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About IPRC 2023

The International Postgraduate Research Conference 2023 of the Faculty of Graduate Studies is a multidisciplinary conference that focuses on addressing issues and emerging concepts in various domains, including Science, Computing, Technology, Mathematics, Medical Sciences, Accounting, Business and Management Studies, Humanities, Social Sciences, Digital Learning, and Multidisciplinary Studies. The event will provide a platform for practitioners, academics, policymakers, researchers, and postgraduate students to share their experiences and expertise through presentation of high-quality research.

The conference this year will include a keynote address by *Prof. Padmanabhan Balaram, (Chair Professor at National Centre for Biological Sciences (NCBS) Bengaluru, India)* followed by four plenary sessions.

• Plenary Session One

Prof. Stephen Marshall, Director of the Centre for Academic Development at the Victoria University of Wellington, and former president (2016-2019) of the Australasian Council on Open and Distance Education

• Plenary Session Two

Prof. Hemalatha Balaram, Professor at the Jawaharlal Nehru Center for Advanced Scientific Research (JNCASR) in Bangalore, India

Plenary Session Three

Shirley Weng In Siu, Professor at the Centre for Artificial Intelligence-Driven Drug Discovery, Macao Polytechnic University, Macau

Plenary Session Four

Prof. Roma Chatterji, Professor at Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, Delhi University in 2021





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Welcome to the

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A Special Note about the Program Book

The University of Kelaniya is the first university to adopt green practices in Sri Lanka successfully. We are moving towards a 'paperless' university. In keeping with the concept, we have decided to offer only the essential information that participants would require in print form. The rest of the information is offered online. Beginning in 2016, an online conference management platform was used to organize the conference, which allowed for more efficient planning and improved data management during registration and review.

The conference program book: Offers conference information, session chairs, time, date and venue

Abstract Volume: Available online in PDF format and offers author information

Conference related information is available through the conference website. All online information will be accessible on your smartphone or iPad through the IPRC website. To obtain access to the IPRC web page, please scan the QR code.



General Conference Information:

If you need any technical or internet support, please feel free to contact the conference Event Management Team or the Session Coordinator.

Photographer Information

There will be an official photographer at the conference.





IPRC 2023 Information

Registration Fees:

| Category | Fee |
|--|-----------|
| Participants from Foreign Countries | |
| Presenters | USD 50 |
| Participants | USD 25 |
| Local Participants | |
| External Presenters | 4,500 LKR |
| External Participants | 3,000 LKR |
| Registered students (currently registered students) of the Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Kelaniya | 3,500 LKR |
| Permanent Staff of the University of Kelaniya | Free* |

^{*} All registered permanent staff of the University of Kelaniya are cordially invited to participate in the online inauguration and plenary sessions and the in-person parallel academic sessions.

Instructions for Oral Presentations

All rooms will be equipped with a laptop and a projector/smart board. The operating system will be Windows 11 Professional and available software will be Microsoft Office 365(including MS Word, MS PowerPoint, MS Excel), Adobe Acrobat, Windows Media Player, and VLC media player).

Oral Paper Sessions

Oral presentations will be 10 minutes in duration, with an additional 5 minutes allocated for questions and answers. Presenters are requested to submit the Microsoft PowerPoint slides prior to the given deadline.





For easy reference, a unique code has been assigned to each presentation;

Abstract ID

- The letter string in the first position refers to the title of the conference IPRC.
- Second position "23" refers to the year "2023".
- The number in the third position refers to the number of the abstract ID.

Example:

IPRC/23/156

Key to the Session Identification

Example:

MO/01/K013/11.00-01.00

MO = (Morning Session)
01 = Panel Number

K013 = Room Number

11.00 - 01.00 = Session Time





The Conference Venue

University of Kelaniya is situated in the ancient and historic city of Kelaniya, a city visited by Buddha in the 5th century BC. The University is conveniently located just outside the municipal limits of the capital city, Colombo, near the Colombo-Kandy Road. The University of Kelaniya has its origin in the historic Vidyalankara Pirivena, founded in 1875 as a centre of learning for Buddhist monks. It was one of the two great national centres of traditional higher learning, heralding the first phase of the national movement and national resurgence. With the establishment of modern Universities in Sri Lanka in the 1940s and 1950s, the Vidyalankara Pirivena became the Vidyalankara University in 1959, later the Vidyalankara Campus of the University of Ceylon in 1972 and, ultimately, the University of Kelaniya in 1978.





The Faculty of Graduate Studies (FGS)

The Faculty of Graduate Studies coordinates with all the Boards of study in the university in offering research degrees, degrees with only coursework or coursework and research. All the postgraduate degree programs offered by the FGS conform to the relevant Sri Lanka Qualification Framework (SLQF) guidelines. The FGS specifies requirements for postgraduate admission and establishes and regulates standards with respect to the quality of postgraduate teaching and research. The FGS also promotes intra-faculty, inter-faculty, inter-university and international collaborations in postgraduate teaching and research. The quality of postgraduate research projects of the students is strictly monitored by a proposal presentation, biannual progress reports and progress presentations. The Faculty of Graduate Studies consists of Boards of Study established based on the subject areas.

