

Call For Tutorial Proposals

ECML PKDD 2009

“The European Conference on Machine Learning and Principles and Practice of Knowledge Discovery in Databases”

September 7-11, 2009

Bled, Slovenia

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The ECML PKDD 2009 Organizing Committee invites proposals for tutorials to be held on the first and last days of the conference, which will take place in Bled, Slovenia, on September 7-11, 2009. Tutorials are free of charge to the conference attendees.

We seek proposals for half-day tutorials on core techniques and areas of knowledge that enjoy broad interest within the machine learning and the data mining community. We are interested in tutorials on established or emerging research topics within the field itself, but we also welcome tutorials from related research fields or application areas. The ideal tutorial should attract a wide audience. It should be broad enough to provide a gentle introduction to the chosen research area, but it should also cover the most important contributions in depth. Proposals that exclusively focus on the presenter's own work or commercial presentations are not eligible.

Proposals should contain the following information:

- Description of the tutorial topic and its research context
- Motivations why an ECML PKDD tutorial on this topic should take place
- Description of the anticipated target group(s) of attendees
- Brief account of the presenter's experience and background
- Contact information

The timeline is as follows:

- **Tutorial proposals due: March 8, 2009**
- Acceptance notification: March 25, 2009
- Tutorial material due: August 15, 2009
- Tutorials date: September 7 and 11, 2009

Tutorial proposals should be submitted via email in PDF format to the ECML PKDD 2009 tutorial chair (ecml-pkdd-tu@cs.ucl.ac.uk). Soon after submission, proposers should expect to receive a verification of receipt. The proposal will be reviewed in close collaboration with the conference chairs and members of the program committee.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have questions.

We are looking forward to your proposals,

Cedric Archambeau

Tutorials Chair ECML PKDD 2009