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Personal Details

Full Name: Krzysztof Zbigniew Pietrzak
Citizenship: Swiss & Polish.
Languages: German & Swiss-German, English, Polish (fluent), French,
Dutch (speak/read), Norwegian (read)

Research Interests

I have a broad interest in foundational and practical aspects of cryptography.

Current Employment

- **Institute of Science and Technology Austria (ISTA)** Vienna, Austria
Professor (Promoted from Assistant to Full Professor in Aug 2016) Aug 2011-current

Previous Employment

- **CWI (Centrum Wiskunde & Informatica)** Amsterdam, Netherlands
Scientific staff member in the Crypto Group (Head Ronald Cramer) Jan 2007-Jul 2011
- **École Normale Supérieure** Paris, France
Postdoc in the Crypto Group (Head David Pointcheval) Jan-Dec 2006

Selected Distinctions

- **ERC Starting Grant (1.12mio €)** 2010-2015
Provable Security for Physical Cryptography (PSPC)
- **ERC Consolidator Grant (1.8mio €)** 2016-2021
Teaching Old Crypto New Tricks (TOCNeT)
- **Best Paper Awards at**
Eurocrypt 2011, 2017 and 2018

Education

- **ETH** Zürich, Switzerland
PhD in Cryptography 2001 - 2005
– Adviser: Prof. Ueli Maurer.

– Title: Indistinguishability and Composition of Random Systems.

- **ETH** Zürich, Switzerland
Dipl.Inf.Ing.ETH (Master Degree in Computer Science) 1996 - 2001
 - Minor subject: Quantum Physics.
 - Diploma thesis done at McGill (see below.)
- **McGill University** Montréal, Canada
Diploma Thesis autumn 2001
 - Advisers: Prof. Michael Hallett (McGill) and Prof. Gaston Gonnet (ETH).
 - Title: *On the Parameterized Complexity of the fixed Alphabet Shortest Common Supersequence and Longest Common Subsequence Problems*. Appeared as [J. Comput. Syst. Sci. 67 (4) (2003), pp. 757-771].
- **NTNU** Trondheim, Norway
Erasmus Exchange Semester winter 2000

Teaching

Teaching

- **IST Austria** Austria
 - autumn 18 & 19 (at TU Vienna) Introduction to modern cryptography
 - autumn 16 & 17 CS core course
 - autumn 12,13 & 14 Algorithms I (core module)
 - spring 13 Algorithms II (core module)
 - spring 12,13 & 14 Complexity Theory (core module)
 - spring 13 Cryptography (block-course)
- **University of Amsterdam** Netherlands
 - spring 11 Complexity Theory (mastermath course)

Teaching Assistance

- **ETH Zürich** Switzerland
 - summer 03 & 04 Kryptographische Protokolle (lecturer Prof. Ueli Maurer)
 - winter 02 & 03 Informationssicherheit und Kryptographie (Prof. Ueli Maurer)
 - winter 01 Informatik 2 (Prof. Emo Welzl)
 - summer 99 Information und Kommunikation (Prof. Ueli Maurer)

Supervision

- **Current and former PhD Students**
at IST Austria
 - Christoph Günther (since 2022, to graduate in 2026)
 - Miguel Cueto Noval (since 2021, to graduate in 2026)
 - Mirza Ahad Baig (since 2020, to graduate in 2026)
 - Charlotte Hoffmann (2021-2025 “Theory and Applications of Verifiable Delay Functions”, now postdoc)

- Guillermo Pascual Perez (2019-2024 “On the Efficiency and Security of Secure Group Messaging”)
- Michelle Yeo (2019-2023 “Advances in Efficiency and Privacy in Payment Channel Network Analysis”)
- Karen Azari (former Klein) (2016-2021 “On the Adaptive Security of Graph-based Games”)
- Chethan Kamath (2015-2019 “On the Average-Case Hardness of Total Search Problems”)
- Hamza Abusalah (2014-2017 “Proof systems for sustainable decentralized cryptocurrencies”)
- Michal Rybar (2013-2017 “The exact security of message authentication codes”)

