

# GENERAL INFORMATION

# CHAPTER 1

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The Chapter 1 presents the general information at a glance highlighting the evolution of the system since 1990 through a set of key education indicators of the university education in Sri Lanka under the purview of the University Grants Commission. The structure of academic departments of the Higher Educational Institutions established under the Universities Act is also presented.

# Location of Universities

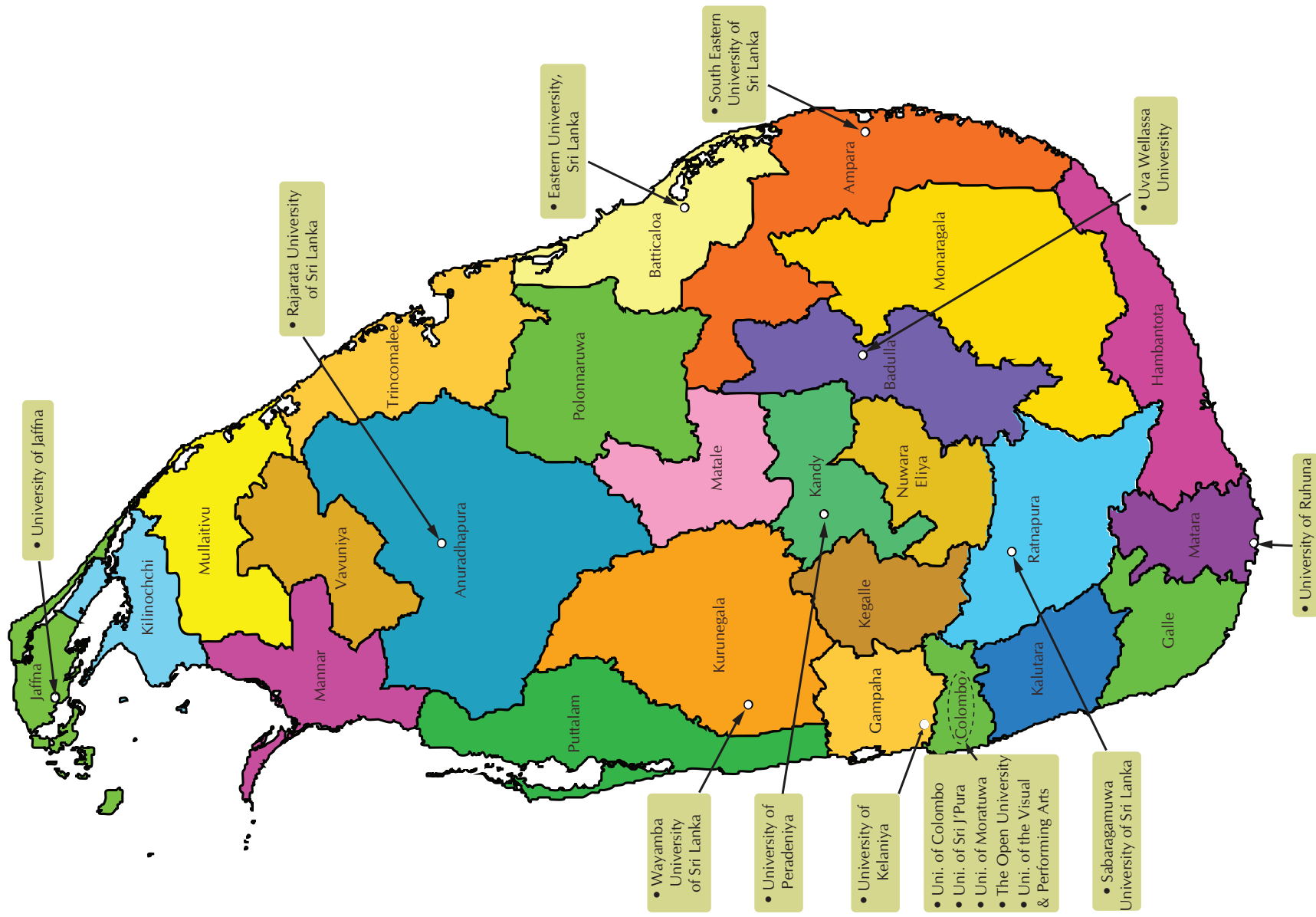


Table 01 - 01

## EDUCATIONAL

YEAR	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014 <sup>(2)</sup>	2015 <sup>(2)</sup>
<b>Economic &amp; Finance</b>										
<b>Expenditure as a Percentage of Government Expenditure</b>										
Education <sup>(3)</sup>	10.62	10.42	10.05	10.43	9.15	8.56	8.68	9.06	9.91	10.00
University Education	1.16	1.45	1.59	1.80	1.21	1.29	1.42	1.68	2.07	1.77
<b>The Share (Percentage) for Capital Investment</b>										
Education <sup>(3)</sup>	11.94	16.87	19.44	15.35	10.30	9.19	10.10	12.33	19.69	17.09
University Education	26.06	22.01	25.02	27.94	17.75	20.93	22.66	22.21	30.32	23.99
<b>Per Capita Cost (Rs.)</b>										
University Education	37,544	90,863	111,926	185,057	181,064	203,216	246,663	288,175	351,771	384,612
<b>Operational</b>										
<b>Student - Teacher Ratio</b>										
General Education	23.1	21.8	21.9	21.0	18.3	18.3	17.9	18.0	17.4	17.3
University Education	13.9	11.1	14.1	14.6	16.6	17.6	17.1	17.8	18.7	17.8
<b>New Admissions (No.)</b>										
General Education	387,314	342,386	331,643	318,089	331,992	336,164	339,143	342,450	348,288	323,337
University Education	7,152	9,245	11,805	14,520	21,547	22,016	28,908 <sup>(4)</sup>	24,198	25,200	25,676