Boards of Study of the Faculty of Graduate Studies:

- Board of Study in Commerce and Business Management
- Board of Study in Computing
- Board of Study in Digital Learning
- Board of Study in Humanities
- Board of Study in Medical Sciences
- ➤ Board of Study in Multidisciplinary Studies
- Board of Study in Science
- Board of Study in Social Sciences
- Board of Study in Technology

International Collaborations:

The Faculty of Graduate Studies offers the following programs in foreign countries

- ➤ MBA, MPhil and PhD programs in Bangladesh
- Master of Business Studies Program in China
- Master of Arts in Buddhist Studies Program in Malaysia





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Program Overview

24th November 2023

| Time | Venue | Activity | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Opening Ceremony | | | | | | | | |
| 08.00 am - 08.45 am | Faculty of Graduate Studies | Pre-conference registration | | | | | | |
| 08.45 am - 08.50 am | | Arrival of guests | | | | | | |
| 08.50 am - 08.55 am | | The lighting of the traditional oil lamp | | | | | | |
| 08.55 am - 09.00 am | | University anthem | | | | | | |
| 09.00 am - 09.05 am | | Conference video | | | | | | |
| | Auditorium - Faculty of | Welcome Address | | | | | | |
| 09.05 am - 09.15am | Commerce and | Senior Prof. N.A.K.P.J. Seneviratne | | | | | | |
| | Management Studies | Dean/ FGS & Chair IPRC 2023 | | | | | | |
| | | Address by the Chief Guest | | | | | | |
| 09.15 am - 09.20 am | | Senior Prof. Nilanthi Renuka de Silva | | | | | | |
| 09.15 am - 09.20 am | | Vice-Chancellor | | | | | | |
| | | University of Kelaniya | | | | | | |
| | | Keynote Address | | | | | | |
| 09.20 am - 09.50 am | | Prof. Padmanabhan Balaram | | | | | | |
| 09.20 aiii - 09.30 aiii | | National Centre for Biological Sciences (NCBS), | | | | | | |
| | | Bengaluru, India | | | | | | |
| 09.50 am – 09.55 am | | National anthem and end of the inaugural | | | | | | |
| 09.50 aiii – 09.55 aiii | | ceremony | | | | | | |
| | T2 - Faculty of | | | | | | | |
| 09.55 am -10.20 am | Commerce and | Refreshments | | | | | | |
| - | Management Studies | | | | | | | |
| 10.30 am -12.45 pm | | Parallel sessions | | | | | | |
| 12.45 pm - 01.30 pm | B1 223 Faculty of Science | Lunch | | | | | | |
| 01.15 pm - 03.00 pm | | Parallel sessions | | | | | | |
| 03.00 pm - 03.15 pm | Faculty of Science | Tea | | | | | | |
| 03.15 pm - 06.00 pm | | Parallel sessions | | | | | | |

Key to the Venues

- N3 Building Faculty of Graduate Studies Ground Floor: Pre-conference registration
- Ananda Patabendige Hall Auditorium: Faculty of Commerce and Management Studies
- T2 Faculty of Commerce and Management Studies
- B1 223 Faculty of Science -Lunch





Program Schedule

MO/1/(10.30am - 01.00pm)

Room No. – Auditorium of the Faculty of Commerce and Management Studies

Conference Sub Themes - Multidisciplinary Studies - 01

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| | Time | Plenary Session One | | | | | | | | |
| | 10.30 - 11.00 | Plenary Session One - Translating research into organizational change: Leadership and institutional work Prof. Stephen Marshall - Director of the Centre for Academic Development at the Victoria University of Wellington, New Zealand | | | | | | | | |
| Moderator | Time | Abstract ID | Abstract ID Page No ID Presenter Title | | | | | | | |
| Session Chairs | 11.15 - 11.30 | IPRC/23/18 | 55 | MDS 02 | Vindya Vimani Senadheera | A Guide to Instructional Design Models for Digital Learning in Higher Education – A Scoping Review | | | | |
| Dr. Anura | 11.30 - 11.45 | IPRC/23/102 | 57 | MDS 04 | D.D. D. Suraweera | Study on household waste management practices of undergraduates | | | | |
| Karunarathna | 11.45 - 12.00 | IPRC/23/143 | 62 | MDS 09 | Deshani Wijesekara | ඉතිහාසය විෂය සඳහා නිපුණතා පාදක ඉගැන්වීමේ කුම පන්ති කාමරය තුළ කිුයාත්මක වන ආකාරය පිළිබඳ විශ්ලේෂණාත්මක අධායයනයක් | | | | |
| Prof. Kaushalya Yatigammana | 12.00 - 12.15 | IPRC/23/17 | 54 | MDS 01 | Vindya Vimani Senadheera | Impact of microlearning on academic performance of higher education students - a systematic review and meta-analysis | | | | |
| Session Coordinator/s | 12.15 – 12.30 | IPRC/23/111 | 92 | HSS 30 | Aditha Udayangi Dissanayake | New approach for translations of literature written in lesser-known languages based on creative strategies of ancient Sinhala literary translation traditions | | | | |
| Coordinator/s R.A.L. Madushika | 12.30 – 12.45 | IPRC/23/235 | 90 | HSS 28 | C.B. Wanigasingha A.M.S.K.Aththana yaka | Factors affecting students' acceptance of E-learning in Sri Lanka: Evidence from social sciences undergraduates of University of Kelaniya. | | | | |





