Privacy Protection in Social Networks: Bridging the Gap Between User Perception and Privacy Enforcement

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Challenge:

- The gap between privacy perception and privacy enforcement.
- The gap between humanoriented vs. technologycentered perspectives on social network privacy.

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Solution:

- Automatic social circle detection using multi-view clustering [CIKM14, TKDE17]
- High-risk node detection with multi-task learning [CIKM]
- Hybrid approach to identify family-related tweets [DBSec15]

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Scientific Impact:

- In-depth understanding of private information, vulnerabilities, and threats in online social networks
- A user-centered yet computationally-efficient privacy model.
- Effective and efficient enforcement of the model.

Broader Impact:

- Highlight new security and privacy issues
- Raise awareness of privacy risks and violations in social networks
- Gradually change people's privacy perceptions and affect their behavior in privacy-centric scenarios