• **Current and former Postdocs**

at IST Austria

- Ray Neiheiser (since 9.2022)
- Akin Ünal (since 4.2024)
- Anshu Yavad (9.2023-1.2026)
- Avarikioti Georgia (5.2021 to 3.2022, IST fellow, co-supervised with Tim Roughgarden)
- Suvradip Chakraborty (1.2020 to 12.2021)
- Benedikt Auerbach (12.2019 to 9.2024)
- Michael Walter (1.2018-6.2021)
- Maciej Skorski (2016-2017)
- Joel Alwen (2014-2018)
- Georg Fuchsbauer (2013-2016)
- Peter Gazi (2013-2017)
- Stephan Krenn (2012-2013)

• **Interns and Summer Students**

at IST Austria and CWI Amsterdam

- Linus Klockner (TU Wien, Intern, 3.2026-5.2026)
- Mahdi Ali Hamad (Harvard, Intern, 10.2025-4.2026)
- Emiel Wiedijk (University of Amsterdam, 1.2024-5.2024)
- Pengxiang Wang (University of Michigan, 5.2023-11.2023)
- Matthias Pleschiner (Uni Salzburg, Intern, 7.2023)
- Konrad Klier (TU Wien, Intern, 4.2023-5.2023)
- Mahsa Bastankhah (Sharif, ISTernship followed by internship 9.2021-1.2022)
- Ahmadreza Rahimi (University of Virginia, visiting PhD student, 2019)
- Margarite Capretto (University of Rosario/Argentina, ISTern, Summer 2019)
- Miguel Cueto (University of Oviedo/Spain, ISTern, Summer 2019)
- Arka Rai Choudhuri (John Hopkins, graduate summer student, 2018)
- Samarth Tiwari (NYU, ISTernship, Summer 2018)
- Sasha Lapiga (Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv, ISTernship, Summer 2018)
- Anastasia Kucherenko (Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv, ISTernship, Summer 2017)
- Mukesh Pareek (IIT Bombay, ISTernship, 2017)
- Hana Dlouha (CTU in Prague, ISTernship, 2017)
- Theresa Steiner (TU Wien, student intern, 2016)
- Danylo Khilko (Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv, ISTernship, 2016)
- Zahra Jafargholi (UCLA, graduate summer student, 2014)
- Maciej Skorski (U of Warsaw, graduate summer student, 2012/13/14/15)
- Sophie Stevens (Bristol, ISTernship, 2014)
- Kristian Tokmakov (Oxford, ISTernship, 2014)
- Alexander Golovnev (NYU, graduate summer student, 2014)
- Momchil Konstantinov (Oxford, ISTernship, 2013)
- Vanishree Rao (UCLA, graduate summer student, 2013)
- Akshay Wadia (UCLA, graduate summer student, 2012)

– Aris Tentes (NYU, graduate summer student, 2011)

Professional Activities

- **Program co-Chair:** TCC (IACR Theory of Cryptography Conference) 2020
Program Committees:
Theory of Cryptography Conference (TCC) 2011, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2020 & 2024
EUROCRYPT 2009, 2012, 2017, 2019
CRYPTO 2009, 2014, 2026
Financial Cryptography (FC) 2025 & 2026
Advances in Financial Technologies (AFT) 2024, 2025 & 2026 Conference on Security and Cryptography for Networks (SCN) 2010
MFCS 2011
PKC 2012 & 2025
CHES 2012
STOC 2018
- **General chair:** Eurocrypt 2016, Vienna. <https://www.iacr.org/conferences/eurocrypt2016/>
General chair: International Conference on Information Theoretic Security - ICITS. May 21-24 2011, Amsterdam, Netherlands. <http://event.cwi.nl/icits2011/>
- **Organizer:** Summer school on *Symmetric Proof Techniques*, July 29 to August 3, 2018, Bertinoro, Italy. <https://spotniq.school/>
Organizer: Austrian Computer Science Day 2013. May 3, IST Austria.
<http://ist.ac.at/austrian-computer-science-day-2013/home/>
Organizer: Workshop *Provable Security against Physical Attacks*. Lorentz Center, Feb. 15-19 2010, Leiden, Netherlands. <http://www.lorentzcenter.nl/lc/web/2010/383/extra.php3?wsid=383>
- **Scientific advisor:** Chia network chia.net
- **Steering Committee:** TCC (Theory of Cryptography Conference), since 2022
<https://www.iacr.org/workshops/tcc/sc.html>
Steering Committee: Austrian Computer Science Day.
- **Board:** Informatik Austria www.informatikaustria.at

