New SEI Tool Brings Visibility to DevSecOps Pipelines

May 8, 2024—The SEI this week announced the release a tool that visualizes a complete DevSecOps pipeline. Polar is an observability framework that provides a comprehensive picture of a software system's deployment platform. It unlocks data captured by disparate tools within an organization, helping to answer complex questions about performance and security that are crucial for real-time decision-making and agility in the face of threats.

“Today's DevSecOps pipelines are complex, and every environment is different,” said Morgan Farrah of the SEI Software Solutions Division. “A common problem many DevSecOps users face is figuring out the relationships and integrations among all the disparate and changing components of their systems. Polar brings visibility into these systems by communicating with and building a graph model of any networked data source that is useful for decision making. This means users can make decisions using real-time information from the components of their entire DevSecOps organization.”

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Their method uses off-the-shelf tools and generative AI to visualize hidden adversarialial images in computer vision models.

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Morgan Farrah, Vaughn Coates, and Patrick Earl introduce Polar, a DevSecOps framework that visualizes the state of an organization's DevSecOps infrastructure so that data can inform decision making.

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**2023 SEI Year in Review**
The 2023 SEI Year in Review highlights the work of the institute undertaken during the fiscal year spanning October 1, 2022, to September 30, 2023.

**Zero Trust Industry Days 2024 Scenario: Secluded Semiconductors, Inc.**
This scenario will guide discussions of solutions, submitted to Zero Trust Industry Days, to the challenges of implementing zero trust.

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**Zero Trust Industry Days 2024**, May 14-15
The SEI hosts the Zero Trust Industry Days request-for-information exercise to collect information from those who develop solutions for implementing a zero trust architecture.

**Secure Software by Design**, August 6-7
Collaborate on improving software security with two on-site days of panel discussions and presentations plus two optional on-site days of training.

**International Conference on Conceptual Modeling (ER 2024)**, October 28-31
The SEI will host the main international forum for discussing the state of the art, emerging issues, and future challenges in research and practice on conceptual modeling.

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