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# **Sustainable Security Solutions for Mobile Applications with Symmetry**

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# **Message from the Guest Editors**

With mobile software increasingly affecting modern lives, their security and privacy have received growing attention. While techniques utilizing data-driven methods have demonstrated great potentials, a key challenge remains that they tend not to be sustainable: A technique working well for mobile applications in one period of time may not work as well for later applications. This Special Issue is dedicated to exploring and discovering novel, sustainable solutions to eliminate the need to repeatedly and frequently develop/update techniques for newer mobile applications. The topic pursues a synergy between sustainable mobile software security and robust datadriven (especially AI/ML) models, where the symmetry concept is reflected between sustainability in the former and robustness in the latter. This Special Issue collects papers that highlight the recent advances and broad research efforts tackling the challenge of technique deterioration, the lack of training samples that represent new/emerging software applications, and the subsequent proliferation of zero-day security breaches.







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