## INDICATORS <sup>(1)</sup>:1990 - 2015

YEAR	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014 <sup>(2)</sup>	2015 <sup>(2)</sup>
<b>Progression to University from GCE (A/L)</b>										
Percentage Eligible for University	45.2	44.9	49.66	55.88	61.00	61.01	58.98	63.04	58.27	60.46
Admission as a Percentage of Eligible	20.74	15.59	16.08	13.00	17.20	15.45	20.44 <sup>(6)</sup>	16.71	17.53	17.14
<b>Age - specific Enrolment Ratios (per 100)</b>										
University Education (Age 19 – 23 yrs) (excluding External Degree enrolment)	1.6	1.7	2.3	3.1	4.3	4.5	5.8	6.3	6.6	6.5
<b>Graduate Output (No.)</b>										
First Degree	4,476	4,206	9,374	12,545	21,248	22,404	11,711 <sup>(5)</sup>	21,216	29,243	29,545
Postgraduate	307	1,048	2,169	4,589	6,330	5,231	7,887	8,636	8,141	7,513
<b>Institutional Development</b>										
No. of Universities	9	9	13	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
No. of Faculties	32	36	55	77	79	79	82	82	86	87
No. of Departments	229	275	337	411	462	470	479	481	494	510
No. of Institutes	8	9	11	16	17	17	17	18	18	18
No. of Employees	7,687	8,541	11,486	13,269	15,670	15,926	16,235	16,733	17,563	18,380
No. of Teachers <sup>(7)</sup>	2,040	2,808	3,241	3,770	4,984	5,064	5,176	5,439	5,610	5,897

### Notes :

(1) Indicators on University Education refers to the Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act.

(2) Provisional.

(3) Expenditure on education includes General Education come under Ministry of Education and Provincial Education, and Higher Education come under Ministry of Higher Education & UGC only

(4) This shows the intake from GCE (A/L) 2011 which relevant to the year 2012 but admitted in 2013. The number admitted was increased due to a settlement of a litigation matter with regard to the methodology used to calculate the Z- score.

(5) Number graduated has been decreased in 2012 as final exams have not been held in several faculties due to Academic and Non-Academic strikes in 2012.

(6) As per the Note (4), the percentage admitted was increased.

(7) Includes Temporary Lecturer, Lecturer/Prob. Lecturer, Senior Lecturer, Associate Professor, Professor & Senior Professor.

Table 01 - 02

**STRENGTH AND FINANCE**  
(Universities and HEIs established)

HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION		YEAR ESTABLISHED	STUDENTS ON ROLL <sup>(1)</sup> 2015	STRENGTH OF EMPLOYEES 2015	GOVERNMENT GRANT 2016 (Rs. Million)	
					CAPITAL	RECURRENT
UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION	(UGC)	1978		213	3067.00	2,654.00
<b>● UNIVERSITIES</b>			<b>131,294</b>	<b>17,172</b>	<b>11,657</b>	<b>25,009.00</b>
● UNIVERSITY OF COLOMBO	(CBO)	1942	15,278	1,640	572.00	2,462.00
● UNIVERSITY OF PERADENIYA	(PDN)	1942	11,645	3,340	963.00	4,370.00
● UNIVERSITY OF SRI JAYEWARDENEPURA	(SJP)	1959	13,395	1,627	1186.00	2,419.00
● UNIVERSITY OF KELANIYA	(KLN)	1959	11,691	1,613	966.00	2,270.00
● UNIVERSITY OF MORATUWA	(MRT)	1972	9,252	1,157	1505.00	1,728.00
● UNIVERSITY OF JAFFNA	(UJA)	1974	7,195	1,305	1251.00	2,021.00
● UNIVERSITY OF RUHUNA	(RUH)	1978	7,918	1,500	847.00	2,214.00
● OPEN UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA	(OUSL)	1980	29,780	1,107	100.00	1,000.00
● EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRI LANKA	(EUSL)	1981	4,435	672	1069.00	1,187.00
● SOUTH EASTERN UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA	(SEUSL)	1995	3,974	595	426.00	820.00
● RAJARATA UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA	(RUSL)	1995	5,462	723	542.00	1,235.00
● SABARAGAMUWA UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA	(SUSL)	1995	3,625	643	563.00	1,014.00
● WAYAMBA UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA	(WUSL)	1999	3,429	603	719.00	924.00
● UVA WELLISSA UNIVERSITY	(UWU)	2005	1,954	219	539.00	628.00
● UNIVERSITY OF THE VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS	(VPA)	2005	2,261	428	409.00	717.00
<b>● INSTITUTES</b>			<b>18,295</b>	<b>995</b>	<b>1218.00</b>	<b>1318.00</b>
● POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF MEDICINE	(PGIM)	1974	2,677	113	435.00	80.00
● POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURE	(PGIA)	1975	1,898	41	10.00	20.00
● POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF PALI & BUDDHIST STUDIES	(PGIPBS)	1975	562	28	10.00	25.00
● POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF ARCHAEOLOGY	(PGIAR)	1986	284	32	10.00	50.00
● POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT	(PIM)	1986	708	18	(2)	(2)
● POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE	(PGIS)	1996	2,289	24	10.00	12.00
● POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF ENGLISH	(PGIE)	2005	176	11	25.00	13.00
● POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES	(PGIHS)	2013	3,234	—	8.00	8.00

