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Education

2018, PhD in Carnegie Mellon University.

Advisor: David Brumley

Selected Academic Publications

Full Publications are listed in <https://www.tiffanybao.com/cv.pdf>

- **Toss a Fault to Your Witcher: Applying Grey-box Coverage-Guided Mutational Fuzzing to Detect SQL and Command Injection Vulnerabilities**
To appear in Proceedings of the IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy (Oakland '23)
- **Playing for K(H)eaps: Understanding and Improving Linux Kernel Exploit Reliability**
The 31st USENIX Security Symposium (USENIX '22) [Code Available](#)
- **Arbiter: Bridging the Static and Dynamic Divide in Vulnerability Discovery on Binary Programs**
The 31st USENIX Security Symposium (USENIX '22) [Code Available](#)
- **Expected Exploitability: Predicting the Development of Functional Vulnerability Exploits**
The 31st USENIX Security Symposium (USENIX '22)
- **"Flawed, but like democracy we don't have a better system": The Experts' Insights on the Peer Review Process of Evaluating Security Papers**
Proceedings of the IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy (Oakland '22)
- **Having Your Cake and Eating It: An Analysis of Concession-Abuse-as-a-Service**
The 30th USENIX Security Symposium (USENIX '21)
- **CrawlPhish: Large-scale Analysis of Client-side Cloaking Techniques in Phishing**
Proceedings of the 42nd IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy (Oakland '21)
[Best Student Paper Award](#)
- **Favocado: Fuzzing Binding Code of JavaScript Engines Using Semantically Correct Test Cases.**
The Network and Distributed System Security Symposium (NDSS '21) [Code Available](#)
- **Cyber Autonomy in Software Security: Techniques and Tactics (Book Chapter)**
Game Theory and Machine Learning for Cyber Security (Publisher: Wiley)
- **HoneyPLC: A Next-Generation Honeypot for Industrial Control Systems**
Proceedings of the 2020 ACM SIGSAC Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS '20) [Code Available](#)
- **Not All Coverage Measurements Are Equal: Fuzzing by Coverage Accounting for Input Prioritization**
The Network and Distributed System Security Symposium (NDSS '20) [Code Available](#)
- **Matched and Mismatched SOCs: A Qualitative Study on Security Operations Center Issues**
Proceedings of the 2019 ACM SIGSAC Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS '19)
- **Your Exploit is Mine: Automatic Shellcode Transplant for Remote Exploits.**
Proceedings of the 38th IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy (Oakland '17)
- **How Shall We Play a Game: A Game-theoretical Model for Cyber-warfare Games**
Proceedings of the 30th IEEE Computer Security Foundations Symposium (CSF '17)
[The NSA's Annual Best Scientific Paper Award](#)
- **ByteWeight: Learning to Recognize Functions in Binary Code**
Proceedings of the 23rd USENIX Security Symposium (USENIX '14) [Code Available](#)

Other Contributions

Discover and responsibly disclosed more than 30 zero-day vulnerabilities.

Member of the Order Of Overflow, the formal DEF CON CTF organizer 2018-2021

Various program committees (Usenix Security, IEEE Security & Privacy, ACM CCS, NDSS, AAAI)