



## 7th Workshop on Research for Insider Threats

WRIT

5 December 2022

Austin, TX, USA

We are excited to announce the 7<sup>th</sup> Workshop on Research for Insider Threats (WRIT), to be held in person in conjunction with the 2022 Annual Computer Security Applications Conference (ACSAC). WRIT highlights ongoing research into Insider Threat and Insider Risk related issues, to raise awareness and foster relationships between security researchers and practitioners from government, academia, and industry. WRIT 2022 welcomes students, researchers, and practitioners, and in the past has featured keynote addresses, presentations of peer-reviewed academic work, lightning round talks, panels, and interactive sessions.

Topics of interest range broadly, including both technical and behavioural issues, including, but not limited to:

- insider risk indicators and development
- improving screening and vetting processes
- using AI/ML to improve insider threat detection
- reducing workplace violence by insiders
- the impact of COVID on insider threats and detection
- data collection, aggregation, and analysis
- modelling and predictive analytics for identifying potential threat indicators
- linguistic approaches to identifying threat indicators
- adversarial and theoretical models of insider threats and attacks
- improving integration with HR to identify/mitigate risk
- insider threat use of and influence by social networks
- unintentional insider threats
- individual and organisational intervention
- privacy, security, and ethical issues related to detection

*For security researchers,*

WRIT 2022 is an opportunity to present your work to your peers, as well as practitioners in the operational community.

*For security professionals,*

WRIT 2022 is an excellent opportunity to review the latest developments in insider threat related work, and to engage with researchers to help shape the direction of future research priorities.

### **Technical Paper Submissions**

Submissions should be 5-10 pages, using the double-column ACM proceedings format (acmart) template available at <https://www.acm.org/publications/taps/word-template-workflow>, with the [sigconf, anonymous] options. Two additional pages can be used for the Appendix. Note that the reviewers are not expected to read the Appendix.

All submissions must be anonymous.

The submission website is at <https://easychair.org/conferences/?conf=writ2022>

## **Publication**

Accepted workshop papers will be published on the ACSAC website with open access.

## **Important Dates**

Submission Deadline: October 21, 2022

Acceptance Notification: November 4, 2022

Final Manuscript due: November 14, 2022

Workshop Date: December 5, 2022

Further details about the workshop can be found on the workshop website:

<https://www.acsac.org/2022/workshops/writ/>

Contact the workshop organizers at [writ22@easychair.org](mailto:writ22@easychair.org)

## **Program Committee Chairs**

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## **Workshop Registration**

If you are interested in attending, please check off the appropriate box on the conference registration form and add in the WRIT - Workshop on Research for Insider Threats Workshop fee.

The ACSAC registration page can be found at: <https://www.acsac.org/2022/registration/>

For accepted papers, at least one author must attend in person.