

Annual Report – 2020

University of Ruhuna



Vision and Mission of the University of Ruhuna

Our Vision

To be the prime intellectual thrust
of the nation.

Our Mission

To advance knowledge and skills through teaching,
research and services to serve the society.

Message of the Vice-Chancellor



The year, 2020 was a challenging year due to the global Covid 19 pandemic for all of us in the University of Ruhuna (UOR).

However, we were able to manage all the circumstances at the optimal level, rapidly adapting to unforeseen situations. It was a year full of changes, achievements, reflections and forward-thinking at the University.

It was an inspired beginning of a new virtual era of the University. All the academic activities and administrative functions rapidly shifted to virtual modes to successfully deal with the crisis. New initiatives to keep student determination intact with the pandemic such as cultural activities, new languages, motivation speeches, career guidance were commenced. In general, the university was functional in almost full capacity while adapting to the blended approaches of virtual and in-personal modes under the strictly enforced health guidelines without a total closure except during curfew periods. As a University, it was our greatest achievement of the last year. The challenges of the pandemic forced us to rethink the traditional approaches and realize the new directions and opportunities for the future.

It was the second year of our five years cooperate plan (01.01.2019 – 31.12.2023). Even though every plan of the year was not executed as it is, we were able to achieve significant strategic progress despite the Covid 19 outbreak. Expanding access to education, Higher Diploma in English was introduced as a distance learning module to be best-suited with the current situation. Several new courses were introduced with the purpose of upgrading the national curricula into international standards.

Faculty of Science introduced a new course unit as “Introduction to Robotics”. A series of course units including Electronic System Design, Mechanics of Machines, Machine Design, Programmable Digital Electronics and Power Electronics and Applications were introduced by the Faculty of Technology. The curriculum of the BSc Hons in Marine and Freshwater Sciences for level IV was introduced and implemented by the Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences and Technology. Coursera online learning platform was introduced to the students with the aim of providing global educational opportunities.

Enrichment of the quality of education is among the top priorities of the University. The interactive infrastructure facilities are a crucial aspect in this regards. Lecture theatres and laboratories with modern teaching facilities were established in the University. For instance, Language Lab and IT Labs were established at the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences. Engineering Technology Lab, Mechanical Machine Shop, Electronic and Simulation Lab, Material Lab, Robotics and Automation Lab, Automobile Lab were established at the Faculty of Technology. Construction of the Professorial Ward Complex of the Faculty of Medicine was started in 2020. Fulfilling a long-felt need of the Faculty of Allied Health Sciences, the new building complex of the faculty was commenced at Walahanduwa, Galle.

University of Ruhuna was able to secure fourth position nationally in the international Webometrics Ranking. We participated in the green university ranking as well. In addition to the Annual Academic Session, we were able to host six international symposia/conferences. Despite the Covid 19 pandemic, year 2020 was a landmark year for the University of Ruhuna with respect to strengthening its national and global recognition. University of Ruhuna successfully embarked on several global partnerships with China, United Kingdom,

Thailand and Russia despite all the circumstances. UOR also offered Sinhala language for Moscow University Students online during this period for the first time.

In general, the year 2020 was a successful year in terms of fulfilling the timely needs that emerged with the Covid 19 pandemic. We accepted the pandemic with a positive mindset and dealt with it successfully. I thank all the academic, administrative and non-academic staff for working hard against numerous difficulties that emerged with the pandemic.

A careful analysis of the experience of 2020 is significant for the initiation of a new chapter in 2021 of the university. With 42 years of history from its inception, University of Ruhuna has now emerged as a well-established, mature University in Sri Lanka. However, it is noted that, a lot has to be done to create a truly stimulating environment for scholarly achievements and expanding access to quality higher learning. Furthermore, we are to emerge as a University with an international reputation, I request all academics and staff to contribute positively to address the above weaker areas.

