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- Welcome and Introduction
- CIO & Industry Perspective
- NSF Program Director Update
- Cybersecurity Research Panel: Network Security
- Cybersecurity Research Panel: Internet of Things
- Cybersecurity Research Panel: Identity & Access Management
- Cybersecurity Research Panel: Multidisciplinary Cybersecurity



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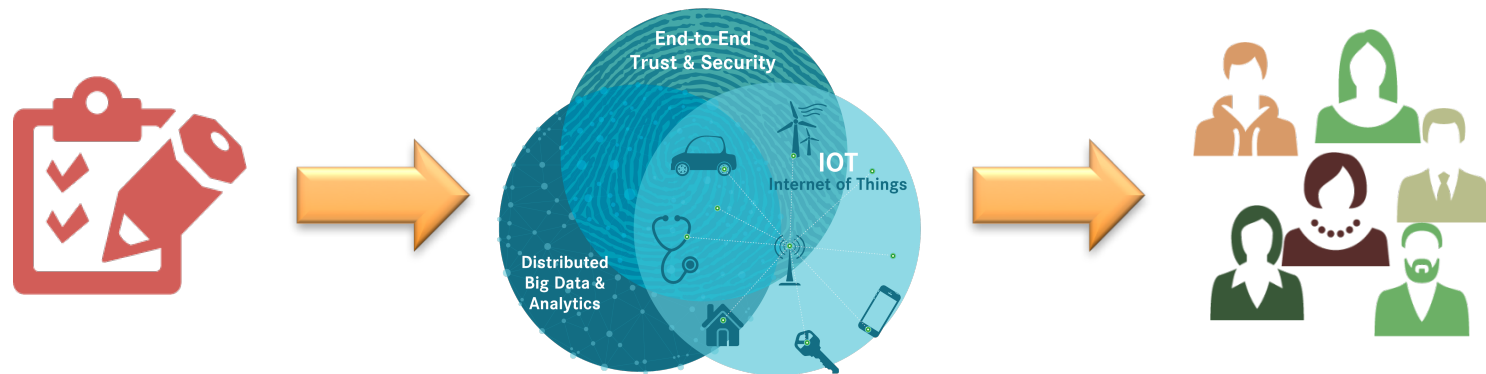


# Welcome and Introduction



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Internet2 Collaborative Innovation Community was created in 2015 based on a member survey of 8,800 individuals identifying their top areas of interest for **open, inclusive, collaborative innovation**.



- Three Innovation Working Groups launched at Global Summit in May 2015
- Now, 400+ Collaborative Innovation Community (CINC UP) participants, representing 170+ institutions (as of October 2017)

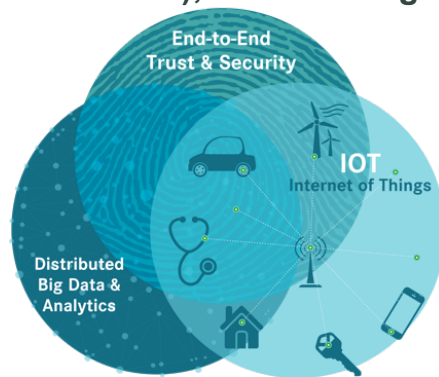
## Internet2 CINC UP combines three member-led innovation working groups, focused on areas brought forward by members, related to our top two priorities of advanced networking plus trust & identity.

### E2E Trust & Security (E2ET&S)

- TIPSS for IoT – Trust, Identity, Privacy, Protection, Safety, Security
- **NSF EAGER Cybersecurity Transition to Practice Acceleration**
- SDP (Software Defined Perimeter), Network Segmentation for IoT

### Distributed Big Data & Analytics (DBDA)

- **NSF Big Data Hub Collaboration**
- Smart Campuses and Cities
- Health & Life Sciences / Genomics



### Internet of Things (IoT)

- IoT Sandbox
- Smart Campuses and Cities
- Smart Grid Testbed

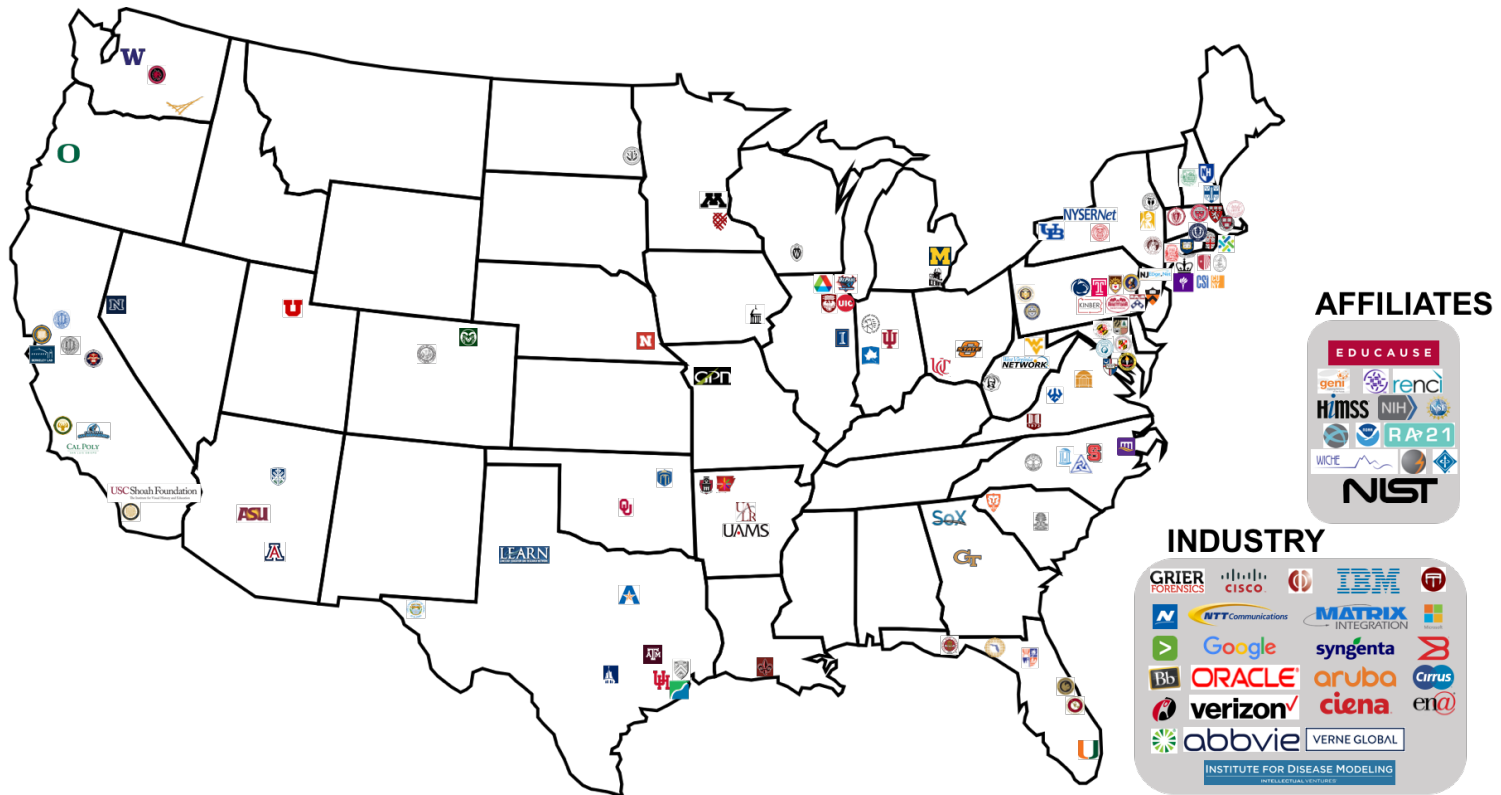
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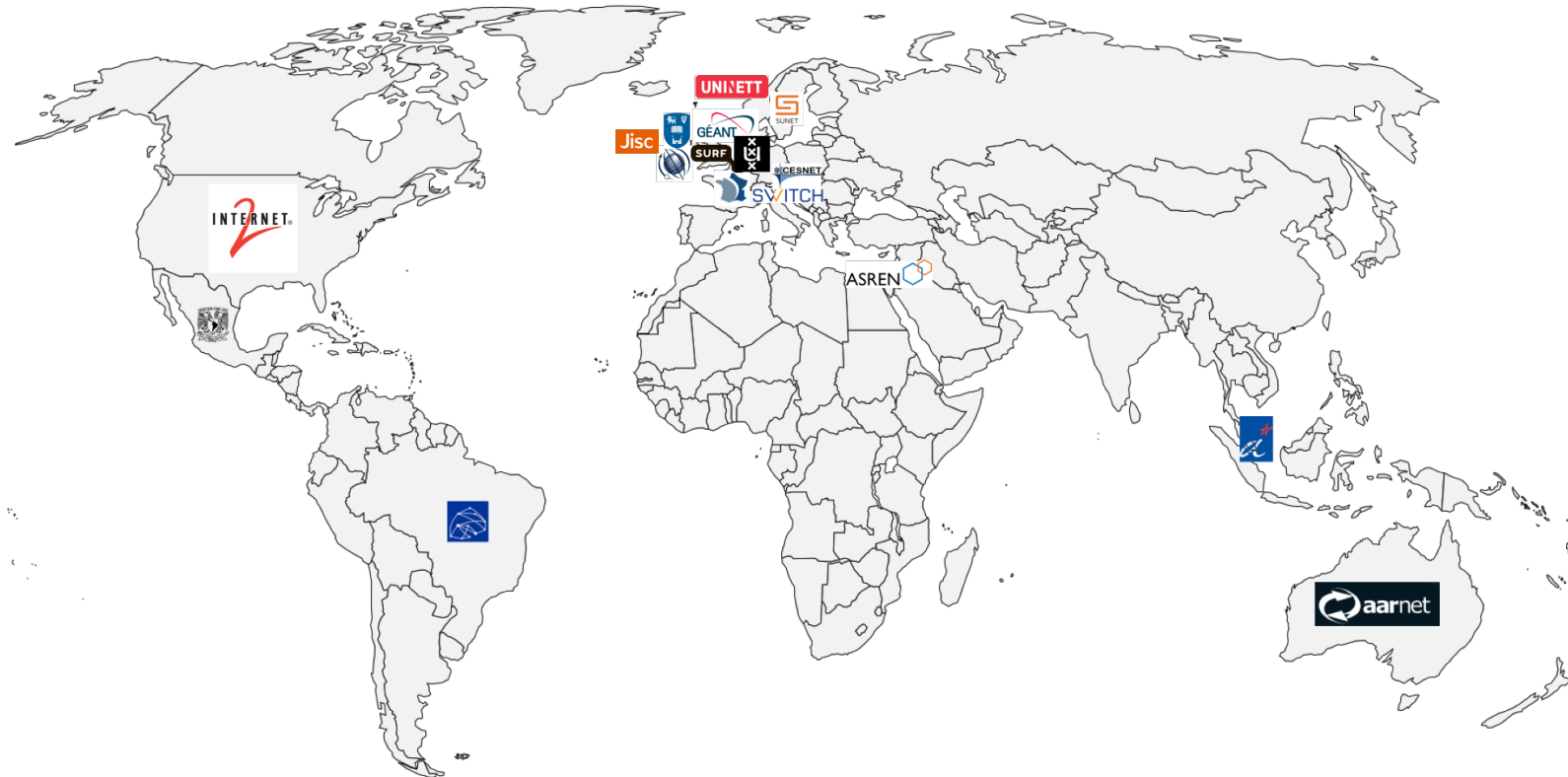
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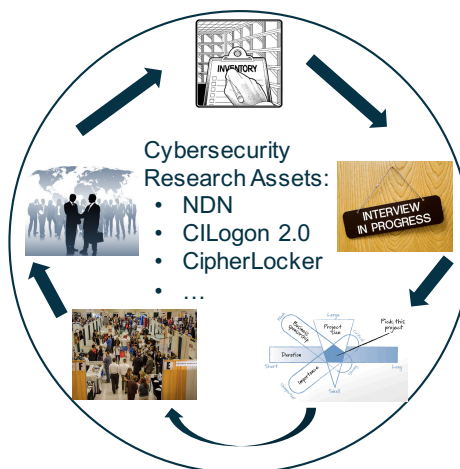
# NSF EARly-concept Grant for Exploratory Research (EAGER): Cybersecurity Transition To Practice (TTP) Acceleration

## Challenge

- **Accelerate Transition To Practice (TTP)** of NSF-funded later-stage cybersecurity research into **Research & Education environments**

## Solution

- Identify & assess NSF cybersecurity research **inventory**
- **Interview** researchers & practitioners for cybersecurity TTP needs, gaps and best practices
- **Leverage Internet2 community** to enable “matchmaking”
- Deploy webinars, portal, in-person **events for researcher/IT matchmaking**
  - San Francisco, Oct 18, 12:30-5:30pm



**Award Number:** 1650445  
**Internet2**  
**August 2016 – August 2018**  
 PI: Florence Hudson, SVP/Chief Innovation Officer  
 Team: Emily Nichols, Giselle Trent, Bruce Maas

## Scientific Impact

- **Increase awareness** of cybersecurity research & capabilities
- **Accelerate cybersecurity TTP** to make cyberspace safer
- **Identify cybersecurity needs** to inform future research

## Broader Impact

- Enable **partnership for NSF TTP with other Federal agency programs** to accelerate & streamline TTP pipeline
- **Enable more diverse R&E pipeline** partnering with Society of Women Engineers and others
- We need you in cybersecurity



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## SME Interview insights regarding TTP acceleration informed the EAGER project plan

### Cybersecurity Researchers

- Key needs for TTP identified: Funding from NSF and others, **early user feedback**
- **User feedback from pilot deployments** critical to accelerate TTP
- Opportunity for acceleration of the TTP process at multiple steps
- Researchers like opportunity to leverage NSF TTP, DHS TTP, I-CORPS **multiple agency support**
- TTP not a priority for some researchers – looking to solve complex problems, not start a business

### Practitioners for Pilot Deployments

- Practitioners **need to know operational requirements** for pilot use of TTP assets
- All size universities and regional networks interested in potential to test out / pilot cyber research early
- Smaller universities requested to participate in TTP as they have simpler approval processes
- Some universities unwilling to deploy unproven, non-production tested cybersecurity code

### Agencies

- Interested in **cross-agency collaboration** opportunities, e.g., for NSF and DHS, to accelerate cyber TTP



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## Survey Tools to Collect Feedback

**Workshop Overall:**

<http://bit.ly/ttptechexws>

**Researcher Assets:**

<http://bit.ly/ttptechexresearch>



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# NSF Program Director Update



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# CIO & Industry Perspective



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## Panelists

*Moderator: Bruce Maas, Innovation Fellow, Internet2*

Larry Conrad, Associate Vice Chancellor for Information Technology and Chief Information Officer, University of California-Berkeley

Meredith Lee, Executive Director, West Big Data Innovation Hub, University of California-Berkeley

Michael Shepherd, Business Development Manager, Cisco Systems

Ruth Marinshaw, Chief Technology Officer – Research Computing, Stanford University

Bruce Taggart, Vice Provost for Library & Technology Services, Lehigh University



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## Panel Questions

- **Ruth Marishaw**, you bring the perspective of someone who is already working with faculty researchers in a significant way. And Stanford is already well known for working closely with the private sector. Where do you see opportunities at Stanford related to the TTP goals, and do you have a perspective to share on what kind of approach has worked there in the past?
- **Larry Conrad**, your job is to make sure that every service delivered by Berkeley IT works well all the time. In addition to that primary mission, you are also expected to respond to the needs and interests of a wide diversity of faculty and researchers. How do you envision how your organization could partner with faculty interested in TTP? Can you do this and still fulfill the mission or reliable, dependable services?
- **Meredith Lee**, What are you seeing in the Big Data Hub projects regarding cybersecurity challenges and opportunities? Where do you see some opportunities for researchers to utilize your own campus to advance their research?
- **Bruce Taggart**, you bring the unique experience of someone who is responsible for both library and IT at a research university. Plus, you are already engaged with researchers on your campus. Please discuss how you are collaborating on developing your "Campus as a Living Lab" concept (OSiSoft Data monitoring projects (energy), Cyber data (Scans, Attacks, Advanced Persistent Threats, et al). What has happened at Lehigh to enable this?
- **Mike Shepherd**, I view you as one of or the main points of contact with Internet2 and higher education. Can you elaborate on some of the opportunities Cisco sees coming from the TTP program? How can faculty conducting research that is of potential interest to Cisco navigate with you?



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## Panel Questions

- Cybersecurity stakes continue to ratchet up. Recall that the CISOs and CIOs at both EquiFax and at Target were immediate casualties of their very public compromises followed shortly by the CEOs. How do we defend use of promising, but unproven information security technologies in the name of supporting research? What if a particular promising solution doesn't pan out?
- Higher education is steadily moving forward with closer collaboration with the private sector in both research, and workforce development. We have representatives of industry and higher education on this panel. What is the ideal relationship for you, and let's start with our industry panelist Mike.



