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Education

2003 - 2008 **University of Cambridge, England**
Ph.D. in Computer Science (Advisor: Prof. Martin Richards)
1996 - 2001 **Simon Fraser University, Canada**
B.Sc. in Computer Science

Current Positions

2022 - **Full Professor of Computer Science**
ETH Zurich, Switzerland
2022 - **Founder and Scientific Director**
INSAIT, Sofia, Bulgaria

Previous Positions

2017 - 2022 **Associate Professor of Computer Science (Tenured)**
2012 - 2017 **Assistant Professor of Computer Science (Tenure-Track)**
ETH Zurich, Switzerland
2007 - 2011 **Research Staff Member**
IBM T.J. Watson Research Center, New York, USA

Fellowships and Awards

- Distinguished Paper Awards, ACM CCS 2022, ACM CCS 2023
- 5 spotlight awards, ICLR (2022:1, 2023:2, 2024:2)
- IETF/IRTF Applied Networking Research Prize, 2021
- ERC Consolidator Grant, 2021
- ACM SIGCOMM Best Student Paper Award (with my PhD student Samuel Steffen), 2020
- ACM SIGPLAN Robin Milner Young Researcher Award, 2019
 (“...for major contributions to many areas of programming languages...”)
- ACM SIGPLAN and Communications of the ACM Research Highlights, 2016, 2018
- Oral selection, NeurIPS 2018
- Distinguished Paper and Outstanding Artifact Awards, ACM OOPSLA 2013, 2016
- ERC Starting Grant, 2015
- Google Faculty Research Awards, 2014, 2015
- Facebook Faculty Award, 2015
- Best Paper Award, Runtime Verification, 2010
- John Atanasoff Award, awarded by President of Bulgaria, 2009
- Extraordinary Research Accomplishment Award, IBM Research, 2009
- Outstanding Technical Achievement and Research Division Awards, IBM Research, 2006, 2009

Graduated PhD Students at ETH Zurich I graduated 17 PhD students at ETH Zurich several of whom received prestigious research awards for their dissertations:

- Dr. Veselin Raychev won the ACM Doctoral Dissertation, Honorable mention (top 3 PhD thesis worldwide in computer science).
- Dr. Gagandeep Singh received the ACM SIGPLAN Doctoral Dissertation Award (best PhD thesis worldwide in programming languages).
- Dr. Samuel Steffen was awarded the ACM SIGSAC Doctoral Dissertation Award Runner-Up (top 2 PhD thesis worldwide in computer security).
- Dr. Benjamin Bichsel received both the ACM SIGPLAN Doctoral Dissertation Award (best PhD thesis worldwide in programming languages).
- Dr. Rüdiger Birkner was awarded the 2022 EuroSys Roger Needham Ph.D. Award.
- Dr. Timon Gehr received the ETH medal for an outstanding dissertation at ETH Zurich Computer Science upon graduation.
- Dr. Dimitar K. Dimitrov received the ETH medal for an outstanding dissertation at ETH Zurich Computer Science upon graduation.
- Dr. Jingxuan He received the ETH medal for an outstanding dissertation at ETH Zurich Computer Science upon graduation.

Deep-Tech Startups I have co-founded 6 deep-tech startups:

- LatticeFlow, building a platform for delivering robust and trustworthy AI systems.
- DeepCode, an AI-based code review system, acquired by security unicorn Snyk.
- ChainSecurity, smart contract security audits based on formal mathematical guarantees, acquired by PwC.
- NetFabric, focused on AI-based network monitoring.
- Invariant Labs, dedicated to developing advanced security solutions for autonomous AI agents.
- LogicStar, a company developing AI agents that autonomously resolve bugs.

Patents As part of IBM Research, I filed 15 U.S. patents with 9 granted. Source: Google patent search (<https://shorturl.at/BUCis>).