Senior Professor Sujeewa Amarasena
Vice Chancellor
University of Ruhuna

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Introduction to University of Ruhuna

Ruhuna University College, the precursor of the University of Ruhuna (UOR), was declared open by then the Prime Minister Mr. J.R. Jayawardene on 27th of August in 1978. The pioneering faculties, namely, Faculty of Agriculture, Faculty of Science, Faculty of Medicine and Faculty of Humanities of Social Sciences were affiliated to the University of Peradeniya in the beginning. The Ruhuna University College had been functioning at the premises of the Technical College, Meddawatta, Matara for over six years. Having elevated to a fully-fledged university status with effect from 1st February 1984, UOR was formally established in a master-piece architectural complex on a picturesque hillock facing the Indian Ocean at Wellamadama, Matara, Sri Lanka.

Subsequently, six more faculties were established. The Faculty of Engineering was established in 1999 in Galle and the Faculty of Management and Finance was established in 2003 at the main campus in Wellamadama. Further, Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology was established in 2005 also at the main campus being the first of its kind in the entire University system in the country. The Faculty of Graduate Studies was incepted in 2011. The recent additions to the UOR include the Faculty of Technology in Kamburupitiya (2016) and the Faculty of Allied Health Sciences in Karapitiya (2017).

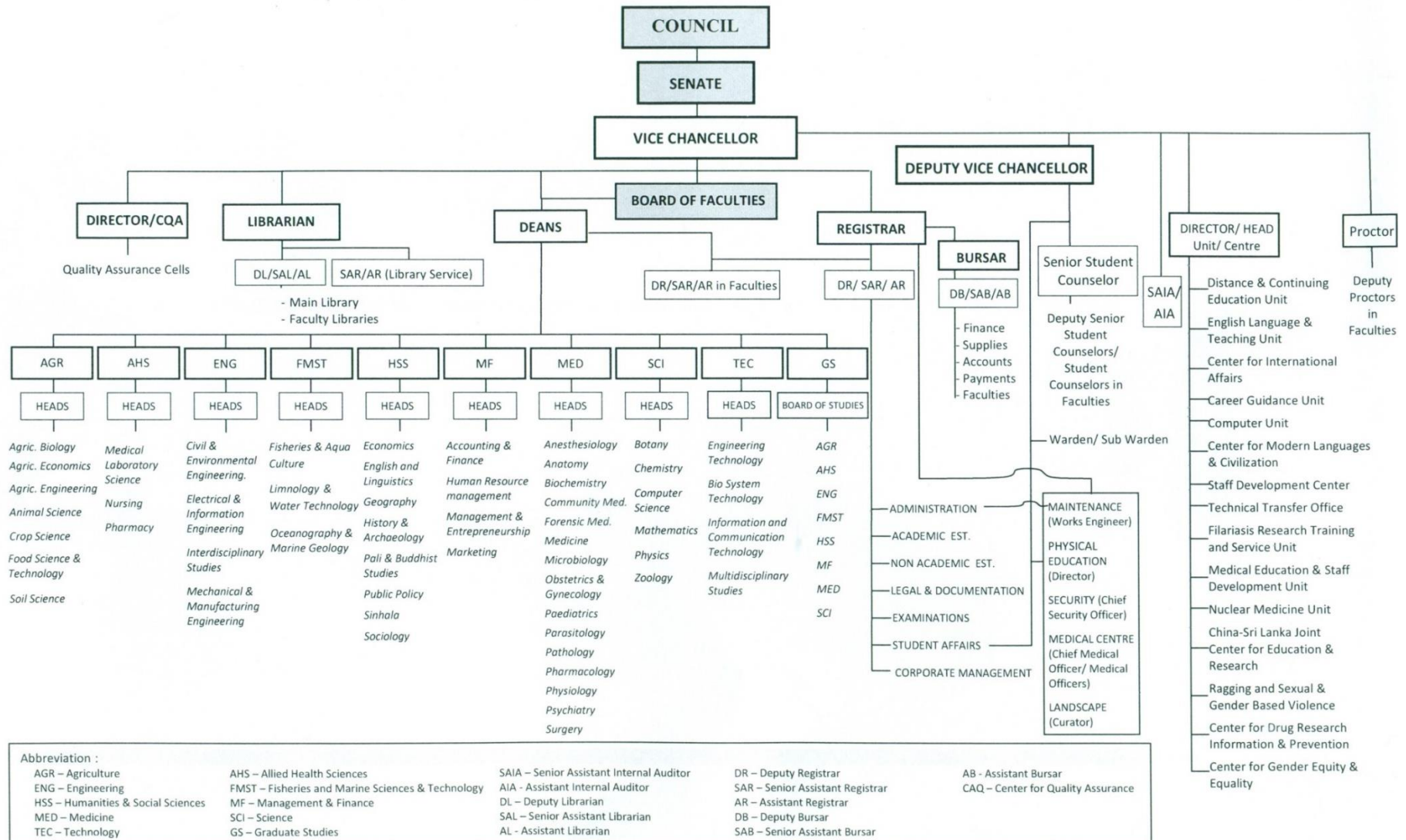
With 8163 internal undergraduates, over 18000 external undergraduates, 987 postgraduates and 910 academic staff, University of Ruhuna is regarded one of the leading higher education institute in Sri Lanka. . With ten Faculties, UOR is the most diversified Sri Lankan University while being the second largest in terms of student numbers. Webometric Ranking of 2020 placed UOR at 4th among Sri Lankan Universities and 2504th among world Universities. Furthermore, recent World University Ranking (<https://cwur.org/2020-21.php>) for 2020/2021 ranked UOR at 2nd among Sri Lankan Universities and 1733rd (within top 8.7%) among world Universities.

