# **Assignment 4 + Bonus Project**

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- One coding task (20 points)
  - Implement method readSrcSnkFromFile in Assignment-4.cpp using C++ file reading to configure sources and sinks.
  - Implement method printICFGPath to collect the tainted ICFG paths and add each path (a sequence of node IDs) as a string into std::set<std::string> paths similar to Assignment 2
  - Implement method aliasCheck to check aliases of the variables at source and sink.

# **Assignment 4: Coding Task**

- Code template and specification: https://github.com/SVF-tools/ Teaching-Software-Analysis/wiki/Assignment-4
- Make sure your previous implementations in Assignment-2.cpp and Assignment-3.cpp are in place.
  - Class TaintGraphTraversal in Assignment 4 is a child class of 'ICFGTraversal'. TaintGraphTraversal will use the DFS method implemented in Assignment 2 for control-flow traversal.
  - Andersen's analysis implemented in Assignment 3 will also be used for checking aliases between two pointers.

### A Bonus Task of This Subject

- One bonus project with 5 bonus points (The total marks of this subject will be capped at 100).
  - Dump the taint program paths into a text file
  - Implement a VSCode extension to annotate and visualize the tainted paths from a source to a sink.
- Please submit (1) a demo video in mp4 format (which is recommended) or
   (2) a VSCode Extension (.vsix format) with proper documentations.

### C++ File Reading

Implement method readSrcSnkFormFile in Assignment-4.cpp to parse the two lines from SrcSnk, txt, in the form of

```
source -> { source src set getname update getchar tgetstr }
sink -> { sink mysql_query system require chmod broadcast }
```

Please refer to the following links (among many others) for C++ file reading:

- https://www.tutorialspoint.com/cplusplus/cpp\_files\_streams.htm
- https://www.cplusplus.com/doc/tutorial/files/
- https://linuxhint.com/cplusplus\_read\_write/
- https://opensource.com/article/21/3/ccc-input-output

# Visualizing Tainted Paths (5-mark bonus task)

This task is optional and there is no uniform answer! Some hits as below but you are also encouraged to design and implement your own approach.

- Output taint paths into a text file in the following format for example. '{ In: number cl: number, fl: name  $\} \rightarrow \{$  ln: number, cl: number, fl: name  $\} \rightarrow \{$  ln: number, cl: number, fl: name }'.
- Create a VSCode extension to read the text file.
- Annotate the target source file (e.g., example.c) based on the taint paths reading from the text file.

Two VSCode extension examples (note that they are just general examples for references and are **NOT** the solution to the task):

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https://github.com/akshatsinghkaushik/vscode-extension-example
https://github.com/spcidealacm/codepointer_is
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### **VSCode Extension Demo (feel free to design yours)**