Talks/Tutorials, Talks/Panels for general public etc. (since 2007)

Selected Talks/Panels for General Public

- Oct. 2018 Panel at Europa Forum Wachau, Klosterneuburg, Austria.
http://www.noel.gv.at/noe/Europa_Forum_Wachau__Erfolgreicher_Start_der_Salonreihe.html
- Sep. 2018 Netzpolitischer Abend, Metalab, Vienna: *Nachhaltige Blockchains*
- Sep. 2018 Internet Summit Austria 2018: *Nachhaltige Blockchains*
computerwelt.at/news/blockchain-jenseits-von-bitcoin-co

Tutorials/Lectures at Schools

- Nov. 2025 TU Wien, Public Lecture Series: Sustainability in Computer Science 2025, *Blockchains and Sustainability*.
- Nov. 2024 TU Wien, Public Lecture Series: Sustainability in Computer Science 2024, *Sustainable Blockchains*.
- Nov. 2023 TU Wien, Public Lecture Series: Sustainability in Computer Science 2023, *Sustainable Blockchains*.
- Apr. 2022 IACR-CROSSING School on Combinatorial Techniques in Cryptography, Malta: *Pebbling techniques in Cryptography*.
- Jul. 2018 Summer school on Symmetric Proof Techniques, Bertinoro, Italy: *Lower & Upper Bounds on inverting functions*.
- Jul. 2018 CryptoBG International Summer School, Oriahovitzha, Bulgaria: *Beyond Proofs of Work: New Proof Systems for Sustainable Blockchains*.
- Nov. 2016 COST-IACR School on Randomness in Cryptography, Barcelona: *Lectures on Pseudoentropy*.
- Oct. 2012 ECRYPT II Summer School on Lattices, Porto: *Secret-Key Cryptography from LPN*.
- Aug. 2009 Crypto in the clouds Workshop, MIT Boston: *Survey on Different Leakage Models*.
- Dec. 2007 Short Course in Cryptology Mathematical Institute Leiden: *Basic Concepts*.
- Dec. 2007 Indocrypt 2007, Post-Conference Tutorial, Chennai - India: *Robust Combiners*.

