# Martina Lindorfer

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## **EDUCATION**

# Doctor of Technical Sciences (Dr. techn.)

July 2011 - November 2015

Vienna University of Technology, Austria

Major: Malware Analysis and Mobile Security

Thesis: Malware Through the Looking Glass: Malware Analysis in an Evolving Threat Landscape

Advisor: Priv.-Doz. Dipl.-Ing. Mag.rer.soc.oec. Dr. techn. Edgar Weippl

# Master of Science (Dipl.-Ing.)

October 2006 - May 2011

Vienna University of Technology, Austria

Major: Software Engineering and Internet Computing Thesis: Detecting Environment-Sensitive Malware Advisor: Priv.-Doz. Dipl.-Ing. Dr. techn. Engin Kirda

# Bachelor of Science (BSc)

October 2003 - July 2006

University of Applied Sciences Hagenberg, Austria

Major: Computer and Media Security

Theses: Aggregate Signatures - Algorithms and Applications

Integration of Elliptic Curves in the Cryptographic Base Infrastructure of the Utimaco Safeware AG

Advisor: FH-Prof. Dr. Juergen Fuss

#### **EXPERIENCE**

#### Postdoctoral Researcher

since April 2016

Computer Security Group, UC Santa Barbara, USA

Researcher

SBA Research, Vienna, Austria

January 2013 – December 2015

## Visiting Researcher

October 2014 – March 2015

Systems Security Lab, Northeastern University, Boston, USA

- Analysis of iOS8 security features
- Data leak detection in mobile app traffic

# Research Assistant

July 2011 – September 2014

Secure Systems Lab, Vienna University of Technology, Vienna, Austria

- Research as part of PhD studies
- Dynamic malware analysis and detection of Android malware (Andrubis)

Research Intern November 2013

Foundation for Research and Technology – Hellas (FORTH-ICS), Heraklion, Greece

• Detection of malicious Android applications in alternative markets

Research Intern January – May 2013

Fukuda Laboratory, National Institute of Informatics (NII), Tokyo, Japan

• Detection of botnet traffic in backbone networks based on NetFlow data

Research Intern September – November 2009

Multimedia Security Lab, Korea University, Seoul, South Korea

• Development of a Windows executable packer with encryption and compression

## Software Engineer, Project Controller

July 2006 - December 2008

Underground 8 Secure Computing GmbH, Linz, Austria

• Design and development of a transparent threat management appliance, which filters mail and web traffic for spam and malware

Teaching Assistant March – June 2008

Distributed Systems Technologies, Vienna University of Technology, Vienna, Austria

# Software Engineer (Professional Practical Training)

Utimaco Safeware AG, Linz, Austria

• Integration of elliptic curve signature and encryption algorithms in the cryptographic base infrastructure of a hard disk encryption suite

March – June 2006

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### Conferences

 $Obfuscation-Resilient\ Privacy\ Leak\ Detection\ for\ Mobile\ Apps\ Through\ Differential\ Analysis$ 

Andrea Continella, Yanick Fratantonio, Martina Lindorfer, Alessandro Puccetti, Ali Zand, Christopher Kruegel, Giovanni Vigna

Network and Distributed System Security Symposium (NDSS)

San Diego, California, USA, February 2017 (to appear)

Drammer: Deterministic Rowhammer Attacks on Mobile Platforms

Victor van der Veen, Yanick Fratantonio, Martina Lindorfer, Daniel Gruss, Clementine Maurice,

Giovanni Vigna, Herbert Bos, Kaveh Razavi, Cristiano Giuffrida

ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS)

Vienna, Austria, October 2016

ReCon: Revealing and Controlling PII Leaks in Mobile Network Traffic

Jingjing Ren, Ashwin Rao, Martina Lindorfer, Arnaud Legout, David Choffnes

International Conference on Mobile Systems, Applications and Services (MobiSys)

Singapore, June 2016

CuriousDroid: Automated User Interface Interaction for Android Application Analysis Sandboxes

Patrick Carter, Collin Mulliner, Martina Lindorfer, William Robertson, Engin Kirda

International Conference on Financial Cryptography and Data Security (FC)

Christ Church, Barbados, February 2016

Marvin: Efficient and Comprehensive Mobile App Classification Through Static and Dynamic Analysis

Martina Lindorfer, Matthias Neugschwandtner, Christian Platzer

Annual International Computers, Software & Applications Conference (COMPSAC)

Taichung, Taiwan, July 2015

AndRadar: Fast Discovery of Android Applications in Alternative Markets

Martina Lindorfer, Stamatis Volanis, Alessandro Sisto, Matthias Neugschwandtner,

Elias Athanasopoulos, Federico Maggi, Christian Platzer, Stefano Zanero, Sotiris Ioannidis

Conference on Detection of Intrusions and Malware & Vulnerability Assessment (DIMVA)

London, UK, July 2014

Take a Bite - Finding the Worm in the Apple

Martina Lindorfer, Bernhard Miller, Matthias Neugschwandtner, Christian Platzer

International Conference on Information, Communications and Signal Processing (ICICS)

