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Academic Qualifications

Higher Education	Period at Attendance	University/ Institute
Doctor of Philosophy	2016-2020	Management and Science University, Malaysia.
M.Phil. in Economics	2010	University of Kelaniya.
Postgraduate Diploma in Regional Development	2006-2007	University of Kelaniya.
M.A in Economics	2006	University of Kelaniya.
B.A.(Honors) in Economics, First Class Division	1 st January 2001- 1 st April 2005	University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.

Academic Positions

Senior Lecturer I - Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, (From 11th of June 2018 to up to date).

Senior Lecturer II - Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, (From 11th of June 2012 to 10th of June 2018).

Lecturer - Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, (From 11th June 2010 to 10th June 2012).

Probationary Lecturer - Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka,

(From June 11th June 2007 to 10th June 2010).

Temporary Assistant Lecturer - Department or Economics, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, (From 2005-2007).

Teaching/ Trainings in Universities and Institutions

- 1. **Visiting Lecturer** for Financial Management (DFN5013) course for Master of Business Management, Management & Science University, Malaysia.
- 2. **Visiting Lecturer** for Economic Thought Couse Module (ECON 210.3 (S), for Bacheror of Art and Humanities Degree Program, Department of Economics, University of Sri Jayawardanapura
- 3. **Visiting Lecturer-** for Evolution of Economic Thought Couse Module ECON 210.3(E), for Bacheror of Art and Humanities Degree Program, Department of Economics, University of Sri Jayawardanapura
- 4. **Visiting Lecturer** for Master of Economics course conducted by Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya

- 5. **Visiting Lecturer** for Economic Security: Regional and Global Compulsion Couse Module, National Defense Collage (NDC), Colombo Sri Lanka
- 6. **Visiting Lecturer** for Diploma of International Relations, Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya.
- 7. Successfully completed the one month course on "**Refreshment in Economics**", conducted by the University of Jawaharlal Nehru, New Delhi, India, Sep 2008 Oct 2008.
- 8. Successfully completed the 3 months virtual training on **Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU)-Early Career Researcher Training** (March 2021- June 2021), conducted by School of Informatics and Innovative Systems, JOOST University, Kenya

Participation in Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Programs/ Extension Course/ Short Courses

- Panel Reviewer- the Program of Bachelor of Information Technology external degree program, University of Moratuwa, External reviews conducted by the Quality Assurance Council (QAC) of the University Grants Commission (UGC) 2022.
- 2. **Resource person** study material development on indigenous Economic Thought Course Unit in Bachelor of Science Honors in Social Studies in Indigenous Knowledge Degree, Faculty of Social Sciences and Management Studies, Gampaha Wickramarachchi University
- 3. **Resource person** research presentation on Industry Interactive Applied Research: "Sustainable Accommodation Management" in Sri Lanka Institute of Tourism and Hotel Management (SLITHM) held on 16th December 2021.

4. **Resource person** - Executive Diploma (EDSM) in Service Management, Institute of Human Resource Advancement, University of Colombo.

Publications

Books,

- 1. Kumari, J.A.P (2011). *Introduction to Banking System of Sri Lanka and India* (*Sinhala*), Vidyalankara Printers & Publisher, Kelaniya; Sri Lanka, 2011.
- 2. Kumari, J.A.P (2021). *Public Finance Policy and Foreign Direct Investment* (Sinhala), Vidyalankara Printers & Publisher, Kelaniya; Sri Lanka, 2021.
- **3.** Kumari, J.A.P (2021). *Economic Thought upto Classical School* (Sinhala), Vidyalankara Printers & Publisher, Kelaniya; Sri Lanka, 2021.

Research Publications in Refereed Indexed Journals and Other Journals

01	Kumari, J.A.P (2021). "Elements of Microfinance on Spatial Poverty Alleviation in Sri Lanka: Structural Equation Modeling", Poverty and Public Policy.
02	Ayesha Fernando, K.D, Kumari, J.A.P; "Customer Satisfaction on Usage of Mobile Banking Services in Sri Lanka", Asian Journal of Advances in Research 12(5): 12-26, 2022.
02	Kumari, J.A.P (2021). "The influence of the Buddhist economic thought on sustainable economic development", Asian journal of advances in research, 44-51.
03	Sudarma Priyadarshani & Kumari, J.A.P (May 2021). "Determinants of Personal Financial Literacy in Sri Lanka: with special reference to University Students", Asian Journal of Economics, Business and Accounting 21(11): 1-12,2021.

