Slippery Rock University invites applications for a full-time tenure-track faculty member whose primary research area and teaching interests are in Data Science. Expertise in data mining, machine learning, simulation, forecasting, and big data analytics are required. The teaching load is nine credits per semester of graduate courses or twelve credits per semester of undergraduate courses. Faculty will be expected to maintain a scholarly agenda and be able to create and direct capstone projects for graduate and undergraduate students.

The successful candidate must be committed to excellence in teaching, service, and scholarly growth, be able to contribute to our Award-Winning online Master of Science in Data Analytics program, and teach a variety of courses ranging from service courses to advanced statistics/data analytics courses.

Highly competitive salary, benefits, and rank commensurate with experience level.

PhD in Data Science or related field including Statistics, Biostatistics, Operations Research, and Computer Science prior to employment. Applicants must have outstanding communication and interpersonal skills and be able to work collaboratively. Commitment to the education of diverse populations. Successful performance in an on campus interview, including a teaching
demonstration.
A Master’s degree in mathematics, statistics, or equivalent coursework. Prior college level teaching experience. Evidence of a scholarly agenda. Experience conducting research with graduates and undergraduates. Capability to assist in the expansion of current statistics/data analytics offerings and programs. An interest in establishing industrial or business partnerships, consulting, and workshop development. Experience in, or willingness to learn, non-traditional, active learning pedagogies, and the use of modern pedagogical delivery systems.

Preferred Qualifications

Posting Detail Information

Posting Date
Closing Date
Open Until Filled No

Respect for Individuals in the Community
Slippery Rock University provides an environment that respects, encourages, and promotes the talents and contributions of all. Slippery Rock University values a community with a shared sense of purpose, where people demonstrate mutual respect and appreciation. Slippery Rock University values diversity that honors and includes all persons regardless of age, creed, disability, ethnic heritage, gender, gender identity, race, religion, sexual orientation, or socioeconomic status in academic and extracurricular endeavor, in the working environment, and in the daily life of the university community.

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Special Instructions to Applicants
Dr. Gary Roberts, Search Chair
Department of Mathematics & Statistics
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Slippery Rock University
Slippery Rock PA, 16057

Official transcripts required prior to employment. Full consideration will be given to applications received by November 23, 2017, but review of applications will continue until the position is filled. A completed application includes an application letter, curriculum vitae, unofficial graduate and undergraduate transcripts, three reference letters, statement of teaching philosophy, and research statement.

Applicant Documents

Required Documents

1. Curriculum Vitae
2. Cover Letter/Letter of Application
3. Teaching Philosophy
4. Other Document

Optional Documents

1. Unofficial Transcripts
2. Unofficial Transcripts 2
3. Professional Reference Letter
4. Professional Reference Letter 2
5. Professional Reference Letter 3