Invited Talks/Talks at Invitation only Workshops

- Aug. 2025 Berkeley, The Science of Blockchain Conference 2025 (SBC'25): *Permissionless Blockchains from Physical Resources*.
- Jul. 2025 Berkley, Simons Institute: *Efficiently Testable Circuits*.
- Sep. 2020 VISP Workshop on Security and Privacy in Contact Tracing: *Relay, replay and inverse-sybil attacks in automated contact tracing*.
- Dec. 2019 Asiacrypt 2019 Invited lecture: *New proof systems for sustainable blockchains: proofs of space and verifiable delay functions*.
- Oct. 2018 FOCS 2018 Workshop (Theory of Blockchains and Cryptocurrency): *Proofs of Sequential Work and Verifiable Delay Functions*.
- Aug. 2018 Stanford, Ethereum Foundation workshop on Verifiable Delay Functions: *Cryptographic Speed-bumps: Time-Lock Puzzles, PoSW and VDFs*.
- Jan. 2017 Oberwolfach Workshop: *Beyond Hellman's Time-Memory Trade-Offs*.
- Jul. 2015 Simons Institute, Berkeley: *Nested Hybrids*.
- Apr. 2015 Workshop in Cryptography at Bochum University: *Adaptive Security via the Nested Hybrids Technique*.
- Sep. 2014 10-year anniversary of the RISC crypto meetings, Amsterdam: *Nested hybrid arguments with applications to selective decryption and constrained PRFs*.
- May. 2014 CECC14, Central European Conference on Cryptology, Budapest *Cryptographic Applications of (Computational) Min-Entropy*.
- Dec. 2013 Visions of Cryptography: a two-day workshop on theory of cryptography, Weizmann institute: *Nested Hybrids*.
- Oct. 2012 ECRYPT II Summer School on Lattices: *Secret-Key Cryptography from LPN*.
- Nov. 2012 Workshop on Physical Attacks: *Challenges in Leakage-Resilient Symmetric Cryptography*.
- Aug. 2012 ICITS 2012: *How to Fake Auxiliary Input*.
- Jun. 2012 Austrian Computer Science Day 2012: *Leakage-Resilient Cryptography*.
- Apr. 2012 Workshop in honour of Alan Turing's 100th Birthday on "Formal and Computational Cryptographic Proofs", Newton Institute, Cambridge: *How to Fake Auxiliary Input*
- Jan. 2012 SOFSEM 2012: *Efficient Cryptography from Hard Learning Problems*.
- Sep. 2011 Dagstuhl Seminar "Public-Key Cryptography": *Commitments and Efficient ZeroKnowledge from Hard Learning Problems*.
- Jul. 2011 International Math Olympiad (IMO) 2011, Amsterdam (Visit of Participants at CWI): *When Life Gives you Hard Problems, Make Crypto!*
- Feb. 2011 Mathematics of Information-Theoretic Cryptography, Institute for Pure & Applied Mathematics (IPAM), UCLA: *Subspace LWE and Applications*.
- Jan. 2011 Trends in Theoretical Cryptography, Tsinghua University, Beijing, China: *Efficient MACs from (subspace) LPN*.
- Aug. 2010 Cloud Cryptography Workshop, Microsoft Research, Redmond: *Subspace LWE*.
- Aug. 2009 Crypto in the clouds Workshop, MIT Boston: *On leakage-resilient pseudorandom functions*.
- Aug. 2009 Western European Workshop on Research in Cryptology, Graz, Austria: *Provable security for physical cryptography*.
- Mai. 2009 Workshop on Cryptographic Protocols and Public-Key Cryptography, Bertinoro, Italy: *Leakage-Resilient Public-Key Cryptography*.
- Dec. 2008 Dagstuhl Seminar "Theoretical Foundations of Practical Information Security": *Theoretical Foundations of Side-Channel Security*.
- Sep. 2008 University Wrocław: *Leakage-Resilient Cryptography, Schemes Secure against all Side-Channel Attacks*.
- Jun. 2008 Lorentz Center (Leiden) Workshop "Hash functions in cryptology: theory and practice" : *Uninstantiability of Full-Domain Hash*.
- Sep. 2007 Dagstuhl Seminar "Cryptography": *Black-Box Combiners for Collision Resistance Really don't Exist*.