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## Sample MOU

- UW Madison Cybersecurity Operations Center, Memorandum of Understanding for Faculty Research
- The University of Wisconsin Madison CIO Office **encourages collaboration between technology researchers and operations staff**. UW-Madison has one of the most complex learning and research laboratories in the form of its campus network and WAN. We **encourage researchers to share their research** with us in the hope that we can **help them to test out, deploy, and fine tune their intellectual property**. We view this as a win-win scenario.
- In order to ensure the highest level of communication between parties who do have different needs and experiences, it **is important to write down some of the basic understandings that each party has**. We refer to this as a Memorandum of Understanding. We are in the **process of developing a boilerplate MOU** to address some of the most important aspects, and are sharing this with other institutions to create a document which can be of value to other institutions as well.



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## Sample MOU

1. As part of the Office of Cybersecurity, the Cybersecurity Operations Center (CSOC) has been established to protect the University from cyber-attacks of all forms. As such, it is first and foremost an operations center with a primary mission to protect the university.
2. University *researchers need environments in which to experiment and innovate*. To the extent that their research can be conducted on the university network *without compromising operations*, it will be considered.
3. The *workload and mission needs of the CSOC will take priority* over the timeline and project needs of the researcher. However, every effort will be made to *balance expectations so that both needs can be addressed*. We understand that faculty research normally has a timeline, and at times intermediate deadlines, that can create a sense of urgency. *Discussing key deadlines and expectations up front will minimize disappointment and cross communication*.
4. For research projects that require *risk assessment and certifications* (e.g., systems under Federal research programs), *early contact with the Office of Cybersecurity is required* to ensure required documentation and testing is complete prior to the project beginning work.
5. If an *NDA* is required, this will be *discussed up front before any research begins*.
6. Staff and student staff will function effectively as extended members of the researcher's team. For that reason, it will be *important for the researcher and the CISO to build a sense of community* together. *This is a partnership*.
7. Within calendar year 2018 the CSOC and Office of Cybersecurity will begin to host a vendor provided service which may be used by researchers in the field of firewalls, intrusion detection and intrusion prevention for research projects.



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# Cybersecurity Research Panel: Network Security



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- **Cybersecurity Research Panel: Network Security**
  - Alberto Dainotti, University of California-San Diego
  - Dijiang Huang, Arizona State University
  - Johanna Amann, University of California-Berkeley
  - Clifford Neuman, University of California-Berkeley
  - Christos Papadopoulos, Colorado State University
  - Jun Li, University of Oregon
  - Jelena Mirkovic, University of Southern California
- **Cybersecurity Research Panel: Internet of Things**
  - Blaine Reeder, University of Colorado at Denver
- **Cybersecurity Research Panel: Identity & Access Management**
  - Kent Seamons, Brigham & Young University
  - Stanislaw Jarecki, University of California-Irvine
- **Cybersecurity Research Panel: Multidisciplinary Cybersecurity**
  - Shamik Sengupta, University of Nevada



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# Cybersecurity Research Panel: Network Security



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# Detecting and Characterizing Internet Traffic Interception Based on BGP Hijacking

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# *Detecting Internet Traffic Interception based on Route Hijacking*

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Jae Hyun Park, Danilo Cicaese, Alistair King**



## **ARTEMIS: Neutralizing BGP Hijacking within a Minute**

### Challenge:

Timely detect and neutralize  
BGP hijacking attacks  
(including sophisticated  
attacks)

### Solution:

- Live BGP monitoring based on public infrastructure and CAIDA's *BGPStream*
- Leverage local knowledge of the network to protect
- Accurate detection rules and heuristics
- Approaches to rapidly mitigate attacks



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Detecting and Characterizing Internet  
Traffic Interception based on BGP Hijacking

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Team:

- Pavlos Sermpezis, Vasileios Kotronis, Petros Gigis, Xenofontas Dimitropoulos – *FORTH / University of Crete*
- Danilo Cicalese – *Télécom ParisTech & University Pierre and Marie Curie*
- Alistair King, Jae Hyun Park – *CAIDA, UC San Diego*

### Value proposition:

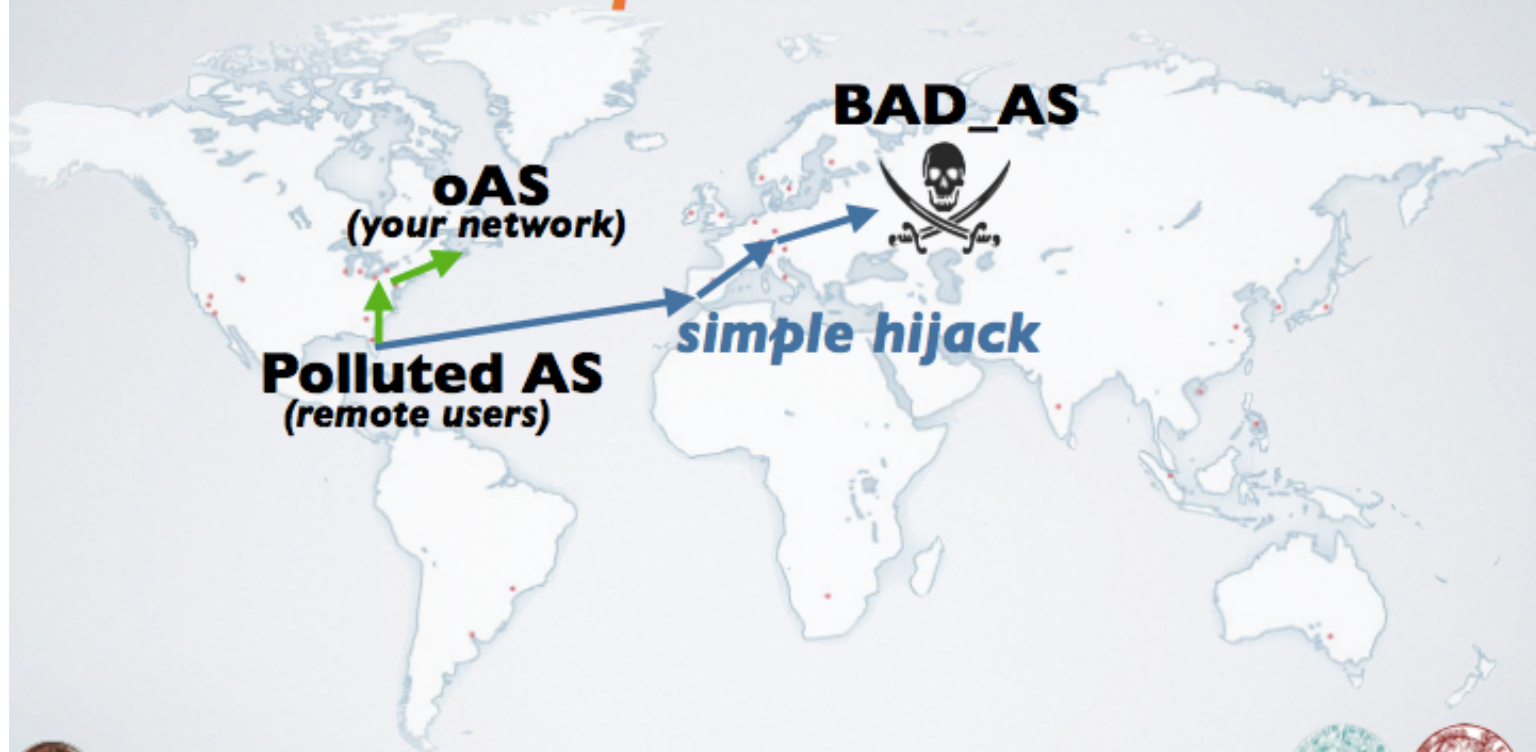
- Protect your network from hijacking and *man-in-the-middle* attacks
- No outsourcing for detection! Autonomously detect events, without sharing private info
- Flexible configuration adapts to your network needs

### What we need to TTP

- Setup *ARTEMIS* in your network (assisted pilot program)

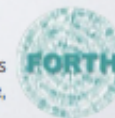
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*a threat to your organization and to critical infrastructure*



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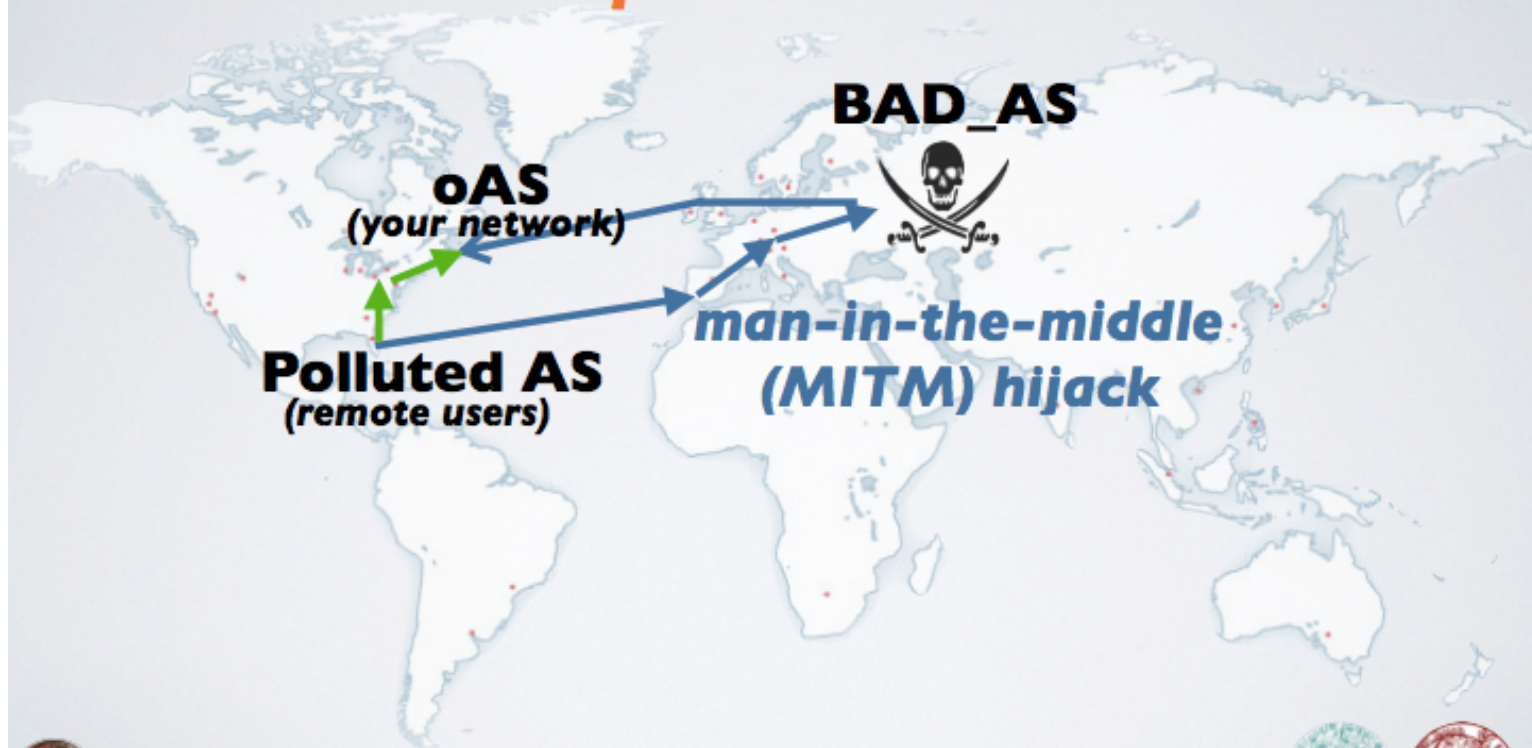
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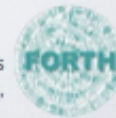
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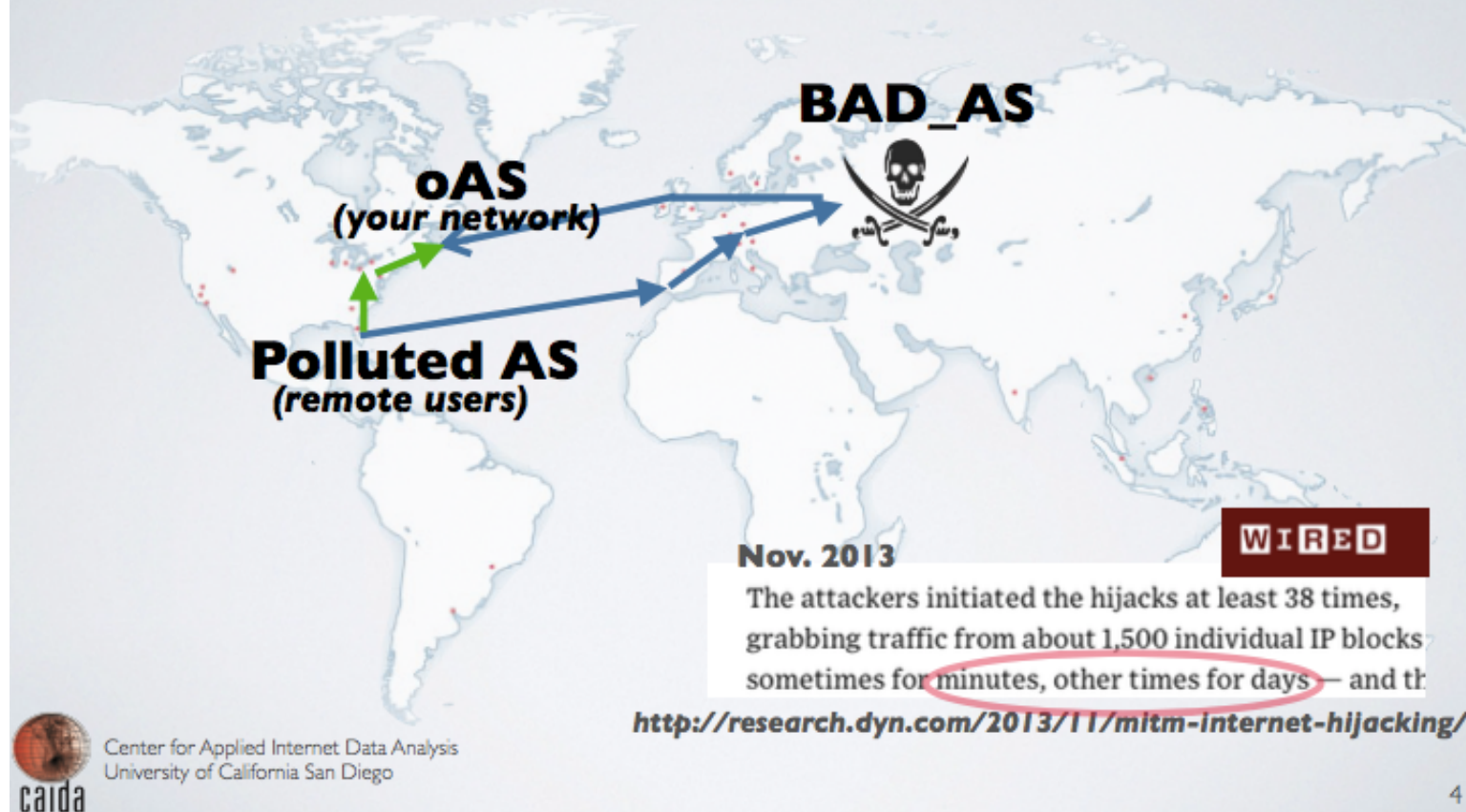
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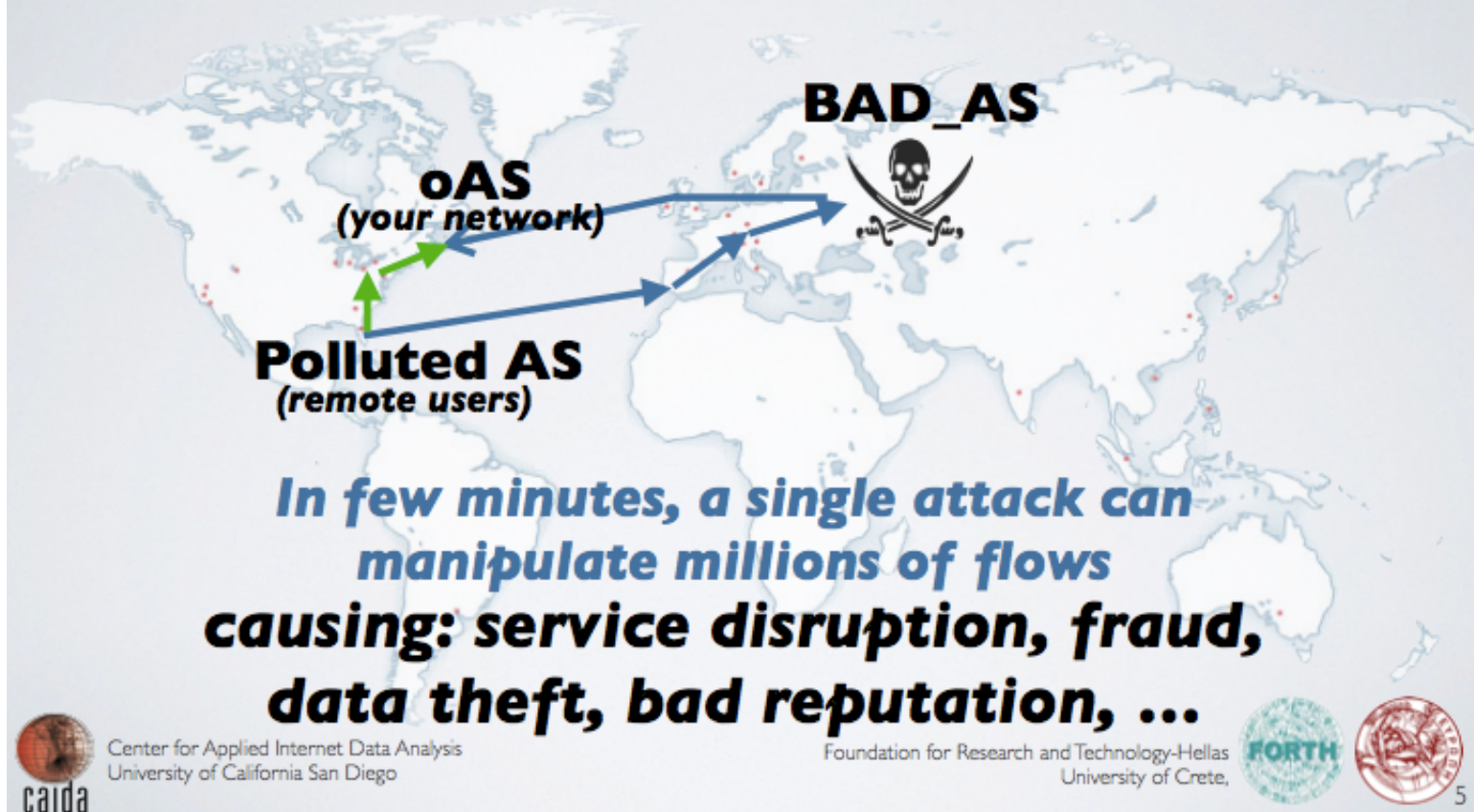
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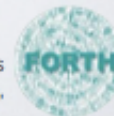
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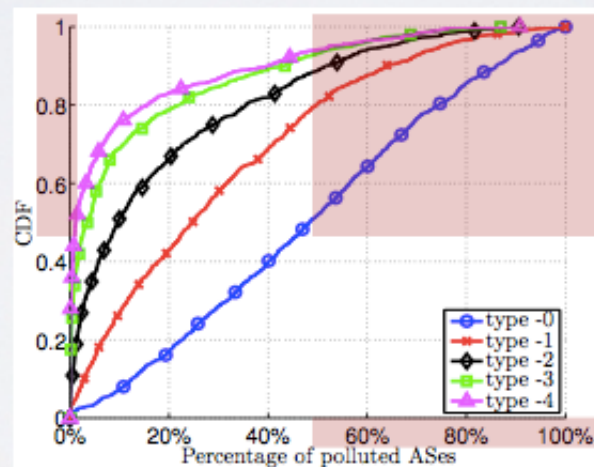
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- **Type 1** hijack:  $\langle \text{prefix: } oAS, \mathbf{BAD\_AS}, \dots \rangle$