EV/1/ Auditorium - Commerce and Management Studies (1.15pm-3.30pm) Room No. - Auditorium of the Faculty of Commerce and Management Studies Conference Sub Themes – Humanities and Social Sciences – 01

| | Time | Plenary Session Two | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|---------------------|--|------------------|------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| | 01.15 – 1.45 | Pro | Plenary Session Two — Humanities, and Social Sciences Prof. Roma Chatterji - Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, Delhi University, India | | | | | | | |
| Moderator | Time | Abstract ID | Page No | Proceeding ID | Presenter | Title | | | | |
| Session Chairs Prof. Chaminda | 02.00 - 02.15 | IPRC/23/142 | 101 | HSS 39 | S. A. I. Maduwanthi | ජනවාර්ගික අර්බුදයේදී යුද හමුදා සෙබළුන් ආබාධිත භාවයට පත්වීම පවුල් සංස්ථාව තුළ කලතු භූමිකාවට සිදුකළ බලපෑම | | | | |
| Abesinghe | 02.15 - 02.30 | IPRC/23/22 | 65 | HSS 03 | K. A. A. N. Thilakarathna | What's Wrong with Being Gay? It's OK: A Critical Review of the Rights of Same-Sex Couples in Sri Lanka | | | | |
| Prof. Nadeesha Gunawardhana | 02.30 - 02.45 | IPRC/23/40 | 67 | HSS 05 | H.D. Hasitha Jeewanthi | Women in urban slums: with special reference to two urban slums in Gampaha district in Sri Lanka. | | | | |
| Session Coordinator/s | 02.45 - 03.00 | IPRC/23/58 | 69 | HSS 07 | D.M.R. Upuldeniya | A comparative study on prejudices of Sinhalese and Tamils towards each other in the post-war reconciliation process of Sri Lanka | | | | |
| R.A.L. Madushika | 03.00 - 03.15 | IPRC/23/209 | 87 | HSS 25 | Ama Pothuhera | An analysis of the employment among the undergraduates of the Arts Faculties of the University of Kelaniya | | | | |





EV/02/ Auditorium - Commerce and Management Studies (3.15pm - 5.30pm) Room No. - Auditorium - Commerce and Management Studies Conference Sub Themes - Humanities and Social Sciences - 01

| Moderator | Time | Abstract ID | Page No | Proceeding ID | Presenter | Title |
|---|---------------|-------------|------------|------------------|---|--|
| Session Chairs | 03.30 – 03.45 | IPRC/23/117 | 77 | HSS 15 | T. M. Dasantha Bandara | An analysis of the health communication characteristics of Buddhist Teaching |
| Prof. Bihesh Indika Sampath | 03.45 – 04.00 | IPRC/23/139 | 100 | HSS 33 | Rathnayaka Priyantha Subhashini Menike Rathnayaka | නූතනත්වය ස්තී චින්තනයට සිදුකරන බලපෑම පිළිබඳ විමර්ශනාත්මක අධෳයනයක්: උෂා පුියන්වදාගේ කෙටිකතා ඇසුරෙන් |
| Prof. A.I. Divakara | 04.00 - 04.15 | IPRC/23/193 | 102 | HSS 40 | Nimeshika Malshani Pathirana | සිංහල වන්දනා කාවායන්හි විදාාමාන භාෂා ලක්ෂණ පිළිබඳ විමර්ශනාත්මක අධායනයක් (තෝරා ගත් කෘති ඇසුරෙන්) |
| Session Coordinator/s | 04.15 - 04.30 | IPRC/23/195 | 85 | HSS 23 | R. M. D. S. Randiwela | Female use of cosmetics during the Roman Empire according to Juvenal |
| Hasini Weerarathne | 04.30 - 04.45 | IPRC/23/91 | 95 | HSS 33 | P. Kumarasingha | අංගංපොර සටන් කලාවේ නිරායුධ සටන් ශිල්ප ආශිුත අස්පර්ශා සංස්කෘතික උරුම දැනුම පිළිබඳ අධාායනයක් |
| , | 04.45 - 05.00 | IPRC/23/98 | 96 | HSS 34 | M.J. Supun Hemachandra | බඹර වළල්ල සිනමා කෘතියෙන් නිරූපිත සමාජ ස්ථරායණය පිළිබඳ අධාsයනයක් |
| | 05.00 - 05.15 | IPRC/23/208 | 86 | HSS 24 | Asitha Amarakoon | A study on the influence of European heraldic visual designs on emblem designs of Sri Lanka |





MO/2/ B1 303 – Faculty of Science (10.30pm-12.45pm) Room No. – B1 303 - Faculty of Science

