## Post-doctoral Associate in Statistical Genetics/Omics/Imaging and Deep Learning in the Division of Biostatistics, University of Minnesota

Multiple post-doc positions are available now (until filled) in the Division of Biostatistics at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, USA. For more info, visit <a href="http://www.sph.umn.edu/academics/divisions/biostatistics/">http://www.sph.umn.edu/academics/divisions/biostatistics/</a>

The post-doc will work with Dr. Wei Pan (<a href="https://directory.sph.umn.edu/bio/sph-a-z/wei-pan">https://www.biostat.umn.edu/~weip/</a>), Dr. Xiaotong Shen (<a href="http://users.stat.umn.edu/~xshen/">http://users.stat.umn.edu/~xshen/</a>) and other collaborators in the University of Minnesota. The research will focus on applying, developing and implementing novel statistical methods for causal inference, integrative data analysis and machine/deep learning with GWAS/sequencing data and multiple types of omic/neuroimaging data, as in TWAS and IWAS. In addition to new methods development and evaluations, the job responsibilities include software development (mostly in R, or in Python/TensorFlow/Keras/PyTorch for deep learning), possibly theory development, simulation studies, real data analysis, and writing manuscripts.

Each of the annually renewable appointments is for 1-2 years, possibly extendable to year 3, conditional on satisfactory performance and funding availability.

## **Qualifications:**

A PhD degree in Biostatistics, Statistics, Computer Science or a related field, strong computing/programming and communication skills, and previous research experience in at least one of 1) statistical genetics/genomics/omics, 2) neuroimaging or medical imaging, and 3) machine learning/deep learning, and 4) a related topic (e.g. Big Data) are required.

Deadline: Each position is immediately open until filled.

**Questions?** Inquiries are welcome and should be directed (preferably along with CV) to Dr. Wei Pan by email at <a href="mailto:panxx014@umn.edu">panxx014@umn.edu</a>

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