Part I – General Information

University of Ruhuna at a Glance

ESTABLISHED IN	Universities Act, No.16 of 1978
TOTAL AREA	369 acres 35.69 purchase
FACULTIES	10
DEPARTMENTS	55
DIVISIONS	13
CENTERS/UNITS	14
UNDERGRADUATE COURSES	40
TOTAL NUMBER OF BOOKS IN LIBRARY	315,004
NUMBER OF POSTGRADUANDS	1,121
NUMBER OF UNDERGRADUANDS	8363
NUMBER OF PROFESSORS	95
ACADEMIC STAFF WITH PhDs	308
STAFF	
1. ACADEMIC	600
2. ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCE OFFICERS	48
3. ACADEMIC SUPPORTIVE	66
4. NON – ACADEMIC STAFF	865

Organization Structure of the University



Governing Authority

Chancellor of the University of Ruhuna – Ven. Dr. Akuratiye Nanda Nayaka Thero

Council of the University

The Council of the University shall be the executive body and governing authority of the University.

There have been 10 meetings in year 2020.

The Council of the University consisted of the following members during the year

Vice-Chancellor - Snr. Prof. Sujeewa Amarasena

Deputy Vice-Chancellor - Prof. E.P.S. Chandana

Deans of the Faculties

Dean/Agriculture

Prof. S.D. Wanniarachchi

Dean/Engineering

Dr. H.P. Sooriyaarachchi

Dean/Graduate Studies

Snr. Prof. L.P. Jayatissa

Dean/Management and Finance

Prof. P.A.P.S. Kumara

Dean/Science

Prof. P.A. Jayantha

Dean/ Allied Health Science

Dr.K.G. Imendra

Dean/Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Tech.