Conference Sub Themes – Humanities and Social Sciences – 02

| Moderator | Time | Abstract ID | Page No | Proceeding ID | Presenter | Title |
|--|---------------|-------------|---------|------------------|---|--|
| Session Chairs Dr. Samanthi | 10.30 - 10.45 | IPRC/23/108 | 75 | HSS 13 | M.S.M. RIZWAN | Expo-writing: A Strategy to Minimize Grammatical Errors |
| Jayawardena Dr. Vindya Weerawardhana | 10.45 - 11.00 | IPRC/23/112 | 76 | HSS 14 | Karasinghe Arachchillage Hiroshima Maduwanthi | The impact of the medium of instruction on the grammatical errors committed by the English second language learners |
| Dr. Sudath Senarath | 11.00 - 11.15 | IPRC/23/14 | 64 | HSS 02 | F. Shezmin Wazeer | The implication of Canvas to enhance English language teaching and learning: A case study conducted at the Nawaloka College of Higher Studies |
| | 11.15 - 11.30 | IPRC/23/25 | 66 | HSS 04 | Hewanayakage Sasanjalie Jayasinghe | Teachers' perspective on the influence of first language in the English as a second language classroom |
| Session Coordinator/s | 11.30 - 11.45 | IPRC/23/138 | 79 | HSS 17 | Nimali Priyadarshanie Heenpella | Right to Participation of Students in Teaching-Learning Process |
| Mr. Anushka Dulanjana | 11.45 - 12.00 | IPRC/23/147 | 80 | HSS 18 | Hewa Kavirathnage Priyashani Dineshika | Perception of Using "Padlet" as a Multimodal Text to Enhance the first Year Undergraduates' Academic Writing Skills |
| | 12.00 - 12.15 | IPRC/23/157 | 81 | HSS 19 | B. B. P. Dilini hemali | The effectiveness of flipped classroom approach in improving writing skills of first year undergraduates of University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka |
| | 12.15 – 12.30 | IPRC/23/241 | 91 | HSS 29 | H. M. T. M. H. Molagoda | Exploring the impact of Focus on Form instruction in teaching grammar to ESL undergraduates in the Sri Lankan context |
| | 12.30 – 12.45 | IPRC/23/52 | 68 | HSS 06 | Hasara Senadhipathi | Enhancing undergraduates' academic writing skills with strategy training and revision feedback: in private and state universities in Sri Lanka |





 $EV/03/\,B1\,\,303-Faculty\,\,of\,\,Science\,\,(01.15pm-3.00pm)$

Room No. – B1 303 – Faculty of Science

| Moderator | Time | Abstract ID | Page No | Proceeding ID | Presenter | Title |
|----------------------------|---------------|-------------|---------|------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| Session Chairs Prof. Ruwan | 01.15 - 01.30 | IPRC/23/171 | 35 | STMM 26 | P. A. D. H. J. Gunathilaka | Pulse waves unveiled: harnessing convolutional neural networks for accurate classification in pulse diagnosis |
| Wijesundara | 01.30 - 01.45 | IPRC/23/67 | 17 | STMM 08 | P. P. S. S. Pussepitiya | Teaching CAD/CAM tools through Project- Based Learning at undergraduate level |
| Dr. B.M.T. Kumarika | 02.00 - 02.15 | IPRC/23/166 | 34 | STMM 25 | W. P. R. T. Perera | Advancements in multifunctional core-shell adsorbent comprising graphene oxide/ sand for adsorptive removal of water contaminants |
| Dr. Aruna Wanninayaka | 02.15 - 02.30 | IPRC/23/154 | 30 | STMM 21 | A. R. M. A. M. Rathnayake | Expanded Graphite reinforced polystyrene composites for Li- ion battery thermal management |
| Session Coordinator/s | 02.30 - 02.45 | IPRC/23/255 | 45 | STMM 36 | W. T. R. S. Fernando | Electrochemical performance of n-type Cu2O anode material synthesized by electrodeposition method for rechargeable lithium-ion batteries |
| Mr. Anushka Dulanjana | 02.45 - 03.00 | IPRC/23/257 | 46 | STMM 37 | Nilanka Sandamali Sumathipala | Performance Comparison of Binary Segmentation Method and Pruned Exact Linear Time Changepoint Detection Methods for AR (1) Model |





EV/04/ B1 303 – Faculty of Science (03.15pm – 05.15pm)

Room No. - B1 303 - Faculty of Science

| Moderator Moderator | Time | Abstract ID | Page No | Proceeding ID | Presenter | Title |
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| Session Chairs Dr. Mahendra | 03.15 - 03.30 | IPRC/23/269 | 49 | STMM 40 | N. M. K. Gandhi Ranasinghe | Cytogenotoxicity assessment in Allium cepa roots exposed to phytoremidiated Used Lubricant Oil (ULO) contaminated soil |
| Gunawardena Dr. W. M. A. P. | 03.30 – 03.45 | IPRC/23/270 | 50 | STMM 41 | H. A. Nimmi Apsara Jayalal | In vivo cytogenotoxicity of powdered laundry detergents in Allium cepa |
| Halmillawewa | 03.45 – 04.00 | IPRC/23/53 | 15 | STMM 06 | Dayani Pavalakumar | Assessing the antioxidative potential of lactic acid bacteria inhabiting tender coconut water |
| Session Coordinator/s Mr. Anushka | 04.00 - 04.15 | IPRC/23/80 | 19 | STMM 10 | Sathivel Thivijan | The Non-Saccharomyces Microflora Inhabiting Sri Lankan Grapes for Wine Fermentation: An Unveiled Physiochemical Characteristic and Fermentation Dynamics |
| Dulanjana | 04.15 – 04.30 | IPRC/23/184 | 37 | STMM 28 | N. R. Y. Wijebandara | Observational study on Morphology, Growth Rate and Germ Cell Attachment of Human Sertoli Cells |
| | 04.30 - 04.45 | IPRC/23/56 | 16 | STMM 07 | P. V. Desha Dilani | CRISPR/cas9 mediated gene knockout in mosquito vector Aedes aegypti: In-silico approach |
| | 04.45 – 05.00 | IPRC/23/77 | 52 | STMM 43 | Dulanjalee Madhusha Rajapaksha | Application of stable $\delta 13C$ and $\delta 15N$ isotope analysis for trophic levels discrimination of fish species in Daduru Oya reservoir; Sri Lanka |
| | 05.00 – 05.15 | IPRC/23/134 | 51 | STMM 42 | Hansi Udayangana Uduwawala | Detection of pathogenic Leptospira from field-collected water samples as an indicator of predicting leptospirosis outbreak |





