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## EDUCATION

| LOCATION   |   |
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| Northeastern University<br>PhD in Cybersecurity  | Sep. 2017 – Mar. 2023<br>Boston, MA               |
| <b>Istanbul Sehir University</b><br>MSc in Cybersecurity Engineering   | Oct. 2014 – Jun. 2016<br>Istanbul, Turkey         |
| Middle East Technical University<br>BSc in Computer Engineering  | Sep. 2008 – Jun. 2013<br>Ankara, Turkey           |
| Professional Experience  |   |
| Computational Postdoctoral Fellow<br>Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory, Quantitative Biology<br>• Research interests: Biomimetic Security  | Apr. 2023 – present<br>Cold Spring Harbor, NY     |
| Research Assistant Northeastern University, College of Computer Sciences  • Research interests: Web Security, Network Security   | Sep. 2017 – Apr. 2023<br>Boston, MA               |
| <ul> <li>Research Intern</li> <li>Google, Envoy Platform Team</li> <li>Built a coverage-guided differential fuzzing framework for the security testing of HTTP servers in Google Cloud Platform</li> </ul>   | May 2022 – Sep 2022<br>Cambridge, MA              |
| <ul> <li>Security Engineer Intern</li> <li>Facebook, Online Safety Team</li> <li>Expanded a tool which was used only for terrorism investigations, to be also used for child abuse and human trafficking investigations</li> </ul>   | Jun. 2019 – Aug. 2019<br>Menlo Park, CA           |
| <ul> <li>Penetration Tester</li> <li>Biznet (cybersecurity company)</li> <li>Reported security vulnerabilities in web applications and internal networks of the custo</li> <li>Developed various tools for the automation of security-related tasks</li> <li>Designed and delivered a training program for future penetration testers</li> </ul> | Dec. 2014 – July 2017<br>Istanbul, Turkey<br>mers |
| <ul> <li>Web Developer</li> <li>Sekizbit (software company)</li> <li>Contributed to the development of a patient portal application for dental practices</li> </ul>  | Oct. 2014 – Dec. 2014<br>Istanbul, Turkey         |
| TEACHING EXPERIENCE  |   |
| <ul> <li>Teaching Assistant</li> <li>Northeastern University <ul> <li>TAed for a graduate level course called Software Vulnerabilities and Security</li> <li>Developed hands-on final exam and quizzes, also helped in grading</li> <li>Mentored students in their class projects</li> </ul> </li> </ul>   | Sep. 2020 – Dec. 2021<br>Boston, MA               |
| Guest Lecturer<br>Northeastern University<br>• Gave a lecture to graduate students about some of the web vulnerabilities and attacks   | Oct. 2021<br>Boston, MA                           |
| <ul> <li>Teaching Assistant</li> <li>Northeastern University</li> <li>TAed for a graduate level course called Software Vulnerabilities and Security</li> <li>Had office hours with students to answer their questions about assignments</li> </ul>   | Sep. 2019 – Dec. 2019<br>Boston, MA               |
| Security Trainer   | 2017  |
| <ul><li>Biznet (cybersecurity company)</li><li>Developed and taught training material about web and network security</li></ul>   | Istanbul, Turkey                                  |
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### MENTORING EXPERIENCE

#### Cem Topcuoglu

PhD student in Cybersecurity, Northeastern University

Anthony Gavazzi PhD student in Computer Science, Northeastern University

### Seyed Ali Akhavani

PhD student in Computer Science, Northeastern University

### **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

**Program Committee Member** ACM CCS 2023, Web Security Track

### **Hiring Committee Member**

Khoury College of Computer Sciences, Northeastern University

### **CONFERENCE PUBLICATIONS**

- Bahruz Jabiyev, Steven Sprecher, Anthony Gavazzi, Tommaso Innocenti, Kaan Onarlioglu, Engin Kirda, FRAMESHIFTER: Security Implications of HTTP/2-to-HTTP/1 Conversion Anomalies, 31st USENIX Security Symposium (Security 2022), Boston, MA, August 2022
- Bahruz Jabiyev, Steven Sprecher, Kaan Onarlioglu, Engin Kirda, T-Reqs: HTTP Request Smuggling with Differential Fuzzing, ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security (CCS 2021), Virtual, November 2021
- Bahruz Jabiyev, Jeremiah Onaolapo, Gianluca Stringhini, Engin Kirda, Game of FAME: Automatic Detection of FAke MEmes, Conference for Truth and Trust Online (TTO 2021), Virtual, October 2021
- Bahruz Jabiyev, Sinan Pehlivanoglu, Kaan Onarlioglu, Engin Kirda, FADE: Detecting Fake News Articles on the Web, 16th International Conference on Availability, Reliability and Security (ARES 2021), Virtual, August 2021
- Bahruz Jabiyev, Omid Mirzaei, Amin Kharraz, Engin Kirda, Preventing Server-Side Request Forgery Attacks, 36th ACM Symposium on Applied Computing (ACM SAC 2021), Virtual, May 2021

### OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- Saman Jafari, Tien Vo-Huu, Bahruz Jabiyev, Alejandro Mera, Reza Mirzazade Farkhani, Cryptocurrency: A challenge to legal system, Available at SSRN, May 2018
- Bahruz Jabiyev, Generating Application Layer IDS Rules from Cyber Threat Intelligence, Master's Thesis, June 2016

### **SELECTED ACHIEVEMENTS & AWARDS**

| <b>NDSS Student Travel Grant</b><br>One of 17 that was awarded from over 80 applications to attend the NDSS conference   | 2023 |
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| <b>PortSwigger Nomination for Top 10 Web Hacking Technique</b><br>Frameshifter paper's technique was nominated as one of top 10 web hacking techniques of 2022 | 2022 |
| <b>NYU CSAW North America Applied Research Competition</b><br>T-Reqs paper was invited to compete as one of 83 top-quality research papers in cybersecurity    | 2022 |
| <b>PortSwigger Nomination for Top 10 Web Hacking Technique</b><br>T-Reqs paper's technique was nominated as one of top 10 web hacking techniques of 2021       | 2021 |
| <b>4th Place in Hacking Competition</b><br>An individual hacking competition for students from Boston Area colleges  | 2019 |
| <b>OSCP (Offensive Security Certified Professional)</b><br>24 hours long hands-on exam with the goal to compromise at least three out of five systems          | 2017 |

Mar. 2022 – present

Apr. 2022 - present

May. 2022 - present

May 2023 – present

Dec. 2021 – Apr. 2022