- **Type 2** hijack:  $\langle \text{prefix: } oAS, AS1, \mathbf{BAD\_AS}, \dots \rangle$

- ...



*lots of attention*



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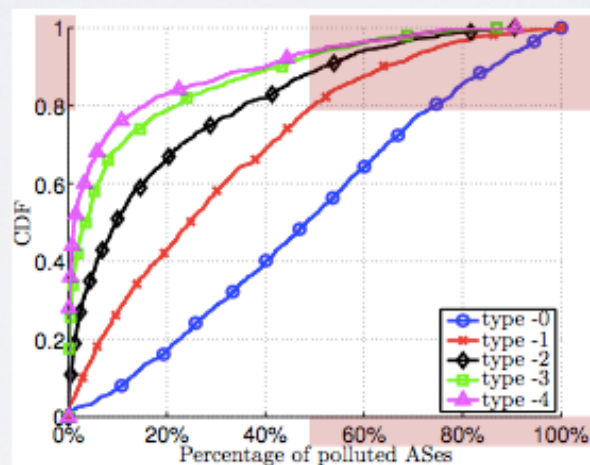
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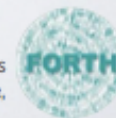


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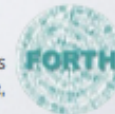
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# STATE OF THE ART

## **False Positives + False Negatives**

- **Third-party Detection Services**

- False Positives
  - unless you promptly communicate changes to your network configuration
  - Privacy?
- False Negatives
  - Most services focus on *Type-0* attacks
  - Hard to detect more sophisticated attacks (*Type-1, Type-2, ...*)
- Mitigation?
  - No integration with mitigation solutions
  - *Btw, would you mitigate if uncertain? how later?*





NEED

**EARLY & ACCURATE DETECTION**

+

**FAST MITIGATION**



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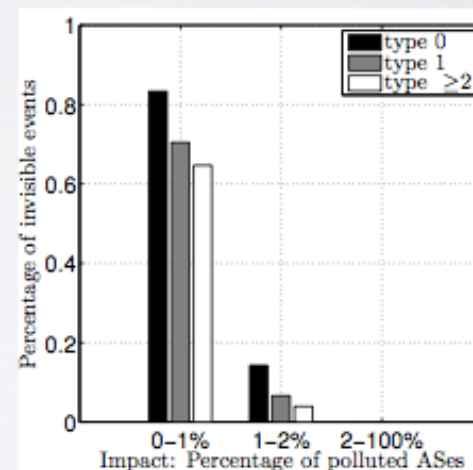
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# OUR APPROACH

## ARTEMIS (1/3)

- **Realtime BGP Monitoring** using public infrastructure
  - ~200 vantage points worldwide (BGP routers)
    - source: RouteViews, RIPE RIS, Colorado State Univ. BGPMon
    - processing: CAIDA's BGPStream
- **Provides visibility of all impactful events**
- **Detect events in few seconds!**  
(tested with experiments on the real Internet)



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# OUR APPROACH

## ARTEMIS (2/3)

- **Detection without outsourcing**
  - Run locally: leverages knowledge of your network configuration
  - Accurate:
    - Detects *all* types of attacks!
    - No *false negatives* for all visible attacks
    - No *false positives* for most types of attacks;
      - demonstrated extremely low rate otherwise
  - No sharing of private data
  - Transparency: open source code

### ARTEMIS: Neutralizing BGP Hijacking within a Minute

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#### ABSTRACT

BGP prefix hijacking is a threat to Internet operators and users. Several mechanisms or modifications to BGP that protect the Internet against it have been proposed. However, the reality is that most operators have not deployed them and are reluctant to do so in the near future. Instead, they rely on basic - and usually inefficient - proactive defenses to reduce the impact of hijacking events, or on inaccurate detection based on third party services and reactive approaches that might take up to several hours. In this paper, based on the

against hijacking reactively consists of two steps: detection and mitigation. Detection is mainly provided by third-party services [12] that notify networks about suspicious events involving their prefixes. The affected networks then proceed to mitigate the event (e.g., by announcing more specific prefixes, or contacting other ASes to filter announcements).

However, this widely followed approach typically involves significant delay until the mitigation of a hijacking event, reaching several hours or even days. Third-party detection might not be accurate, and thus alerts for a suspicious event



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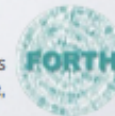
## ARTEMIS (3/3)

### • Mitigation

- Automated + flexible (it can be configured on a per-prefix basis)
- Both autonomous or outsourced
  - Prefix de-aggregation
  - Announcement and tunneling from other ASes
  - Contact offending AS and its neighbors

**Table 3: Mean percentage of polluted ASes, when outsourcing BGP announcements to organizations providing DDoS protection services.**

	without outsourcing	top ISPs	AK	CF	VE	IN	NE
Type0	50.0%	12.4%	2.4%	4.8%	5.0%	7.3%	11.0%
Type1	28.6%	8.2%	0.3%	0.8%	0.9%	2.3%	3.3%
Type2	16.9%	6.2%	0.2%	0.4%	0.4%	1.3%	1.1%
Type3	11.6%	4.5%	0.1%	0.4%	0.3%	1.1%	0.5%





# ARTEMIS CONFIGURATION

## *sample*

### • **Configuration file**

- configure manually
- extract from routers / route reflector
- pre-populate from RADB?
- ...

```
// Artemis configuration for our main prefixes
```

```
prefixes: 123.123.0.0/16, 111.111.111.0/24
```

```
origin_asns: 4131, 4132
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neighbors: 4000, 3112, 2670, 45, 2800, 7462, 4123
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mitigation: deaggregate
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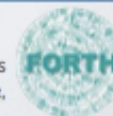
```
// Artemis configuration for prefixes we use only at site #2
```