MO/03/Board Room – Faculty of Science (10.30am - 01.15pm)

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| Session Chairs | 10.30 - 10.45 | IPRC/23/101 | 23 | STMM 14 | Wellathanthrige Imaya Eumini Botheju | Prevalence of Mycobacterium tuberculosis among a selected group of Sri Lankan patients: A meta data analysis | | | | |
| Dr. Nuwani Manamperi | 10.45 - 11.00 | IPRC/23/15 | 11 | STMM 02 | Kaumudee Kodikara | Identifying essential procedural skills and competencies in Sri Lankan undergraduate medical curricula | | | | |
| Prof. Sena Rathnayaka | 11.00 - 11.15 | IPRC/23/27 | 12 | STMM 03 | Dilini Wijesekara | Epidemiology of child leprosy in Sri Lanka. | | | | |
| · | 11.15 - 11.30 | IPRC/23/41 | 13 | STMM 04 | J. M. Nimali. P. Perera | Comparison of Quality of Life of Cancer Patients on Palliative Care in Hospice Centers Versus at Home | | | | |
| Session Coordinator/s | 11.30 – 11.45 | IPRC/23/50 | 14 | STMM 05 | Kaumudee Kodikara | Development of a Delphi survey questionnaire to identify core procedural competencies for undergraduate medical curricula in Sri Lanka | | | | |
| | Time | Plenary Session Three | | | | | | | | |
| Miss. Dineesha Chandrasiri Dr.Dulith | 12.00 – 12.30 | Prof. Hemala | | | | ogy, Mathematics and Medicine dvanced Scientific Research (JNCASR) in Bangalore, | | | | |
| Abeykoon | Time | Abstract ID | Page No | Proceeding ID | Presenter | Title | | | | |
| | 12.30 – 12.45 | IPRC/23/118 | 27 | STMM 18 | M. M. Siriwardana | Imaging of anatomical variations of the ureters: A pictorial essay | | | | |
| | 12.45 – 01.00 IPRC/23/150 29 STMM 20 | | Pallewatte Gamaralalage Neluni Prasangika Samarasekara | Barriers and facilitators of home-based physiotherapy programs for children with cerebral palsy as perceived by primary caregivers and physiotherapists | | | | | | |
| | 01.00 - 01.15 | IPRC/23/229 | 41 | STMM 32 | Aruma Hennadige Dileep | Barriers and facilitators of eHealth services in Sri Lanka: a Systematic literature review | | | | |





EV/05/ Board Room - Faculty of Sciences (1.15pm-2.45pm)

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| Session Chairs | | | | | | Toxic metal contamination in food chains via paddy |
| | 01.15 - 01.30 | IPRC/23/162 | 31 | STMM 22 | Nalin Gunathilaka | plant; A study in CKDu endemic area in North Western |
| Prof. Jeewantha | | | | | | Province, Sri Lanka |
| Premarathna | | | | | | Impact of organic farming practices on toxic metal |
| | 01.30 - 01.45 | IPRC/23/164 | 32 | STMM 23 | Dilshani Sakunthala | accumulation in topsoil in paddy areas: A comparative |
| Prof. Mangala | | | | | | study in Sri Lanka |
| Yatawara | | | | | | Exploring the toxic metal contamination and unveiling |
| | 04.47.00.00 | | 22 | am 6 6 6 4 | a 1 | the risks in staple grains grown in a CKDu hotspot in Sri |
| Prof. Shashikala | 01.45 - 02.00 | IPRC/23/165 | 33 | STMM 24 | Sahan N Perera | Lanka |
| Rajapaksha | | | | | | Lanka |
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| g • | 02.00 - 02.15 | IPRC/23/183 | 36 | STMM 27 | Hansika Weerakoon | vegetation indices and land surface temperature in |
| Session | 3-100 3-110 | | | ~ | | Anuradhapura district, Sri Lanka |
| Coordinator/s | | | | | | • |
| | 02.15 - 02.30 | IPRC/23/196 | 38 | STMM 29 | Sudath K Pemarathna | Diversity assessment of old seedling teas in IU3c agro- |
| M' D' 1 | | 11 110, 20, 17 0 | | 2 | ~ | ecological region in the Uva region |
| Miss. Dineesha | | | | | | |
| Chandrasiri | | | | | | Current status of Public Procurement in Health Sector, |
| Dr. Dulith | 02.30 - 02.45 | IPRC/23/69 | 18 | STMM 09 | K. L. S. Dinesh | Sri Lanka and its possible adoption of Sustainability and |
| | | | | | | Green concepts: Survey based |
| Abeykoon | | | | | | |





EV/06/ Board Room - Faculty of Sciences (3.15pm-4.30pm)