- O4 Kumari, J.A.P (2021). "Government Welfare Strategies for Reducing Poverty in Sri Lanka: Pre-Liberalization Period", Asian journal of advances in research, 10(4): 27-35, 2021.
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- 07 Ramanayake, R. M. S. A & Kumari, J.A.P (May 2021). "Economic Feasibility of the Elderly Population in Sri Lanka", Asian Journal of Advances in Research, 7(4): 27-43, 2021.
- 08 Kumari, J.A.P (2021). "Development of the Microfinance Industry: Sri Lankan Perspectives", Himalayan Journal of Economics and Business Management, Vol-2, Iss- 3 (May-Jun 2021): 21-28.
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- Kumari, J.A.P (2020). "The role of products of Microfinance for reducing the Poverty of the Borrowers: Exploratory Factor Analysis", International Journal of Management Excellence, Volume 15, No 03, October 2012, ISSN 2292-1648.
- Kumari, J. P., Azam, S. F., & Khalidah, S (2019). "The Effect of Microfinance Services on Poverty Reduction: Analysis of Empirical Evidence in Sri Lankan Perspectives", European Journal of Economic and Financial Research, Volume 3, Issue 5.
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J.AP.Kumari, Eco tourism development in Sri Lanka, Rural Development, Dirimaga, magazine July/ Sep 2016.

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02	Kumari, J.A.P(2018). "The Impact of Insurance service on Risk Management of Small-scale Businesses in Rural areas", ICSS, 2018, 4 th International conference on Social Sciences, Faculty of Social Science, University of Kelaniya.
03	Kumari, J.A.P (2017). "Impact of Micro Credit on Women Empowerment in Sri Lanka"; International conference on Social Sciences, Arts, Economic and Education, December ,2017, Dubai, United Arab Emirates.
04	Kumari, J.A. P (2016). "Possibility of Agro tourism Development for Sustainable Rural Development in Sri Lanka"; ICMESS 2016, 18 th International Conference on Management, Education and Social Sciences, Dubai, United Arab Emirates, June ,2016.
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06	Kumari, J.A.P (2016). "A study of Financial Literacy among undergraduates"; ICMESS 2016: 18 th International Conference on Management, Education and Social Sciences, Dubai, UAE, June ,2016.
07	Gunasekara, H. U., & Kumari, P (2016). "Factors Affecting for Deposit Mobilization in Sri Lanka", 2 nd National Symposium of Social Sciences Undergraduate, December 2016, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.
08	Kumari, J.A P (2016). "A Study of Traditional Pest and Diseases Control Methods for Sustainable Rice Cultivation in Sri Lanka", ICSS 2016, International Conference on Social Sciences, Sep ,2016, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.

Fernando, K.D.A.K & Kumari, J.A. P (2016). "The Impact of Mobile Banking on Customer Satisfaction in Sri Lanka", 2nd National Symposium of Social Sciences Undergraduates (NSSU), Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, December ,2016. Priyadarashani, B.P.G.S & Kumari, J.A. P (2016). "Personal Financial literacy 10 on Undergraduates: with reference to University of Kelaniya", 2nd National Symposium of Social Sciences Undergraduate 2016, December 2016, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka. Karunadasa, A.P.G.A.P & Kumari, J.A. P (2016). "දිළිදුකම අවම කිරීම සඳහා සමෘද්ධි 11 බැංකු ඉස්වාවල දායකත්වයක් පිළිබඳව අධායනයක්", 2^{nd} National Symposium of Social Sciences Undergraduate 2016, December ,2016, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka. Dissanayake, D.M.S.N & Kumari, J.A.P (2016). "ගනුලදනුකරුවන්ගේ ස්වාභාවය හා 12 ආකල්ප අනුව රාජා හා පෞද්ගලික බැංකුවල අන්තර්ජාල බැංකු පහසුකම් භාවිතය පිළිබදව අධායනයක්" , 2nd National Symposium of Social Sciences Undergraduates (NSSU), Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, December, 2016. Rathnayake, R,M,C,M & Kumari, J.A.P (2016). "පාරිභෝගිකයන්ගේ මූලික 13 අයිතිවාසිකම් පිළිබඳව දැනුවත්භාවය සඳහා මාධා බලපෑම", 2nd National Symposium of Social Sciences Undergraduates (NSSU), Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, December ,2016. Kumari, J.A.P(2015). "Customer Adoption and Attitudes in Mobile Banking in 14 Sri Lanka", 17th International Conference on business and Social Sciences, Melbourne, Australia, December, 2015. Kumari, J. A.P (2015). "A Study on New trends in Online Banking Usage 15 among Academics", International conference on interdisciplinary Social Sciences studies, (ICISSS), London, United Kingdom, May, 2015. Kumari, J. A.P (2014). "A Study of Modern Trends in Traditional Farming 16 Methods of Paddy Cultivation", International Conference of Social Sciences and Education (TCSSE), Cornell University, New York, United State America, Aug, 2014.

