Vaibhav Sharma

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Education

University of Minnesota - Twin Cities, Minneapolis, USA

PhD, Computer Science and Engineering, GPA: 3.9/4

2015 - 2019 (Expected)

Advisor: Professor Stephen McCamant

Michigan State University, East Lansing, USA

M.S., Computer Science and Engineering, GPA: 3.9/4

2013 - 2015

Thesis: Continuous User Authentication and Identification Using User Interface Interactions

Advisor: Professor Richard Enbody

Mumbai University, India

B.E., Computer Engineering, Aggregate: 68%

2003 - 2007

Work Experience

• Research Assistant, University of Minnesota – Twin Cities, Sept 2015 – present

Develop a symbolic execution-based tool for automatic synthesis of wrapper binary code which creates semantic equivalence between two functions

• Teaching Assistant, Michigan State University, Aug 2013 – Aug 2015

Delivered in-class presentations, conducted lab sessions, for 3 undergraduate-level courses, including "Introduction to Computer Security"

• Samsung Research India - Bangalore, Browser Development, June 2012 – June 2013

Developed web page rendering modules in WebKit2EFL browser engine used in the Tizen operating system

• Bally Technologies, Operating System Development, March 2010 – June 2012 Integrated a WebKitGtk+ browser engine with the slot machine operating system

• Amdocs Development Center India, Order Management, Aug 2007 – March 2010

Maintained a Tuxedo-based backend of an order management system used by telecommunication companies

Publications

- Vaibhav Sharma, Stephen McCamant, "Finding Semantically-Equivalent Binary Code by Synthesizing Adaptors," Fundamental Approaches to Software Engineering (FASE), 2016 (Submitted, pre-print available on request)
- Vaibhav Sharma, Stephen McCamant, "Finding Semantically-Equivalent Binary Code by Synthesizing Adaptors," *Midwest PL Summit*, 2016 (poster)

Awards

• Richard Reid Fellowship (College of Engineering, Michigan State University), Summer 2014

Academic Projects

- "Link Prefetching: A Defense Against Website Fingerprinting on Tor," Course project, Introduction to Computer Security, Fall 2015, UMN
- "Fraudulent Resume Detection," Course project, Data Mining, Fall 2014, MSU
- "Using GA-based Feature Selection In Ensemble Classifier For Network Intrusion Detection," Course Project, Evolutionary Computation, Fall 2014, MSU
- "NFC-Powered Wireless Multi-hop Sensor Network", Course Project, Advanced Computer Networks and Communication, Fall 2013, MSU
- "Optimal Placement of Annotation Labels in Geometric Objects", B.E. Thesis, 2007

Graduate Courses

- Programming Languages
- Introduction to Compilers
- Security/Privacy in Computing
- Data Mining

Service

- Contributed bug fixes, system call support to FuzzBALL (https://github.com/bitblaze-fuzzball/fuzzball)
- Supported development of an Android app for navigating the Michigan State University campus

Skills

- Programming Languages: C, C++, OCaml, Python, Perl
- Revision Control Systems: Git, SVN, CVS
- Build Systems: make, cmake
- Operating Systems: various Linux flavors