



Seminar on Privacy & Security A conference style seminar

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Seminar goals

Technical Knowledge

Scientific Process

Basic Skills (read, write, present)





#1 Correlation framework in DP #2 Topology of privacy

Supervisor: Patricia Guerra-Balboa

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Karlsruhe Institute of Technology

Privacy and Security Seminar WS 2022/23

Patricia Guerra-Balboa

October 24, 2022

Statistical Disclosure Control





Proposed topics



topics Semantic notions Syntactic notions Ra ¬a b ¬b c $\neg c$ E 1 • $\mathbf{2}$ • ٦C 3 4 • 56 7 Φ_R 8 Correlation framework in DP Topology of privacy





ε -Differential Privacy

A randomized algorithm *M* is said to be ε -differentially private if for all neighboring databases *D*, *D'* and all $S \subseteq Range(M)$,

$$\mathbb{P}\{M(D)\in \mathcal{S}\}\leq e^{\varepsilon}\,\mathbb{P}\{M(D')\in \mathcal{S}\}.$$





Privacy Loss (by observing r)

$$\mathcal{L}^{r}_{M(D)||M(D')} = \ln\left(\frac{\mathbb{P}(M(D) = r)}{\mathbb{P}(M(D') = r)}\right) \leq \varepsilon$$





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Privacy Loss (by observing r)

$$\mathcal{L}_{M(D)||M(D')}^{r} = \ln\left(\frac{\mathbb{P}(M(D) = r)}{\mathbb{P}(M(D') = r)}\right)^{\mathsf{FALSE}}$$









In mathematics:

topology = geometric properties





























#3 Inference Attacks on Machine Learning Models using Auxiliary Knowledge

Supervisor: Felix Morsbach

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Inference Attacks on Machine Learning Models using Auxiliary Knowledge (1/2)



- Training machine learning (ML) models can entail privacy risks as (information about) the training data can be inferred from a trained model
- Other privacy attacks often utilize auxiliary data. For example, the de-anonymization of the Netflix Prize dataset incorporated public IMDB profiles

However, the most prominent attacks on ML models don't incorporate such auxiliary knowledge into their attacks





Inference Attacks on Machine Learning Models using Auxiliary Knowledge (2/2)



Aims & Objectives

Survey the existing literature on inference attacks on ML models and analyze their (potential) use of auxiliary knowledge

Identify and discuss knowledge sources that (could) function as auxiliary knowledge. For example, this knowledge could either be related to the training data itself (e.g., data distributions) or be about the ML algorithm's configuration (e.g., hyperparameter values or a hyperparameter optimization history)

Possibly) propose promising avenues for (improving) inference attacks on ML models that utilize auxiliary knowledge





#4 A relation between syntactic and semantic privacy notions #5 Measuring similarity of trajectories using learning methods #6 How to adapt trajectory data into road networks

Supervisor: Alex Miranda Pascual

A relation between syntactic and semantic privacy notions Àlex Miranda-Pascual





Measuring similarity of trajectories using learning methods Àlex Miranda-Pascual





How to adapt trajectory data into road networks Àlex Miranda-Pascual









#7 Anonymous Key Exchange

Supervisor: Christoph Coijanovic + Marcel Tiepelt

Topic 7: Anonymous Key Exchange





- Encrypted communication needs key exchange
- But: Key exchange discloses link between communication partners

To achieve anonymous *communication*, key exchange also needs to be anonymous!

Topic 7: Anonymous Key Exchange



• There are anonymous key exchange protocols for many settings:

- Instant Messaging
- Smart Grids
- Vehicular Networks
- Quantum Networks
- **Missing**: Overview and systemization of all these approaches.

Your Task

Survey the existing approaches for anonymous key exchange. Analyze and categorize each approach based on its notion of anonymity, adversary model, provided functionality, etc.

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#8 A survey on brainwaves computer interface (BCI) **#9** Privacy-preserving biometric authentication(PPBA): third-party approach #10 Explainable machine learning for brainwaves

Supervisor: Matin Fallahi

Survey on Brainwaves Computer Interface(BCI)



- Applications of BCI
- Data acquisition protocols





Privacy-Preserving Biometric Authentication(PPBA)



- Third-party approach in PPBA
- How homomorphic encryption can be use in biometrics with high variability?