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| Session Chairs Dr. P.M.Thusitha B. | 03.15 - 03.30 | IPRC/23/218 | 39 | STMM 30 | Shirom Rajeev Siriwardana | Imaging of intramuscular abscesses: A pictorial view of four cases |
| Wickramasinghe Prof. Nayana | 03.30 – 03.45 | IPRC/23/85 | 20 | STMM 11 | Piume Madushani | Innovative approach to COVID-19 Vaccine Registration: case study from Sri Lanka |
| Gunathilaka | 03.45 - 04.00 | IPRC/23/87 | 21 | STMM 12 | Siriwardana | Imaging of anatomical variations of the kidney: A pictorial essay |
| Session Coordinator/s Miss. Dineesha Chandrasiri | 04.00 – 04.15 | IPRC/23/189 | 59 | MDS 06 | Thilak P.G.H. Wanasinghe | Critical evaluation of Non-Communicable Diseases (NCD) prevention health communication content on selected Facebook pages in Sri Lanka |
| Dr.Dulith Abeykoon | 04.15 – 04.30 | IPRC/23/263 | 61 | MDS 08 | Lakmini Radhika | Effectiveness of school based interventions to control Dengue vector in selected schools of Gampaha District, Sri Lanka |





MO/4/FGS Board Room – Faculty of Graduate Studies (10.30am – 12.45pm) Room No. – FGS Board Room - Faculty of Graduate Studies Conference Sub Themes - Accounting, Business and Management 01

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| Session Chairs | 10.30 - 10.45 | IPRC/23/57 | 02 | ABM 02 | Asha J. R. Jayaweera | Relationship between access to trade finance and performance: moderated by internal structural weaknesses in small and medium enterprises in Sri Lanka |
| Dr. M. L. D. C. J. Liyanage | 10.45 - 11.00 | IPRC/23/110 | 03 | ABM 03 | Gonaduwage G.N.K Siriwardana | Market research on factors affecting for the introduction of an ayurvedic powder-based shampoo in Sri Lanka |
| Dr Prabashini Wijewantha Mr. Arjun De | 11.00 - 11.15 | IPRC/23/128 | 04 | ABM 04 | Vishmika Senevirathne | Impact of information search on purchase intention: moderating effect of perceived price on personal care products in Sri Lanka |
| Silva | 11.15 - 11.30 | IPRC/23/172 | 05 | ABM 05 | Sunali Fernando | The unheeded female voice: a study of the formal union participation of female academics in Sri Lankan state universities |
| Session | 11.30 - 11.45 | IPRC/23/217 | 06 | ABM 06 | Ganeshamoorthy Thaneshan | Board composition and corporate reporting on Internet: Evidence from Sri Lanka |
| Coordinator/s Mr. Thilina | 11.45 - 12.00 | IPRC/23/220 | 07 | ABM 07 | Tharsika Krishnasamy | Board of directors' effectiveness and firm performance of Sri Lankan listed companies – A partial least squares structural equation modeling approach |
| Silva | 12.00 - 12.15 | IPRC/23/273 | 08 | ABM 08 | Nahida Akter Akter (Online) | An exploratory study of humble leadership and innovation practices on human resources management |
| | 12.15 - 12.30 | IPRC/23/275 | 09 | ABM 09 | Kondokar shakhawat Ali (Online) | Inclusive Financing Digital Financial Services (DFS) in Bangladesh and The Case of bKash |
| | 12.30 – 12.45 | IPRC/23/20 | 01 | ABM 01 | P. Sanduni N. Perera Devni Perera | Case Study of the Liquidity Management Practices of ABC Pvt. Limited in Ensuring Sustainable Growth During Uncertain Economy |





 $EV/7/FGS\ Board\ Room-Faculty\ of\ Graduate\ Studies\ (01.15pm-04.15pm)$ $Room\ No.-FGS\ Board\ Room-Faculty\ of\ Graduate\ Studies$ $Conference\ Sub\ Themes-Science,\ Technology,\ Mathematics\ and\ Medicine\ (STMM)-06$

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| | 01.15 – 01.45 | Plenary Session Four – Science Shirley Weng In Siu - Centre for Artificial Intelligence Driven Drug Discovery Macao Polytechnic University, Macao | | | | | | | | |
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| Session Chairs | 02.30 - 02.45 | IPRC/23/90 | 56 | MDS 03 | Janitha D Kumarathunga | In vivo control of Aspergillus flavus on stored rice by slow-release formulations of cinnamon and lemongrass oil | | | | |
| Prof. Priyani Paranagama | 02.45 - 03.00 | IPRC/23/152 | 58 | MDS 05 | Upeka C Delpachitra | Evaluation of phytochemical composition and antioxidant properties of ethanol extract of bark of Dialium ovoideum thwaites | | | | |
| Prof. Suranga Wickramarachch i | 03.00 – 3.15 | IPRC/23/95 | 22 | STMM 13 | Aththanayaka Mudiyanselage Samudrika H Aththanayaka | Evaluation of in vitro antibacterial efficacy of biogenic Ag- ZnO nanocomposites synthesized utilizing Suprema F1 agro-waste | | | | |
| Session Coordinator/s | 03.15 - 03.30 | IPRC/23/194 | 60 | MDS 07 | Nimashi Palindi Herath | Seed extracts of true halophytes, Salicornia brachiata and Suaeda maritima, as excellent sources of anti-inflammatory and antioxidant agents | | | | |
| Mr. Thilina Silva | 03.30 - 03.45 | IPRC/23/104 | 24 | STMM 15 | Sajeewa Herapathdeniya | Safety evaluation of Lokanatha Rasa, an ayurveda mercurial preparation, using Wistar rats | | | | |
| Will Timina Silva | 03.45 – 04.00 | IPRC/23/259 | 47 | STMM 38 | Shabika Refai | Antioxidant and anti-inflammatory activities of selected endemic plants of Sri Lanka | | | | |
| | 04.00 – 04.15 | IPRC/23/12 | 10 | STMM 01 | Didula Sasandara Alwis (Online) | Activated carbon derived from peel waste of <i>Citrus</i> madurensis for removal of Pb (II) in aqueous solutions | | | | |
| | 04.15 – 04.30 | IPRC/23/71 | 53 | STMM 44 | J.R.K.C. Jayakody (Online) | Impact of BERT Embedding on Deep Learning for Short Text Classification | | | | |





