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120 Research Articles

Research Interests

Software and Hardware Protection Systems Exploitation and Assurance Malware and Anomaly Detection Applied Machine Learning Predictive Analytics Cyber-Risk Assessment

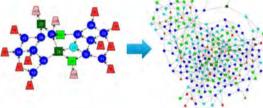
Technological Capabilities

Malware Threat Analytics Phase Space Analysis SW Vulnerability Detection Hardware Assurance

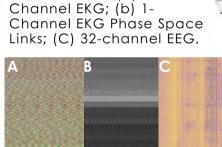
Biomedical Event Prediction
NonLinear Phase Space Analysis

Risk Assessment Frameworks

Hardware/Circuit Protection



(Above) Component encryption transformation visualized using Program Encryption Toolkit (PET). PET can be used to teach a wide range of digital logic concepts as well as for advanced HW obfuscation experiments.



biomedical images (heart signals and brainwaves) used for Machine Learning

> (Above) Phase space graphs are created from time-series data like power readings, brainwaves, or network traffic. Graph difference is used to indicate state change like malware execution, organ failure, or disorder.

Biomedical Event Detection Using AI/ML

2012 Communication and Information Systems Security Symposium

"Evaluating Component Hiding Techniques in Circuit Technologies"

2019

Journal of Computational Neuroscience "Predicting State Transitions in Brain Dynamics Through Spectral Distance of Phase Space Graphs" :

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2018 Journal of Computer Security

"Identifying Stealth Malware Using CPU Power Consumption and Learning Algorithms"

Springer Communications in Computer and Information Science

"Evaluating Defensive Countermeasures for Software-Based Hardware Abstraction"



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