

Seema Kumar

Curriculum Vitae

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Research Interests

Security in IoT, cryptography, distributed systems, IoT communication protocols, embedded device integrity verification, blockchains suitable for IoT devices

Education

- Oct 2013 – Jan 2016 **Master of Science**, *Distributed Software Systems*, Technical University of Darmstadt,
Relevant Courses: Wireless Sensor Networks (WSN), WSN lab with embedded programming, Computer Networks, Network Security, Distributed Systems,
Master Thesis: Integration of Topology Control and Network Coding for Wireless Multihop Networks.
Grade: 1.87 ECTS (3.7/4 GPA)
- 2006–2009 **Bachelor of Engineering**, *Computer Science*, Visveswaraya Technological University, Grade: 76% (First Class with Distinction).

Professional Experience

- Jan 2017– till date **Research Assistant (Wissenschaftlicher Mitarbeiterin)**, TU DARMSTADT.
Ph.D student at Distributed Systems Programming group (headed by Prof. Dr. Patrick Eugster)
- Oct 2016 – Jan 2017 **Research Assistant**, SINGAPORE UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY AND DESIGN, Singapore.
Worked on detection mechanism for IoT malware (Mirai)
- March 2016 – **Intern**, INDIAN INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE, India.
August 2016 Developed a distributed scheduling algorithm for 6TiSCH networks. Worked on IoT communication protocols: RPL, 6LoWPAN, 6TiSCH
- Jan 2013 – **Software Engineer**, SAVARI NETWORKS, India.
August 2013 Developed safety application for Vehicle to Vehicle (V2V) and Vehicle to Infrastructure (V2I) communications. Embedded programming on an operating system based on OpenWRT
- Dec 2009 – **Project Assistant**, INDIAN INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE, India.
August 2012 Design and development of a fuzzy logic algorithm for seamless vertical handover across 3G and WLAN
6PANview - Worked on analyzing network performance based on link quality between the nodes

HiWi/Werkstudent

- Aug 2015 – **Werkstudent**, AGT INTERNATIONAL, Darmstadt.
Dec 2015 Setting up an IoT network which can remotely fetch machinery data - used Raspberry Pi. A Prototype for Indoor Localization using bluetooth beacons
Jan 2014 – **HiWi**, TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF DARMSTADT, Darmstadt.
July 2014 Fine-grained churn modeling for TUDμNet, a WSN testbed. Users can achieve the scenario of single or multiple simultaneous node failures and evaluate the behavior of their system

Technical Skills

- Languages C, PYTHON, JAVA
Development LINUX, CONTIKI (OS for embedded devices)
Protocols IEEE802.11, IEEE802.15.4, UDP/TCP, IPv6, RPL, TSCH
Software MATLAB, WIRESHARK

Languages

- English **Proficient**
German **Level B1** *Basic*

Publications

G Baba Prasad, K Seema, UH Shrikant, Gopi Garge, SVR Anand, and Malati Hegde. Seamo+: A virtual real-time multimedia service framework on handhelds to enable remote real-time patient monitoring for mobile doctors. In *IEEE International Conference on Communication Systems and Networks (COMSNETS)*, 2013.

K Seema, Gopi Krishna Garge, SVR Anand, and Malati Hegde. Experiences with seamo: a vertical handoff implementation for heterogeneous wireless networks. *Proceedings of the Asia-Pacific Advanced Network*, 2011.

Mohammad Rafiq, Seema Kumar, Nagaraj Kammar, Guru Prasad, Gopi Krishna Garge, SVR Anand, and Malati Hegde. A vertical handoff decision scheme for end-to-end qos in heterogeneous networks: An implementation on a mobile ip testbed. In *IEEE National Conference on Communications (NCC)*, 2011.