

# Automate or Die - DevSecOps in the Age of Software Supply Chain Attacks



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### AGENDA:

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7:00-7:45pm - Talk followed by Q&A

7:45-8:30pm - Social / Wrap Up

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### TALK DESCRIPTION:

Title: Automate or Die - DevSecOps in the Age of Software Supply Chain Attacks

As nimble organizations deliver new innovations, adversaries are also upping their game; something we've seen in recent high profile and devastating cyber attacks. Bad actors have the intent and ability to exploit security vulnerabilities in the software supply chain - and in some cases plant vulnerabilities themselves. They have increased scale through automation

and improved breach success through precision targeting. If we don't fight back by doing the same - automating security directly in the DevOps pipeline - then we'll always be at the hackers' mercy. This session will provide new research on the above, and details on how to get started.

Key takeaways:

- Real-world examples of how large and small companies are implementing DevSecOps practices in their own delivery pipelines, and increasing developer awareness to risks
- Key insights from the 2019 DevSecOps community report - including the top investments for automated security
- A walkthrough of how security principles have been automated into a CICD pipeline and what standards for implementation are beginning to follow suite
- Why DevSecOps is more than a buzzword, and why it's vital to protecting your software supply chain
- How automating security of policies makes it harder to ignore

SPEAKER BIO:

Irina Tishelman, Solutions Architect, Sonatype

Born and raised in Moscow Russia, I earned a Bachelor in Computer Science degree and shortly after completing my education, my family moved to the USA.

Prior to joining Sonatype, I worked at Checkmarx as Sales Engineer, where I was responsible for driving and managing the technology evaluation stage of a sales process and post-sales customer support.

My earlier career included various positions within business intelligence and analytics, application development, database design, and project management.

Throughout my career, I have been fortunate to work for companies with diverse expertise - from finance and publishing to healthcare and insurance.

Working in the field of cybersecurity is particularly rewarding. It's powerful to connect with people over the things that make a real impact.

In my spare time, I am an avid skier, scuba diver, yoga enthusiast, and world traveler.

When I am not on the slopes, I am passionate about attending as many Opera, ballet, and theater performances as I can.

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Sorry I couldn't make it to this event, was drowning at work! Just wanted to say that yes, this is a very important topic, thanks for raising it, Irina. I talked at a few nycdevops ago about we solved this problem at Datadog:

<https://www.datadoghq.com/blog/engineering/secure-publication-of-datadog-agent-integrations-with-tuf-and-in-toto/>

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For anyone interested, I wrote about a few takeaways from the event.

<https://www.informationweek.com/devops/the-search-for-a-plan-to-bolster-devsecops-against-attacks/a/d-id/1336385?>

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Thank you, Irina, for a thought-provoking presentation, and of course to Stack Overflow for hosting!

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