**OF UNIVERSITY SECTOR**  
under the Universities Act)

HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE		YEAR ESTABLISHED	STUDENTS ON ROLL <sup>(1)</sup>	STRENGTH OF EMPLOYEES	GOVERNMENT GRANT 2016 (Rs. Million)	
					CAPITAL	RECURRENT
• INSTITUTE OF HUMAN RESOURCE ADVANCEMENT	(IHRA)	1975	1,739	30	10.00	40.00
• INSTITUTE OF INDIGENOUS MEDICINE	(IIM)	1977	850	184	150.00	275.00
• UNIVERSITY OF COLOMBO SCHOOL OF COMPUTING	(UCSC)	1987	1,227	122	160.00	160.00
• GAMPAHA WICKRAMARACHCHI AYURVEDA INSTITUTE	(GWAJ)	1995	635	157	160.00	227.00
• NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCES	(NILIS)	1999	67	15	5.00	17.00
• INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITY OF MORATUWA	(ITUM)	2000	1,020	82	10.00	130.00
• INSTITUTE OF BIOCHEMISTRY, MOLECULAR BIOLOGY & BIOTECHNOLOGY	(IBMBB)	2003	65	25	20.00	60.00
• NATIONAL CENTRE FOR ADVANCED STUDIES IN HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES	(NCAS)	2005		13	120.00	21.00
• SWAMY VIPULANANDA INSTITUTE OF AESTHETIC STUDIES	(SVIAS)	2005	833	97	65.00	150.00
• INSTITUTE OF AGRO TECHNOLOGY AND RURAL SCIENCES	(UCIARS)	2008	31	3	10.00	30.00
<b>Grand Total</b>			<b>149,589</b>	<b>18,380</b>	<b>15,942.00</b>	<b>28,981.00</b>

**Notes**

(1) Students on roll includes all students registered for undergraduate and postgraduate programmes (including prevailing backlog of undergraduates) in Universities & HEIs while excluding the external degrees. ITUM includes NDT students, and UCIARS includes both degree and higher diploma students.

(2) Self financing.

**DEPARTMENTS AND FACULTIES OF THE HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS : 2015**  
(Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act)

**UNIVERSITY OF COLOMBO**

***Faculty of Arts***

- |               |                            |                                      |
|---------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1. Demography | 4. Geography               | 7. Political Science & Public Policy |
| 2. Economics  | 5. History                 | 8. Sinhala                           |
| 3. English    | 6. International Relations | 9. Sociology                         |

***Faculty of Education***

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|---------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Educational Psychology | 2. Humanities Education | 3. Science & Technology Education | 4. Social Science Education |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|

***Faculty of Law***

- |                   |                                |                                 |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. Commercial Law | 2. Private and Comparative Law | 3. Public and International Law |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|

***Faculty of Management and Finance***

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|-----------------------|-------------------------------|--|---------------------------|
| 1. Accounting         | 3. Finance                    | 5. Management and Organization Studies | 7. International Business |
| 2. Business Economics | 4. Human Resources Management | 6. Marketing                           |                           |

***Faculty of Medicine***

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|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. Anatomy                          | 5. Forensic Medicine & Toxicology | 9. Parasitology  | 13. Psychological Medicine |
| 2. Biochemistry & Molecular Biology | 6. Microbiology                   | 10. Pathology    | 14. Surgery                |
| 3. Clinical Medicine                | 7. Obstetrics & Gynaecology       | 11. Pharmacology |                            |
| 4. Community Medicine               | 8. Paediatrics                    | 12. Physiology   |                            |

***Faculty of Science***

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|----------------|--------------------|------------------|------------|
| 1. Chemistry   | 3. Nuclear Science | 5. Plant Science | 7. Zoology |
| 2. Mathematics | 4. Physics         | 6. Statistics    |            |

***Faculty of Graduate Studies***

***Sripalee Campus***

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|---------------|--------------------|
| 1. Mass Media | 2. Performing Arts |
|---------------|--------------------|

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**DEPARTMENTS AND FACULTIES OF THE HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS : 2015**  
(Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act)

**UNIVERSITY OF PERADENIYA**

***Faculty of Agriculture***

- |   |                             |                   |                              |
|---|-----------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|
| 1. Agricultural Biology                   | 3. Agricultural Engineering | 5. Animal Science | 7. Food Science & Technology |
| 2. Agricultural Economics & Business Mgt. | 4. Agricultural Extension   | 6. Crop Science   | 8. Soil Science              |