Dr. (Mrs.) H.B. Asanthi

Dean/Humanities & Social Sciences

Prof. Upali Pannilage

Dean/Medicine

Prof. I.V. Devasiri

Dean/ Technology

Dr. K.G.S.H. Gunawardana

Appointed Members

Mr. Simal Wijesekara
Prof. (Mrs.) Chandrani Liyanage
Mr. K.N. Samarasinghe
Mr. Sudath Jayasekara
Dr. U.G. Karunaratna
Mr. R.C. De Soyza
Admiral Thisara Samarasinghe

Mr. Istihar Sufiyan
Mrs. Hemanthimala Wanigasinghe
Mr. Sumedha Kulathunga
Mr. Mettananda Vidanagamachchi
Ms. Himali Rathnaweera
Mr. M.G. Punchihewa

Senate Nominees

Snr.Prof. S. Subasinghe
Prof. Sampath Gunawardhana

Registrar (Ex Officio Secretary)

Mrs. P.S. Kalugama

Senate of the University

The Senate shall have the control and general direction of instruction, education, research and examinations in the University.

There have been 12 meetings in year 2020.

The Senate of the University consisted of the following members during the year.

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Deputy Vice-Chancellor	-	Prof. E.P.S. Chandana

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Dean/Management and Finance

Prof. P.A.P. Samantha Kumara

Dean/Science

Prof. P.A. Jayantha

Acting Librarian

Mr. Nimal Hettiarachchi

Dean/ Allied Health Sciences

Prof. K.G. Imendra

Dean /Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Tec.

Dr. (Mrs.) H.B. Asanthi

Dean/Humanities & Social Sciences

Prof. Upali Pannilage

Dean/Medicine

Prof. I.V. Devasiri

Dean/ Technology

Dr. K.G.S.H. Gunawardana

Registrar (Ex Officio Secretary)

Mrs. P.S. Kalugama

Heads of the Departments of Study

Faculty of Agriculture

Agricultural Biology	-	Dr. (Mrs.) Sudarshanee Geekiyanage
Agricultural Economics	-	Prof. (Mrs.) G.C. Samaraweera
Agricultural Engineering	-	Prof. G.Y. Jayasinghe
Animal Science	-	Dr. P.W.A. Perera
Crop Science	-	Prof. K.K.I.U. Aruna Kumara
Food Science & Technology	-	Dr. P.A.B.N. Perumpuli
Soil Science	-	Prof. (Mrs.) D.A.L. Leelamani

Faculty of Allied Health Sciences

Medical Laboratory Sciences	-	Dr. (Mrs.) H.H. Peiris
Nursing	-	Ms. S.M.E.B. Weeratunga
Pharmacy	-	Dr. (Mrs.) H.W.A.S. Subasinghe (Acting)

Faculty of Engineering

Civil and Environmental Eng.	-	Dr. (Mrs.) W.K.C.N. Dayanthi
Electrical and Information Eng.	-	Mr. Eranda Jayathunga
Interdisciplinary Studies	-	Dr. (Mrs.) N.M. Wagaarachchi
Mechanical and Manufacturing Eng.	-	Dr. N.K. Hettiarachchi

Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology

Fisheries and Aquaculture	-	Prof. K.H.M.A. Deepananda
Limnology and Water Technology	-	Dr. U.A.D. Jayasinghe
Oceanography and Marine Geology	-	Prof. P.M.C.S. De Silva

Faculty of Humanities & Social Sciences

Economics	-	Mr. K.K.S. Udayakantha
English and Linguistics	-	Mr. P.N. Rathnayake
Geography	-	Dr. S.L.J. Fernando
History & Archaeology	-	Mrs. G.C.L. Gamage
Pali & Buddhist Studies	-	Mr. E.H.M. Heenbanda
Public Policy	-	Mr. I.R. Priyantha
Sociology	-	Mr. A.M.A.S. Gunasekara
English Language Teaching	-	Mr. K.S.G.S. Nishantha
Sinhala	-	Dr. D.P.P.G. Liyanage

Faculty of Management and Finance

Accounting & Finance	-	Dr. (Mrs.) M.W. Indrani
Management & Entrepreneurship	-	Prof. (Mrs.) H.S.C. Perera
Marketing	-	Dr. A.B. Sirisena
Human Resources Management	-	Dr. B.L. Gallhena

