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Applications Development Section

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Range Formats Made Easy – CreateRangeFormat Custom Task for SAS Enterprise Guide

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2008/005-2008.pdf>

BI Forum - BI User Applications Section

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Academic Business Intelligence System Development

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2008/058-2008.pdf>

Customer Intelligence Section

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Employing SAS[®] Text Miner Methodology to Become a Customer Genius in Customer Churn Prediction and Complaint Email Management

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2008/123-2008.pdf>

Data Mining and Predictive Modeling Section

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Use of Text Mining to Predict Patient Compliance
<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2008/148-2008.pdf>

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Generalizing Google's PageRank to Rank National Football League Teams
<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2008/151-2008.pdf>

Financial Services Section

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Valuation of S&P CNX Nifty Options: Comparison of Black-Scholes and Hybrid ANN Model
<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2008/162-2008.pdf>

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PhD candidate in Finance at the University of Pittsburgh in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, USA
Operational Risk: EC Modeling with Loss Distribution Approach
<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2008/163-2008.pdf>

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Identifying Potential Default Loan Applicants: A Case Study of Consumer Credit Decision for Chinese Commercial Bank
<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2008/159-2008.pdf>

SAS Presents...Global Perspectives Section

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Mobile Operator Customer Classification in Churn Analysis
<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2008/344-2008.pdf>

Statistics and Data Analysis Section

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Development and Validation of a Measure of E-Leadership and Group Dynamics using SAS/STAT
<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2008/380-2008.pdf>

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PhD candidate in Mathematics and Statistics/Biomedical Engineering at the University of Nevada in Reno, Nevada, USA
How to use SAS® to fit Multiple Logistic Regression Models

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2008/369-2008.pdf>

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Advanced Statistical and Graphical features of SAS® PHREG

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2008/375-2008.pdf>

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Generalized McNemar's Test for Homogeneity of the Marginal Distributions

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2008/382-2008.pdf>

Posters Section

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Text and Data Mining to Investigate Expenditures of Prescribed Medicines

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2008/244-2008.pdf>

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Building Mathematics Achievement Models for Developed and Developing Countries: An Application of SAS to Large-scale Secondary Data Management and Analysis

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2008/239-2008.pdf>

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Local Measures of Global Warming

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I Want It All: Recovering Variable Descriptions When Importing Data from Microsoft Access

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2007/003-2007.pdf>

Coders' Corner Section

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A SAS® Macro for Automating the 'Change-in-Estimate' Strategy for Assessing Confounding

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2007/032-2007.pdf>

Data Mining Section

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Data Mining Physician Decisions for MRSA

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2007/079-2007.pdf>

Data Presentation Section

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Graphing longitudinal data: Deaf children of the National Longitudinal Survey of Youth

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2007/091-2007.pdf>

Statistics and Data Analysis Section

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Attitudes Toward Immigrants and Immigration in the United States: A Structural Approach

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2007/180-2007.pdf>

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Marginal Interpretation of Subject-Specific Curves: Logistic-Normal Regression

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2007/182-2007.pdf>

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Modification Investigation Using SAS® - A Model Building Exercises

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2007/137-2007.pdf>

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Data Mining to Investigate the Prescribing of Medications Longitudinally

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/forum2007/083-2007.pdf>

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Methodology for Railway Demand Forecasting Using Data Mining

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SAS MACRO for Generating Abridged and Cause-Eliminated Life Tables

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/sugi31/047-31.pdf>

Data Mining Section

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Data Mining Techniques to Analyze a Library Database

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Investigating Open Source Project Success: A Data Mining Approach to Model Formulation, Testing and Validation

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/sugi31/071-31.pdf>

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A Comparison of PROC MIXED and PROC GLIMMIX

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MDIRT-FIT: SAS Macros for Fitting Multidimensional Item Response

<http://www2.sas.com/proceedings/sugi31/199-31.pdf>