***Faculty of Arts***

- |                                  |              |                             |                       |
|----------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Arabic & Islamic Civilization | 5. Education | 9. History                  | 13. Political Science |
| 2. Archaeology                   | 6. English   | 10. Law                     | 14. Sinhala           |
| 3. Classical Languages           | 7. Fine Arts | 11. Pali & Buddhist Studies | 15. Sociology         |
| 4. Economics & Statistics        | 8. Geography | 12. Philosophy & Psychology | 16. Tamil             |

***Faculty of Dental Science***

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|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Basic Sciences          | 3. Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery   | 5. Oral Pathology       | 7. Restorative Dentistry |
| 2. Community Dental Health | 4. Oral Medicine & Periodontology | 6. Prosthetic Dentistry |                          |

***Faculty of Engineering***

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|-----------------------------------|---|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Chemical & Process Engineering | 3. Computer Sciences                    | 5. Engineering Mathematics | 7. Mechanical Engineering |
| 2. Civil Engineering              | 4. Electrical & Electronics Engineering | 6. Engineering Management  | 8. Production Engineering |

***Faculty of Medicine***

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|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| 1. Anaesthesiology    | 5. Forensic Medicine        | 9. Paediatrics   | 13. Physiology |
| 2. Anatomy            | 6. Medicine                 | 10. Parasitology | 14. Psychiatry |
| 3. Biochemistry       | 7. Microbiology             | 11. Pathology    | 15. Surgery    |
| 4. Community Medicine | 8. Obstetrics & Gynaecology | 12. Pharmacology |                |

***Faculty of Veterinary Medicine & Animal Science***

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|------------------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| 1. Basic Veterinary Sciences       | 3. Vet. Clinical Studies | 5. Vet. Public Health and Pharmacology |
| 2. Farm Animal Production & Health | 4. Vet. Pathobiology     |  |

***Faculty of Science***

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|--------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1. Botany    | 3. Geology     | 5. Molecular Biology & Biotechnology | 7. Statistics & Computer Science |
| 2. Chemistry | 4. Mathematics | 6. Physics                           | 8. Zoology                       |

***Faculty of Allied Health Sciences***

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|--------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Medical Laboratory Sciences | 3. Pharmacy      | 5. Radiography/Radiotherapy |
| 2. Nursing                     | 4. Physiotherapy |                             |



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**DEPARTMENTS AND FACULTIES OF THE HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS : 2015**  
(Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act)

**Faculty of Management**

- |                       |                              |                          |                                    |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1. Management Studies | 3. Human Resource Management | 5. Operations Management | 7. Business Economics              |
| 2. Business Finance   | 4. Marketing Management      | 6. Accounting            | 8. Business Information Technology |

**UNIVERSITY OF SRI JAYEWARDENEPURA****Faculty of Applied Science**

- |                                |                                     |               |                     |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------|
| 1. Botany                      | 4. Forestry & Environmental Science | 6. Physics    | 8. Zoology          |
| 2. Chemistry                   | 5. Mathematics                      | 7. Statistics | 9. Computer Science |
| 3. Food Science and Technology |                                     |               |                     |

**Faculty of Humanities & Social Sciences**

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|--------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. Economics | 4. History & Archaeology       | 7. Political Science            | 10. Sociology and Anthropology |
| 2. English   | 5. Language & Cultural Studies | 8. Sinhala & Mass Communication |                                |
| 3. Geography | 6. Pali & Buddhist Studies     | 9. Social Statistics            |                                |

**Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce**

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|----------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. Accounting              | 4. Commerce          | 7. Estate Management & Valuation | 10. Information Technology |
| 2. Business Administration | 5. Decision Sciences | 8. Finance                       | 11. Marketing              |
| 3. Business Economics      | 6. Entrepreneurship  | 9. Human Resource Management     | 12. Public Administration  |

**Faculty of Medical Sciences**

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|-----------------------|--|------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Anatomy            | 6. Medicine                            | 10. Parasitology | 14. Psychiatry            |
| 2. Biochemistry       | 7. Medical Education & Health Sciences | 11. Pathology    | 15. Physiology            |
| 3. Community Medicine | 8. Microbiology                        | 12. Paediatrics  | 16. Surgery               |
| 4. Family Medicine    | 9. Obs. & Gynaecology                  | 13. Pharmacology | 17. Allied Health Science |
| 5. Forensic Medicine  |  |                  |                           |

**Faculty of Graduate Studies****UNIVERSITY OF KELANIYA****Faculty of Humanities**

- |              |                            |  |
|--------------|----------------------------|--|
| 1. English   | 4. Linguistics             | 7. Sanskrit                                      |
| 2. Fine Arts | 5. Modern Languages        | 8. Sinhala                                       |
| 3. Hindi     | 6. Pali & Buddhist Studies | 9. Western Classical Culture & Christian Culture |

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**DEPARTMENTS AND FACULTIES OF THE HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS : 2015**  
(Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act)

**Faculty of Commerce & Management Studies**

- |                                    |                              |                         |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Accountancy                     | 3. Finance                   | 5. Marketing Management |
| 2. Commerce & Financial Management | 4. Human Resource Management |                         |