Conference Talks

- Apr. 2018 EUROCRYPT 2017, Tel-Aviv, *Simple Proofs of Sequential Work*.
- Mar. 2015 TCC 2015, Warsaw, Poland: *Key-Homomorphic Constrained Pseudorandom Functions*.
- Aug. 2013 CRYPTO 2013, Santa Barbara: *Digital Signatures with Minimal Overhead from Indifferentiable Random Invertible Functions*.
- Apr. 2012 EUROCRYPT 2012, Cambridge, England: *Message Authentication, Revisited*.
- Mar. 2012 TCC 2012, Taormina, Italy: *Subspace LWE*.
- May 2011 EUROCRYPT 2011, Tallinn, Estonia: *Efficient Authentication from Hard Learning Problems (Best Paper Talk)*.
- Dec. 2010 ASIACRYPT 2010, Singapore: *Leakage-Resilient ElGamal Encryption*.
- Aug. 2010 CRYPTO 2010, Santa-Barbara - USA/CA: *Leakage-Resilient Pseudorandom Functions and Side-Channel Attacks on Feistel Networks*.
- Apr. 2009 EUROCRYPT 2009, Köln - Germany: *A leakage-resilient mode of operation*.
- Aug. 2008 CRYPTO 2008, Santa-Barbara - USA/CA: *Compression from collisions, or why CRHF combiners have a long output*.
- Jul. 2008 35th International Colloquium on Automata, Languages and Programming, ICALP 2008, Reykjavik - Iceland: *Weak Pseudorandom Functions in Minicrypt*.
- Apr. 2008 EUROCRYPT 2008, Istanbul - Turkey: *A New Mode of Operation for Block Ciphers and Length-Preserving MACs*.
- May 2007 EUROCRYPT 2007, Barcelona - Spain: *Range Extension for Weak PRFs; The Good, the Bad and the Ugly*.
- May 2007 EUROCRYPT 2007, Barcelona - Spain: *Non-Trivial Black-Box Combiners for Collision-Resistant Hash-Functions Don't Exist*.
- Mar. 2007 FSE 2007, Luxembourg City - Luxembourg: *Improving the Security of MACs via Randomized Message Preprocessing*.
- Feb. 2007 TCC 2007, Amsterdam, Netherlands: *Parallel Repetition of Computationally Sound Protocols Revisited*.

Publications

See <https://dblp.org/pers/hd/p/Pietrzak:Krzysztof> for an automatically updated list.

Preprints

1. Christoph U. Günther, and Krzysztof Pietrzak; *Preventing Sybil Attacks in Peer-to-Peer Networks using Proofs of Space*. **under submission** <https://eprint.iacr.org/2025/804>
2. Zeta Avarikioti, Ray Neiheiser, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Michelle X. Yeo; *Wonderboom – Efficient, and Censorship-Resilient Signature Aggregation for Million Scale Consensus*. **under submission** <https://arxiv.org/abs/2602.06655>
3. Stefan Dziembowski and Sebastian Faust and Paweł Kedzior and Marcin Mielniczuk and Susil Kumar Mohanty and Krzysztof Pietrzak; *Beholder Signatures*. **under submission** <https://eprint.iacr.org/2025/1900>
4. Charlotte Hoffmann and Krzysztof Pietrzak; *Blind Verifiable Delay Functions*. **under submission**
5. Charlotte Hoffmann and Krzysztof Pietrzak; *SPoCK: Sequential Proofs of Complete Knowledge*. **under submission**

2025

6. Benedikt Auerbach, Miguel Cueto Noval, Boran Erol, and Krzysztof Pietrzak. *Continuous group-key agreement: Concurrent updates without pruning*. **CRYPTO 2025**
7. Mirza Ahad Baig, Christoph U. Günther, and Krzysztof Pietrzak. *Nakamoto consensus from multiple resources*. **ATF 2025**
8. Jesko Dujmovic, Christoph U. Günther, and Krzysztof Pietrzak; *Space-deniable proofs*. **TCC 2025**
9. Charlotte Hoffmann and Krzysztof Pietrzak; *Watermarkable and zero-knowledge verifiable delay functions from any proof of exponentiation*. **PKC 2025**
10. Krzysztof Pietrzak and Pengxiang Wang; *Time-space tradeoffs of truncation with preprocessing*. **ITC 2025**

