



MNS-University of Agriculture, Multan

DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

Research Assistant Vacancy

Applications are invited from motivated and passionate students for one research assistant vacancy for a project “**Sustainable Cotton Production using Artificial Intelligence (SCP-AI)**” funded through Texonomy part of British Council Link award. This is a six-month project that aim to develop smart advisory for cotton farmers to better manage irrigation, fertilizer and pesticides applications. Department of Computer Science of MNS-University of Agriculture, Multan. Details and criteria are given below:

Job Details:

Eligibility:

- Students completed BSCS/BSIT and currently enrolled in MSCS in MNSUAM.

An exciting opportunity for a Machine Learning assistantship arise part of Texonomy project to understand cotton health from seed to lint.

- i) Expertise in and a passion for Machine Learning and Computer Vision
- ii) Applying state-of-the-art AI-driven technology to solve some of the most challenging problems in agriculture
- iii) BS(CS)/IT in Computer Science, Machine Learning, Remote Sensing, Statistics or a related field
- iv) Strong expertise in deep learning for computer vision applications
- v) Broad knowledge of machine learning theory and time series analysis
- vi) Experience with typical Machine Learning stack and tools: Python, Pandas, SciPy, scikit-learn, and one or more deep learning frameworks: Tensor Flow, PyTorch, Keras
- vii) Experience writing production-grade code and using modern software development tools (version control, CI/CD, containers, etc.) in a cloud platform (GCP, AWS)
- viii) Experience working with satellite and/or UAV imagery
- ix) Experience with geospatial data processing and analysis tools like GDAL, QGIS, ArcGIS, OPENCV, CVIP TOOL and MAZDA Image processing tool.
- x) Educational or work exposure to agriculture, remote sensing, soil sciences or similar fields
- xi) High commercial awareness to help drive product development and develop new data science products



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- xii) Good communication skills, enjoy working in a team, and exposure to working in a fast-paced environment Ideal addition

Note: Initial Training would be provided for General Queries.

Pay Package: 18000 PKRS Monthly Basis.

How to Apply:

- Candidates are required to submit their CV via email at: vacancy.csit@gmail.com mentioning the Job title as Subject.
- Deadline to Submit CV is by **5th September, 2021 before 4pm.**
- Shortlisted candidates will be called in for interviews on **7th September, 2021.**

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