WORKSHOP ON EMERGING AREAS IN APPLIED STATISTICS

March 19-March 21, 2013

Organized by

BAYESIAN & INTERDISCIPLINARY RESEARCH UNIT (BIRU)
INDIAN STATISTICAL INSTITUTE
203 BARRACKPORE TRUNK ROAD
KOLKATA 700108

OBJECTIVE
This is a workshop on Applied Statistics including the current trends in the discipline. In recent years, with the advancement in computing power, the subject of Statistics has evolved tremendously. Powerful nonparametric techniques (some of which also involve the Bayesian approach) have been developed for solving problems in many areas of multivariate analysis like regression, classification, clustering, etc. This three-day workshop aims to introduce its participants to these and many other exciting areas of Applied Statistics. Business applications will be emphasized.

Accommodation and Food
Outstation participants will be provided local hospitality (board and lodging) at the ISI guest house, Kolkata from 18th March to 21st March, 2013 (both nights inclusive). Working lunch and snacks will be provided to all participants (including local participants) free of cost on all three days.

Travelling Allowance
Outstation participants will be reimbursed for return fare by train (AC 3-tier)/bus by the shortest route, subject to submission of ticket or money receipt. NO PAYMENTS SHALL BE MADE WITHOUT PROPER SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

Co-ordinators

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This workshop will be followed by a one day research level seminar on Applied Statistics on March 22, 2013. Candidates interested in attending this seminar are encouraged to apply.

Venue
Bayesian & Interdisciplinary Research Unit (BIRU)
203, B.T. Road
Kolkata 700108

Who Can Apply
Teachers, Researchers (including registered Research Scholars) and Practitioners in India can apply. Participants should have good knowledge of Statistics and some experience of working in computers. Preference will be given to post-graduate degree holders in Statistics.

Certificates Of Attendance
will be provided only to candidates who attend all the sessions.

How to Apply
Applications should be sent through proper channel as per enclosed format to

Swagata Chakraborty
Bayesian & Interdisciplinary Research Unit (BIRU),
Indian Statistical Institute,
203, Barrackpore Trunk Road,
Kolkata 700108

Applications must reach the above address by February 15, 2013. To expedite matters, applicants may also e-mail scanned copies of the completed application to sgta@isical.ac.in.

Selected candidates will be informed by e-mail by February 22, 2013. So applicants must provide e-mail addresses.

Applications that are not complete in all respects shall not be entertained.
Application Form

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Please use separate sheets as required

1. Name (in block letters):
2. Age:
3. Sex: M/F
4. Name of Institution/organization attached to:
5. Designation:
6. Full address for communication;
7. Mobile / Telephone No.:
8. e-mail address:
9. Is accommodation required? Yes/No
10. Food Preference: Vegetarian / Non-vegetarian:
11. Academic background (post Higher Secondary):
12. a) Are you presently a registered research scholar? Yes/No
   b) If yes, please provide details (date of registration, name of guide, title of work):
13. Provide details of your experience of working with computers (Please provide specific information on type and extent of software handled):
14. Please explain how you think participation in this workshop will benefit you and how it relates to your present research/teaching activities (in about 50-100 words on a separate sheet)
15. Have you attended any similar workshop/programme within the last five years? If so, give details:

16. Do you want to attend one day research level seminar on March 22, 2013? Yes / No

Date: 

Signature of the candidate

Certified that the applicant Dr/Mr/Mrs/Ms ___________________________ is a permanent employee/registered research scholar of this university/college/institution. His/her application is hereby forwarded for participation in the above workshop.

Date: 

Name, signature and seal of
Principal/Registrar/Head of Dept. /other competent authority