



## One post-doctoral position in Statistical Machine Translation

The Statistical Machine Learning and Translation group of Dr. Xu at the City University of New York is inviting applications for one post-doctoral position. This is a splendid opportunity to conduct research blending very applied research (i.e. industrial-level Machine Translation systems) with foundational research in statistical machine learning.

Applicants should hold by the time the appointment begins a PhD (or its equivalent) in Computer Science, Computer Engineering, Statistics, Mathematics, Physics or in a related discipline. We are seeking for applicants committed to either (1) extending their current research program in statistical Natural Language Processing or (2) employing their analytical and engineering skills and join in our current research program. Therefore, this position can be also seen as an opportunity to fast-forward develop statistical NLP skills and conduct cutting-edge research in this field.

The position is for 1 year with the possibility of extending it up to 3 years. The starting date is flexible.

The Hunter College at the City University of New York may ask the post-doctor to take up a very moderate teaching load (can be waived based on research promise). The salary commensurate with qualifications and research potential and starts from \$50K/year.

Hunter college is located in upper-east Manhattan. This is an extremely vibrant research location with numerous opportunities for collaboration. Hunter college is surrounded by top research labs (e.g. Google Research, Microsoft Research, Facebook, IBM Research), and many other university departments (e.g. Princeton, Columbia, NYU).

Applications should include a recent CV and optionally a research statement and 2 representative publications. Applications should be sent to Dr. Jia Xu by email to: [jia.xu@hunter.cuny.edu](mailto:jia.xu@hunter.cuny.edu) including in the **Subject title** the keyword: "Application".

All applicants will be notified upon receipt of the application by email.

This position will be advertised at <http://jiaxu.org> until is filled.

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