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Education

- Dec 2015 – Present 📖 **Ph.D., Dept. of Computer Science and Engineering, IIT Kanpur** (CGPA: 7.67)
Thesis title: *Making the Case for Stealthy, Reliable, and Low-overhead Android Malware Detection and Classification. (Under Submission, June 2022)*
Supervisors: Prof. Sandeep Kumar Shukla, IIT Kanpur and Prof. Biswabandan Panda, IIT Bombay
- July 2010 – June 2012 📖 **M.Tech. (Information Technology), Dept. of Computer Science and Engineering, IIT Roorkee** (CGPA: 7.36)
Thesis title: *Efficient and Secure Routing for MANETs.*
Supervisor: Prof. Sandeep Kumar Garg, IIT Roorkee
- July 2007 – June 2010 📖 **MCA, Uttarakhand Technical University, Dehradun** (71.23%)

Experiences

- Dec 2015 – Present 📖 **Teaching Assistance.** Department of Computer Science and Engineering, IIT Kanpur.
1. CS962: Operating System Principles, eMasters in Cyber Security Program — Quarter-1 2022
 2. CS330: Operating Systems — 2020-21 (I)
 3. CS730: Topics in Operating Systems — 2019-20 (II)
 4. CS665: Secure Memory Systems — 2018-19 (I), 2019-20 (I)
 5. CS628A: Computer Systems Security — 2016-17 (II), 2017-18 (II), 2018-19 (II)
 6. CS698Y: Modern Memory Systems — 2017-18 (I)
 7. CS252: Computing Laboratory - II — 2016-17 (I)
 8. CS251: Computing Laboratory - I — 2015-16 (II)
- Feb 2013 – Dec 2015 📖 **Assistant Programmer.** Central Bureau of Investigation, Government of India.

Research Publications

Journal Articles

- 1 **Kumar, S.,** Mishra, D., Panda, B., & Shukla, S. K. (n.d.). InviSeal: A Stealthy Dynamic Analysis Framework for Android Systems. *ACM Digital Threats: Research and Practice (DTRAP)*. **(Under major revision)**.
- 2 Maurya, V., Agarwal, R., **Kumar, S.,** & Shukla, S. K. (n.d.). EPASAD: Ellipsoid Decision Boundary Based Process-Aware Stealthy Attack Detector. *International Journal of Critical Infrastructure Protection (IJCIP)*. **(Under submission)**.

Conference Proceedings

- 1 KP, A., **Kumar, S.**, Mishra, D., & Panda, B. (2022). SniP: An Efficient Stack Tracing Framework for Multi-threaded Programs. In *2022 IEEE/ACM 19th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories (MSR)*. [Core: A Ranked]. [doi:10.1145/3524842.3528499](https://doi.org/10.1145/3524842.3528499)
- 2 **Kumar, S.**, Mishra, D., Panda, B., & Shukla, S. K. (2022). AndroOBFS: Time-tagged Obfuscated Android Malware Dataset with Family Information. In *2022 IEEE/ACM 19th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories (MSR)*. [Core: A Ranked]. [doi:10.1145/3524842.3528493](https://doi.org/10.1145/3524842.3528493)
- 3 **Kumar, S.**, Mishra, D., Panda, B., & Shukla, S. K. (2021). DeepDetect: A Practical On-device Android Malware Detector. In *2021 IEEE 21st International Conference on Software Quality, Reliability and Security (QRS)* (pp. 40–51). [Core: B Ranked]. [doi:10.1109/QRS54544.2021.00015](https://doi.org/10.1109/QRS54544.2021.00015)
- 4 **Kumar, S.**, Mishra, D., & Shukla, S. K. (2021). Android Malware Family Classification: What Works – API Calls, Permissions or API Packages? In *2021 14th International Conference on Security of Information and Networks (SIN)* (Vol. 1, pp. 1–8). [Core: C Ranked]. [doi:10.1109/SIN54109.2021.9699322](https://doi.org/10.1109/SIN54109.2021.9699322)
- 5 **Kumar, S.**, Mishra, D., Panda, B., & Shukla, S. K. (2020). STDNeut: Neutralizing Sensor, Telephony System and Device State Information on Emulated Android Environments. In S. Krenn, H. Shulman, & S. Vaudenay (Eds.), *Cryptology and Network Security (CANS)* (pp. 85–106). [Core: B Ranked]. [doi:10.1007/978-3-030-65411-5_5](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-65411-5_5)
- 6 Fatima, A., **Kumar, S.**, & Dutta, M. K. (2019). Host-Server-Based Malware Detection System for Android Platforms Using Machine Learning. In *Advances in Computational Intelligence and Communication Technology* (pp. 195–205). Singapore: Springer Singapore.
- 7 **Kumar, S.**, & Kumar, S. (2012). An Enhanced and Effective Encrypting Algorithm for High Volume Video Data Streaming Application on MANET. In *IJCA Proceedings on International Conference on Recent Advances and Future Trends in Information Technology* (Vol. iRAFIT, pp. 9–12).
- 8 **Kumar, S.**, & Kumar, S. (2011). Simulation based Performance Comparison of AODV, DSR and WRP Routing Protocols in MANET using Random Waypoint Mobility Model. In *Proceedings on National Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Agents: Theory & Applications* (Vol. AIATA, pp. 181–185). IIT BHU.

Books and Book Chapters

- 1 **Kumar, S.**, & Shukla, S. K. (2020). The State of Android Security. In S. K. Shukla & M. Agrawal (Eds.), *Cyber Security in India: Education, Research and Training* (pp. 17–22). (Book Chapter). [doi:10.1007/978-981-15-1675-7_2](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-15-1675-7_2)

Invited Talk

- **Mobile Security: Android Malware Analysis.**
9th edition of Cyber Jagrukta Diwas. At Indian Institute of Technology (ISM) Dhanbad, June 2022
- **Mobile Security: Android.**
Workshop on Network Security for National Informatics Center personnel. At Indian Institute of Technology Roorkee, March 2022
- **Mobile Forensics and Challenges.**
Workshop on Network Security for National Informatics Center personnel. At Indian Institute of Technology Roorkee, March 2022
- **Mobile Forensics and Challenges: Perspective of Indian Investigators.**
Faculty Development Program (FDP) on Recent Trends in Cyber Security and Forensics, At E & ICT Academy, NIT Warangal in association with Indra Ganesan College of Engineering, October 2021

Invited Talk (continued)

■ Security of Mobile Platforms: - Android Security.

Workshop at Techkrity, Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur, March 2019

Achievements

2018 ■ Cleared UGC-NET exam for Assistant Professors.

2012 ■ Selected as Assistant Programmer (Gazetted Officer) in Central Bureau of Investigation, Government of India through UPSC.

Professional Services

Artifact Evaluation Committee ■ USENIX Symposium on Operating Systems Design and Implementation (**OSDI**), 2022.

■ USENIX Annual Technical Conference (**ATC**), 2022.

Organizer ■ DRDO Cyber Challenge (CTF) for Defence Research and Development Organization (**DRDO**), 2018.

■ CTF for the Global Conference on Cyber Space (**GCCS**), 2017.

Regional Challenge Lead ■ Capture the Flag (CTF) event at Cyber Security Awareness Week (**CSAW**), 2017 and 2018.

Sub-reviewer ■ 14th ACM-IEEE International Conference on Formal Methods and Models for System Design (**MEMOCODE**), 2016.

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