UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Franklin College of Arts and Sciences
Department of Statistics

Assistant Professor Position in Statistical Machine Learning

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 Machine Learning**, starting August 2018. Applicants must have a Ph.D. degree in Statistics or a closely related discipline by August 1, 2018, and scholarly credentials must reflect a strong commitment to teaching and research in statistical machine learning. Successful applicants are expected to develop a research program that will be competitive for external funding.

To apply for the position, candidates should visit http://facultyjobs.uga.edu/postings/2909 and provide all of the requested information. At this site, candidates should also upload an application letter, a curriculum vita, a research summary statement that highlights an interest in and contributions to statistical machine learning research, a statement on teaching philosophy, and an unofficial copy of the graduate school transcript. Upon receipt of the application, the three references supplied by the applicant will be asked to submit letters of recommendation at the same website. Applications will be considered until the position is filled, and those received by **January 2, 2018**, will receive full consideration. For more information about the department and the university, please go to http://www.stat.uga.edu

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