Faculty of Medicine

Anesthesiology	-	Dr. U.I. Hapuarachchi
Anatomy	-	Dr. (Mrs.) E.I. Waidyarathne
Bio-Chemistry	-	Dr. (Mrs.) A.P. Attanayake
Community Medicine	-	Dr. Champa Wijesinghe
Forensic Medicine	-	Dr. R.H.A.I. Rathnaweera
Medicine	-	Dr. H.M.M. Herath
Microbiology	-	Dr. N.P. Weerasinghe
Obstetrics & Gynecology	-	Dr. M.D.C.S. Kularatna
Pediatrics	-	Dr. (Mrs.) N.D. Liyanarachchi
Parasitology	-	Prof. T.C. Yahathugoda
Pathology	-	Dr. K.A.C. Wickramaratna
Pharmacology	-	Dr. (Mrs.) P.L.G.C. Liyanage
Physiology	-	Dr. A. Karunanayake
Psychiatry	-	Dr. (Mrs.) I.H. Rajapaksha
Surgery	-	Prof. R.W. Seneviratne

Faculty of Science

Botany	-	Dr. (Mrs.) K.K.G.U. Hemamali
Chemistry	-	Dr. G.B.C. Sanath
Computer Science	-	Dr. (Mrs.) W.A. Indika
Mathematics	-	Mrs. K.C.N. Shanthidevi
Physics	-	Dr. G.D.K. Mahanama
Zoology	-	Dr. W.A.H.P. Guruge

Faculty of Technology

Bio Systems Technology	-	Dr. (Mrs.) K.M.W. Rajawatta
Engineering Technology	-	Dr. B.L.S. Thilakarathna
Information & Communication Technology	-	Dr. P.K.S.C. Jayasinghe
Multidisciplinary Studies	-	Dr. K.G.S.H. Gunawardana (Acting)

Professors

Professor in Buddhist Culture	-	Rev. Senior Prof. Midigama Soratha
Professor of Parasitology	-	Senior Prof. (Mrs.) M.V. Weerasooriya
Professor of Pediatrics	-	Senior Prof. U.K. Jayantha
Professor of Medicine	-	Senior Prof. Sarath Lekamwasam
Professor in Medicine	-	Senior Prof. T.P. Weeraratna
Professor of Geography	-	Senior Prof. P. Hewage
Professor in Crop Science	-	Senior Prof. S. Subasinghe
Professor in Agricultural Biology	-	Senior Prof. K.L. Wasantha Kumara
Professor in Agricultural Engineering	-	Senior Prof. P.L.A.G. Alwis
Professor in Agricultural Engineering	-	Senior Prof. (Mrs.) C.M. Navarathna
Professor in Agricultural Economics	-	Senior Prof. L.M. Abeywickrama
Professor of Agricultural Economics	-	Senior Prof. Mangala De Zoysa
Professor in Botany	-	Senior Prof. Saman Abeysinghe
Professor in Food Science & Technology	-	Senior Prof. Vijith S. Jayamanne
Professor in Mathematics	-	Senior Prof. L.A.L.W. Jayasekara