 $MO/5/Boardroom-Commerce\ and\ Management\ Studies\ (10.30a.m-12.15p.m.)$

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| Session Chairs Dr. A.M.T. | 10.30 - 10.45 | IPRC/23/116 | 25 | STMM 16 | Anjalee Senanayake | Biochemical analysis of a novel Kefir-Based fortified food supplement |
| Amarakoon | 10.45 - 11.00 | IPRC/23/122 | 26 | STMM 17 | Dilki thathsarani | Quantification of total phenolics in flowers of selected Phalaenopsis cultivars |
| Dr. Chamila Kadigamuwa | 11.00 - 11.15 | IPRC/23/131 | 28 | STMM 19 | Nuwan SJ Wijenayake | Anti-oxidant activity and phytochemical profile of Solanaceae species in Sri Lanka |
| Session Coordinator/s | 11.15 - 11.30 | IPRC/23/237 | 43 | STMM 34 | Janith Lakshan | Harnessing pH indicators for timely detection of ammonia |
| Mr. Supun Sooriyawansha | 11.30 - 11.45 | IPRC/23/245 | 44 | STMM 35 | Dinithi D Sakalasuriya Dilki Nihara Tashmi Tharuka | Isolation and identification of fungi from virgin coconut oil to develop a process to control fungal contamination. |
| | 11.45 - 12.00 | IPRC/23/267 | 48 | STMM 39 | Udage Dilini Sashikala | Evaluating the Efficacy of tannins from <i>Psidium</i> guineense Sw. leaves, Cinnamaldehyde, Eugenol, and Coconut Pairing Residue in Controlling Food Spoilage Fungal Growth |
| | 12.00 – 12.15 | IPRC/23/234 | 42 | STMM 33 | Aesha Sarathchandra | Economic impact and risk factors affecting transmission of cutaneous leishmaniasis in the district of Matara, Sri Lanka |
| | 12.15 – 12.30 | IPRC/23/221 | 40 | STMM 31 | Manula S Doratiyawa | Effect of near-infrared images with Rgb images for identifying Garnet mineral in Pulmuddai beach Sri Lanka |





 $EV/8/\ Boardroom-Commerce\ and\ Management\ Studies\ (01.15pm-03.45pm)$ Room No. – Boardroom - Faculty of Commerce and Management Studies Conference Sub Themes - Humanities and Social Sciences - 03

| Moderator | Time | Abstract ID | Page No | Proceeding ID | Presenter | Title |
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| Session Chairs | 01.15 - 01.30 | IPRC/23/109 | 99 | HSS 37 | Deepthika Abeysinghe | ලාංකේය සිනමාව, කර්මාන්තමය දුබලතා සහ පුචාරණ කුමවේද පිළිබඳ අධාායනයක් |
| Prof. R.K.L.M. Dharmasiri | 01.30 – 01.45 | IPRC/23/191 | 84 | HSS 22 | Sundaralingampillai Thivyadharshini | Objectification of women in television advertising in Sri Lanka |
| Dr.Achala Abeykoon | 01.45 - 02.00 | IPRC/23/65 | 94 | HSS 32 | Sahan U Sandaruwan | මාධාා ආචාරධමර් තුළ ඇති පුද්ගලිකත්වයේ අයිතිය ආරක්ෂා කිරීමට ශී ලංකා නීති පද්ධතියේ ඇති දායකත්වය පිළිබඳ විමසුමක් |
| Session Coordinator/s | 02.00 - 02.15 | IPRC/23/200 | 103 | HSS 41 | Ahesha sandamali | පාරිභෝගිකයා සන්ජානමය ලෙස පෙළඹවීම සඳහා වෙළද දැන්වීම්කරණයේ දී භාවිත කරන නිර්මාණාත්මක උපකුම (කොකා- කෝලා නිෂ්පාදනයට විශේෂිතව) |
| Mr. Supun | 02.15 - 02.30 | IPRC/23/230 | 89 | HSS 27 | Loshini K Lekamage | A study of the role of television political talk show in creating political public relations |
| Sooriyawansha | 02.30 – 02.45 | IPRC/23/258 | 105 | HSS 43 | Madhawa T Jayasinghe | ස්වාධීන රූපවාහිනී නාලිකාවේ විකාශනය වූ ටෙලි නාටා වල වතර්මාන පුගමනය පිළිබඳ ජේක්ෂක මතය |
| | 02.45 - 03.00 | IPRC/23/125 | 78 | HSS 16 | Pradeep L. M. A. P. Gunawardhana | Identifying the spatial distribution of drought risk zonations in the North Central Province of Sri Lanka |
| | 03.30 - 03.45 | IPRC/23/187 | 83 | HSS 21 | Ama Pothuhera | The influence of social media on the lives of the undergraduates of the Arts Faculties of the University of Kelaniaya |





MO/6/B1 343- Faculty of Science (10.30am – 12.15pm) Room No. - B1 343- Faculty of Science