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04	Kumari, J.A. P (2016). "Possibility of Agritourism Development for Sustainable Rural Development in Sri Lanka", ICMESS 2016: 18 th International Conference on Management, Education and Social Sciences, Dubai, United Arab Emirates, June, 2016.
05	Kumari, J.A.P (2016)." A comparative Study of Modern Trends in Traditional Farming Methods of Paddy Cultivation", ICMESS 2016: 18th International Conference on Management, Education and Social Sciences, Dubai, United Arab Emirates, 01-02, June, 2016.
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	International Conference on Social Sciences, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, September, 2016.
08	Fernando, K.D.A.K., & Kumari, J.A.P(2016). "The Impact of Mobile Banking on Customer Satisfaction in Sri Lanka", 2nd National Symposium of Social Sciences Undergraduates (NSSU), Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, December, 2016.
09	Priyadarashani, B.P.G.S., & Kumari, J.A.P (2016). "Personal Financial literacy on Undergraduates: with reference to University of Kelaniya", 2 nd National Symposium of Social Sciences Undergraduates (NSSU), Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, December, 2016.
10	Disanayake, D.M.S.N.K., & Kumari, P (2016). "ගනුදෙනුකරුවන්ගේ ස්වාභාවය හා ආකල්ප අනුව රාජ්‍ය හා පෞද්ගලික බැංකුවල අන්තර්ජාල බැංකු පහසුකම් භාවිතය පිළිබදව අධ්‍යයනයක්", 2 nd National Symposium of Social Sciences Undergraduates (NSSU), Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, December, 2016.
11	Rathnayake, M,C,M., & Kumari,P (2016). "පාරිභෝගිකයන්ගේ මූලික අයිතිවාසිකම් පිළිබඳව දැනුවත්භාවය සඳහා මාධා බලපෑම: ගම්පහ දිස්තික්කයේ ගම්පහ නගරය ඇසුරින්", 2 nd National Symposium of Social Sciences Undergraduates (NSSU), Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, December, 2016.
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13	Kumari, J. A.P(2015). "A Study on New trends in Online Banking Usage among Academics", International Conference on Interdisciplinary Social Sciences Studies, (ICISSS), London, United Kingdom, May, 2015.
14	Kumari, J. A.P (2014). "A Study of Modern Trends in Traditional Farming Methods of Paddy Cultivation", International Conference of Social Sciences and Education (TCSSE), Cornell University, New York, United State of America, Aug, 2014.
15	Kumari, J.A. P (2014). "Impact of Non-Governmental Micro Credit Programme on Poverty Alleviation of Sri Lanka", WinC 2014, Wayamba International Conference, "Sustainable Development Though Equitable Sharing", Wayamba Universty, Sri Lanka, Aug, 2014.
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17	Prema Podimenike, & Kumari, J.A.P (2011). "Impact of the Multilateral and Bilateral Trade Agreements on the Sri Lankan Economy", International Trade & Academic Research Conference (ITRC), The Business Management, London, United Kingdom, November, 2011.
18	Kumari, J. A. P (2011). "Impact of the Micro Finance on small entrepreneurship in Sri Lanka", International Conference, The Inter- University Cooperation Program, Regional Stability thought Economic, Social and Environmental Development in the Greater Mekong Sub-region and Asia Pacific, Cinnamon Grand Hotel, Colombo, Sri Lanka, Aug, 2011.
19	Kumari, J. A. P (2010). "ශුී ලංකාවේ ගුාමීය අවිධිමත් මූලා අංශයේ මෑතකාලීන පුවනතා පිළිබදව අධායනයක්", 11 th Annual Research Symposium, , Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, December, 2010.
20	Kumari, J.A.P(2009). "Impact of the Micro Finance on Poverty alleviation in Sri Lanka: Special Reference to Samurdhi Programme", 10 th Annual Research Symposium, Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, December, 2007.
21	Kumari, J.A. P(2008). "Impact of Economic liberalization on Development Banking in Sri Lanka", 1st International Conference on Social Sciences - Sri Lanka (ICSSL), "Theory and Practice of Social Sciences for human wellbeing in South Asia" Research Center for Social Sciences, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, July, 2008.
22	Kumari, J. A. P(2008). "Money Laundering Process and its impact on Sri Lankan Economy", 9 th Annual Symposium, Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, Dec, 2008.
23	Kumari, J. A. P(2006). "Impact of the Banking Commissions on Sri Lankan Banking System", 7 th Annual Symposium, Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, December, 2006.
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25	Kumari, J. P(2013). "Impact of Women Labor Migration on Saving and Invensment of Sri Lanka", 2 nd International Conference on Social Sciences Sri Lanka(ICSS), Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya November, 2013.