```
prefixes: 123.124.125.0/24, 222.222.222.0/24
```

```
origin_asns: 4131
```

```
neighbors: 2800, 7462, 4123
```

```
mitigation: deaggregate, outsource
```



# PILOT DEPLOYMENT

*try ARTEMIS*

- **Pilot** deployment of detection component
  - *all you need is a box with Python*
- Feedback
- Read our paper draft
- Contribute to the development of scripts etc.



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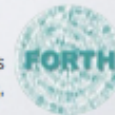
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# ONE LAST SLIDE

- We are also developing a centralized service (**an Internet observatory for BGP hijacks and anomalies**) which does not need deployment in your network
- Soon you'll be able to subscribe to receive notifications and inspect events on a dashboard
- If you upload your ARTEMIS configuration file it is going to be more accurate and may provide more information about the incident



# SRN: On Establishing Secure and Resilient Networking Services

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Arizona State University



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[cynetllc.com](http://cynetllc.com)

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*"All War is based on Deception"*

*- Sun Tzu, Art of War*

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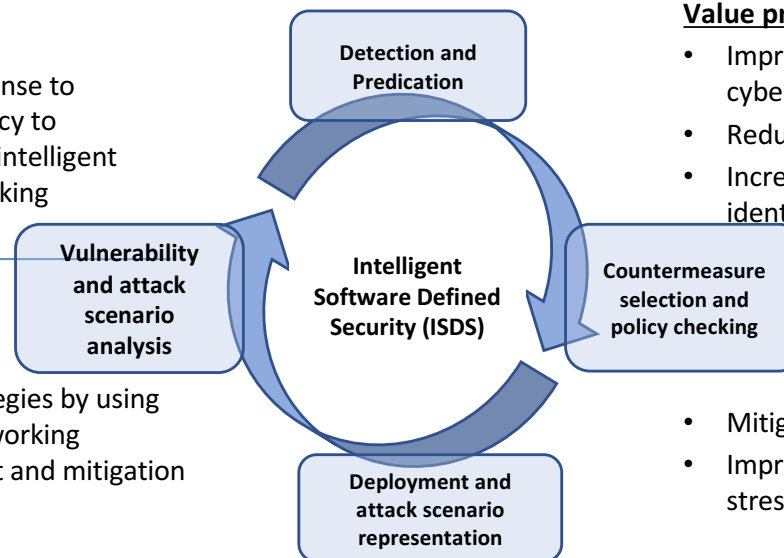
## Quad Chart for: SRN: On Establishing Secure and Resilient Networking Services

### **Challenge:**

Using moving target defense to improve network resiliency to cyberattacks through an intelligent software-defined networking approach.

### **Solution:**

- Design intelligent security defense strategies by using software defined networking approaches to prevent and mitigation attacks effectively.
- Devise an attack prediction model based on security situation monitoring and intrusion detection.
- A comprehensive countermeasure selection and deployment model to improve security resiliency and reduce intrusiveness to good users.



### **Value proposition:**

- Improve the agility and resiliency to cyberattacks.
- Reduce human-in-the-loop pitfalls
- Increase attackers' cost (effort and identifiability)

- Mitigate attack consequence/impact
- Improve the service continuity under stress/attacks

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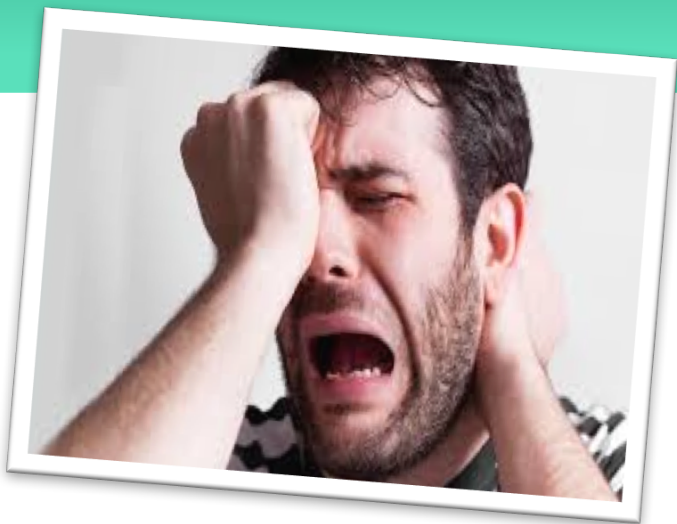
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### **What we need to TTP**

- Produce Minimum Viable Product (MVP) for pilot projects or trials
- Seek investments or licensing
- Establish a spin-off company





# Security is a Reactive Problem

IRS 2015  
724,000 users  
affected.

Anthem  
2015  
Loss: \$100M

Equifax 2017  
145.5M  
Customers

# PROBLEM



# SINGLE TARGET

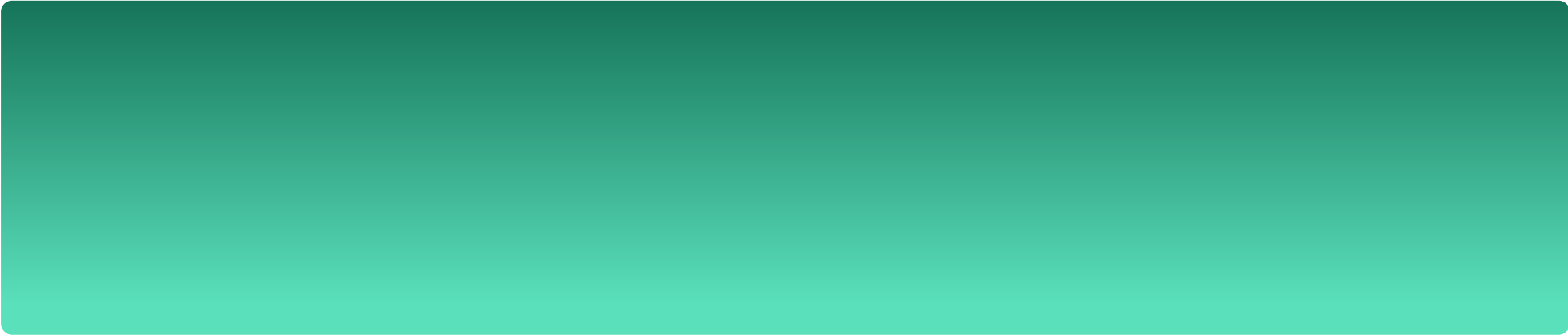


# Unintelligent Security?

- Not easy to make changes **automatically** and **quickly** to adjust security defense system based on current security situations

- little programmability,
- defense goals are predefined,
- human-in-the loop,
- lack of learning, planning, and execution capabilities.





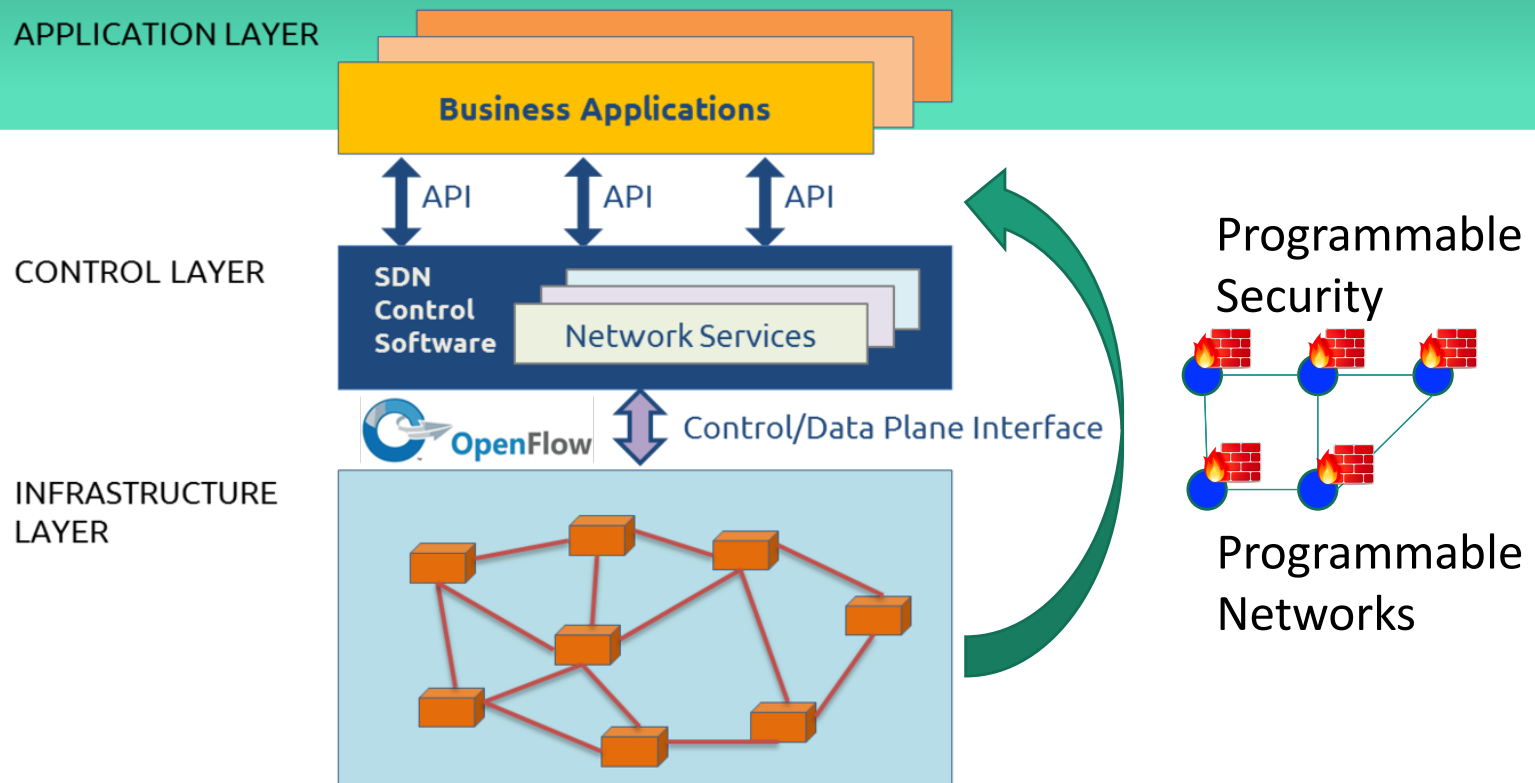
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Deception”*

- Sun Tzu, *Art of War*

# MOVING TARGET DEFENSE



# Software Defined Networking and Security

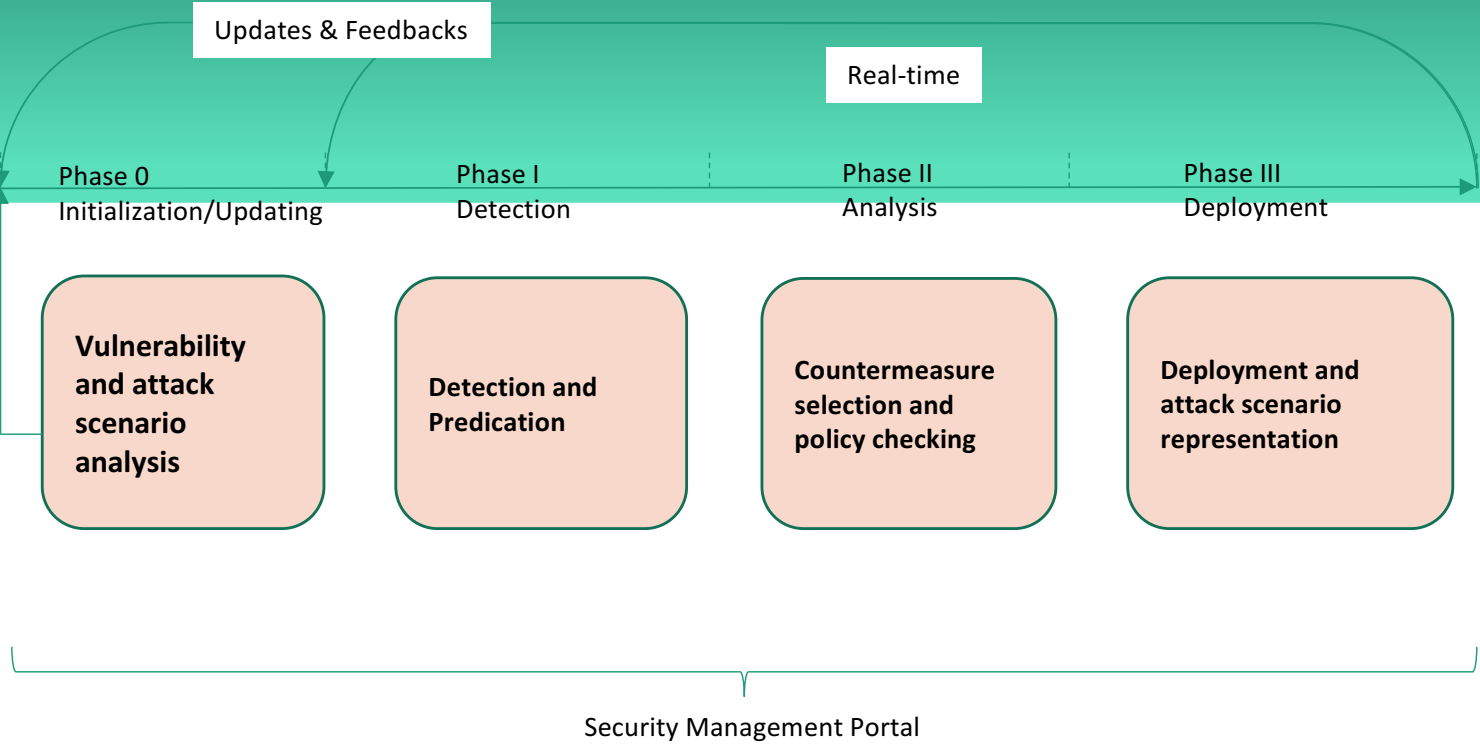


## What is intelligent and software-defined security?

- **Reactive → Proactive**  
Act before attackers and reduce the bad consequence.
- **Static → Dynamic:**  
Use virtualization and programmable approaches to automate security defense approaches
- **Intelligently shift and change over time**  
Smartly (re)configure the security system to **increase the complexity to attackers, reduce the attack surfaces** with **minimal level of intrusiveness** to good users.



# Overview: A Network ISDS Architecture (Four Phases)



## COST AND RISK REDUCTION

**70% to 4%**

man-power  
reduction for  
security analysis.

**96%**

Reduction in  
security attacks

Based on our testing results from Science DMZ platform

## Proven Technology

- Ongoing Pilot project talk with NCI inc. and State Farm.
- ASU Science DMZ Internet2.

# JOURNEY..

- Over \$1M research, equipment, and development grant from ONR and NSF to develop the intelligent SDN security technology from 2013 to 2018.
- 5 provisional Patents, 1 issue US Patent.
- \$667K NSF SaTC (with TTP) award
- \$22,500 award at ASU New Venture Challenge.



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# Effective and Economical Protection for High-Performance Research and Education Networks

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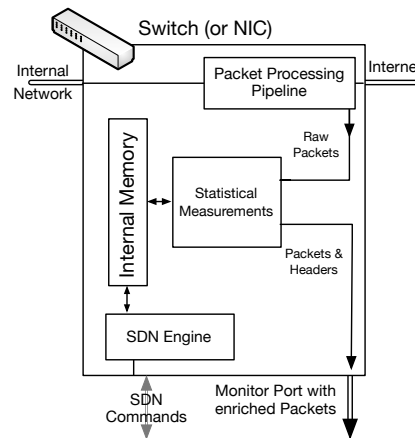
# Quad Chart for: Effective and Economical Protection for High-Performance Research and Education Networks

### Challenge:

- Increase performance of network monitoring for high-speed scientific environments.
- Expand visibility into research and education networks.

### Solution:

- Hardware/Software co-design with:
  - Accelerated statistics
  - Connection establishment offloading
  - TCP stream reassembly
  - Hardware pattern matching
- Advance visibility for R&E networks:
  - Support domain-specific protocols
  - Enable network profiling
  - Enable better active response
  - Enforce security policies



### Impact:

- Enable better protection of high-speed research and education networks, specifically DMZ environments.
- Integrates with Bro network monitor already widely used in R&E community.

### What we need:

- Your feedback on
  - Network visibility issues
  - Protocols used in environments
  - Current monitoring performance pain points

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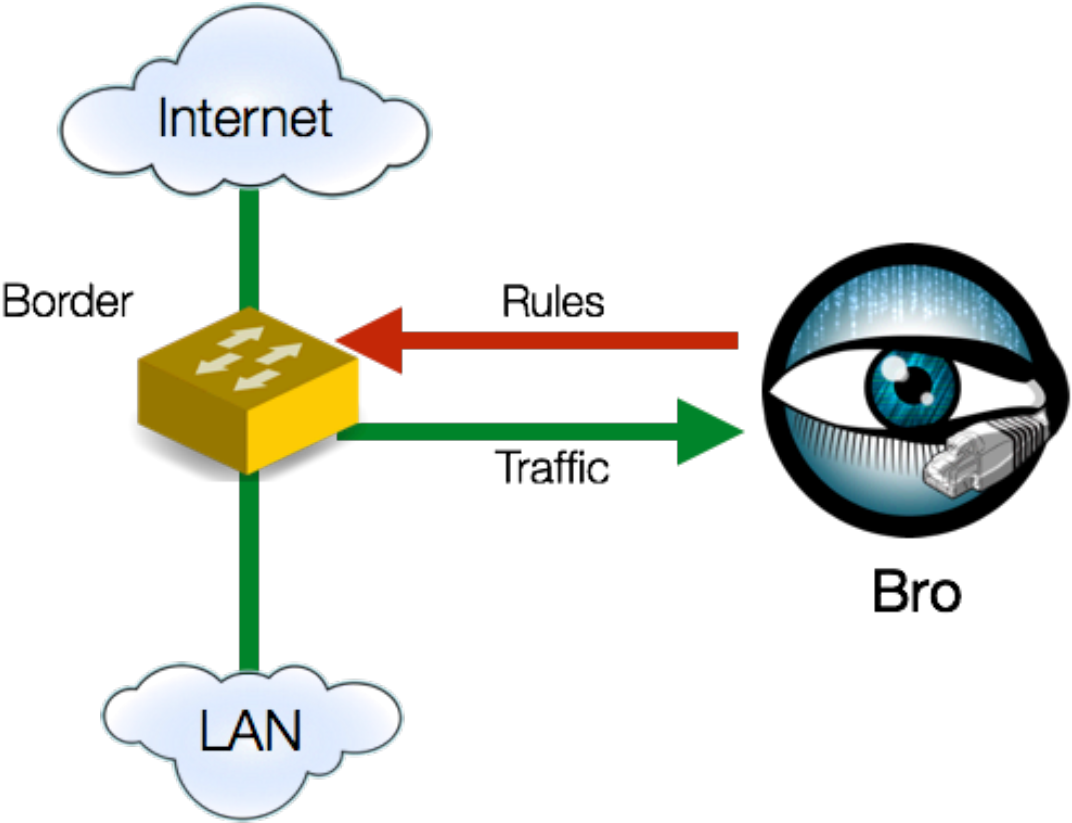
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# Typical Network Monitoring Setup



# What is Bro?

TCPDUMP

WIRESHARK



Packet Capture

Traffic Inspection

Attack Detection

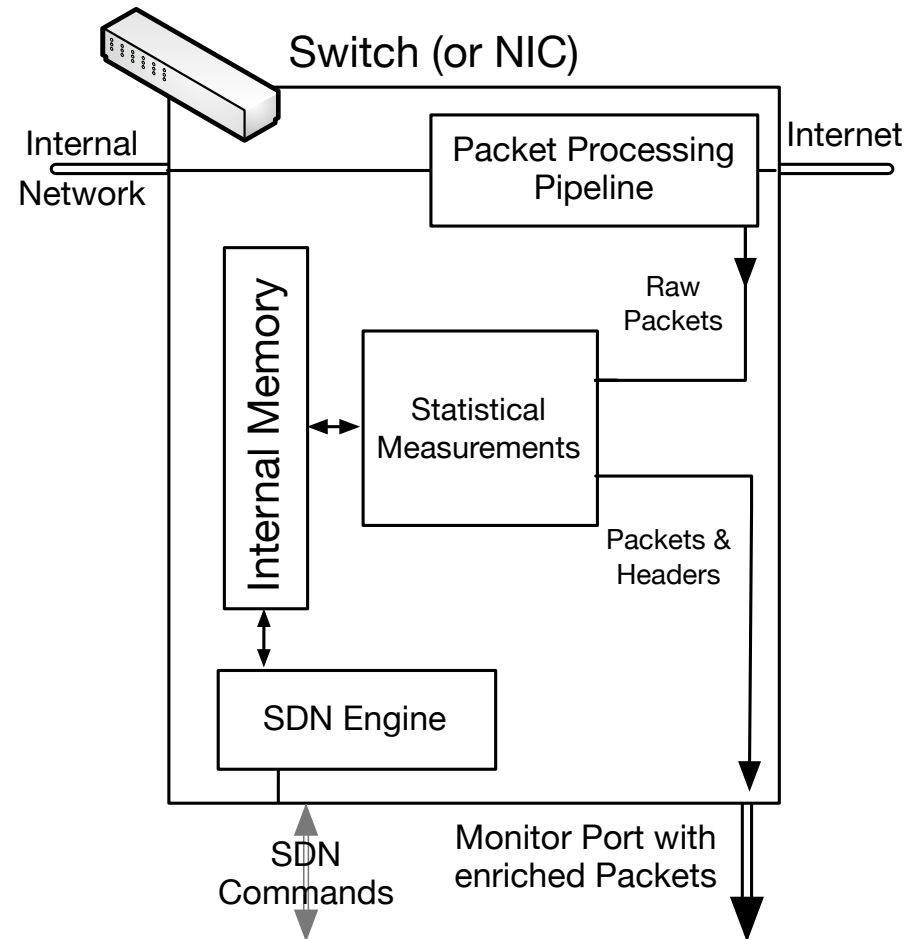
Log Recording

Flexibility



*"Domain-specific Python"*

# Hard/Software Co-Design for Network Monitoring



# Domain-Specific Security Monitoring

- Domain-specific protocols
- User authentication
- Network activity profiling
- Security policy enforcement
- DOS Protection

# Distributed Virtually Isolated Domains

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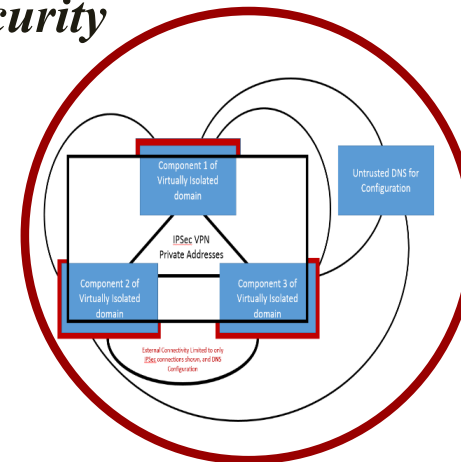
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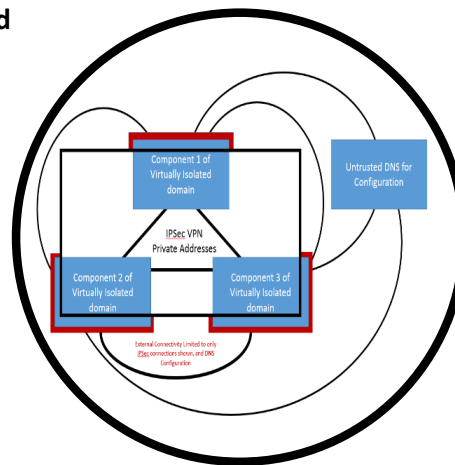
## Quad Chart for: Distributed Virtually Isolated Domains

### Challenge:

- Enable rapid deployment of distributed applications with limited attack surface from the Internet.
- Provided containment from exfiltration and subversion.
- Protect Internet from student experiments

### Solution:

- Dynamic IPsec deployed VPN over leaf nodes (no permanent nodes)
- Configuration/establishment of VPN uses a DNS dynamically for configuration.
- Nodes in the domain run special virtual machine, for bare metal OS that establishes tunnels for communication and blocks all else.



### Value proposition:

- Inbound isolation for protected applications, dependent upon security of the “hosts”.
