University of California, Riverside

Multiple Positions in
Business Analytics Cluster Hire (Open Rank)

The University of California at Riverside (UCR) is embarking on a major new hiring initiative that will add 300 tenured and tenure-track positions in 33 cross-disciplinary areas selected through a peer-reviewed competition (for more information visit http://www.clusterhiring.ucr.edu). Over the next three years, we will hire multiple faculty members in each area and invest in research infrastructure to support their work. This initiative will build critical mass in vital and emerging fields of scholarship, foster truly cross-disciplinary work and further diversify the faculty at one of America’s most diverse research universities. We encourage applications from scholars committed to excellence and seeking to help redefine the research university for the next generation.

This announcement aims to fill two of an eventual three positions in the area of Business Analytics with a desired start date of June 30 2016. For these two positions, our priority is to recruit established scholars (full professor or tenured associate) who will build on our existing strengths and lead the academic development of rigorous research and teaching programs; however, exceptional junior applicants will also be considered.

Each successful candidate must have a proven record of research accomplishment and interest in Business Analytics with strong methodological skills in Statistics, Economics, Machine Learning or related fields. Candidate must have a PhD in Business, Statistics, Economics, Computer Sciences or a closely related field. Candidate must also have a strong commitment to excellence in teaching at the undergraduate and graduate level. A record of, or potential for, academic program development is desirable, and evidence or potential to sustain an externally funded research program will be a plus.

The successful candidate can be appointed to any of the five areas of research at the School of Business Administration (SoBA) (i.e., accounting, finance, management, marketing, operations and supply chain management), the departments of computer science, statistics, economics or another relevant department depending on the preferences of the candidate and the department. However, the positions must be filled by a candidate whose major research interest is in Business Analytics.
Depending on the candidate’s record, the position may be funded through one of six SoBA endowed chairs: the Logistics Team Presidential Chair in Supply Chain Management, three A. Gary Anderson Family Foundation Endowed Presidential Chairs in Business Administration, the A. Gary Anderson Endowed Chair in Finance and the Ely Callaway Chair in Social Responsibility.

Interested candidates should upload a cover letter, CV, evidence of research and teaching excellence, selected articles or working papers, diversity statement that addresses potential contributions to academic diversity and names and contact information for three references to:

Associate & Full Professor: https://aprecruit.ucr.edu/apply/JPF00552

Assistant Professor: https://aprecruit.ucr.edu/apply/JPF00555

Inquiries may also be made to Bala Balachander at subramanian.balachander@ucr.edu

Screening of candidates will commence immediately and will continue until the positions are filled.

The School of Business Administration (http://soba.ucr.edu) is an AACSB-accredited school and shares the mission of the University of California system to be known as a leading center of excellence for research and teaching.

UCR is a world-class research university with an exceptionally diverse undergraduate student body. Its mission is explicitly linked to providing routes to educational success for underrepresented and first-generation college students. A commitment to this mission is a preferred qualification.

Advancement through the faculty ranks at the University of California is through a series of structured, merit-based evaluations, occurring every 2-3 years, each of which includes substantial peer input. The University of California is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. All qualified applicants with a Ph.D. will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, age, disability, protected veteran status, or any other characteristic protected by law.