



NODES/KOPS Glögi 2014

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Mission

The Networking and Services unit educates experts and strategic leaders for the design and realization of new, global platforms and infrastructures.

Organization

The unit consists of four professors, five lecturers, and many post doctoral researchers and PhD candidates.

NODES is a community of interacting research groups in the field of networks and distributed systems, ranging from Internet protocols, wireless communication and ubiquitous computing to new challenges pertaining to globally interoperating business services and human-computer interaction.

News

- Our unit is 20 years old!
- New interaction lab
- New EU Horizon and Marie Curie projects!
- Intel donation for wearable security
- New book on mobile energy modelling and optimization from Cambridge University Press
- Success with the Carat project
- Best paper awards (Sigcomm CCR, AsiaCCS ...)
- We have a new security professor: Valteri Niemi
- Data Science profile started in the Fall
- International collaboration with top universities continues
- We co-organized EGI 2014

2014 in a nutshell

- System security and Big Data continue to be important trends
- New postdocs: Dr. Mohammad Hoque, Dr. Ashwin Rao
- Ph.D. theses: Eemil Lagerspetz, Sourav Bhattacharya (for ALKO)
- Ph.D. theses statistics
 - 2014: 2
 - 2013: 3
 - 2012: 3
- M.Sc. Theses statistics
 - 2014: 16, 2013: 22, 2012: 20

Specialization profiles

Future internet

- Building the internet and other global architectures, especially for mobile users' needs
- Internet-protocols, P2P, security, specification
- Internet of Things

Collaborative and interoperable computing

- Evolving open service ecosystems by providing global infrastructure solutions and service-oriented engineering practices and tools that enable semantic and pragmatic interoperability management
- Developing infrastructure services for service interoperability, contract-based collaboration control and management for dynamically formed business service collaborations amongst autonomous parties

Interactive systems

- Human-computer interaction
- Interaction Design
- Ubiquitous Computing
- Adaptive User Interfaces

Security

- System and protocol security
- Security and usability

Collaborative and
Interoperable computing
Lea Kutvonen

- Inter-enterprise collaboration
- Service interoperability and open service ecosystems
- Trust, reputation, privacy
- Service-oriented software engineering

Collaborative Networking
Jussi Kangasharju

- Information-centric networking
- Opportunistic networks
- Green networking

Interactive Systems
Giulio Jacucci
Eve Hoggan

- Multimodal interaction
- Ubiquitous and surface computing
- Adaptivity and Engagement in User Interfaces

Content-centric Structures and
Networking
Sasu Tarkoma

- Distributed services; mobile solutions
- Content in Future Internet
- Energy aware computing & communication

Wireless Internet
Markku Kojo

- Wireless and mobile computing
- Internet Protocol enhancements
- Seamless connectivity

Secure Systems
Valtteri Niemi
N. Asokan

- System and protocol security
- Mobile security
- Applied security

Ubiquitous Sensing
Petteri Nurmi

- Mobile sensing
- Ubiquitous computing

NODES Lab highlights

- Software-defined networks
- HCI Lab
- Home gateway testbed
- Wireless experiments
- Energy modelling
- Connection to the Ukko cluster for combined real-life and simulation/emulation experiments
- New HW



Group Talks

Prof. Tarkoma's Group

- The research group investigates new solutions for mobile and cloud computing
 - Mobile sensing, IoT, ubicomp, 5G
 - Personal data analytics
 - Security and privacy
 - Cloud computing and datacenters
- Methodology
 - Theory & experiments with prototype implementation / simulation

Research Vision

New kinds of applications, networks, and devices will revolutionize daily lives, which anticipate, adapt, and assist users.

Applications, networks, and devices will be data-driven, distributed, and cognitive adapting to changing operating conditions, security and privacy requirements, and end-user wishes by learning, predicting, and decision-making at runtime.

Distributed heterogeneous real-time self-optimising

Current Projects

*Carat and
CUBIC:Mobile
Crowdsensing in
Ubiquitous Cloud
Environments
2014-2017, AF*

