Theo DE CASTRO PINTO

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Research topics

Formal Methods Automata Theory, Context-Free Grammars, Software Verification, SMT Theory

Program Analysis **Symbolic Execution, Binary Analysis, Software Verification, Interprocedural Analysis, Vulnerability Detection, Fault Injection**

Peer-reviewed publications

SPIN 2025 An Efficient and Versatile Approach to Shortest Path Problems in Interprocedural Programs

Theo De Castro Pinto, Antoine Rollet, Grégoire Sutre Accepted, publication scheduled for early May

SEFM 2023 Guiding Symbolic Execution with A-star

Theo De Castro Pinto, Antoine Rollet, Grégoire Sutre, Ireneusz Tobor https://hal.science/hal-04288806

Education

2021-2025 **PhD Student:** LaBRI, Université de Bordeaux, Serma Safety and Security **Supervision:** Sébastien Ordas, Antoine Rollet, Grégoire Sutre, Ireneusz Tobor **Subject:** <u>Detecting physical vulnerabilities through automated binary analysis</u>

2019-2021 **Master in Computer Science** Software Verification with honour Université de Bordeaux

2016-2019 **Bachelor in Computer Science** with highest honour Université de Bordeaux (first and second years)

Cardiff Metropolitan University (third year)

Supervision

2024 **Guilhem Ardouin (3 month internship)** *Implementation of A*-based heuristic in KLEE*

2024 **Mohammed Bouhaja (3 month supervision)** *Creation of a poster describing shortest-path problems*

Teaching (~ 230 hours)

2025 **Introduction to research** (12 hours)

2024 Introduction to algorithmic (35 hours)

I was in complete charge of this integrated course (1st year at ENSEIRB-MATMECA)

2024 Algorithmic project, imperative programming (25 hours)

Practical work (1st year at ENSEIRB-MATMECA)

2024 Internship (2 hours)

Oral examination (2nd year at ENSEIRB-MATMECA)

2023 Introduction to algorithmic (17.5 hours)

I was in charge of half of this integrated course (1st year at ENSEIRB-MATMECA)

2023 **Object Approach** (24 hours)

Practical work (1st year of Computer Science Master at Université de Bordeaux)

2023 **Algorithmic project, functionnal programming** (25 hours)

Practical work (1st year at ENSEIRB-MATMECA)

2022 Formal Methods and Applications (3 hours)

One-off intervention (3rd year at ENSEIRB-MATMECA)

2022 Logic and Proofs (14 hours)

I was in charge of half of this course (1st year at ENSEIRB-MATMECA)

2021 **Python Programming** (24 hours)

Practical work (1st year of MISCIPCG Bachelor at Université de Bordeaux)

2020 Computer Science Tutoring (~50 hours)

Helping students with difficulties (1st to 3rd year of Computer Science Bachelor at Université de Bordeaux)

Talks

2025 **SPIN 2025, Hamilton**

"An Efficient and Versatile Approach to Shortest Path Problems in Interprocedural Programs"

2024 Semi-doc AFoDIB, Talence

"Guiding Symbolic Execution with A-star"

2023 **SEFM 2023, Eindhoven**

"Guiding Symbolic Execution with A-star"

2022 **AFADL 2022, Vannes**

"Analyse automatisée de binaires à la recherche de vulnérabilités matérielles"

Miscellaneous

Languages French, native

English, fluent German, B2-C1

AFoDIB **Vice president of the AFoDIB** (Association de la Formation Doctorale d' Informatique

de Bordeaux)