Member of the Reviewer and Editor in Journals

01	Reviewer , Journal of Asian Business and Economic Studies (Indexed in web of sciences), Emerald group of Publisher. https://www.emerald.com/insight/
02	Reviewer , Journal of Entrepreneurship in Emerging Economies, Emerald group of Publisher (Indexed in web of sciences). https://www.emerald.com/insight/
03	Reviewer , Journal of Cogent Economics and Finance, Routledge, CRC Press, and Taylor & Francis books., United Kingdom. https://www.tandfonline.com/
04	Reviewer , International Journal of Research and Innovation in Social Science (IJRISS), ISSN No: 2454-6186 March 2021. https://www.rsisinternational.org/journals/ijriss
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10	Reviewer , Asian Journal of Agricultural Extension, Economic and Sociology (2020), Third Floor, 207 Regent Street, London, W1B 3HH, United Kingdom. https://www.journalajaees.com

11	Reviewer , Journal of Economic Info, Readers Insight, Malaysia. https://readersinsight.net/JEI
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15	Reviewer, International Symposium on Agriculture and Environment 2021 (ISAE 2021), Faculty of Agriculture, University of Ruhuna, Sri Lanka.
16	Reviewer , Abstract Volume 5th International Conference on Dry Zone Agriculture (ICDA-2019), Faculty of Agriculture, University of Jaffna, Sri Lanka.
17	Reviewer , 22 nd International Postgraduate Research Conference (IPRC) 2022 organized by Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Kelaniy, Sri Lanka
18	Reviewer , Developmentalism Vs Wellbeing of South Asian Societies" (DeWeSAS 2023), organized by the Department of Geography, University of Kelaniya.
19	Reviewer, Sri Lankan Journal of Banking and Finance (SLJBF), Sri Lankan Journal of Banking and Finance Department of Banking and Finance, Faculty of Business Studies & Finance, Wayamba University of Sri Lanka,
20	Reviewer, Arthikavidya, Journal of Economics Students' Society, (2014). Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.
21	Reviewer , Arthikavidya, Journal of Economics Students' Society, (2016) Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.
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Reviewer, Symposium Volume of the 2nd National Symposium of Social Sciences Undergraduates (NSSU) on 'Social Sciences Research for National Development', 30 December, 2016, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.

As an Editorial Member

- Member; WASET Scientific and Technical Committee & Editorial Review Board on Economics and Management Engineering, PO Box 982, Riverside, Connecticut, CT 06878, USA,www.waset.org
- Member of Editorial Board, International Journal of Finance and Banking Research (IJFBR)(2020-2022) ;ISSN Print: 2472-226X ISSN Online: 2472-2278 http://www.sciencepublishinggroup.com/j/ijfbr
- Member of the Editorial Board, Symposium Volume of the 2nd National Symposium of Social Sciences Undergraduates (NSSU) on Social Sciences Research for National Development, 30th December 2016, organized by the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya.
- 24 **Member of Editorial Board**, felicitation of Pof. G.W Indrani in 2016, organized by the Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya.

Scholarships, Awards & Grants

- 01 **ERASMUS+ STAFF MOBILITY Scholarship:** Faculty of Economics, Finance and management, University of Szczecin, Ploand.
- o2 **SAARC Cultural Centre Research award**: for research proposal titled "A study of Modern Trends in Traditional Farming Methods of Paddy cultivation in Sri Lanka", SAARC Culture Center, Sri Lanka.
- O3 **Distinguished Scholar Award** Awarded by Scientific Award Committee, European Journal of Scientific Research.
- O4 International Research Award 2020-21 (Awarded by International Institute of Organized Research (IIOR).
- Top 100 International **Distinguished Researchers 2020** (Awarded by Green ThinkerZ Society).