**Faculty of Medicine**

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|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Anatomy                           | 5. Forensic Medicine        | 9. Paediatrics   | 13. Physiology    |
| 2. Biochemistry & Clinical Chemistry | 6. Medicine                 | 10. Parasitology | 14. Public Health |
| 3. Disability Studies                | 7. Medical Microbiology     | 11. Pathology    | 15. Psychiatry    |
| 4. Family Medicine                   | 8. Obstetrics & Gynaecology | 12. Pharmacology | 16. Surgery       |

**Faculty of Social Sciences**

- |                |                                  |               |  |
|----------------|----------------------------------|---------------|--|
| 1. Archaeology | 4. History                       | 7. Philosophy | 9. Sports Science and Physical Education * |
| 2. Economics   | 5. Library & Information Science | 8. Sociology  |  |
| 3. Geography   | 6. Mass Communication            |               |  |

**Faculty of Science**

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|--------------|--------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| 1. Botany    | 3. Industrial Management | 5. Microbiology | 7. Statistics & Computer Science |
| 2. Chemistry | 4. Mathematics           | 6. Physics      | 8. Zoology & Environmental Mgt.  |

**Faculty of Computing & Technology**

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|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. Software Engineering * | 2. Computer Systems Engineering * | 3. Applied Computing * |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|

**Faculty of Graduate Studies****UNIVERSITY OF MORATUWA****Faculty of Architecture**

- |                 |                       |                            |                      |
|-----------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Architecture | 2. Building Economics | 3. Town & Country Planning | 4. Integrated Design |
|-----------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|

**Faculty of Engineering**

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|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1. Chemical & Process Engineering | 4. Earth Resources Engineering        | 7. Management of Technology        | 10. Mechanical Engineering          |
| 2. Civil Engineering              | 5. Electronic & Telecomm. Engineering | 8. Mathematics                     | 11. Textile & Clothing Technology   |
| 3. Computer Science & Engineering | 6. Electrical Engineering             | 9. Materials Science & Engineering | 12. Transport & Logistic Management |

**Faculty of Information Technology**

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|------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Computational Mathematics | 2. Inter-disciplinary Studies | 3. Information Technology |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|

**Faculty of Graduate Studies**

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**DEPARTMENTS AND FACULTIES OF THE HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS : 2015**  
(Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act)

**UNIVERSITY OF JAFFNA**

**Faculty of Agriculture**

- |                           |                             |                   |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Agricultural Biology   | 3. Agricultural Economics   | 5. Agronomy       |
| 2. Agricultural Chemistry | 4. Agricultural Engineering | 6. Animal Science |

**Faculty of Arts**

- |                                     |                       |                           |                       |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Christian & Islamic Civilization | 5. Fine Arts          | 9. Law                    | 13. Political Science |
| 2. Dance (RAFA)*                    | 6. Geography          | 10. Linguistics & English | 14. Sociology         |
| 3. Economics                        | 7. Hindu Civilization | 11. Music (RAFA)*         | 15. Sanskrit          |
| 4. Education                        | 8. History            | 12. Philosophy            | 16. Tamil             |

\* Ramanathan Academy of Fine Arts (RAFA)

**Faculty of Medicine**

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|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| 1. Anatomy                     | 4. Forensic Medicine        | 7. Paediatrics  | 10. Physiology |
| 2. Biochemistry                | 5. Medicine                 | 8. Pathology    | 11. Psychiatry |
| 3. Community & Family Medicine | 6. Obstetrics & Gynaecology | 9. Pharmacology | 12. Surgery    |

**Faculty of Science**

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|--------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|------------|
| 1. Botany    | 3. Computer Science | 5. Mathematics & Statistics | 7. Zoology |
| 2. Chemistry | 4. Fisheries        | 6. Physics                  |            |

**Faculty of Management Studies & Commerce**

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|---------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|--------------|
| 1. Accounting | 3. Financial Management | 4. Human Resource Management | 5. Marketing |
| 2. Commerce   |                         |                              |              |

**Faculty of Engineering**

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|----------------------|-------------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| 1. Civil Engineering | 2. Computer Engineering | 3. Electrical & Electronics Engineering | 4. Inter-disciplinary Studies |
|----------------------|-------------------------|---|-------------------------------|

**Faculty of Graduate Studies**

**Siddha Medicine Unit**

**Vavuniya Campus**

**Faculty of Applied Sciences**

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|----------------|---------------------|
| 1. Bio-Science | 2. Physical Science |
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**Faculty of Business Studies**

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|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Accountancy & Finance | 2. Economics & Management |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|

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**DEPARTMENTS AND FACULTIES OF THE HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS : 2015**  
(Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act)

**UNIVERSITY OF RUHUNA**

***Faculty of Agriculture***

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|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1. Agricultural Biology   | 3. Agricultural Engineering | 5. Crop Science                | 7. Soil Science |
| 2. Agricultural Economics | 4. Animal Science           | 6. Food Science and Technology |                 |

***Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences***

- |              |                            |              |                              |
|--------------|----------------------------|--------------|------------------------------|
| 1. Economics | 3. History                 | 5. Sinhala   | 7. Public Policy *           |
| 2. Geography | 4. Pali & Buddhist Studies | 6. Sociology | 8. English and Linguistics * |

