code on the vulnerable system

Poster presented the research as the primary author at CISC-W' 2019

09/2022 ~ Present

Advisor: Rahul Chatterjee

Summer 2022

Advisor: Hanan Hibshi

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Summer 2022

02/2022 ~ 07/2022

Advisor: Kassem Fawaz

06/2021 ~ 09/2022

Advisor: Rahul Chatterjee

03/2019 ~ 05/2020

Advisor: Chang Hoon Kim

Publications

[1] **Yi Won Chung**, Tae Gyeom Heo. Exploitation of RDP Bluekeep on Embedded Systems and Possible Mitigations. *Proceedings of the Conference on Information Security and Cryptography-Winter, 2019.*

Projects

Node.js Full-stack Web Application

HackMIT, 2021

- Designed a RESTful Backend API model and implemented it via Express and PostgreSQL
- Implemented a simple front-end web interface with EJS and integrated it to the backend
- Deployed resulting web app FoodSurfers, similar with the Airbnb platform to Microsoft Azure

Voice-based Interactive Chatbot

Neung-In Scholarly Awards, 2018

- Designed a chatbot pipeline that parses lunch and academic calendar info from the school website
- Deployed the app to GCP and used the Google Dialogflow API to service it on Google Assistant
- 85% of school affiliates had actively used the chatbot by 2 months of release

Honors and Awards

- Carnegie Mellon University Summer 2022 Undergraduate Research Scholarship
- UW-Madison Dean's List, Fall 2020 ~ Present
- Top 2%, National Cyber League Spring 2022 Team Game (as team: Oxb4dgers)
- 5th Place, Korea Ministry of Education Cybersecurity CTF Competition, 2019 (as team: Future College Chancellor Shin Jinwoo)
- Research of the Year, Neung-In Scholarly Awards, 2018

Skills

- Programming Languages: Python, C, C++, Java, JavaScript, PHP, Rust
- Technologies:
 - General: Git, LaTeX, Numpy
 - Data Analysis: Pandas, Matplotlib, R
 - Machine Learning: Scikit, TensorFlow, Keras, NLTK
 - Systems: Socket, Docker, CMGR
 - o Web: HTML, Flask, Django, Jekyll, Hugo, React, Express
 - o Security: Pwntools, Elasticsearch, Shodan, Nmap, Burpsuite, Cisco AMP
 - o Database: MySQL, PostgreSQL, MongoDB
 - o Cloud: Google Cloud, Microsoft Azure, Amazon AWS
- Language: English and Korean (Native), Japanese and Spanish (Basic)