Welcome Message from Workshop Organizers

Since the advent of Smartphones, mobile applications have been one of the most thriving areas in the last few years. Thus, securing mobile applications as well as protecting private user data has to be considered as key research topics in the realm of security research. The International Workshop on Security of Mobile Applications (co-located with the ARES-conference) focuses on bringing together researchers from all over the world to share their experience and present recent research, as well as strives to initiate discussions regarding future research topics. The main focus of this year’s installment of IWSMA lies in the areas of Mobile ad-hoc Networks (MANETS) and security issues in the Android ecosystem.

The papers that were selected for this workshop cover several interesting topics in this big area, thus they should give an ideal starting point for further discussion, which we are looking forward to participate in, together with the authors and an active audience. Further interaction will be triggered by the panel discussion on future topics in mobile security.

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