***Faculty of Management & Finance***

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|-------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|--|
| 1. Accounting & Finance | 2. Management & Entrepreneurship | 3. Marketing |  |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|--|

***Faculty of Medicine***

- |                       |                             |                  |                |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| 1. Anatomy            | 5. Medicine                 | 9. Parasitology  | 12. Physiology |
| 2. Biochemistry       | 6. Microbiology             | 10. Pathology    | 13. Psychiatry |
| 3. Community Medicine | 7. Obstetrics & Gynaecology | 11. Pharmacology | 14. Surgery    |
| 4. Forensic Medicine  | 8. Paediatrics              |                  |                |

***Faculty of Science***

- |              |                     |            |            |
|--------------|---------------------|------------|------------|
| 1. Botany    | 3. Computer Science | 5. Physics | 6. Zoology |
| 2. Chemistry | 4. Mathematics      |            |            |

***Faculty of Engineering***

- |  |   |                              |                                 |
|--|---|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. Civil and Environmental Engineering | 2. Electrical and Information Engineering | 3. Interdisciplinary Studies | 4. Mechanical and Manufacturing |
|--|---|------------------------------|---------------------------------|

***Faculty of Fisheries & Marine Sciences & Technology***

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|----------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--|
| 1. Fisheries & Aquaculture | 2. Limnology | 3. Oceanography & Marine Geology |  |
|----------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--|

***Faculty of Graduate Studies***

**OPEN UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA**

***Faculty of Engineering Technology***

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|--|--|---------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. Agricultural & Plantation Engineering | 3. Electrical & Computer Engineering       | 5. Mechanical Engineering | 6. Textile & Apparel Technology |
| 2. Civil Engineering                     | 4. Mathematics & Philosophy of Engineering |                           |                                 |

***Faculty of Humanities & Social Sciences***

- |                     |                  |                       |                   |
|---------------------|------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Language Studies | 2. Legal Studies | 3. Management Studies | 4. Social Studies |
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**DEPARTMENTS AND FACULTIES OF THE HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS : 2015**  
(Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act)

**Faculty of Natural Sciences**

- |              |                                   |            |            |
|--------------|-----------------------------------|------------|------------|
| 1. Botany    | 3. Health Sciences                | 5. Physics | 6. Zoology |
| 2. Chemistry | 4. Mathematics & Computer Science |            |            |

**Faculty of Education**

- |  |                                   |                            |  |
|--|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| 1. Early Childhood & Primary Education | 2. Secondary & Tertiary Education | 3. Special Needs Education |  |
|--|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|--|

**Faculty of Health Sciences**

- |               |                                  |                                |                                    |
|---------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1. Nursing *  | 3. Medical Laboratory Sciences * | 5. Psychology and Counseling * | 6. Health Education and Research * |
| 2. Pharmacy * | 4. Basic Sciences *              |                                |                                    |

**EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRI LANKA****Faculty of Agriculture**

- |                           |                             |                    |                 |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| 1. Agricultural Biology   | 3. Agricultural Economics   | 5. Animal Sciences | 6. Crop Science |
| 2. Agricultural Chemistry | 4. Agricultural Engineering |                    |                 |

**Faculty of Arts and Culture**

- |  |              |                    |                        |
|--|--------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| 1. Arabic                                | 4. Fine Arts | 7. Islamic Studies | 9. Social Sciences     |
| 2. Comparative Religion & Social Harmony | 5. Geography | 8. Languages       | 10. Hindu Civilization |
| 3. Education & Childcare                 | 6. History   |                    |                        |

**Faculty of Commerce and Management**

- |             |              |               |  |
|-------------|--------------|---------------|--|
| 1. Commerce | 2. Economics | 3. Management |  |
|-------------|--------------|---------------|--|

**Faculty of Science**

- |              |                |            |  |
|--------------|----------------|------------|--|
| 1. Botany    | 3. Mathematics | 5. Zoology |  |
| 2. Chemistry | 4. Physics     |            |  |

**Faculty of Health Care Sciences**

- |                      |                                 |                        |                                  |
|----------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1. Clinical Sciences | 3. Medical Education & Research | 5. Primary Health Care | 6. Supplementary Health Sciences |
| 2. Human Biology     | 4. Pathophysiology              |                        |                                  |

**Trincomalee Campus****Faculty of Communication and Business Studies**

- |                                  |                                      |  |  |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| 1. Business & Management Studies | 2. Languages & Communication Studies |  |  |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|

**Faculty of Applied Sciences**

- |                     |                     |  |  |
|---------------------|---------------------|--|--|
| 1. Computer Science | 2. Physical Science |  |  |
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**SOUTH EASTERN UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA**

***Faculty of Applied Sciences***

- |                        |                          |                      |
|------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Biological Sciences | 2. Mathematical Sciences | 3. Physical Sciences |
|------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|

***Faculty of Arts and Culture***

- |              |              |                    |                        |
|--------------|--------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| 1. Geography | 2. Languages | 3. Social Sciences | 4. Political Science * |
|--------------|--------------|--------------------|------------------------|

