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## **Research Area: Mobile Computing (Computer Science)**

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#### Education

#### Shanghai Jiao Tong University

Ph.D. Candidate, Department of Computer Science

### University of Electronic Science and Technology of China

Undergraduate, Department of Software Engineering

### Academic Achievements

- MagPrint: Deep Learning Based User Fingerprinting Using Electromagnetic Signals.1st author. IEEE Infocom 2020.
- Interacting with Electrical Appliances Using Sounds from Power Supply. 1st author. Submitted to MobiSys 2022. •
- Remote Attacks on Speech Recognition Systems Using Power Supply. 1<sup>st</sup> author. SECURITY 2022 2<sup>nd</sup> round review. •
- MagThief: Stealing Private App Usage Data on Mobile Devices via Built-in Magnetometer. 2<sup>nd</sup> author. SECON 2021.
- VibWriter: Handwriting Recognition System based on Vibration Signal. 2<sup>nd</sup> author. SECON 2021. •
- Poster: Appliance Fingerprinting Using Sound from Power Supply. 1th author. ACM UbiComp/ISWC 2020 Poster. •
- mORCode: Secure OR Code Using Nonlinearity of Spatial Frequency in Light. 2<sup>nd</sup> author. ACM MobiCom 2019.
- Hand-free Gesture Recognition for Vehicle Infotainment System Control.2<sup>nd</sup> author. IEEE VNC 2018.
- ScreenID: Enhancing QRCode Security by Fingerprinting Screens. 5th author. InfoCom 2021.

#### **Skills & Awards**

- Good knowledge of Signal Processing, Machine Learning, Nature Language Processing
- Skilled in Python, Tensorflow, Matlab, Spark, Nosql Database and data visualization; •
- Certificate of Participate in Outstanding Youth Paper Award. 2020/7
- Second Prize of National College Green Computing Competition. 2018/11
- Third Prize of IEEE VNC 2018 App Contest. 2018/11

#### **Main Research Projects**

## **Research on Non-local Convolutional Neural Networks**

- In many multi-channel (spatial-temporal) time series scenarios (e.g., multi-sensor physiological signals analysis), it's impossible to hold the non-local assumption for CNN. This project targets at proposing new CNN frameworks.
- Designed a local-connection mining scheme to extract the spatial-temporal relationship, a spatial-temporal reconstruction scheme to reconstruct the relationship, and a feature extraction scheme to use the relationship.
- Experimented on 9 datasets and achieved 8.7% improvements outperforms SOTA methods. Submitted to KDD 2022. ٠

## **Research on Remote Attack on Speech Recognition Systems**

- Targeting at attacking on existing SR systems remotely using sounds from nearby power supply.
- Led a team of 3 teammates. Experimented CPU modulation schemes to generate human-like sounds, analyzed the spectrograms, and employed reinforcement learning to learn CPU modulation parameters adaptively.
- Implemented on 10 commercial SR systems, achieved the attack 23 meters away.

## **Research on Stealthy Data Leakage in Air-gapped Computers**

- Targeting at stealing privacy data from air-gapped (e.g., unconnected to internet) computers. Led a team of 2 teammates. Experimented on how different CPU modulation factors affect the overall transmission
- speed. Designed an error correction scheme basing on different frequency bands.

#### Implemented on commercial mobile devices. Achieved a speed of 2,400 bps, outperformed SOTA by 20x. **Research on Appliance Interaction with Appliances Using Mobile Devices**

- 07/2020-05/2021 Targeting at interacting with home appliances using mobile devices (e.g., mobile phones, smart watches) without extra hardware or hardware modifications.
- Led a team of 4 teammates. Surveyed the principles of Switching-mode power supply (SMPS), and where the sounds were from. Implemented a system to interact with appliances with their SMPS.
- Experimented on 100 commercial appliances. Achieved an identification F1 score of 95%.

## Research on Continuous User Fingerprinting using Electromagnetic (EM) Signals

- Targeting at implementing continuous app/user fingerprint on mobile devices using EM signals.
- Collected EM signals with DIY magnetic sensors and surveyed how user operating habits can be affected on EM signals. Designed a scheme to preprocess human movement noises, a FCN-LSTM classifier to identify users.





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09/2013-06/2017

04/2020-Now

02/2019-03/2022

07/2021-02/2022

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