- Reduced attack surface for subversion or exfiltration.
- Outbound application isolation based on security of the “guest” or “hypervisor”.

### What we need to TTP

- Distributed applications that don't require exchange of information outside the isolated components.
- Classes looking to provide isolated environment for students utilizing resources on students and instructors own computers.

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# Today's Systems Less Secure

- Functional requirements for today's distributed applications eliminate isolation.
  - Larger attack surface – applications and server interfaces reachable through the Internet.
  - Users demand instant access to their data from all devices, wherever they may be.
  - Users demand ability to move data between applications.
- But not all “applications” should allow this much sharing.
  - We need to restore isolation, but along functional boundaries.



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## Many existing technologies *support* isolation

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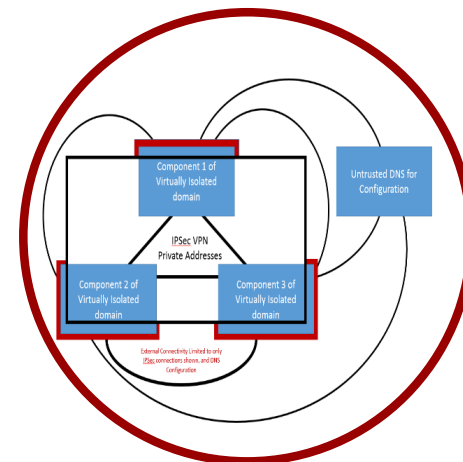
- Within computer systems
  - Virtual Memory
  - Virtualization
  - Trusted computing
  - Data Encryption
- Within Computer Networks
  - Firewalls
  - Virtual Private Networks
  - Communication encryption
- But our policies are too complex
  - Because they support isolation **and** sharing.





# Changing our Concept of Isolation

- Changing the way we think of isolation
  - Not about artificial physical boundaries that are artifacts of how we build our systems
  - But rather around virtual boundaries that map onto the conceptual functions for which we use the systems.





# Transition to Practice

- CentOS Extended to configure VM's or bare-metal systems in isolated domains.
  - FreeS/WAN IPsec tunnels to connected components
  - IP tables, internal configuration, and addressing prevent direct access to external internet)
  - Limits external subversion and internal exfiltration by reducing attack
  - Used for classes and CTF type exercises
  - Has been integrated with the DETER testbed for hybrid experiments.
- Further reduction of attack surface
  - Move network management into hypervisor (smaller code)
  - Consider appliance (e.g. firewall) - creates problem for attestation of systems inside the domain.
- Management of domains
  - Use of directory service to hold certificates for member components and dynamic address information.
  - This allows one to join a domain given its name, and a key or other authentication information.
  - Vulnerable to violations of availability policy, but information flow policies (subversion and exfiltration) not affected by directory service.
- Policy Management
  - Ability for a hardware/software component to join a domain based on domain's policy and accreditation of components.
- Performance
  - Use of trusted computing and accredited OS's to manage ability to join a domain.
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## Survey Tools to Collect Feedback

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# NETBRANE: A Software Defined DDoS Protection Platform

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# Netbrane: A Software-Defined DDoS Protection Platform for Internet Services

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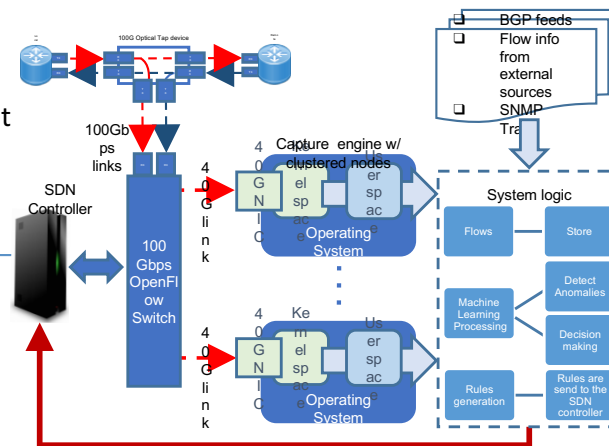
## Quad Chart for: Cybersecurity Transition To Practice (TTP) Acceleration NetBrane: A Software-Defined DDoS Protection Platform for Internet Services

### Challenge:

Build an effective, pro-active defense system for DDoS attacks at an Internet scale

### Solution:

- High-speed capture (100Gbps and more)
- Traffic modeling using Machine Learning for low false positives and negatives, near real-time model fitting and classification
- Combination of network maps, BGP routing, vulnerable servers, etc, to proactively develop responses
- SDN technology for attack mitigation
- Hacker chatter capture, NLP processing, actionable alerts



### Value proposition:

- Unprecedented insight into traffic at a network via collection of very fine granularity information
- Distributed alert system to propagate strategic information to all networks
- Proactive defenses that minimize collateral damage
- Powerful SDN filters that support thousands of rules
- Hacker chatter alerts to plan defenses ahead of an attack

### What we need to TTP

- Access to operational traffic to develop accurate models
- Opportunities to deploy our prototype at IXPs

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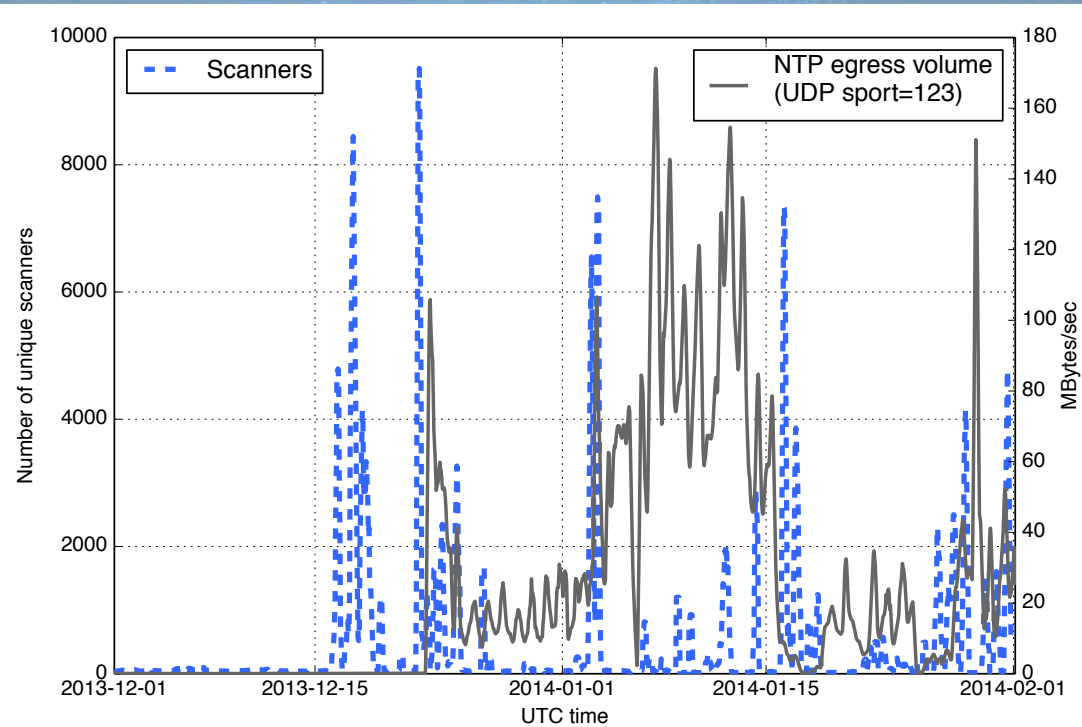
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# Value Proposition

- Distributed Denial of Service (DDoS) attacks will be at the top of security threats for the foreseeable future
- State of the Art DDoS defense today:
  - Intentionally hijack traffic, redirect to scrubbing centers, tunnel back to customer
  - Expensive, small clean pipe, susceptible to collateral damage
- Need to be distributed, effective and proactive:
  - Reliably detect the attack using machine learning, create filtering rules
  - Communicate filters to your upstreams immediately
  - High-capacity SDN switches to block attack
  - Defense readiness via network structural information and hints from hacker forums

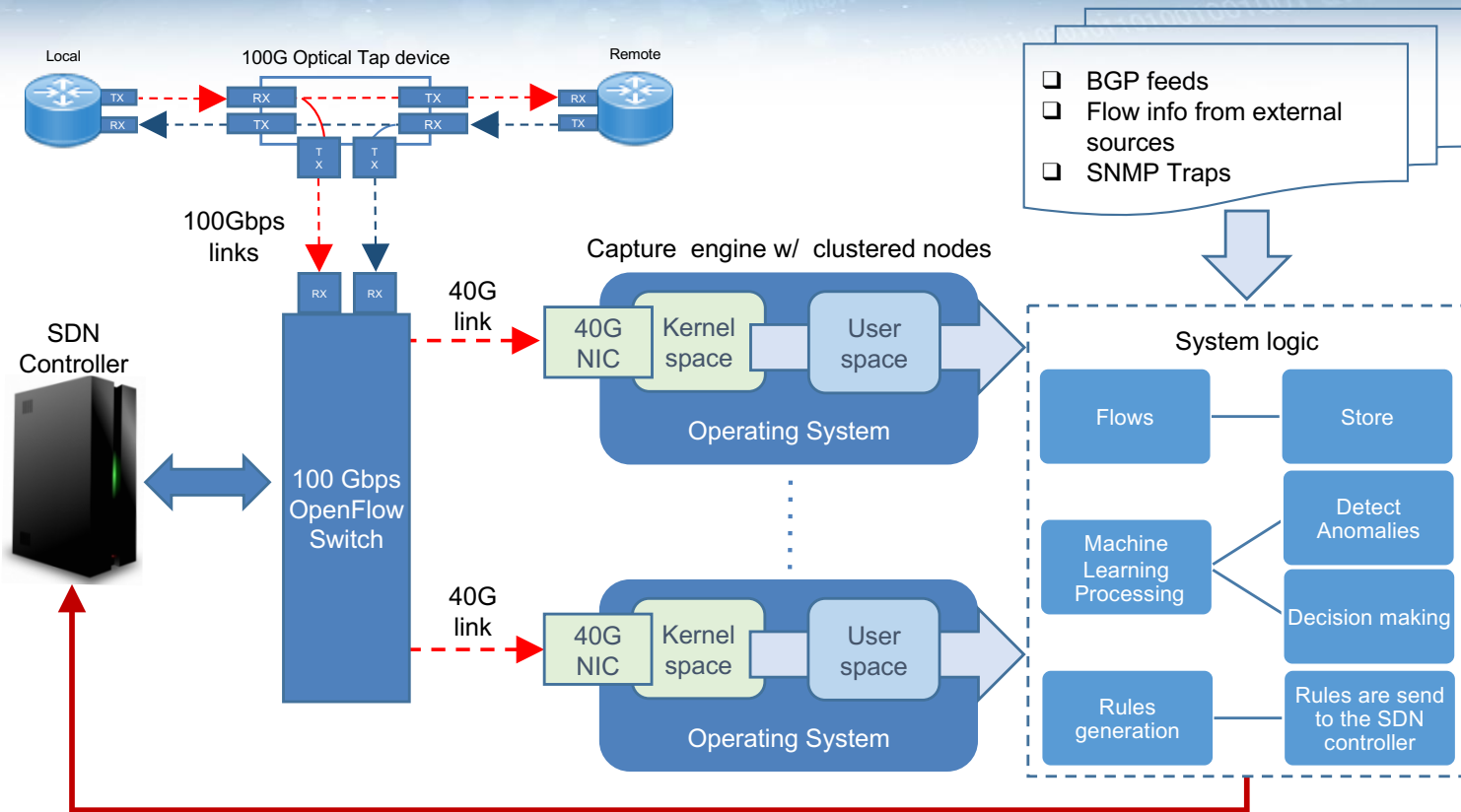
# Can Attacks Be Predicted?



Scanning activity before 2014 NTP attacks offered clues

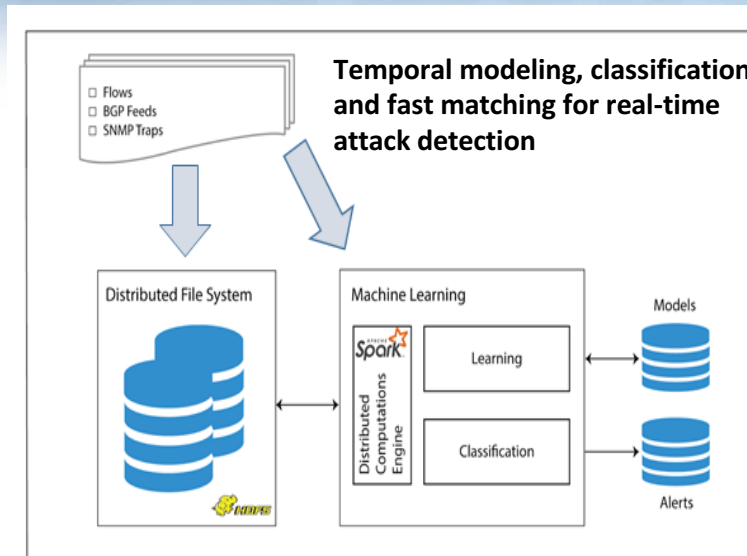


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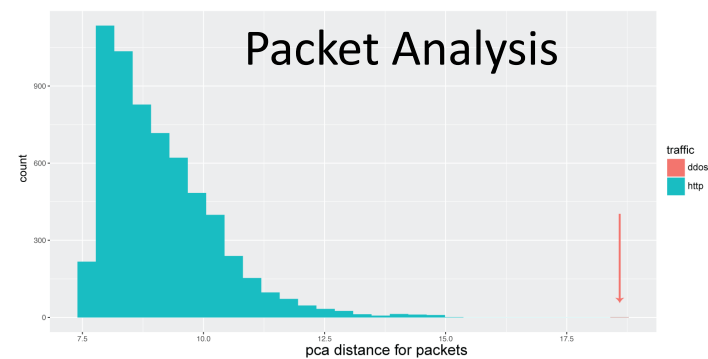
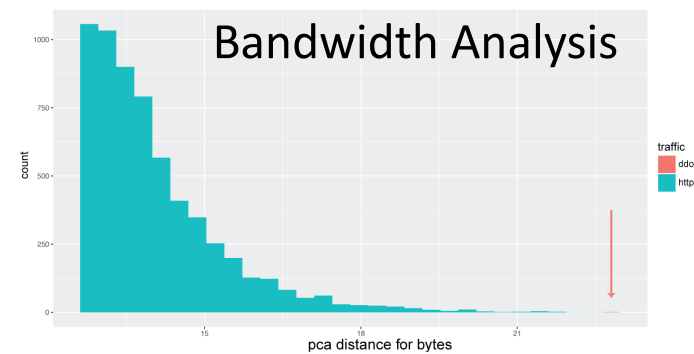




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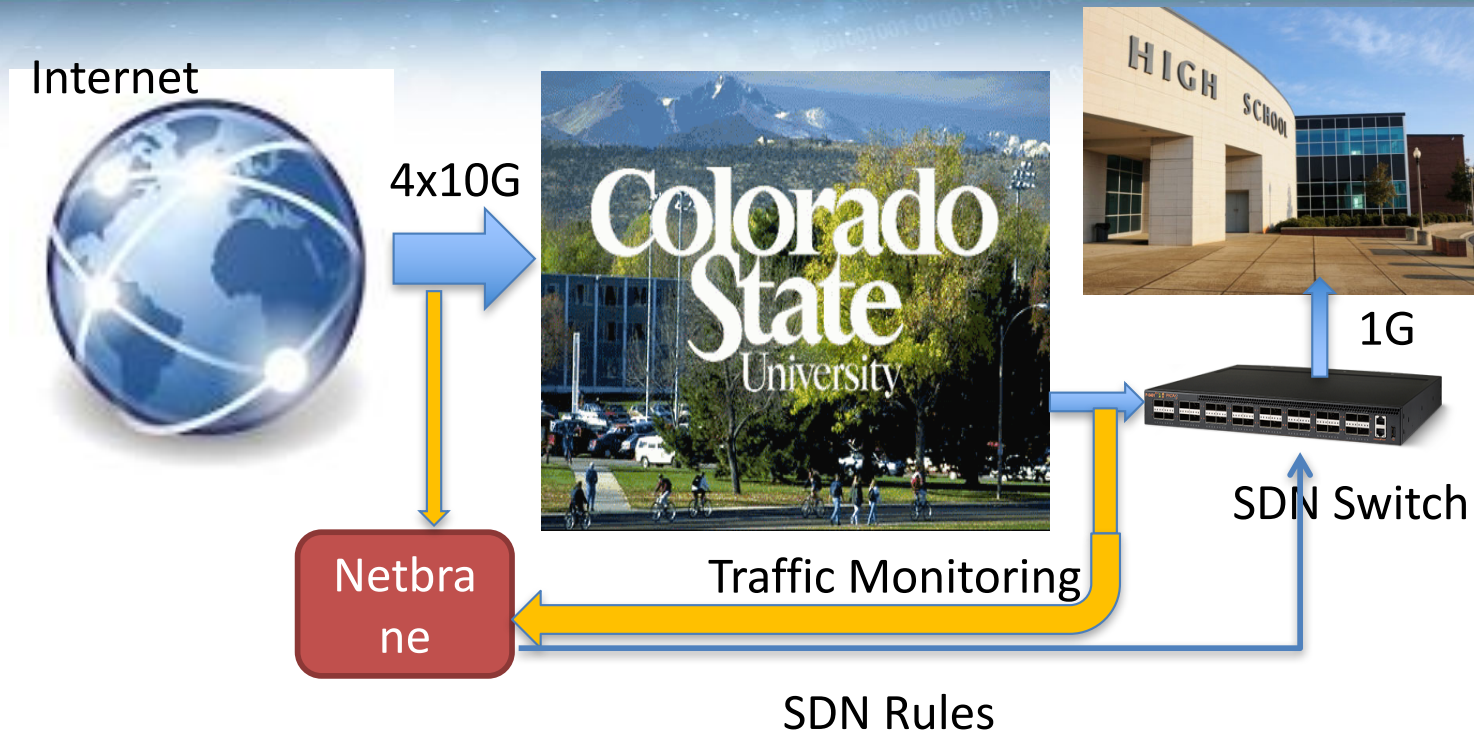
With Machine Learning attacks that were not Visible before, easily stand out



# Deployment

- Pilot at CSU (ongoing)
- Larger deployment at our regional ISP (FRGP) within a year
- Expanded deployment with other upstreams immediately after that
- Requirements:
  - Optical taps for attack detection
  - 2-4U for local compute (packet->flow conversion)
  - Access to a cloud provider for ML processing
  - SDN switch for mitigation

# Current Prototype Deployment



Deploying Netbrane prototype to protect a CSU customer (in progress)  
Netbrane on our regional ISP (planned)

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# DrawBridge 2.0 – Bringing Software-Defined DDoS Defense To Fruition

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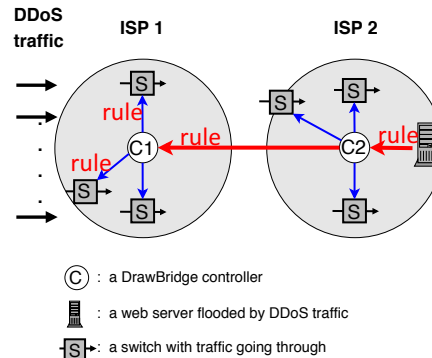
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#### What we need to TTP

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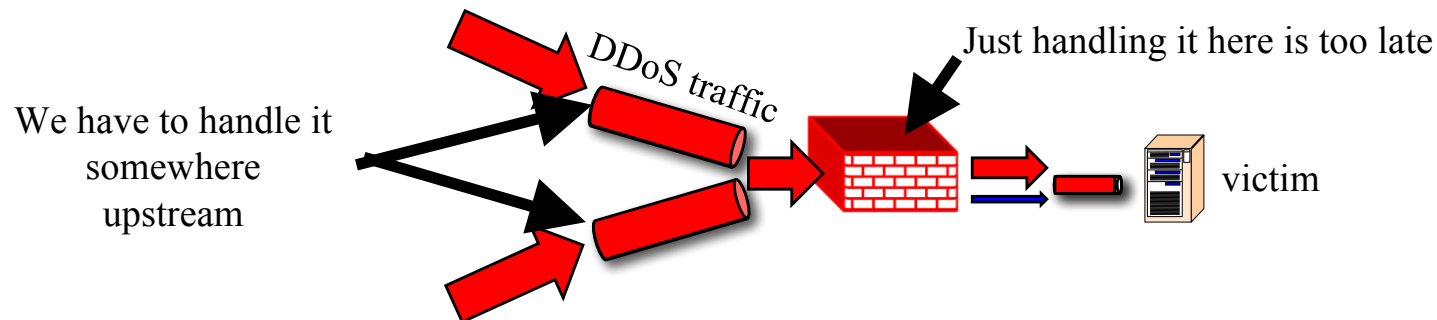
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# Customer Need

- DDoS attacks continue to be devastating
- Victims are best able to determine which traffic should be delivered to them
- But least able to control that decision
- ISPs, on the other hand, are able to drop the DDoS packets but do not really know which traffic to drop







