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PH.D. CANDIDATE

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## Education

### Hong Kong Baptist University

PH.D. CANDIDATE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

- Advisors: Prof. Jianliang Xu and Dr. Byron Choi
- GPA: 4.0/4.0

Hong Kong

Nov. 2014 - Present

### Huazhong University of Science and Technology

BACHELOR OF ENGINEERING IN ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION ENGINEERING

Wuhan, China

Sep. 2009 - Jun. 2014

## Professional Experience

### Hong Kong Baptist University

PH.D. CANDIDATE

- Advisors: Prof. Jianliang Xu and Dr. Byron Choi
- Project: Privacy Persevering Query Authentication

Hong Kong

Nov. 2014 - Present

### Syracuse University

VISITING SCHOLAR

- Advisor: Dr. Yuzhe Tang
- Project: Strong Secure Data Analytics on Hardware Enclaves

Syracuse, NY, USA

Sep. 2017 - Dec. 2017

### Homebrew

CORE MAINTAINER

- The most popular package manager on macOS.
- <https://brew.sh>

Hong Kong

Feb. 2015 - Feb. 2017

### Huazhong University of Science and Technology

FINAL YEAR PROJECT

- Advisor: Dr. Xiaojun Hei
- Project: Towards SDN-Based Smart Home Router: Design and Implementation

Wuhan, China

Sep. 2013 - Jun. 2014

## Publications

- [1] **C. Xu**, J. Xu, H. Hu, and M. H. Au, "When query authentication meets fine-grained access control: A zero-knowledge approach," in *Proceedings of the 2018 ACM International Conference on Management of Data (SIGMOD'18)*, Houston, Texas, USA, Jun. 2018, **Full Paper**.
- [2] **C. Xu**, Q. Chen, H. Hu, J. Xu, and X. Hei, "Authenticating aggregate queries over set-valued data with confidentiality (extended abstract)," in *Proceedings of the 34th IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering (ICDE'18)*, Paris, France, Apr. 2018, **Poster Paper**.
- [3] Y. Tang, Z. Xing, **C. Xu**, J. Chen, and J. Xu, "Lightweight logging over the blockchain for data-intensive applications," in *2nd Workshop on Trusted Smart Contracts at International Conference on Financial Cryptography and Data Security*, Santa Barbara Beach Resort, Curaçao, Mar. 2018, **Workshop Paper**.
- [4] **C. Xu**, Q. Chen, H. Hu, J. Xu, and X. Hei, "Authenticating aggregate queries over set-valued data with confidentiality," *IEEE Transactions on Knowledge and Data Engineering (TKDE'17)*, Nov. 2017, **Full Paper**.
- [5] Q. Zhu, H. Hu, **C. Xu**, J. Xu, and W.-C. Lee, "Geo-social group queries with minimum acquaintance constraints," *The VLDB Journal (VLDBJ'17)*, vol. 26, no. 5, pp. 709–727, Jul. 2017, **Full Paper**.

## Skills

**Programming** C/C++, Java, Python, Ruby, Matlab,  $\LaTeX$ , Bash, SQL, Vimscript, Javascript, HTML, CSS  
**Tools** Vim, Tmux, Git, macOS, Linux  
**Languages** English, Mandarin

## Awards

2014 - 2018 4-years PhD Studentship, *Hong Kong Baptist University*  
2018 Yakun Scholarship Scheme for Mainland Postgraduate Students, *Hong Kong Baptist University*  
2017 Research Scholarship for Oversea Attachment, *Hong Kong Baptist University*  
2017 Excellent Teaching Assistant Performance Award, *Hong Kong Baptist University*  
2015, 2016 Teaching Assistant Performance Award, *Hong Kong Baptist University*