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## Welcome New Affiliate

NISS welcomes our new affiliate, the Department of Statistics at Virginia Tech. Eric Smith, department head, is their representative.



## Workshop on Microsimulation Modeling for Surveys

The workshop will be held April 7, 2011 in Washington DC at the Bureau of Labor Statistics. It will cover topics such as simulation models to inform health policy, optimizing call scheduling to minimize data collection costs and accounting for uncertainty in microsimulation models. For more information and to apply, [click here](#).

## Co-Sponsored Events

### [Southern Regional Council on Statistics \(SRCOS\) Summer Research Conference](#)

June 5 – 8, 2011 in Hickory Knob State Resort Park in South Carolina. ARA ELIGIBLE.

[Details](#) here.

### [Nonclinical Biostatistics Workshop](#)

October 8-11, 2011 at Joseph B. Martin Conference Center, Harvard Medical School in Boston, MA. ARA ELIGIBLE.

[Details](#) here.

## Affiliate Events

### [2011 Affiliates Annual Meeting](#)

**April 14-15, 2011** in College Station, TX

Hosted by the Department of Statistics at Texas A&M

**NOTE:** Unlike previous meetings, this one will be held all day on Thursday, April 14, and the morning of Friday, April 15.

**Further Details:** Forthcoming

### [Workshop on Comparative Effectiveness Research](#)

**Spring 2011**, at NISS. ARA ELIGIBLE.

**Details:** Forthcoming

### [Workshop on Threat Detection and Syndromic Surveillance](#)

**Spring 2011**, at NISS. ARA ELIGIBLE.

**Details:** Forthcoming

### **Workshop on Financial Risk III**

Fall 2011, in Washington, DC. ARA ELIGIBLE.

Details: Forthcoming

## **SAMSI Events**

### **2010-11 Program on Analysis of Object Data: "AOD Meets Evolutionary Biology"**

April 30 - May 2, 2011 at SAMSI. ARA ELIGIBLE.

[Details](#) here.

Application and hotel reservation deadline: April 8, 2011



### **Graduate Student Probability Conference 2011**

April 29 - May 1, 2011 at Georgia Tech, Atlanta, GA.

[Details](#) here.

### **Interdisciplinary Workshop for Undergraduate Students and Faculty**

May 16-20, 2011 at SAMSI and North Carolina State University.

[Details](#) here.

Application deadline: April 8, 2011

### **2011-12 Program on Uncertainty Quantification: SAMSI-Sandia Summer School on Uncertainty Quantification**

June 20-24, 2011 at Sandia and Los Alamos, NM. ARA ELIGIBLE.

[Details](#) here.

Application deadline: May 21, 2011

### **Industrial Math/Stat Modeling Workshop for Graduate Students (IMSM)**

July 7-15, 2011 at North Carolina State University

[Details](#) here.

## **2011-12 Program on Uncertainty Quantification**

This year's program is one large program divided into four smaller groups, including, for the first time, the opening workshops. Here is the breakdown for the Uncertainty Quantification opening workshops:

#### **UQ: Climate Change**

When: August 29-31, 2011

This workshop will be held at the Marriott Pleasanton, in Pleasanton, CA. The location is in close proximity with Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL) which co-sponsors the event.

[Details](#) here.

#### **UQ: Methodology of Uncertainty Quantification**

When: September 7, 2011

Details forthcoming.

#### **UQ: Engineering and Renewable Energy**

When: September 19-21, 2011

Details forthcoming.

#### **UQ: Geosciences Applications**

When: September 21-23, 2011

Details forthcoming.

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