# Bringing DrawBridge To Practice

- We have developed a prototype of DrawBridge as well as demos of how DrawBridge works
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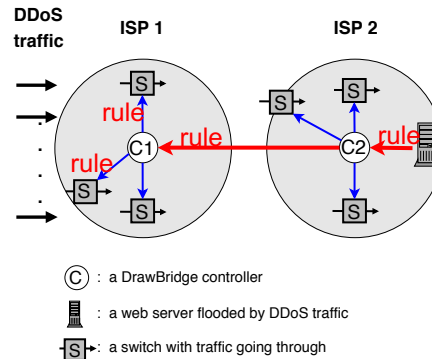
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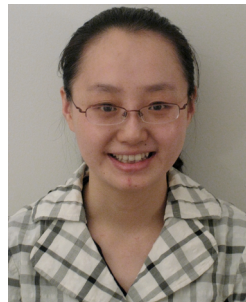
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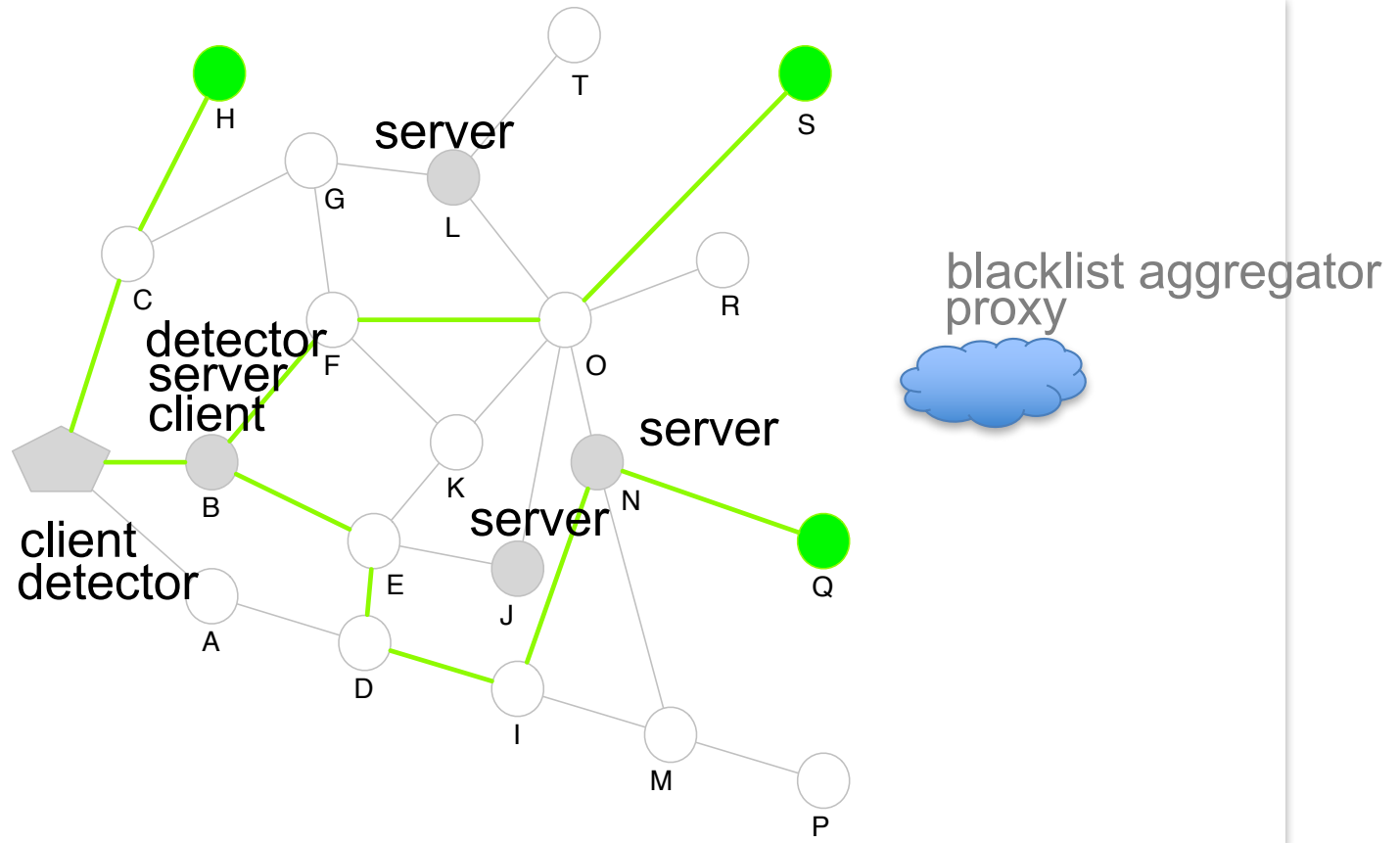
# DDoS Attacks: Large and Powerful

- DDoS attacks are increasing in volume and frequency (new record 1.2 Tbps)
- Disproportionate power in hands of attacker
  - Attacks that bring down large, well provisioned victims often wielded by a single person or small group (Spamhouse, Dyn, OVH and Krebs)
  - No special experience or circumstance
  - Cheap for attacker, very expensive for the victim
- Enabled by large, distributed botnets
  - No single entity (centralized or distributed) can withstand this, distributed defenses a must

## Our solution: SENSS

- Fully software solution – easy to deploy
- Enables any ISP to offer **automated** services for DDoS diagnosis and mitigation
  - Naturally distributed, secure, robust to misbehavior
  - Works with existing ISP infrastructure (SDN, Flowspec, Netflow)
- Victim queries its own ISP or remote ISPs
  - About its inbound traffic, routes to its prefixes
  - This helps detect best points for mitigation
- Victim asks select ISPs to:
  - Filter some of its inbound traffic (victim specifies header signature)
  - Demote a route that may contain a bottleneck

# SENSS Modules





# SENSS APIs at ISPs

- Exposed as Web services
  - Leverage existing functionalities for robustness (replication), security (HTTPS), charging (e-commerce)

Type	Fields	Action/Reply
Traffic query	Flow, dir, obs_time	List of <tag, dir, volume>
Traffic filter/allow	Flow, dir, tag, duration	Deploy filter/allow actions
Route query	Prefix	List of best paths to prefix
Route demote	Prefix, segment, duration	Demote routes with given segment

- Message authentication: Proof of authority for a prefix
  - E.g., RPKI, a DB of known customers, prefixes and public keys
- TLS for communication security

# How Can You Help?

- Deploy a passive module:
  - Detector – learn how often you experience DDoS or participate in it
  - Blacklist aggregator – get our feed of suspicious prefixes
- Deploy an active module:
  - Server – automate filter rule deployment in multiple switches
  - Client + Detector – leverage your ISP's DDoS solution and trigger it automatically
- Looking for:
  - Experiences from trenches, what do you do now for DoS?
  - One-time feedback on needs, deployability, concerns
  - 1h/month ongoing feedback from ops world
  - Sites to pilot our solutions



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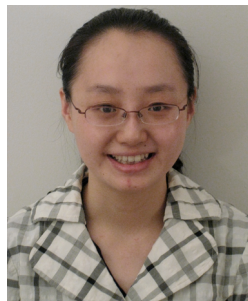
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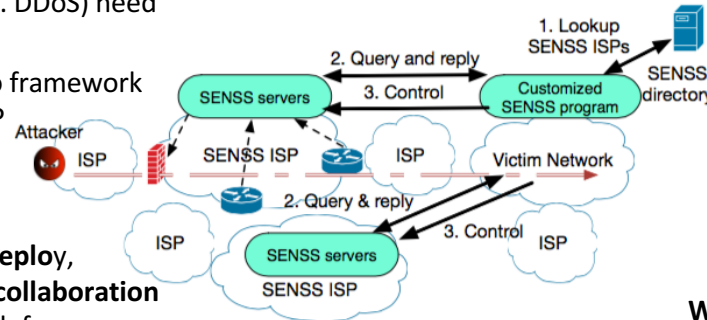
## Quad Chart for: SENS: Security Service for the Internet

### Challenge:

- Distributed attacks (e.g. DDoS) need distributed solutions
- Today's internet has no framework for automated inter-ISP collaboration

### Solution:

- SENS offers **easy to deploy, effective, automated collaboration mechanism** for DDoS defense
- **ISPs** deploy SENS servers, receive messages from clients, provide monitoring or filtering
- **Edge networks** deploy SENS clients, detect attacks, devise signatures and decide which actions are needed by which SENS servers
- All communication is secured from eavesdropping or impersonation
- Clients can only influence their own incoming traffic



### Value proposition:

- Increase ISP offering in DDoS defense at zero equipment/software cost
- Solution where attack victim has full control over mitigation and can measure its impact
- Foundation for inter-ISP collaboration

### What we need to TTP

- Opportunities to pilot the research
- Feedback on features to support
- Feedback and discussion on ISP concerns

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# HomeSHARE - Home-based Smart Health Applications across Research Environments

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### Challenge

Lack of smart home and wearable technology research infrastructure prevents investigators from diverse disciplines from answering research questions that can generalize to larger populations.

### Researchers typically:

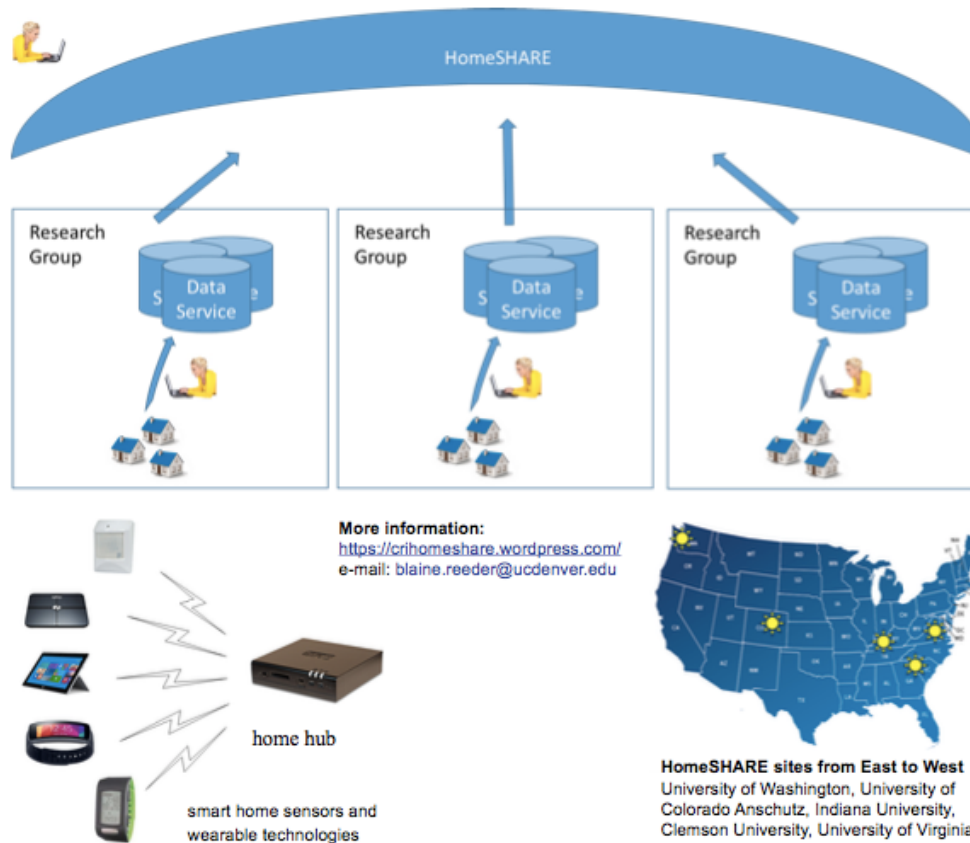
- 1) Conduct small-scale feasibility studies
- 2) Recruit participants through convenience sampling
- 3) Expend substantial resources to build or customize technologies

### Efforts often:

- 1) Fail to translate or scale outside their original settings
- 2) Result in systems that cannot be reused beyond single experiments
- 3) Miss opportunities to fully capitalize on research dollars

### Solution

The Home-based Smart Health Applications across Research Environments (HomeSHARE) initiative is a multi-site collaboration that seeks to develop a geographically distributed smart homes testbed with input from informatics, gerontology, and computer science research communities.



More information:  
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### Value Proposition

- Standardize support for data collected by smart home and wearable devices
- Standardize data collection protocols across research environments
- Provide access to large data sets
- Enable enrollment of more diverse study populations
- Create common governance policies for researchers that cover criteria for participation, shared management responsibilities, and data control/sharing agreements

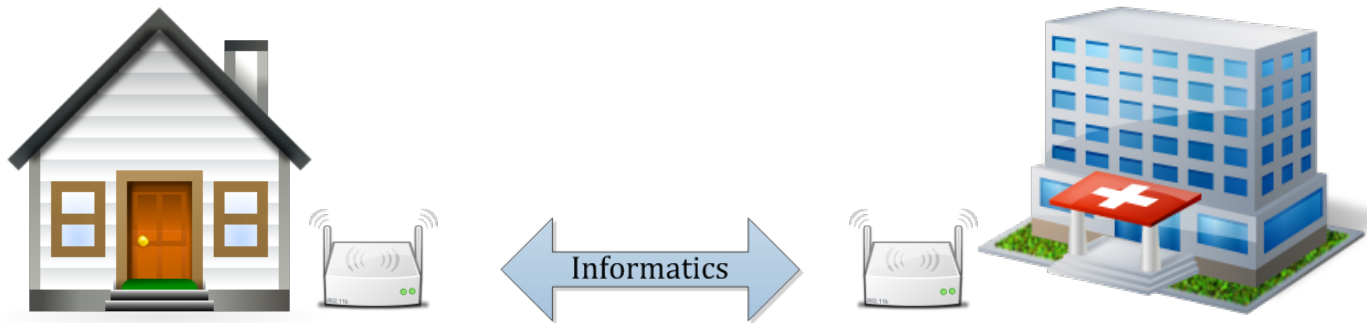
### What we need to TPP

- Recommendations for features that HomeSHARE should support
- Data security strategies for smart home and wearable technologies at the device, home hub, and server levels

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# Broad Research Goal



Older Adults and  
Smart Technologies



Organizations and  
Information Systems

# Diversity of Devices

## 1. Installed (“smart home” devices such as motion sensors)



## 2. Mobile (smart phone, tablets, personal health devices)



## 3. Wearable (smart watch, activity monitors, smart textiles)



# Challenges

- Technology
  - Rapid change
  - Usability
  - Acceptability
  - Abandonment
  - Diversity of devices
  - Battery life
- Data
  - Usefulness
  - Quality (Timeliness, Completeness, Accuracy)
  - Formats
  - Storage and Hosting
  - Security

# Information Security Questions

1. How do we manage challenges of siloed data from individual vendors?
  - a) Who really owns these data?
  - b) What are the implications of a vendor change in data management policy?
  - c) Changes in subscriber model?
  - d) Changes in ownership/bankruptcy?
  
2. Is it wise to store device data in clinical data warehouses?
  - a) Any personal data merged with health data also becomes health data
  - b) These data are then covered by HIPAA
  
3. What is the best model for a financially sustainable open platform that allows secure data management at the device, home hub, and internet server levels?