2024

11. Michael Anastos, Benedikt Auerbach, Mirza Ahad Baig, Miguel Cueto Noval, Matthew Kwan, Guillermo Pascual-Perez, and Krzysztof Pietrzak; *The cost of maintaining keys in dynamic groups with applications to multicast encryption and group messaging*. **TCC 2024**
12. Benedikt Auerbach, Christoph U. Günther, and Krzysztof Pietrzak. *Trapdoor memory-hard functions*. **EUROCRYPT 2024**
13. Zeta Avarikioti, Mahsa Bastankhah, Mohammad Ali Maddah-Ali, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Jakub Svoboda, and Michelle Yeo; *Route discovery in private payment channel networks*. **ESORCS 2024**
14. Krishnendu Chatterjee, Amirali Ebrahim-Zadeh, Mehrdad Karrabi, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Michelle Yeo, and Dorde Zikelic; *Fully automated selfish mining analysis in efficient proof systems blockchains*. **PODC 2024**
15. Christoph U. Günther and Krzysztof Pietrzak; *Deniability in automated contact tracing: Impossibilities and possibilities*. **Proc. Priv. Enhancing Technol. 2024**

2023

16. Benedikt Auerbach, Miguel Cueto Noval, Guillermo Pascual-Perez, and Krzysztof Pietrzak; *On the cost of post-compromise security in concurrent continuous group-key agreement*. **TCC 2023**
17. Mirza Ahad Baig, Suvradip Chakraborty, Stefan Dziembowski, Malgorzata Galazka, Tomasz Lizurej, and Krzysztof Pietrzak; *Efficiently testable circuits*. **ITCS 2023**
18. Mirza Ahad Baig, Suvradip Chakraborty, Stefan Dziembowski, Malgorzata Galazka, Tomasz Lizurej, and Krzysztof Pietrzak; *Efficiently testable circuits without conductivity*. **TCC 2023**
19. Yevgeniy Dodis, Niels Ferguson, Eli Goldin, Peter Hall, and Krzysztof Pietrzak; *Random oracle combiners: Breaking the concatenation barrier for collision-resistance*. **CRYPTO 2023**
20. Charlotte Hoffmann, Pavel Hubáček, Chethan Kamath, and Krzysztof Pietrzak; *Certifying giant nonprimes*. **PKC 2023**

2022

21. Samarth Tiwari, Michelle Yeo, Zeta Avarikioti, Iosif Salem, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Stefan Schmid: *Wiser: Increasing throughput in payment channel networks with transaction aggregation*. **AFT 2022**
22. Charlotte Hoffmann, Pavel Hubáček, Chethan Kamath, Karen Klein, Krzysztof Pietrzak: *Practical Statistically-Sound Proofs of Exponentiation* **CRYPTO 2022**
23. Joël Alwen, Benedikt Auerbach, Miguel Cueto, Karen Klein, Guillermo Pascual-Perez, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Michael Walter: *CoCoA: Concurrent Continuous Group Key Agreement*. **EUROCRYPT 2022**
24. Zeta Avarikioti, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Iosif Salem, Stefan Schmid, Samarth Tiwari, Michelle Yeo: *Hide & Seek: Privacy-Preserving Rebalancing on Payment Channel Networks*. **Financial Cryptography 2022**

