# Simone Nicchi

# Curriculum Vitae

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#### PERSONAL DATA

PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH: Bracciano (RM), Italy - 6 July 1993

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#### **EDUCATION**

NOVEMBER 2018 - NOW PH.D. IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Sapienza University of Rome, Italy Advisor: Prof. Camil DEMETRESCU

OCTOBER 2015 - JULY 2018 Master of Science in Computer Engineering (in English)

Sapienza University of Rome, Italy

Dissertation title: "BlueTracer: a Robust API Tracer for Evasive Malware"

Advisor: Prof. Camil DEMETRESCU

Co-Advisors: Dr. Daniele Cono D'Elia, Dr. Emilio Coppa Final grade: 110/110 with honors (summa cum laude)

OCTOBER 2011 - OCTOBER 2015 Bachelor degree in COMPUTER ENGINEERING (in English)

University of Rome Tor Vergata, Italy

Dissertation title: "DarkCrawler: platform for crawling illegal contents on Tor"

Advisor: Prof. Giuseppe Bianchi Co-Advisors: Dr. Alberto Caponi

Final grade: 110/110 with honors (summa cum laude)

AUGUST 2006 - MAY 2011 Bilingual (Italian/English) International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma

International School of Berne

Bern - Switzerland Final grade: 40/45

#### **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

My research interests involve the application of program analysis techniques to the security domain.

## LANGUAGES

ENGLISH: Fluent

ITALIAN: Mothertongue

## **COMPUTER SKILLS**

Programming Languages: C++, Python, Java, Scala, JSP, PHP

Operating systems: GNU/Linux (Debian-based), Microsoft Windows Frameworks: Apache Hadoop, angr, Intel Pin, Scrapy, Hibernate

Other: Relational databases, MongoDB, Android Studio, Arduino,

IDA Pro, Microsoft Office suite, Open/LibreOffice suite, LATEX.

### **PUBLICATIONS**

2018 SoK: Using Dynamic Binary Instrumentation for Security (And How You May Get Caught Red Handed)

D.C. D'Elia, E. Coppa, S. Nicchi, F. Palmaro, L. Cavallaro

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