Conference Sub Themes – Humanities and Social Sciences – 04

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| Session Chairs | 10.45 - 11.00 | IPRC/23/173 | 82 | HSS 20 | Pubudini S Pathirana | Productivity of machine translation in translating technical documents: an analysis of Google Translate output |
| Dr. Dinali Fernando | 11.00 - 11.15 | IPRC/23/07 | 63 | HSS 01 | Hasanthi I. Premathilaka | An Analytical Study on the Contraction of Voiceless Glottal Fricative Sound in Spoken Hindi: Rapid Speech Context |
| Dr. Udara De Silva | 11.15 - 11.30 | IPRC/23/83 | 72 | HSS 10 | Isurika Caldera Priyanwada Wanigasootriya | User perception of Electronic Services (E-Services) in university libraries Sri Lanka |
| Dr. C.D.H.M. Premaratne | 11.30 - 11.45 | IPRC/23/88 | 73 | HSS 11 | Dulanka S Lansakara | Drawing associative pictures: a mnemonic in memorizing and determining grammatical genders of German nouns |
| Session Coordinator/s | 11.45 - 12.00 | IPRC/23/103 | 74 | HSS 12 | Jayamal de Silva | Translating Titles of Literary Works: A Study Based on Sherlock Holmes Stories Translated by Chandana Mendis |
| Miss. Hashitha Tharakee | 12.00 - 12.15 | IPRC/23/107 | 98 | HSS 36 | Nadeeshani K K Hulugalla | සමකාලීන සිංහල භාෂා භාවිතය මුහුණුපොතෙහි මීම්ස් තුළ පිළිබිඹු වන ආකාරය පිළිබඳ වාග්විදාාත්මක අධායනයක් |





 $EV/09/B1\ 343$ - Faculty of Science (1.15pm-3.00pm)

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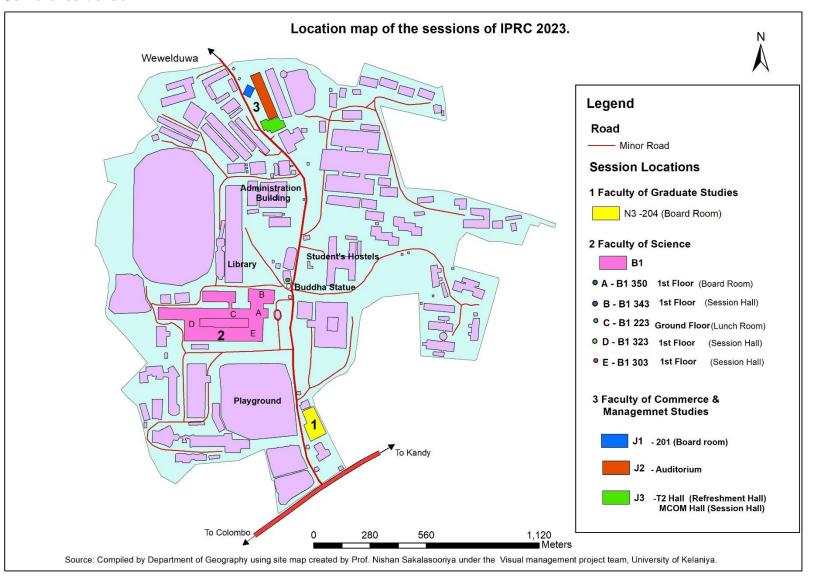
Conference Sub Themes – Humanities and Social Sciences - 05

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| Session Chairs Prof. Seetha | 01.15 - 01.30 | IPRC/23/63 | 70 | HSS 08 | Chithrangani Champika | The potentials of the coco coir-based industry to increase export earnings in Sri Lanka: A case study of Kuliyapitiya-West divisional secretariat division |
| Bandara Prof. Osantha | 01.45 - 02.00 | IPRC/23/45 | 106 | HSS 44 | P.C. Hettiarachchi | ආර්ථික සහභාගීත්වය හා මුලා පුාග්ධන පුවේශයන් තුළ වැඩිහිටියන් මුහුණ දෙන ගැටලු හා අභියෝග |
| Nayanapriya Session | 02.00 - 02.15 | IPRC/23/81 | 71 | HSS 09 | Raja Goonaratne | An analysis of the war between King <i>Duṭugamunu</i> and <i>Elāra</i> from the Perspectives of International Humanitarian Law |
| Coordinator/s | 02.15 - 02.30 | IPRC/23/100 | 97 | HSS 35 | Maheshika L Wimalarathna | මැදපෙරදිග රටවල විදේශගත වන ශීී ලාංකික කාන්තා ශුමිකයන්ගේ කායික සහ මානසික ගැටලු |
| Miss. Hashitha | 02.30 - 02.45 | IPRC/23/210 | 88 | HSS 26 | Iruma M Ratnayake | A socio-cultural study of taboo rendition in Sinhalese Fansubbing |
| Tharakee | 02.45 - 03.00 | IPRC/23/242 | 104 | HSS 42 | Harshani M. Kariyawasam | ගෘහස්ථ පුචණ්ඩත්වයට ලක් වූ ශීී ලාංකික කාන්තාවන්ගේ සංකුටිත භාර්යා සහලක්ෂණය පිළිබඳ අධායනයක් (Battered women syndrome) |
| | 03.00 - 03.15 | IPRC/23/79 | 93 | HSS 31 | A. M. S. Angammana | Unveiling citation patterns and scholarly impact: analysis of the Journal of Tropical Forestry and Environment from 2012 -2021 |





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