Tainan, Taiwan, December 2013

Lines of Malicious Code: Insights Into the Malicious Software Industry

Martina Lindorfer, Alessandro Di Federico, Federico Maggi, Paolo Milani Comparetti, Stefano Zanero

Annual Computer Security Applications Conference (ACSAC)

Orlando, Florida, USA, December 2012

Detecting Environment-Sensitive Malware

Martina Lindorfer, Clemens Kolbitsch, Paolo Milani Comparetti

International Symposium on Recent Advances in Intrusion Detection (RAID)

Menlo Park, California, USA, September 2011

#### Workshops

Andrubis - 1,000,000 Apps Later: A View on Current Android Malware Behaviors

Martina Lindorfer, Matthias Neugschwandtner, Lukas Weichselbaum, Yanick Fratantonio,

Victor van der Veen, Christian Platzer

International Workshop on Building Analysis Datasets and Gathering Experience Returns for Security (BADGERS)

Wroclaw, Poland, September 2014

Skin Sheriff: A Machine Learning Solution for Detecting Explicit Images

Christian Platzer, Martin Stuetz, Martina Lindorfer

International Workshop on Security and Forensics in Communication Systems (SFCS)

Kyoto, Japan, June 2014

Enter Sandbox: Android Sandbox Comparison

Sebastian Neuner, Victor van der Veen, Martina Lindorfer, Markus Huber, Georg Merzdovnik,

Martin Mulazzani, Edgar Weippl

IEEE Mobile Security Technologies Workshop (MoST)

San Jose, California, USA, May 2014

A View to a Kill: WebView Exploitation

Matthias Neugschwandtner, Martina Lindorfer, Christian Platzer

USENIX Workshop on Large-Scale Exploits and Emergent Threats (LEET)

Washington, D.C., USA, August 2013

## Miscellaneous

Andrubis: Android Malware Under the Magnifying Glass

Lukas Weichselbaum, Matthias Neugschwandtner, Martina Lindorfer, Yanick Fratantonio,

Victor van der Veen, Christian Platzer

Technical Report, Vienna University of Technology, July 2014

POSTER: Cross-Platform Malware: Write Once, Infect Everywhere

Martina Lindorfer, Matthias Neumayr, Juan Caballero, Christian Platzer

ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS)

Berlin, Germany, November 2013

The Red Book: A Roadmap for Systems Security Research

The SysSec Consortium, Evangelos Markatos and Davide Balzarotti (editors), August 2013

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

# Program Committee Member

• Conference on Detection of Intrusions and Malware & Vulnerability Assessment (DIMVA	) 2016, 2017
• International Workshop on Innovations in Mobile Privacy and Security (IMPS)	2017
• Workshop on Formal Methods for Security Engineering (ForSE)	2017
• USENIX Workshop on Offensive Technologies (WOOT)	2015
• International Workshop on Emerging Cyberthreats and Countermeasures (ECTCM)	2013, 2014, 2015

## External Reviewer

• Privacy Enhancing Technologies Symposium (PETS)	2017
• International Conference on emerging Networking EXperiments and Technologies (	(CoNEXT) 2016

#### Journal Reviewer

- ACM Transactions on Privacy and Security
- Computers & Security
- IEEE Transactions on Computers
- IEEE Transactions on Dependable and Secure Computing
- IEEE Transactions on Information Forensics and Security
- International Journal of Information Security
- EURASIP Journal on Information Security
- Theoretical Computer Science

## **HONORS & AWARDS**

• Promotio Sub Auspiciis Praesidentis (graduation with highest honors in Austria)	Spring 2017
• Travel grant for the GREPSEC II workshop and IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy	May 2015
• Marshall Plan scholarship for a research exchange with Northeastern University	May 2014
• Research fellowship from Clear Sky Ventures	January 2014
• SysSec scholarship for a research exchange with FORTH-ICS	October 2013
• Google EMEA Anita Borg Memorial Scholarship	June 2012
• Finalist for the Google Europe Anita Borg Memorial Scholarship	June 2008
• Finalist for the CAST IT security sponsorship award for outstanding bachelor theses	November 2007

# EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

• Reward from the Android Security Reward Program for Drammer (CVE-2016-6728, marked as critical)	November 2016
• Lead development and maintenance of Andrubis (http://anubis.iseclab.org), a large-scale public dynamic analysis sandbox for Android applications	since June 2012
• Conception of a one day workshop on mobile malware analysis techniques	August 2015
• Supervision of Master's thesis of Matthias Neumayr under the title "The Current State of Browser Extension Security and Extension-based Malware"	January 2015
• Conception of a four day workshop on dynamic malware analysis techniques, analysis evasion and countermeasures	August 2014
• Conception of a techNIKE workshop teaching Internet security topics and security and privacy awareness in online social networks to girls aged 10–14	June 2014
• Recruitment committee member for the position of full tenured professor of security at Vienna University of Technology	April 2014

- Investigator for the Vienna University of Technology in the August 2011 June 2012 i-Code Real-time Malicious Code Detection Project (http://www.icode-project.eu)
- Member of the We\_0wn\_Y0u Capture The Flag team
  - Participation in the 2012 DEF CON Capture The Flag
  - 1st place in the 2011 UCSB International Capture The Flag (iCTF)