Tenure-Track Assistant Professor Position in Statistical Data Science

Department of Statistics
University of Georgia

The Department of Statistics at the University of Georgia invites applications for a tenure-track position at the rank of assistant professor in the area of statistical data science, starting August 1, 2022. Applicants must have a Ph.D. degree in Statistics or a related discipline by the time of appointment. Scholarly credentials should reflect a strong commitment to research and teaching in the statistical aspects of data science and show demonstrated potential in research and instruction. The successful applicant will be expected to develop a research program that will be competitive for external funding, be engaged in the activities of the department, and play a major role in building the University’s missions in research and teaching. We are also committed to building a diverse faculty.

To apply for this position, candidates should visit www.ugajobsearch.com/postings/230719. Review of applications begins January 5, 2022 and continues until filled. All applications received by January 5th, 2022 will receive full consideration. Applications should include: 1) cover letter, 2) curriculum vitae, 3) research statement highlighting interest in and contributions to the statistical aspects of data science, 4) teaching statement, 5) an unofficial copy of the graduate school transcript, and 6) statement on commitment to diversity, equity and inclusion (as Document #1). Applicants should also provide names and contact information for at least 3 references using the online system. Questions should be directed to the Department Head, Dr. T.N. Sriram, at tn@uga.edu.

The University of Georgia is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, ethnicity, age, genetic information, disability, gender identity, sexual orientation, or protected veteran status. Persons needing accommodations or assistance with the accessibility of materials related to this search are encouraged to contact Central HR (hrweb@uga.edu). Please do not contact the department or search committee with such requests. The Franklin College of Arts and Sciences, its many units, and the University of Georgia are committed to increasing the diversity of its faculty and students and to creating a work and learning environment that is inclusive. Women, people from historically excluded groups, and people with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

Georgia is well known for its quality of life in regard to both outdoor and urban activities (exploregeorgia.org). UGA is a land and sea grant institution located in Athens, 65 miles northeast of Atlanta, the state capital (www.visitathensga.com; www.uga.edu). UGA is currently ranked among the top 15 public universities in U.S. News & World Report, and typically ranks in the top 25 on national rankings of public research universities (http://www.uga.edu/profile/pride/rankings/ Athens, Georgia is frequently ranked as one of the best places to live in the US: https://athensclarkecounty.com/82/Accolades.