  - a) Should this platform be HIPAA compliant or should that be handled by a separate system that federates non-health data with clinical data?

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# Cybersecurity Research Panel: Identity & Access Management



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# Middleware for Certificate-Based Authentication

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## Quad Chart for: TrustBase: Certificate-Based Authentication

### Challenge:

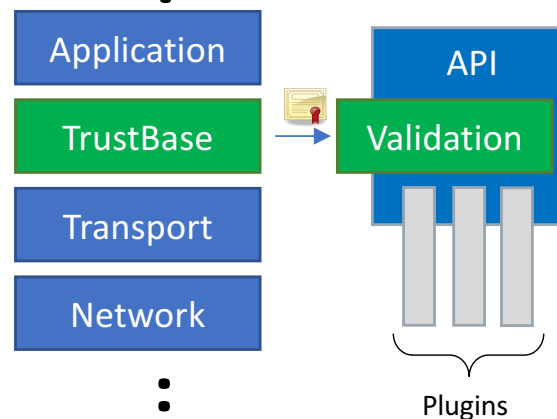
- Application developers improperly validate website certificates
- Untrustworthy or coerced Certificate Authorities
- Alternatives to the system have no common platform for deployment and test

### Solution:

- Authentication as an operating system service
- Plugins provide flexible deployment of authentication services



Enforcing proper and custom validation of host certificates



### Value proposition:

- All applications will automatically validate certificates correctly
- Security researchers now have a platform on which to deploy and test certificate authority alternatives

### What we need to TTP

- Your feedback on clients vs middlebox deployment
- Pilot deployments to gather production data in passive mode

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# Problem

- Application developers improperly validate website certificates
- Untrustworthy or coerced Certificate Authorities
- Deployment of alternatives is hard

# TrustBase

- Motivating principles

  - Centralize authentication as an OS service

  - Empower system admins to dictate how trust decisions are made on their own machines

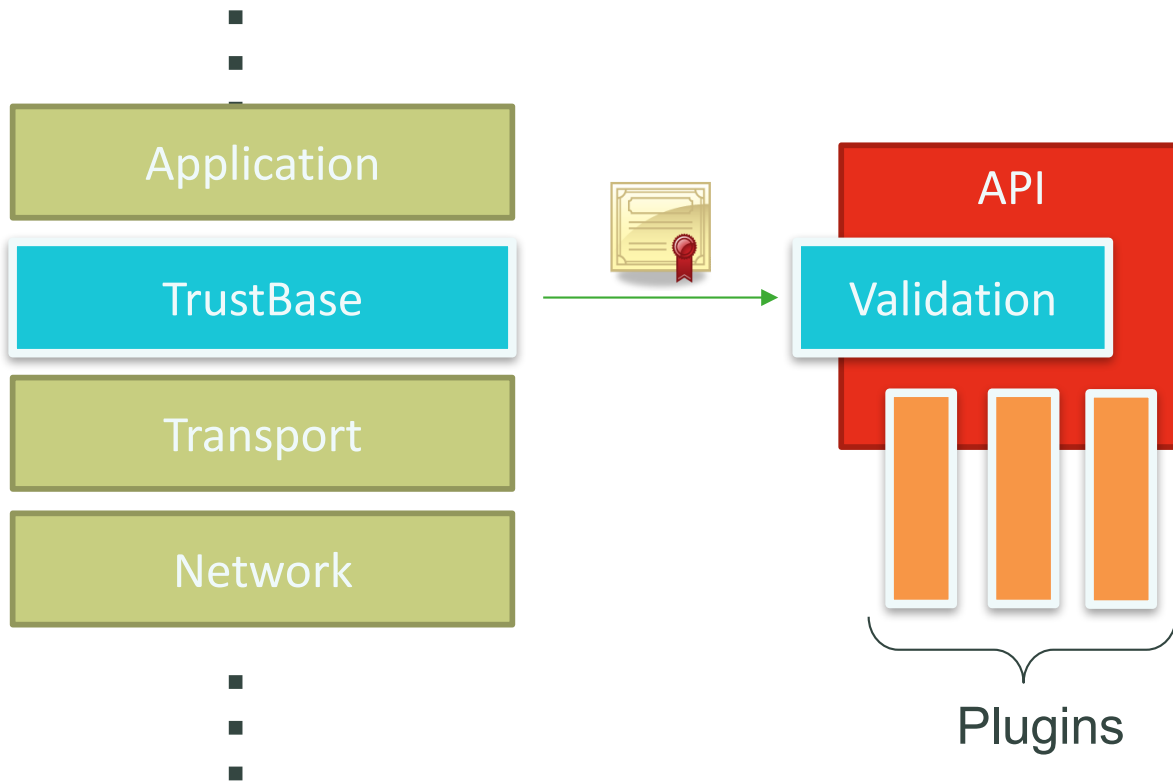
- Design goals

  - Secure *all* existing applications

  - Prohibit unprivileged applications from acting against administrator rules

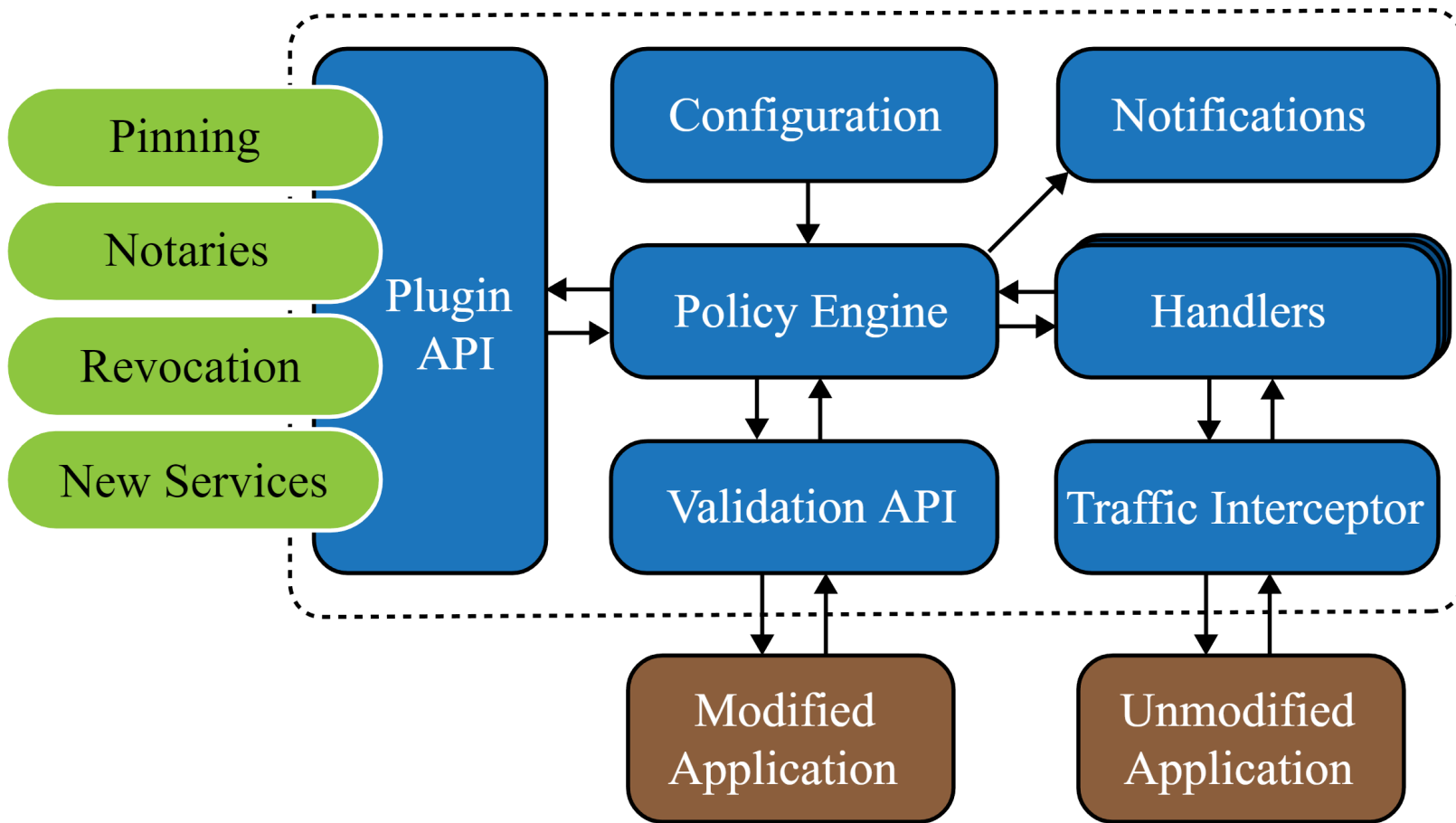
  - Provide easy deployment of authentication systems

  - Negligible overhead



### Prototypes for

- Linux
- Android (nonrooted)
- Windows



# Feedback

- How best to deploy this technology in the enterprise
- Pilot deployments to gather production data in passive mode



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# Improving the Security and Usability of Two-Factor Authentication for Cyberinfrastructure

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# Better Security for Password and Two-Factor Authentication

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# Password (In)Security

- Passwords: **MAIN** authentication tool in the digital era
- Protect our lives and social order, *conveniently* and **Insecurely**





# Password (In)Security

## Unacceptable State of Affairs

- Attackers routinely compromise servers
  - Steal password-related data
  - Recover user's password via Offline Dictionary Attack
- BILLIONS of passwords stolen
  - MySpace 360M, LinkedIn 165M, eBay 145M,..., Yahoo 3B (!!)
  - ... Twitter, RSA, Google, Dropbox, PayPal, Sony, ...
- *Current Two-Factor Authentication schemes do not stop this leakage*
  - TFA reduces to 2<sup>nd</sup> factor (e.g. cell phone) security if password leaks
  - But current TFA's do nothing to protect passwords from leakage



## Cryptography Can Help!

- We show ways to strengthen password and two-factor protocols
- Using simple, well-established techniques
  - Mostly blinded Diffie-Hellman [Chaum, Ford-Kaliski, Boyen, ...]
- Efficient. Mature. Applicable to the infrastructure used today.  
**Ready for deployment in the real world.**
- Please talk to me if you are interested to learn more (esp. if you see where we can improve, or if you want to transfer this to practice).



# Attacks on Password Authentication #1: Offline Dictionary Attack (ODA)

- ODA is the main source of password compromise:
  - *Deadly combination of human memory limitation (→ low entropy passwords) and server compromise*
  - Stealing the “password file” allows testing password guesses against stored hashes; millions++ of password per second (from s/w to dedicated h/w)

**Goal: Render these unavoidable exhaustive attacks ineffective!**

**How: Enforce high-entropy passwords using additional devices/servers**



# Attacks on Password Authentication #1: Offline Dictionary Attack (ODA)

- ODA is the main source of password compromise

**Goal: Render these unavoidable exhaustive attacks ineffective!**

**How: Enforce high-entropy passwords using additional devices/servers**

- What Devices?
  - Cell phone, USB stick: Already used in Two-Factor Authentication!
- What Servers?
  - Can be hosted by any cloud service
  - End-users can utilize it *transparently* to web servers
  - Web servers can utilize it *transparently* to end-users



# Attacks on Password and Two-Factor Authentication #2,3,4,...

2. Online dict. attacks (unavoidable): Guess password; try it online.
  - Works w/weak pwds and in targeted attacks (pers. info, sister pwd)
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> factor helps, but we could do better even here!
3. Phishing/PKI attack: User tricked to send password to the attacker
  - paypa1.com, overwritten links in email, URL-browser manipulation, ...
  - Cert signed by rogue CA (do *you* know your browser's CA's?)
  - A certificate flagged by the browser but user accepts ("clicking through")
4. Malware on the client (terminal, laptop, phone), e.g. *keyloggers*

**Goal: Eliminate, neutralize, or reduce exposure to these attacks**

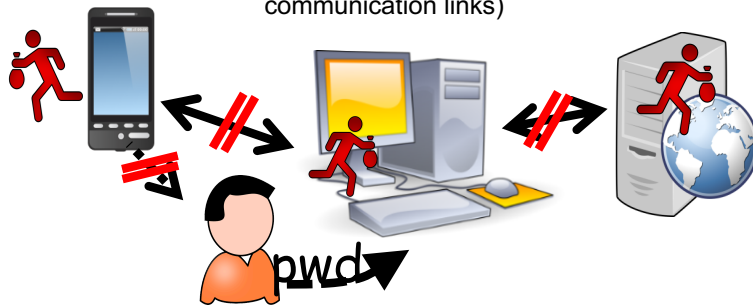
**How: Additional devices/servers help, and better cryptography helps!**

# Better Security for Password and Two-Factor Authentication

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## PASSWORD AUTHENTICATION with 2<sup>nd</sup> FACTOR

End-to-end security = each component can be compromised: (2<sup>nd</sup> Factor Device, Client, Server, communication links)



## MOTIVATION:

- Password authentication is a *security bottleneck*
- Web services routinely compromised, hashed passwords leak
  - Hackers recover passwords via **Offline Dictionary Attack**
- Current Pwd/TFAuth insecure against this (and other attacks)

## MAIN OBJECTIVES:

- Achieve end-to-end (maximal) security in all attack scenarios
- Eliminate hashed passwords on servers
  - Protect passwords even if servers are compromised

## SECONDARY OBJECTIVES:

- Improve TFA *usability* (e.g. PIN-copying is not necessary)

## REQUIREMENTS:

- Browser Extension on Client
- Data-Connectivity on 2<sup>nd</sup> Factor Device (= Cell Phone)

## SOLUTION TECHNIQUES / SPECS:

- Standard Diffie-Hellman, e.g. EC groups, as in TLS/SSL
- Computational cost = 2-3 exp's/party ( $\approx$  TLS handshake)

## SEVER-TRANSPARENT MODE:

- Client gains strong authentication token from 2<sup>nd</sup> Factor Device and/or 3<sup>rd</sup>-party Security Service

## CLIENT-TRANSPARENT MODE:

- Server interacts with 3<sup>rd</sup>-party Security Service

## POTENTIAL ADOPTERS:

- *Any internet user:* PwdAuth/TFA transparent to web server
- *Any internet service:* PwdAuth/TFA transparent to end-user

## FIST ADOPTERS (PILOTS):

- Internet end-users using 3<sup>rd</sup> party service