2021

25. Joel Alwen, Margarita Capretto, Miguel Cueto, Chethan Kamath, Karen Klein, Guillermo Pascual-Perez, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Michael Walter: *Keep the Dirt: Tainted TreeKEM, an Efficient and Provably Secure Continuous Group Key Agreement Protocol*. **IEEE S&P 2021**
26. Benedikt Auerbach, Karen Klein, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Michael Walter, Suvradip Chakraborty, Guillermo Pascual Perez, Michelle Yeo: *Inverse-Sybil Attacks in Automated Contact Tracing*. **CT-RSA 2021**
27. Joël Alwen, Benedikt Auerbach, Mirza Ahad Baig, Miguel Cueto Noval, Karen Klein, Guillermo Pascual-Perez, Krzysztof Pietrzak, and Michael Walter. *Grafting key trees: Efficient key management for overlapping groups*. **TCC 2021**
28. Suvradip Chakraborty, Stefan Dziembowski, Malgorzata Galazka, Tomasz Lazurej, Krzysztof Pietrzak, and Michelle Yeo. *Trojan-resilience without cryptography*. **TCC 2021**
29. Chethan Kamath, Karen Klein, and Krzysztof Pietrzak. *On treewidth, separators and yao's garbling*. **TCC 2021**
30. Chethan Kamath, Karen Klein, Krzysztof Pietrzak, and Michael Walter. *The cost of adaptivity in security games on graphs*. **TCC 2021**
31. Chethan Kamath, Karen Klein, Krzysztof Pietrzak, and Daniel Wichs. *Limits on the adaptive security of yao's garbling*. **CRYPTO 2021**
32. Krzysztof Pietrzak, Iosif Salem, Stefan Schmid, and Michelle Yeo. *Lightpir: Privacy-preserving route discovery for payment channel networks*. **IFIP Networking 2021**

2020

33. Krzysztof Pietrzak: *Delayed Authentication: Preventing Replay and Relay Attacks in Private Contact Tracing*. **INDOCRYPT 2020**

2019

34. Hamza Abusalah, Chethan Kamath, Karen Klein, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Michael Walter: *Reversible Proofs of Sequential Work*. **EUROCRYPT 2019**
35. Georg Fuchsbauer, Chethan Kamath, Karen Klein, Krzysztof Pietrzak: *Adaptively Secure Proxy Re-encryption*. **PKC 2019**

36. Arka Rai Choudhuri, Pavel Hubacek, Chethan Kamath, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Alon Rosen, Guy N. Rothblum: *Finding a Nash equilibrium is no easier than breaking Fiat-Shamir*. **STOC 2019**
37. Krzysztof Pietrzak: Simple Verifiable Delay Functions. *Innovations in Theoretical Computer Science (ITCS) 2019*
38. Krzysztof Pietrzak: Proofs of Catalytic Space. *Innovations in Theoretical Computer Science (ITCS) 2019*

2018

39. Stefan Dziembowski and Krzysztof Pietrzak and Daniel Wichs: Non-Malleable Codes. In **Journal of the ACM**, 5(4): 20:1-20:32, 2018 (journal version of conference paper [86]).
40. Joël Alwen, Peter Gazi, Chethan Kamath, Karen Klein, Georg Osang, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Leonid Reyzin, Michal Rolinek and Michal Rybár: On the Memory-Hardness of Data-Independent Password-Hashing Functions. In **AsiaCCS 2018**
41. Joël Alwen, Jeremiah Blocki and Krzysztof Pietrzak: Sustained Space Complexity. In **EUROCRYPT 2017**
42. Bram Cohen and Krzysztof Pietrzak: Simple Proofs of Sequential Work. In **EUROCRYPT 2018** (best paper award)

2017

43. Hamza Abusalah, Joël Alwen, Bram Cohen, Danylo Khilko, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Leonid Reyzin: Beyond Hellman's Time-Memory Trade-Offs with Applications to Proofs of Space In **ASIACRYPT 2017**
44. Joshua Brody, Stefan Dziembowski, Sebastian Faust and Krzysztof Pietrzak: Position-Based Cryptography and Multiparty Communication Complexity In **TCC 2017**
45. Eike Kiltz, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Daniele Venturi, David Cash and Abhishek Jain: Efficient Authentication from Hard Learning Problems **J. Cryptology**, 30(4): 1238-1275, 2017. (invited journal version of conference paper [80]).
46. Zahra Jafargholi, Chethan Kamath, Karen Klein, Ilan Komargodski, Krzysztof Pietrzak and Daniel Wichs: Be Adaptive, Avoid Overcommitting In **CRYPTO 2017**
47. Joël Alwen, Jeremiah Blocki, Krzysztof Pietrzak: Depth-Robust Graphs and Their Cumulative Memory Complexity. In **EUROCRYPT 2017**
48. Joël Alwen, Binyi Chen, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Leonid Reyzin, and Stefano Tessaro: Script Is Maximally Memory-Hard. In **EUROCRYPT 2017** (best paper award)
49. Krzysztof Pietrzak, and Maciej Skorski. Non-Uniform Attacks Against Pseudentropy. In **ICALP 2017**

