# TAPTI PALIT

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#### **EDUCATION**

• Postdoctoral Researcher (CRA Computing Innovation Fellow)

Oct 2021 - current

Department of Computer Science, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN

Advisor: Dr. Pedro Fonseca

PhD in Computer Science

Aug 2015 - Oct 2021

Stony Brook University, Stony Brook NY

Thesis: Selective Data Encryption: A Scalable Defense against Sensitive Data Leakage

Advisor: Dr. Michalis Polychronakis

• Masters in Computer Science

Aug 2013 - Aug 2015

Stony Brook University, Stony Brook NY

Thesis: Benchmarking Network-Intensive Applications

Advisor: Dr. Mike Ferdman

# **PUBLICATIONS**

- Dinglan Peng, Congyu Liu, **Tapti Palit**, Pedro Fonseca, Anjo Vahldiek-Oberwagner, Mona Vij. "μSWITCH: Fast Kernel Context Isolation with Implicit Context Switches" in the IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy (S&P), 2023.
- Seyedhamed Ghavamnia, **Tapti Palit**, and Michalis Polychronakis. "C2C: Fine-grained Configuration-driven System Call Filtering" in the Proceedings of the ACM SIGSAC Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS), 2022.
- Tapti Palit, Jarin Firose Moon, Fabian Monrose, and Michalis Polychronakis. "DynPTA: Combining Static and Dynamic Analysis for Practical Selective Data Protection" in the IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy (S&P), 2021.
- Tapti Palit, Fabian Monrose, and Michalis Polychronakis. "Mitigating Data-only Attacks by Protecting Memory-resident Sensitive Data." in ACM Digital Threats: Research and Practice (DTRAP), 2020. (Extended Version)
- Seyedhamed Ghavamnia, **Tapti Palit**, Shachee Mishra, and Michalis Polychronakis. "Temporal System Call Specialization for Attack Surface Reduction." in the 29th USENIX Security Symposium (USENIX Security), 2020.
- Seyedhamed Ghavamnia, **Tapti Palit**, Azzedine Benameur, and Michalis Polychronakis. "Confine: Automated System Call Policy Generation for Container Attack Surface Reduction." in the Proceedings of the International Conference on Research in Attacks, Intrusions, and Defenses (RAID), 2020.
- Tapti Palit, Fabian Monrose, and Michalis Polychronakis. "Mitigating Data Leakage by Protecting Memory-resident Sensitive Data." in Proceedings of the 35th Annual Computer Security Applications Conference (ACSAC), 2019.
- Shenghsun Cho, Amoghavarsha Suresh, **Tapti Palit**, Michael Ferdman, and Nima Honarmand. "Taming the Killer Microsecond." in the 51st Annual IEEE/ACM International Symposium on Microarchitecture (MICRO), 2018.
- Tapti Palit, Yongming Shen, and Michael Ferdman. "Demystifying Cloud Benchmarking." in the IEEE international symposium on performance analysis of systems and software (ISPASS), 2016.
- Varun Agrawal, Abhiroop Dabral, **Tapti Palit**, Yongming Shen, and Michael Ferdman. "Architectural Support for Dynamic Linking." in Proceedings of the Twentieth International Conference on Architectural Support for Programming Languages and Operating Systems (ASPLOS), 2015.

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Program Committee Member for ASPLOS 2024
- Program Committee Member for ISC 2023
- Program Committee Member for DIMVA 2023, 2022
- Reviewer for ACM Journal: Transactions on Privacy and Security (TOPS), 2020
- External reviewer for CCS 2020, DIMVA 2020

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

• Guest Lecturer (2 lectures)

• CS 408 (Software Testing), Purdue University

Spring 2023

• Teaching Assistant

• CSE 502 (Computer Architecture), Stony Brook University

Spring 2016

• CSE 391 (Cloud Computing), Stony Brook University

Fall 2015

• CSE 506 (Operating Systems), Stony Brook University

Fall 2015

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

• Research Assistant

Jan 2017 - Oct 2021

Stony Brook University

Supervisor: Dr. Michalis Polychronakis

• Research Engineer Intern

May 2018 - Aug 2018

Zeropoint Dynamics

Supervisor: Dr. Kevin Snow

# **AWARDS**

• CRA Computing Innovation Fellowship

Oct 2021

• IEEE S&P Student Travel Award

Apr 2018

• Stony Brook University CS Department Chair Fellowship

Aug 2015

## DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION WORK

• SBU CS Department Diversity Committee Member

Jan-Oct 2021

• Web Admin and E-board Member of Women in PhD graduate club

Feb 2017 - Oct 2021

• Instructor at SBU WISE's STEM mentorship program for female high school students

Aug 2018 - May 2020