***Faculty of Management and Commerce***

- |                          |               |  |
|--------------------------|---------------|--|
| 1. Accountancy & Finance | 2. Management | 3. Management & Information Technology * |
|--------------------------|---------------|--|

***Faculty of Islamic Studies & Arabic Language***

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|--------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Arabic Language | 2. Islamic Studies |
|--------------------|--------------------|

***Faculty of Engineering***

- |                                   |                                      |                           |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Civil Engineering              | 3. Electrical & Telecom. Engineering | 5. Mechanical Engineering |
| 2. Computer Science & Engineering | 4. Interdisciplinary Studies         |                           |

**RAJARATA UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA**

***Faculty of Applied Sciences***

- |                        |                      |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Biological Sciences | 2. Physical Sciences |
|------------------------|----------------------|

***Faculty of Management Studies***

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|--------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Accountancy & Finance | 2. Business Management | 3. Hospitality Management |
|--------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|

***Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities***

- |  |                    |                               |                |
|--|--------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|
| 1. Archaeology and Heritage Management | 3. Social Sciences | 4. Environmental Management * | 5. Languages * |
| 2. Humanities                          |                    |                               |                |

***Faculty of Agriculture***

- |                         |                   |                                      |                           |
|-------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Agricultural Systems | 2. Plant Sciences | 3. Soil & Water Resources Management | 4. Animal & Food Sciences |
|-------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|

***Faculty of Medicine & Allied Sciences***

- |                       |                            |                  |                  |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| 1. Anatomy            | 5. Forensic Medicine       | 9. Paediatrics   | 13. Pharmacology |
| 2. Biochemistry       | 6. Medicine                | 10. Parasitology | 14. Psychiatry   |
| 3. Community Medicine | 7. Microbiology            | 11. Pathology    | 15. Surgery      |
| 4. Family Medicine    | 8. Obstetrics & Gynecology | 12. Physiology   |                  |

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**SABARAGAMUWA UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA**

***Faculty of Geomatics***

- |  |                        |
|--|------------------------|
| 1. Cartography, Photogrammetry, Remote Sensing and GIS | 2. Surveying & Geodesy |
|--|------------------------|

***Faculty of Management Studies***

- |                          |                        |                         |                       |
|--------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Accountancy & Finance | 2. Business Management | 3. Marketing Management | 4. Tourism Management |
|--------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|

***Faculty of Social Sciences & Languages***

- |                              |              |                    |                                    |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1. Economics and Statistics  | 3. Languages | 4. Social Sciences | 5. Geography & Environmental Mgt * |
| 2. English Language Teaching |              |                    |                                    |

***Faculty of Agricultural Sciences***

- |                               |                       |                         |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Agri - business Management | 2. Export Agriculture | 3. Livestock Production |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|

***Faculty of Applied Sciences***

- |                                    |                                   |                                       |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1. Computing & Information Systems | 3. Natural Resources              | 5. Sport Science & Physical Education |
| 2. Food Sciences & Technology      | 4. Physical Sciences & Technology |                                       |

**WAYAMBA UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA**

***Faculty of Agriculture and Plantation Management***

- |                               |                  |   |                          |
|-------------------------------|------------------|---|--------------------------|
| 1. Agri - business Management | 2. Biotechnology | 3. Horticulture and Landscape Gardening | 4. Plantation Management |
|-------------------------------|------------------|---|--------------------------|

***Faculty of Applied Sciences***

- |                                    |                |                          |                         |
|------------------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Computing & Information Systems | 2. Electronics | 3. Industrial Management | 4. Mathematical Science |
|------------------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|

***Faculty of Business Studies & Finance***

- |                                   |                      |                        |                          |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Accountancy & Business Finance | 2. Banking & Finance | 3. Business Management | 4. Insurance & Valuation |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|

***Faculty of Livestock, Fisheries & Nutrition***

- |                      |                            |                            |                                 |
|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. Applied Nutrition | 2. Aquaculture & Fisheries | 3. Food Science Technology | 4. Livestock and Avian Sciences |
|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|

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**UVA WELLASSA UNIVERSITY**

***Faculty of Science & Technology***

- |                                  |                         |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Computer Science & Technology | 2. Science & Technology |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|

***Faculty of Management***

- |                        |                          |
|------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Management Sciences | 2. Public Administration |
|------------------------|--------------------------|

***Faculty of Animal Science & Export Agriculture***

- |                   |                       |
|-------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Animal Science | 2. Export Agriculture |
|-------------------|-----------------------|

**UNIVERSITY OF THE VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS**

***Faculty of Visual Arts***

- |                               |                              |                 |                                |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. Ceramics                   | 4. Multi-disciplinary Design | 6. Print Making | 8. Textile and Wearable Arts   |
| 2. History and Theory of Arts | 5. Painting                  | 7. Sculpture    | 9. Visual Communication Design |
| 3. Multi-media Art            |                              |                 |                                |

***Faculty of Dance and Drama***

- |  |                       |                        |                                     |
|--|-----------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1. History and Theory of Dance and Drama | 3. Instrumental Music | 5. Low-country Dancing | 7. Theatre, Ballet and Modern Dance |
| 2. Indian and Asian Dance                | 4. Kandyan Dancing    | 6. Sabaragamu Dancing  |                                     |