2016

50. Stephan Krenn, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Akshay Wadia, and Daniel Wichs. A counterexample to the chain rule for conditional HILL entropy. In **Computational Complexity** 25(3): 567-605 (2016)
51. Peter Gazi, Krzysztof Pietrzak, and Michal Rybár. The Exact Security of PMAC. In **IACR Trans. Symmetric Cryptol.** 2016(2): 145-161 (2016)

52. Hamza Abusalah, Georg Fuchsbauer, and Krzysztof Pietrzak. Offline witness encryption. In **ACNS 2016**
53. Joël Alwen, Binyi Chen, Chethan Kamath, Vladimir Kolmogorov, Krzysztof Pietrzak, and Stefano Tessaro. On the complexity of Scrypt and proofs of space in the parallel random oracle model. In **EUROCRYPT 2016**
54. Krzysztof Pietrzak, and Maciej Skorski. Pseudoentropy: Lower-Bounds for Chain Rules and Transformations. In **TCC 2016**
55. Georg Fuchsbauer, Felix Heuer, Eike Kiltz, and Krzysztof Pietrzak. Standard security does imply security against selective opening for markov distributions. In **TCC 2016**
56. Hamza Abusalah, Georg Fuchsbauer, and Krzysztof Pietrzak. Constrained PRFs for unbounded inputs. In **CT-RSA 2016**

2015

57. Abhishek Banerjee, Georg Fuchsbauer, Chris Peikert, Krzysztof Pietrzak, and Sophie Stevens. Key-homomorphic constrained pseudorandom functions. In **TCC 2015**
58. Fabrice Benhamouda, Stephan Krenn, Vadim Lyubashevsky, and Krzysztof Pietrzak. Efficient zero-knowledge proofs for commitments from learning with errors over rings. In **ESORICS 2015**
59. Stefan Dziembowski, Sebastian Faust, Vladimir Kolmogorov, and Krzysztof Pietrzak. Proofs of space. In **CRYPTO 2015**
60. Georg Fuchsbauer, Zahra Jafargholi, and Krzysztof Pietrzak. A quasipolynomial reduction for generalized selective decryption on trees. In **CRYPTO 2015**
61. Peter Gaži, Krzysztof Pietrzak, and Stefano Tessaro. The exact PRF security of truncation: Tight bounds for keyed sponges and truncated CBC. In **CRYPTO 2015**
62. Peter Gaži, Krzysztof Pietrzak, and Stefano Tessaro. Generic security of NMAC and HMAC with input whitening. In **ASIACRYPT 2015**
63. Tatsuaki Okamoto, Krzysztof Pietrzak, Brent Waters, and Daniel Wichs. New realizations of somewhere statistically binding hashing and positional accumulators. In **ASIACRYPT 2015**
64. Krzysztof Pietrzak and Maciej Skorski. The chain rule for HILL pseudoentropy, revisited. In **LATINCRYPT 2015**
65. Maciej Skorski, Alexander Golovnev, and Krzysztof Pietrzak. Condensed unpredictability. In **ICALP 2015**

2014

66. Marc Fischlin, Anja Lehmann, and Krzysztof Pietrzak. Robust multi-property combiners for hash functions. *J. Cryptology*, 27(3):397–428, 2014. (conference version [92]).
67. Georg Fuchsbauer, Momchil Konstantinov, Krzysztof Pietrzak, and Vanishree Rao. Adaptive security of constrained PRFs. In **ASIACRYPT 2014**
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