

Director of the School of Data Science and Analytics
Kennesaw State University

Kennesaw State University is now accepting applications for a full-time, twelve-month, administrative faculty position as a tenured Professor and Director of the School of Data Science and Analytics in the College of Computing and Software Engineering with a preferred start date of July 1, 2024.

This role is a unique opportunity for a visionary leader with a passion for educational excellence and innovation in the rapidly evolving field of data science.

Responsibilities

- Provide dynamic, effective leadership to the School of Data Science and Analytics (SDSA)
- Boost the school's reputation and visibility, locally and nationally
- Promote academic excellence, foster a strong research environment, and the procurement of external funding
- Mentor and advise faculty and students, enhancing research activities and academic achievements
- Play a pivotal role in the management and growth of the Center for Data Science and Analytics (CDSA)
- Strategically manage enrollment growth and program development in the SDSA
- Advocate for the SDSA faculty and programs, ensuring their needs and goals are effectively represented
- Ensure the effective and efficient offering of general education courses
- Teaching assignments will be based on earned degrees and SACSCOC Faculty Credentials Guidelines

Required Qualifications Include

- An earned doctoral degree, or its foreign equivalent, in Data Science, Data Engineering, Analytics, Statistics, Biostatistics, Computing or a related discipline with an academic background and appropriate credentials to be a tenured Professor in the School of Data Science and Analytics in the College of Computing and Software Engineering at KSU
- Demonstrated strong commitment to the Computing disciplines and a substantive record of scholarship and Data Science and Analytics research leading to the procurement of external funding
- Evidence of effective leadership experience
- Exceptional communication and interpersonal skills
- Demonstrated ability to work productively with faculty and students
- Experience mentoring and advising early career faculty, undergraduate and graduate students in research activities

Preferred Qualifications Include

- A working knowledge of ABET accreditation
- An ability to successfully develop and implement a strategic vision

- A demonstrated ability to engage effectively with external business and professional communities, Advisory Board, and funding agencies

For a full description of this position, application deadlines, and application procedures, visit <https://hr.kennesaw.edu/careers.php>. Search for Job ID 267616.

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