

Scientist and Postdoc Research Opportunities at QCRI



The Arabic Language Technologies (ALT) research group at the Qatar Computing Research Institute (QCRI), HBKU is looking for talented scientist (permanent position) and postdoc candidates to join our team and conduct world-class research focused on large-scale computing challenges. We offer unique opportunities for a strong career spanning basic and applied research in language technologies.

Ongoing projects at ALT/QCRI cover the following areas:

- 1. Speech processing, e.g., Arabic speech recognition, dialect detection, etc.**
- 2. Arabic language processing including dialectal Arabic**
- 3. Machine translation with focus on neural machine translation**
- 4. Fact-checking, source reliability, stance, bias and propaganda detection**

A Ph.D. in Computer Science from a top university is required. Candidates must have several years of experience in algorithm development in speech or natural language processing, and should have good programming skills. They must be able to work both independently and cooperatively with others, and need to have good communication and writing skills. Previous experience with deep learning and unsupervised techniques is a plus.

There will be also an opportunity to work on a collaboration project with MIT-CSAIL.

We offer a highly competitive compensation package including an attractive tax-free salary and additional benefits such as furnished accommodation, excellent medical insurance, and generous annual paid leave, among others.

Interested candidates should send their CVs to qcri-alt-jobs@googlegroups.com

You can also contact Ahmed Ali (amali@hbku.edu.qa).