Explainable machine learning for brainwaves

- Explainable AI for EEG in general
- Explainable AI for EEG for recognition , in particular









#11 A survey on privacy of ubiquitous EMR receivers #12 A survey on video anonymization

Supervisor: Julian Todt

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Topic 11:Supervisor: Julian TodtA survey on privacy of ubiquitous EMR receivers



- EMR receivers are ubiquitous
- Privacy implications are known for some
 - Other receivers?
- Goal: Survey existing literature that analyses the privacy impact of EMR receivers



Anghelone, David, Cunjian Chen, Arun Ross, and Antitza Dantcheva. "Beyond the Visible: A Survey on Cross-Spectral Face Recognition."



Topic 12: Supervisor: Julian Todt A survey on video anonymization



- Significant research on anonymization for images
- More and more data are videos
 - Additional challenges?
- Goal: Survey anonymization methods for video





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#13 Modelling and Synthesizing Human Motion

Supervisor: Simon Hanisch

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Karlsruhe Institute of Technology Modelling and Synthesizing Human Motion

- How to generate new human motions?
- What approaches exist?
- What models of human physiology can be used?









#14 Survey on 5G Security and beyond

Supervisor: Kamyar Abedi

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Mobile Network Evolution



LTE Network Architect



LTE Security Architect









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About scientific conferences

- 1) Pick topic
- 2) Make a contribution
- 3) Write and submit a paper
- 4) Get reviews from peers
- 5) Revise paper (and get accepted)
- 6) Present contribution at conference



Our conference



1) Pick topic

Choose from our selection

2) Make a contribution

- Find and read literature to your topic (first references on our website)
- > Understand, compare, analyze! Be critical!
- 3) Write and submit a paper
 - > Think about structure, writing style
- 4) Get reviews from peers
 - > Review other students' work
- 5) Revise paper (and get accepted)
- 6) Present contribution at conference



Your Paper



- → English
- → No template
- No required number of pages (typically something between 6-10 pages)

Possible contributions:

systematization and comparison of existing results discover flaws in existing works suggest and argue ideas for new solutions or research directions and more...



Submitting and Reviewing

- Web-based conference management system (EasyChair)
- → Register: 2 roles (you can switch between)
 - Author
 - Program Commitee Member (after you accept our invitation)
- Submit (author role)

Via EasyChair (will be shared in time)

- Review (PC member role)
 - Access to papers via EasyChair
 - Submitting reviews via EasyChair ("Reviews" → "My papers" → "Add review")





Giving and Receiving Feedback



Explicit: What's done above average what's done below average

Common goal: improve each work as much as possible and learn the most



Presentations



- English with slides
- → 20 or 30 minutes of presentation (depends on the number of participants)
- → 10 or 15 minutes of discussion (depends on the number of participants)
- Participate actively in the discussion of other topics



Timeplan



Date	Milestone	
October 25	Topic presentation	
November 1	Topic preferences due	
November 4	Topic assignment (contact your mentor!)	
November 8	Basic Skills	
January 22	Paper submission deadline	
January 29	Reviews deadline	
February 5	Revised paper deadline	
TBD (~February 13)	ary 13) Presentation at our conference	







Includes performance on every part of the seminar:

Written paper + reviews + way of working with supervisor etc.: X Presentation + participation in discussion etc.: Y

Final grade: 2/3 X + 1/3 Y





Getting Information

- Organization:
 - These slides
 - Email
 - Course website: https://ps.tm.kit.edu/139_602.php
 - Course coordinator: christiane.kuhn@kit.edu, patricia.balboa@kit.edu
- Topic:
 - Overview follows
 - Specific: your supervisor https://ps.tm.kit.edu/members.php, https://crypto.iti.kit.edu/staff.php



Topic Overview



		Торіс	Supervisor
	1	Correlation framework in DP	Patricia Guerra-Balboa
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Topic Preferences



- Name:
- > Email: (We'll invite you to join the program committee via this email)
- Preferred topics to work on: (let us know if your preferred topics to review differ)
 - ≻ 1: #V
 - ≻ 2: #W
 - ≻ 3: #X
 - ≻ 4: #Y
 - ≻ 5: #Z

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In two(!) weeks

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