***Faculty of Music***

- |                                       |                                 |                       |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Applied Music & Mass Communication | 3. Musicology                   | 5. South Indian Music |
| 2. Ethno-Musicology                   | 4. North Indian Classical Music | 6. Western Music      |

***Faculty of Graduate Studies***

**POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF MEDICINE**

***Boards of Study***

- |                           |                                       |                                      |                     |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Anaesthesiology        | 7. Family Medicine & General Practice | 12. Multi Disciplinary Study Courses | 17. Psychiatry      |
| 2. Basic Medical Sciences | 8. Forensic Medicine                  | 13. Obs & Gynaecology                | 18. Radiology       |
| 3. Clinical Oncology      | 9. Medical Administration             | 14. Ophthalmology                    | 19. Sports Medicine |
| 4. Community Medicine     | 10. Medicine                          | 15. Paediatrics                      | 20. Surgery         |
| 5. Dental Surgery         | 11. Microbiology                      | 16. Pathology                        | 21. Venereology     |
| 6. Dermatology            |                                       |                                      |                     |



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**POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURE**

***Boards of Study***

- |                             |                           |                              |                      |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Agricultural Biology     | 4. Agricultural Extension | 7. Business Administration   | 10. Plant Protection |
| 2. Agricultural Economics   | 5. Animal Science         | 8. Crop Science              | 11. Soil Science     |
| 3. Agricultural Engineering | 6. Bio-Statistics         | 9. Food Science & Technology |                      |

**POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF PALI & BUDDHIST STUDIES**

***Departments of Study***

- |                     |                              |                        |
|---------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. Buddhist Culture | 2. Buddhist Literary Sources | 3. Buddhist Philosophy |
|---------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|

**POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF ARCHAEOLOGY**

***Boards of Study***

- |                              |                     |                       |
|------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Environmental Archaeology | 2. Heritage Studies | 3. Social Archaeology |
|------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|

**POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT**

***Boards of Study***

- |                      |                            |                          |
|----------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Banking & Finance | 2. Business Administration | 3. Public Administration |
|----------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|

**POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE**

***Boards of Study***

- |                                     |                          |                                  |                         |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Biochemistry & Molecular Biology | 4. Environmental Science | 7. Plant Sciences                | 10. Zoological Sciences |
| 2. Chemical Sciences                | 5. Mathematics           | 8. Science Education             |                         |
| 3. Earth Sciences                   | 6. Physics               | 9. Statistics & Computer Science |                         |

**POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

***Boards of Study***

- |                                     |                             |   |                                   |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| 1. Social Sciences                  | 3. Economics and Management | 4. Psychology, Philosophy and Education | 5. Religious and Cultural Studies |
| 2. Languages and Literature Studies |                             |   |                                   |

**INSTITUTE OF HUMAN RESOURCE ADVANCEMENT**

***Boards of Study***

- |                       |                                      |                                |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. Extension Programs | 2. Human Resource Education Programs | 3. Languages Teaching Programs |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|

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**INSTITUTE OF INDIGENOUS MEDICINE**

***Ayurveda Section***

- |                       |                       |                                  |                                   |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1. Deshiya Chikitsa   | 3. Mouluka Siddhantha | 5. Prasuti Tantra & Kumarabritya | 7. Shareera Vignana               |
| 2. Dravyaguna Vignana | 4. Nidana Chikitsa    | 6. Shalya Shalakya               | 8. Swastha Vruttha & Agada Tantra |

***Unani Section***

- |                  |              |              |
|------------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1. Illmul Adviya | 2. Kulliyath | 3. Moalijath |
|------------------|--------------|--------------|

**UNIVERSITY OF COLOMBO SCHOOL OF COMPUTING**

- |                                     |                                       |                                    |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1. Communication & Media Technology | 2. Computation & Intelligence Systems | 3. Information Systems Engineering |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|

**GAMPAHA WICKRAMARACHCHI AYURVEDA INSTITUTE**

- |                                 |             |
|---------------------------------|-------------|
| 1. Basic Principles of Ayurveda | 2. Chikitsa |
|---------------------------------|-------------|

**INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITY OF MORATUWA**

***Academic Divisions***

- |  |   |   |
|--|---|---|
| 1. Civil Engineering Technology                    | 3. Interdisciplinary Studies                            | 5. Polymer, Textile & Chemical Engineering Technology |
| 2. Electrical, Electronic & Engineering Technology | 4. Mechanical Engineering Technology & Maritime Studies |   |

**SWAMY VIPULANANDA INSTITUTE OF AESTHETIC STUDIES**

- |                   |                                  |                                  |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1. Carnatic Music | 2. Dance, Drama and Theatre Arts | 3. Visual and Technological Arts |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|

**INSTITUTE FOR AGRO-TECHNOLOGY AND RURAL SCIENCES**

***Departments of Study***

- |                    |   |                    |
|--------------------|---|--------------------|
| 1. Agro-technology | 2. Entrepreneurship, Agri-business and Rural Sciences | 3. Food Technology |
|--------------------|---|--------------------|

\* New Faculty/Department