Message from the
22nd USENIX Security Symposium
Program Chair

It is my great pleasure to welcome you to the 22nd USENIX Security Symposium. We have an outstanding event in store for you, and for that, I thank all of you—the authors, the invited speakers, the program committee members and other organizers, the external reviewers, the sponsors, the USENIX staff, and the attendees. The USENIX Security Symposium would not be the premier venue that it is if it were not for your involvement.

This year, USENIX Security received 277 submissions. As in previous years, the program committee used a multi-round reviewing process. The authors of submissions were not revealed to the reviewers, and every paper was reviewed by at least two reviewers. Papers that received a positive score in the first round were reviewed by one to four additional reviewers. The program committee met to discuss the submissions in April at the Microsoft Research campus in Redmond, Washington. Jaeyeon Jung at Microsoft Research devoted a huge amount of time to ensure that all aspects of the meeting ran smoothly; I am deeply grateful to her for all of her hard work as host. I would also like to thank Microsoft Research and USENIX for funding the meals during the PC meeting.

After very careful and extensive deliberations, the program committee decided to accept or conditionally accept 44 papers—a record for USENIX Security. The quality of these papers is very high—a testimony to the strength of our community!

The entire program committee invested a tremendous effort in reviewing and discussing these papers. Please join me in thanking the program committee and all the external reviewers, listed on page ii, for their countless hours of work. I would also like to thank Sonia Chiasson for serving as deputy chair and handling the submissions for which I had a conflict.

We also have a wonderful selection of invited talks for you. I would like to thank the invited talks committee— Michael Bailey, Elie Bursztein, Wenke Lee, and Stefan Savage—for all of the hard work they invested toward ensuring an exciting, interesting, educational, and invigorating invited talks track. The Poster and Rump Sessions have also been hits at previous USENIX Security Symposiums, and I think you will find them to be "can't miss" events at this year's USENIX Security too. I would like to thank Will Enck for serving as this year's Poster Session Chair, and Nikita Borisov for serving as this year's Rump Session Chair.

I am also deeply grateful to the entire staff at USENIX. They have worked incredibly hard to help make USENIX Security one of the top conferences in the field. Please join me in thanking them. Please also join me in thanking Joseph Schwartz for capturing USENIX Security on video.

Finally, I would like to thank all of the authors who submitted their research papers, posters, and Rump Session talks.

Welcome to Washington, DC for the 22nd USENIX Security Symposium! I hope you enjoy the conference.

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