06	NCAS grant funding award to pursue MPhil degree 2009 PhD
	programme, awarded by the National Centre for Advanced Studies in
	Humanities and Social science, Ward Place , Colombo 7, Sri Lanka
07	Senate Honours for conducting high quality research and publishing in the
	year 2014 international indexed journal.
08	Senate Honours for conducting high quality research and publishing in the
	year 2015 international indexed journal. Awarded in June 2016.
09	Senate Honours for conducting high quality research and publishing in the
	year 2016 international indexed journal. Awarded in November 2016.
10	Senate Honours for conducting high quality research and publishing in the
	year 2016 international indexed journal. Awarded in September 2016.
11	Senate Honours for conducting high quality research and publishing in the
	year 2016 international indexed journal. Awarded in September 2016.
12	Senate Honours for conducting high quality research and publishing in the
	year 2016 international indexed journal. Awarded in September 2016.
13	Senate Honours for conducting high quality research and publishing in the
	year 2016 international indexed journal. Awarded in February 2017.
14	Senate Honours for conducting high quality research and publishing in the
	year 2016 international indexed journal. Awarded in February 2017.
15	Senate Honours for conducting high quality research and publishing in the
	year 2022 international indexed journal. Awarded in August 2022.

Research Experiences

Main Researcher to a research project titled "Elements of Government Microfinance and Their Impact on Spatial Poverty Alleviation of Borrowers of Samurdhi Microfinance Program in Sri Lanka, 2020". This research was carried out with the grant assistance of the PhD research grant, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.

- 2. Coordinator and Main Researcher to a research project titled "A study of modern trends in traditional farming methods of paddy cultivation". This research was carried out with the grant assistance of SAARC culture center, Sri Lanka, 2015.
- 3. Coordinator and Researcher to a research project titled "Socio Economic Impact on NAITA Training Programme in Sri Lanka". This research was carried out with the grant assistance of NAITA, Sri Lanka, 2014.
- 4. Researcher and Report writer to a research project titled "Impact of Micro Credit on Poverty Alleviation in Sri Lanka". This research was carried out with the grant assistance of Research and Publication Department, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, 2014.
- 5. Researcher and Report writer to a research project titled "A study of usage of e-banking methods in governmental commercial bank in Sri Lanka". This research was carried out with the grant assistance of Research Centre for Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, 2014.
- 6. Data Enter and Report Writer to a research project titled "Gamidiriya Project in Badulla Distric". This research was conducted by the Department of Geography, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, 2007.
- 7. Coordinator and a Research Assistant to a research project titled "A Study of Economic and Social factors influencing for Education in Uwa Province". This research was conducted by the Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, 2006.
- 8. Coordinator and a Research Assistant to a research project titled "Survey on Cultural Tourism of Anuradhapura". This research was conducted by the Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, 2005.

- 9. Research Assistant to a research project entitled "Survey on Successive Generations Problems of the Gal Oya Colonization Scheme". This Research was conducted by the Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, 2004.
- 10. Research Assistant, "Baseline Survey on Tsunami Affected Families in the Western Providence of Sri Lanka", Spearheaded by Dr. K. Karunathilake, Head, Department of Sociology, University of Kelaniya on the request of Human Disaster Management Council, Colombo.

Keynote Address, Session Chairperson & Rapporteur

- Delivered Keynote address at the Global Edu- Conclave 2021, held virtually on 27th June 2021, organized by International Institute of Organized Research, India in association with Center for Smart Modern Construction, Western Sydney University, Australia.
- Served as a session Chairperson in the International Conference on Interdisciplinary Social Science Studies on 18-20 May at London, United Kingdom.
- Served as a Session Chairperson of National Undergraduates Conference on Social Sciences (NUCSS-2021), Department of Philosophy Faculty of Social Science, University of Kelaniya.
- 4. Served as a **Session Chairperson** of 1st National Symposium of Social Science Undergraduates (NSSU-2015), Faculty of Social Science, University of Kelaniya.
- Served as a Session Chairperson of the 2nd National Research Conference on Applied Social Statistics (NRCASS) - 2016, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya.

6. Served as a **Rapporteur** in the 2nd International Conference on Social Science, Sri Lanka (ICSS)- 2013, Research Centre for Social Sciences, Faculty of Social Science, University of Kelaniya.