- Educational Institution logon server?
- Industry PwdAuth / TFA providers as partners?

## TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER:

- Software libraries will be made available

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# Cybersecurity Research Panel: Multidisciplinary Cybersecurity



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# Capacity building in Cybersecurity-literacy: An interdisciplinary approach

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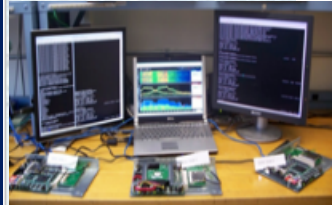
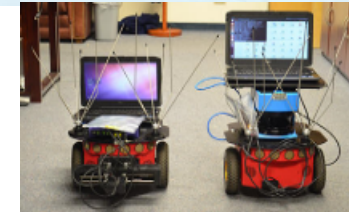
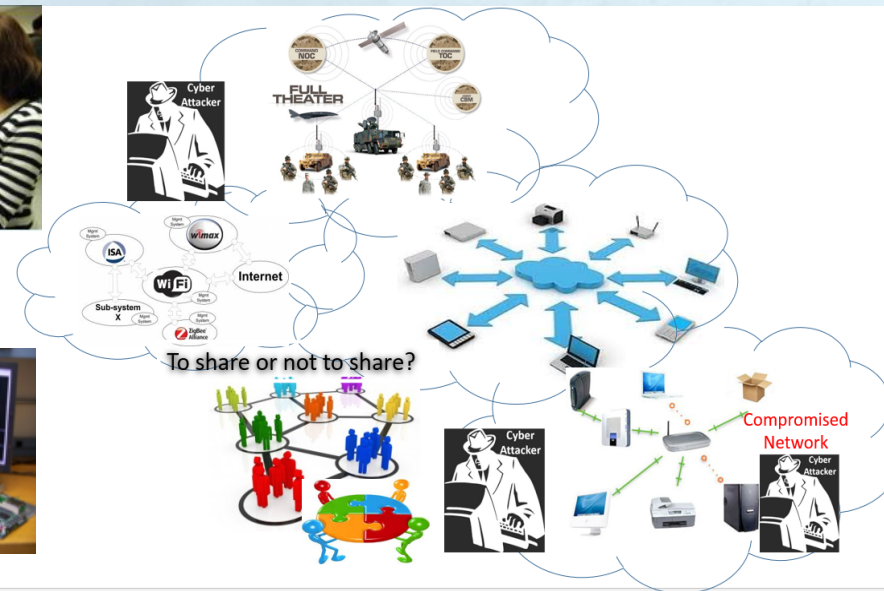


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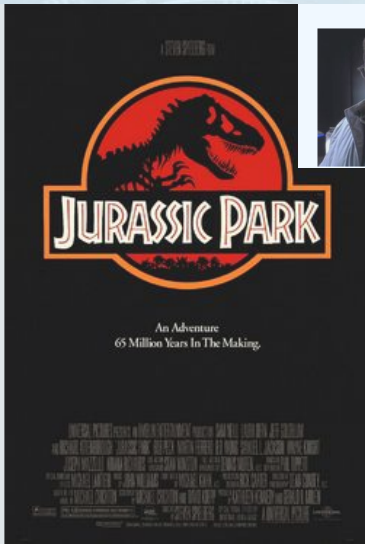
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A partnership between UNR and TMCC

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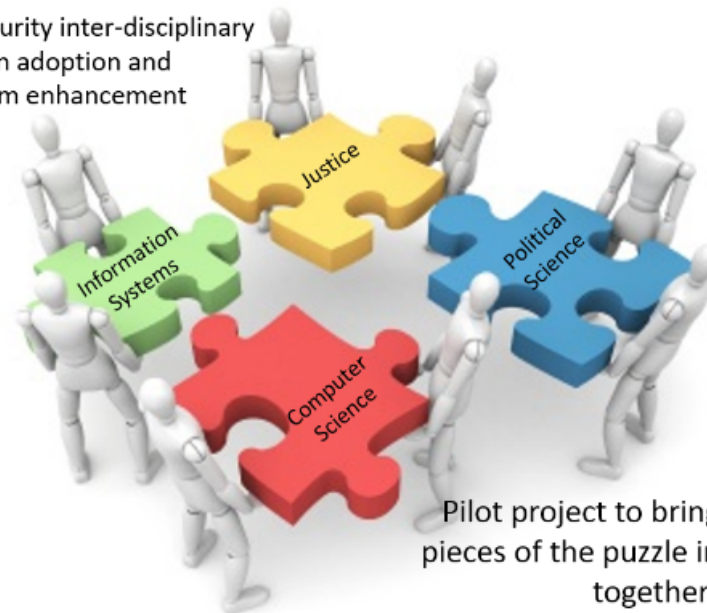
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Cybersecurity inter-disciplinary  
education adoption and  
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Pilot project to bring  
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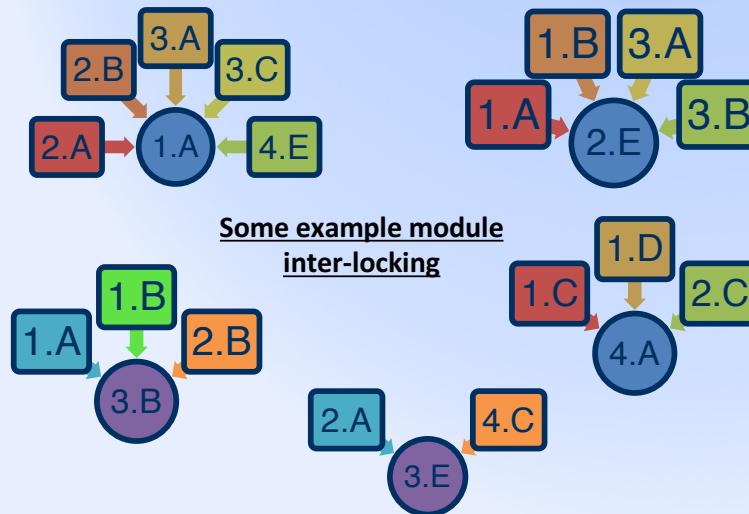
# Capacity building in Cybersecurity-literacy: An inter-disciplinary approach



## What is the project all about?

The project is based on a partnership between the University of Nevada, Reno (UNR), and the Truckee Meadows Community College (TMCC). By bringing in scholars from multiple disciplines, this project proposes to explore unique ways to engage students in inter-disciplinary cybersecurity education, to sustain long-term research and education partnerships and to motivate students towards protection of cyberspace.

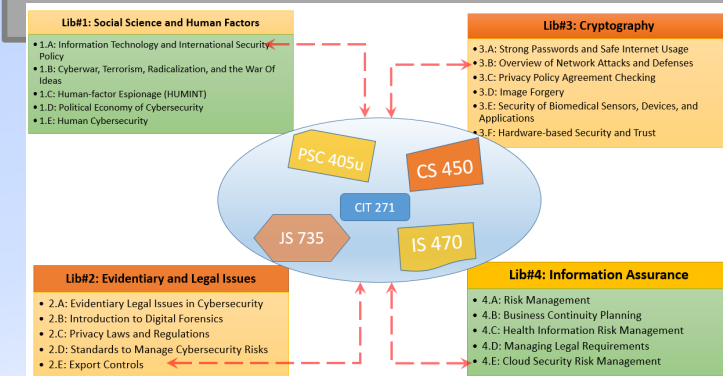
## Inter-disciplinary Cybersecurity Capacity Building



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## Inter-disciplinary Holistic Cybersecurity

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An example of four modules fused and adopted with appropriate intensity into different target courses

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## General Module Design Goals

- ❖ Class content for between 1.5 and 6 hours to allow adaptation for one class period or up to two weeks of class
- ❖ Content appropriate for beginning, intermediate and graduate level students
  - ❖ Presentations, readings and activities can be adjusted based on student population and instructor comfort level.
- ❖ Live training options as well as support discussion forums



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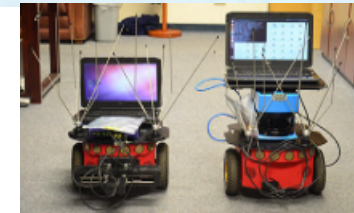
# Establishing market based mechanisms for CYBer security information Exchange (CYBEX)

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## Establishing market based mechanisms for CYBer security information EXchange (CYBEX)

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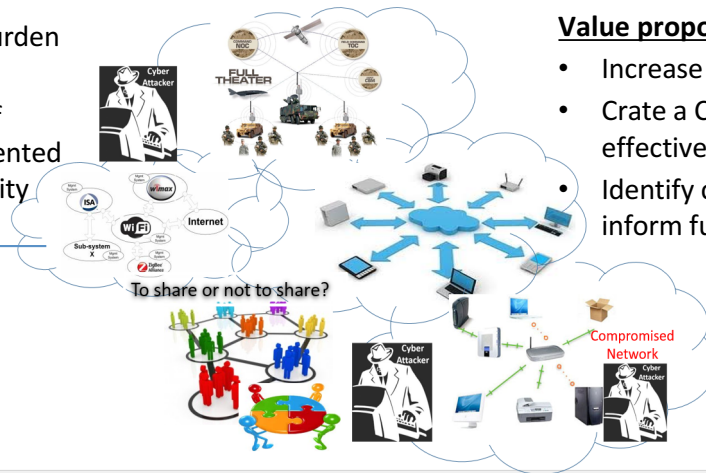
### Quad Chart for: SATC: Establishing market based mechanisms for CYBER security information EXchange (CYBEX)

#### Challenge:

- Can CYBEX help us share the burden of cybersecurity?
- Understanding the Necessity of cyberinsurance and market oriented approach for better cybersecurity information utilization

#### Solution:

- **Establish** market based game theoretic mechanisms
- **Identify, model and analyze** the conflicts
- **Leverage** evolutionary and adaptive game theory to understand the dynamics
- **Investigate** the necessity of cyberinsurance and market oriented approach for better cybersecurity information utilization



#### Value proposition:

- Increase proactive cybersecurity
- Create a CYBEX framework for effective sharing
- Identify cybersecurity needs to inform future research

#### NSF SATC #TBD CYBEX

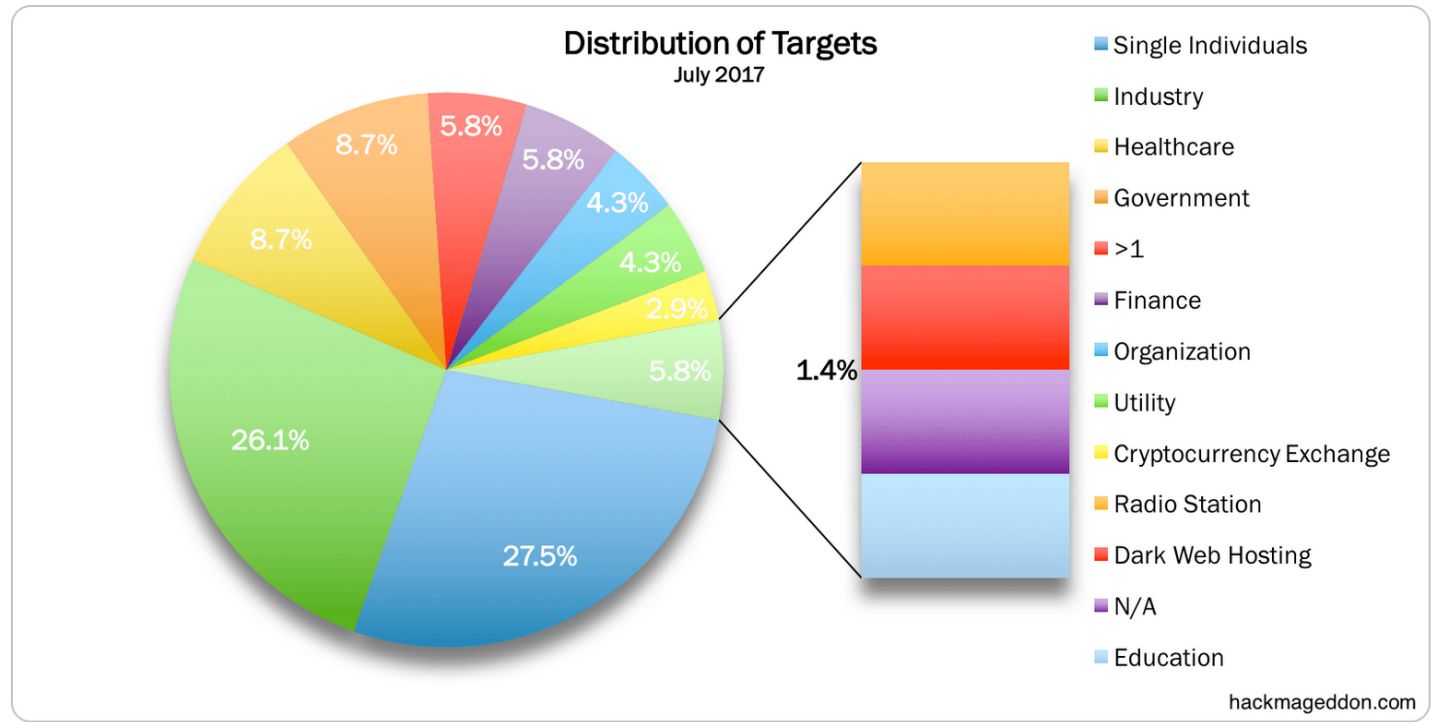
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#### What we need to TTP

- Your feedback
- Opportunities to pilot the research

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## CYBEX

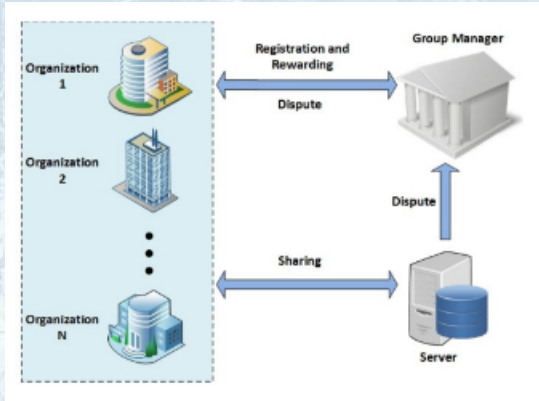
- ❖ A framework to provide a service of structured information exchange about measurable security states of systems together with incidents stemming from cyber attacks.
- ❖ Benefits:
  - ❖ (1) fostering cyber situational awareness,
  - ❖ (2) developing proactive defense mechanisms,
  - ❖ (3) clarity in understanding the threat landscape, malicious actors, security loopholes etc.
- ❖ Challenges:
  - ❖ (1) the possibility of information exploitation through such exchange as the sharing organizations may not trust on the other participants,
  - ❖ (2) organizations' market reputation might get negatively affected,
  - ❖ (3) lack of incentivization with respect to a organization's sharing contribution.



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# CYBEX



## Game Formulation

	Participate & Share	Not Participate
Participate & Share	$Sa \log(1 + I) - x - c$ $Sa \log(1 + I) - x - c$	$a \log(1 + I) - x - c$ $a \log(1 + I)$
Not Participate	$a \log(1 + I)$ $a \log(1 + I) - x - c$	$a \log(1 + I)$ $a \log(1 + I)$

$I$  – amount of investment made by the firms  
 $a$  – simple scaling parameter that maps user satisfaction/benefit to a dimension equitable to the price/monitory value  
 $c$  – cost of participation in the CYBEX framework  
 $S$  – Scaling benefits of sharing



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# Cyber-Insurance

## •Cyber-insurance as a CYBEX model incentive:

•Insurance incentives can be used to motivate socially optimal sharing behavior and deter harmful behaviors. If cyber-insurance is added as an incentive in exchange for information sharing, firms benefit due to efficient and reliable risk management using cyber-insurance. On the other hand, supply side gets benefited by obtaining information they need.

## •Modelling Cyber-Insurance with information sharing framework:

•Cyber-insurance can be modelled in such a way that the coverage and premium for the insurance will depend on the sharing level, frequency of attacks and attack severity level. As the frequency of attack increases the premium for the insurance gets incremented compared to previous, however periodically the premium amount decreases on how successfully the network strives against cyber attacks for long with the help of cooperation.

## •Challenges in modelling Cyber-Insurance:

•**1)Information Asymmetry:** Insurers not being able to classify the nodes due to the lack of information such as security levels opted by the firm, attack frequencies. Often, firms do not wish to share the data due to privacy issues and also due to the concern of reputation loss.

•**2)Non-Linearity:** Risk domain for cyber security can be said as non-linear, meaning, that same attack can cause either small or big losses in different occasions.

•**3)Correlated risks:** Due to the interdependent nature of the networks, security compromises can arise from the failure of security of independently owned systems to contribute to overall prevention



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