*Everyday Sensing
Finland-China
2013-2015, Tekes*

*Internet of Things
2012-2015, SHOK*

*SWEN: Secure
Wearables*

*Intel Institute for
Secure Computing at
Helsinki (ICRI-SC)*

*Reknow
2013-2017,
Strategic Tekes
Project*

*EasiClouds
ITEA2 project
2012-2014*

*CloSe: Cloud Security
Services, 2014-2015,
AF*

*EIT SDN Activities
2012-2014*

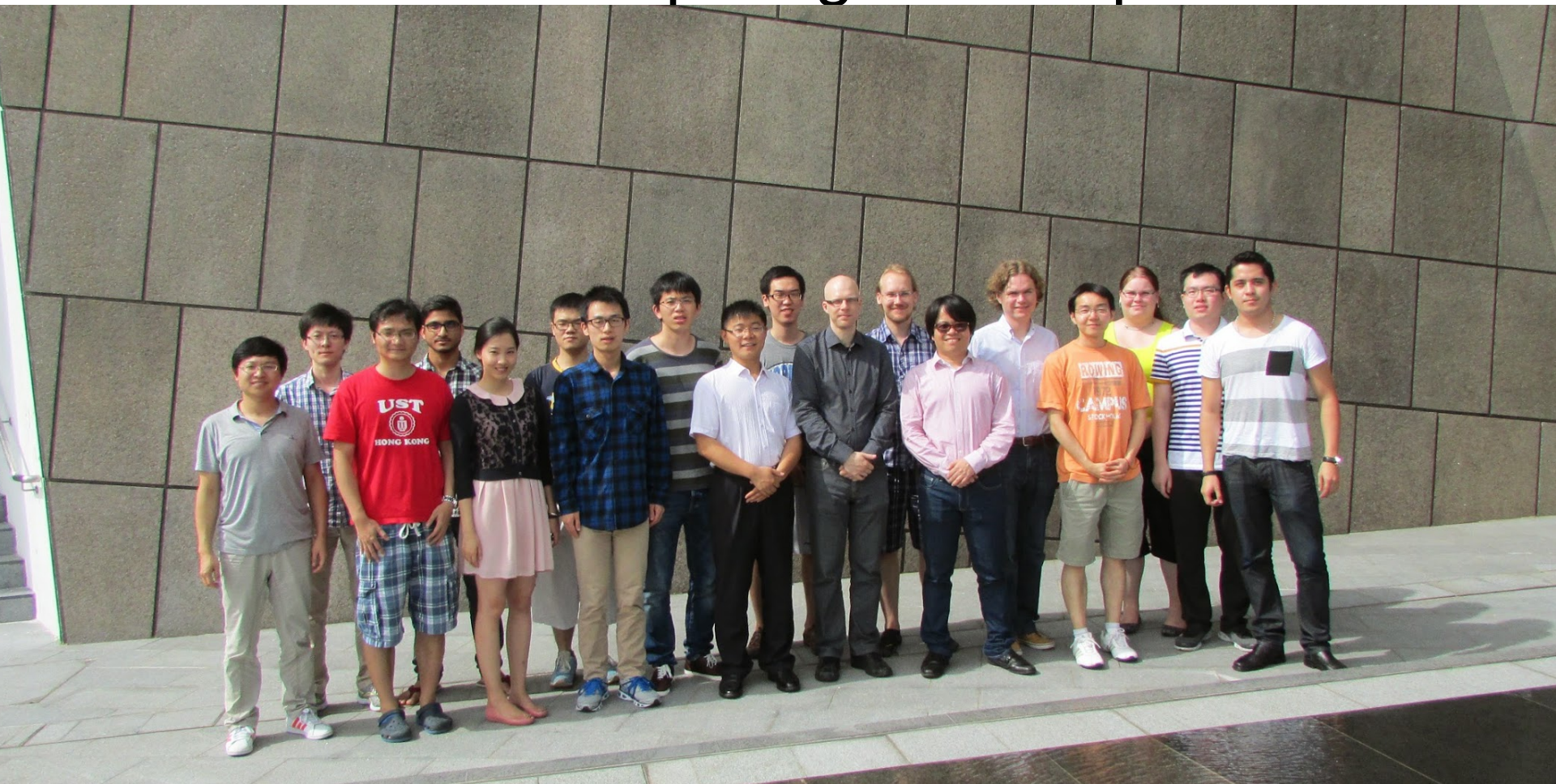
*Software-defined
Networking*

*Datacenter
Indirection
Infrastructure for
High Energy Physics
(CERN). Academy of
Finland (AF).
2012-2014*

NODES Laboratory

Helsinki-HKUST-Tsinghua Workshop on Mobile and Cloud Computing 2-4 July 2014

- <https://sites.google.com/site/cloudmobilecomputingworkshop/home>



SMARTPHONE ENERGY CONSUMPTION



Sasu Tarkoma
Matti Siekkinen
Eemil Lagerspetz
Yu Xiao

*New book on smart
device energy modeling
and optimization
published by Cambridge
University Press in
August 2014*

*Course materials
available*