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Special track

CCST: Recent Advances in Cloud Computing Security Technologies

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Cloud computing implementations have rapidly expanded in recent years. Cloud computing enables the creation and deployment of reliable, scalable, and high-performance services. The advances in cloud processing and storage paved the way for large-scale distributed computation and analysis of big data sets, which will benefit many areas in science, engineering, and medicine. Although cloud computing brings tremendous advantages and opportunities, security concerns still have a detrimental impact on its adoption and acceptability by businesses and organizations, especially the ones that deal with sensitive information. For such users, the loss of control over their data will introduce a high risk to confidentiality, privacy, and availability.

The goal of this special track is to bring together researchers, developers, users, students, and practitioners from the fields of cloud computing, big data, system architecture, virtualization, and high-performance computing, with an emphasis on how to build secure cloud computing platforms with real impact.

Topics include, but not limited to:

- Security of Cloud computing applications and services
- Novel security mechanisms in Cloud computing
- Big data security, database security, and distributed storage security
- Availability and fault tolerance for ubiquitous computing systems
- Analysis and evaluation of Cloud-based security
- Secure resource management in Cloud computing
- Deployment of security resources in Cloud systems
- Digital forensics in Cloud computing
- Cloud systems accountability & audit
• Authentication & authorization in the Cloud
• Cloud integrity and data verification mechanisms
• Blockchain-based secure Cloud services
• Cryptography in the Cloud
• Hypervisor and virtual machine security
• Identity management & security as a service
• Trust models and metrics for Cloud services
• Security of multi/federated Clouds
• Mobile Cloud computing security

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