Workshops

- 1. Completed the **Staff Development Programme** (2007- 2008), conducted by the University Grant Commission, Sri Lanka
- 2. Two Days workshop (2009) on "**Tranning in Research and Publication**" conducted by the National Centre for Advanced Studies in Humanities and Social Sciences, Sri Lanka
- 3. Two Days workshop on "**SPSS" (**Sep- 2009) conducted by the Department of Accountancy, Faculty of Commerce and Management, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka
- 4. One Day workshop on "**Productivity**" (Feb 2009) Organized by Kizen Centre, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka
- 5. Participated in "**Staff Development Programme**" (2005-2009) conducted by the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka
- 6. Two Days workshop on "**SPSS"** (July- 2008) conducted by the Department of Accountancy, Faculty of Commerce and Management, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka
- 7. One Day Workshop on "**Services of National Library in Sri Lanka**" (March-2005) Organized by Research Centre for Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya.
- 8. Two Days Workshop on "**Geographical Information System**"(GIS)(March 2006) Organized by Research Centre for Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya.
- 9. One day Workshop on **"UMOPE-part 3"**(April-2006) Organized by University of Kelaniya, University Bradford in collaboration with the university of sterling and the University of Leicester and sponsored by Arts and humanities Research Board
- 10. Two Days workshop on "**Research proposal writing**"(January 2014) conducted by the National Centre for Advanced Studies in Humanities and Social Sciences, Sri Lanka

Other Contributions

- Course Coordinator- Postgraduate Degree Program (Sinhala Medium),
 Department of Economics, Unicersity of Kelaniya (2022/2023)
- 2. Senior Treasurer, Economics Student Society (2019/2020); Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya.
- 3. Student Counselor Kalana Mithuru Counseling Service (2015-2017), University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.
- 4. Senior Treasurer, Economics Student Society (2014/2015) Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya.
- 5. Chef Examiner National Advanced Level Examination, 2008- 2016 Chief Examiner- A/L Examination 2008-2018 (Economics)
- 6. Warden, (2015, 2016) Adikaram Girls Hostel, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.
- 7. Student Counsellor- (2007-2009), University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.
- 8. Student Counselor, (2008,2009), University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.
- 9. Member of the Alumni Association of University of Kelaniya, Since 2013
- 10. Executive Member- (2009), Economics Alumni Association of University of Kelaniya.
- 11. Treasurer of the Postgraduate Economics Association (2006), Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.
- 12. Counsellor (2006), Environment Association, Kannangara Girls Hostel, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.
- 13. Sub Warden (2005-2009), Bandaranayke girl's hostel, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.
- 14. **Member of the committee** for preparation of Self–Evaluation Reports (SER) organised by the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya in 2017.
- 15. Member of the Organizing Committee (2008), 1st International Conference on Social Sciences- Sri Lanka 2008, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.

- 16. **Member** of the Committee for the 9th Sri Lanka University Games (SLUG-2007), organized by the Department of Physical Education, University of Kelaniya.
- 17. Member of the Organizing Committee (2007- February), "*Research with Global Exposure*", Seminar on Research Papers Presented by the Academic Staff Members of the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka at the International Conferences held in 2005 and 2006, organized by Research Centre for Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.
- 18. Member of the Organizing Committee (December-2005), 10th International Conference on Sri Lanka Studies (10th ICSLS), organized by Research Center, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka, December 2005.
- 19. Member of the Organizing Committee (December-2009), **65**th **Annual Scientific Sessions** of Sri Lanka Association for the Advancement of Science, Sri Lanka.
- 20. Member of the Organizing Committee (2013), **2**nd **International Conference on Social Sciences** Sri Lanka 2013, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.
- 21. **Member** of the Committee for the Kaizen Centre, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya.
- 22. Organizer of the *Seminar Series- Artha for the Undergraduates* in the Department of Economics as the Senior Treasurer of Economics Students' Association, Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.
- 23. **Member of the team of abstract volume preparation** of the first International Conference on Social Sciences Sri Lanka 2008 (ICSSL), organized by the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Kelaniya.
- 24. Organizer of the *Workshop on Article Writing for the Undergraduates* in the Department of Economics as the Senior Treasurer of Economics Student Association 2021, Department of Economics, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.

25. Served as a *Panelist* of the Judge Panel at Research Proposal Presentation of Industry Interactive Applied Research conducted by Faculty of Accommodation Management at Sri Lanka Institute of Tourism and Hotel Management (SLITHM) held on 3rd January December 2022.

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