

Welcome from Chairs

It is our great pleasure to welcome you to the *Second Workshop on Forming an Ecosystem Around Software Transformation (FEAST 2017)*. This year's workshop is held in conjunction with the 24th ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS) on November 3, 2017 at Dallas, Texas, USA. The workshop is geared toward discussion and understanding of several critical topics surrounding software executable transformation for improving the security and efficiency of all software used in security-critical applications. The scope of discussion for this workshop will include topics that may be necessary to fully explore the power and impact of late-stage software customization efforts.

The call for papers attracted strong submissions from both academy and industry, with topics including binary rewriting and transformation, software and protocol debloating, cyber-physical systems, mobile, and Intel SGX. In total 10 full technical papers are accepted. We also encourage attendees to attend the keynote and invited talk presentations.

- *ALLVM: Enabling Sophisticated Late-Stage Program Analysis and Transformation Across the System Stack*, Vikram Sadanand Adve (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)
- *New Directions for Container Debloating*, Somesh Jha (University of Wisconsin-Madison)

Putting together *FEAST'17* is a team effort. We thank the authors for the excellent submissions. We are grateful to the program committee for the hard work in reviewing papers and providing feedback for the authors within a very tight deadline. Finally, we thank our sponsor Office of Naval Research for the great support.

We hope that you will find the program interesting, the discussions thought-provoking, and that the workshop will provide a valuable opportunity for you to share results and ideas with other researchers and practitioners.

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