The University of Tennessee Haslam College of Business invites applications and nominations for a tenure track faculty position in the Department of Business Analytics and Statistics. Appointment may be at the Assistant or Associate Professor level, depending on qualifications. A primary research interest in developing analytic methods relevant to business is expected. Success publishing research in top journals, or the strong potential for that success, is desired. Review of applications will begin in January 2017 and will continue until the position is filled. Effective date of employment will be August 1, 2017, or when filled. Compensation will be competitive.

Qualifications

Required: A Ph.D. degree (or ABD) in Statistics, Business Analytics, Data Science, Computer Science, Operations Research, or a related field. Experience in applying analytics to real world problems.

Preferred: The ideal candidate will have: commitment to a scholarly research record as evidenced by targeting top-tier journals; expertise in various machine learning algorithms and statistical modeling tools; knowledge of big data technologies and other widely-used tools in business analytics; teaching experience; appreciation of the role of analytics in various business functions; ability to work well with college and department colleagues.

Program Information

The Department of Business Analytics and Statistics is one of six departments within the Haslam College of Business at the University of Tennessee. The Department currently offers bachelors and masters degrees in Business Analytics, Ph.D. degree in Analytics, as well as a dual M.B.A./M.S. in Business Analytics in conjunction with the College’s MBA program. The Department also leads the University’s Intercollegiate Graduate Statistics Program and is partnering with the Bredesen Center for creation of a PhD in Data Science. We have been very successful in placing our masters students in Fortune 500 companies as well as in new analytics organizations. The department emphasizes working with business through 1) multiple capstone projects each semester with partner companies, 2) our Business Analytics Forum in which non-competing companies meet to share best practices, and 3) an active seminar series where we host business analytics professionals weekly. The faculty is active in publishing and numerous members serve on leading editorial boards. Faculty excellence has been recognized by international and national awards, including the Edelman Award, ASQ’s Nelson Award, the Wagner Prize, etc.

Duties/Responsibilities
Research requirements include a strong and continuing record of publications in top-tier journals. The successful candidate will be expected to contribute to the teaching mission at the undergraduate, masters, and PhD levels. The Haslam College offers an attractive research/teaching mix to support our research mission.

**Application Procedure**

Qualified individuals should send a complete application package (in pdf format) to Professor Robert Mee, Chair of the Faculty Search Committee, c/o analyticsfacultysearch@utk.edu. The application package should include a curriculum vita, teaching and research statements, a job market paper and/or selected publications if available, and contact information consisting of three (3) references. If available, include evidence of successful prior teaching (course materials, teaching evaluations, etc.). Letters of reference should be directed to Professor Mee at University of Tennessee, 916 Volunteer Blvd., 244 Stokely Management Center, Knoxville, TN 37996-0532. The search will remain open until the position is filled. For further information, see our website bas.utk.edu.

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