Professor in Limnology & Water Technology	-	Senior Prof. Tilak P.D. Gamage
Professor in English	-	Senior Prof. E.A. Gamini Fonseka
Professor in Sinhala	-	Senior Prof. K.G. Amarasekara
Professor of Sinhala	-	Prof. Jayantha Amarasinghe
Professor of Physiology	-	Prof. Sampath Gunawardena
Professor in Anatomy	-	Prof. (Mrs.) Isurani Illeperuma
Professor in Medicine	-	Prof. K.D. Pathirana
Professor in Psychiatry	-	Prof. (Mrs.) G.H.Chandani
Professor in Community Medicine	-	Prof. Bilesa Perera
Professor in Community Medicine	-	Prof. P.V. De Silva
Professor in Physics	-	Prof. (Mrs.) K.K.A.S. Yapa
Professor in Animal Science	-	Prof. N.S.B.M. Atapattu
Professor in Agricultural Engineering	-	Prof. S. Wijetunga
Professor in Agricultural Biology	-	Prof. (Mrs.) N. Dahanayake
Professor of Agricultural Biology	-	Prof. (Mrs.) W.A.D.P.R. Rathnasekara
Professor in Agricultural Biology	-	Prof. (Mrs.) A.L. Ranawaka
Professor in Agricultural Economics	-	Prof. A.L. Sandika
Professor in Animal Science	-	Prof. (Mrs.) N.Y. Hirimuthugoda
Professor in Botany	-	Prof. (Mrs.) P.D. Abeysinghe
Professor in Chemistry	-	Prof. (Mrs.) Vajira P. Bulugahapitiya
Professor in Chemistry	-	Prof. J.W. Hewage
Professor of Zoology	-	Prof. (Mrs.) N.J.De.S. Amarasinghe
Professor of Zoology	-	Prof. (Mrs.) K.B. Suneetha Gunawickrama
Professor in Zoology	-	Prof. (Mrs.) D.H.N. Munasinghe
Professor in Zoology	-	Prof. (Mrs.) M.P.K.S.K. De Silva
Professor in Zoology	-	Prof. (Mrs.) W.T.S.D. Premachandra
Professor in Crop Science	-	Prof. (Mrs.) W.G.D. Lakmini
Professor in Soil Science	-	Prof. (Mrs.) B.C. Walpola
Professor of Limnology & Water Technology	-	Prof. R.A. Maithreepala
Professor in Pharmacology	-	Prof. (Mrs.) S.S. Jayasinghe
Professor in Biochemistry	-	Prof. (Mrs.) R.P. Hewawasam
Professor of Biochemistry	-	Prof. (Mrs.) K.A.P.W. Jayatilake
Professor of Biochemistry	-	Prof. (Mrs.) C.M. Wickramatilake
Professor in Microbiology	-	Prof. A. De S. Nagahawatta
Professor in Physiology	-	Prof. R.S.J. Lenora
Professor in Physiology	-	Prof. K.D. Mahinda
Professor of Pathology	-	Prof. (Mrs.) L.K.B. Mudduwa
Professor in Nuclear Medicine	-	Prof. M.D. Hettiarachchi
Professor in Medicine	-	Prof. (Mrs.) C.K. Bodinayake

Faculty Representatives to Senate

Agriculture	-	Dr. (Mrs.) D.L.C. Kumari Fonseka
	-	Dr. I.R. Palihakkara
Allied Health Sciences	-	Dr. (Mrs.) S.K. Hettihewa
	-	Dr. (Mrs.) H.W.A.S. Subasinghe
Engineering	-	Dr. J.M.R.S. Appuhamy
	-	Dr. K.S. Wanniarachchi
Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology	-	Dr. P.N. Ranasinghe
	-	Dr. (Ms.) K.R. Gamage
Humanities & Social Sciences	-	Dr. D.P.P.G. Liyanage
	-	Dr. B.H.M.W. Bohingamuwa
Management & Finance	-	Dr. Tissa Hemaratne
		Mrs. K.A.S. Sriyani
Medicine	-	Dr. M.B. Samarawickrama
		Dr. (Mrs.) T.G. Liyanage
Science	-	Dr. T.G. Dayananda
	-	Dr. S. Wanniarachchi
Technology	-	Dr. K.H. Thissa Karunarathne
	-	Dr. (Ms.) V.H.P. Vitharana

Corporate Goals – 2019 - 2023

1. Expanding access to education, research and services.
2. Enriching quality of education.
3. Enhancing relevance of education and research.
4. Empowering justice and Equity.
5. Ensuring good governance.
6. Endowing invention and innovation.
7. Epitomizing the uniqueness



Part II - Development Highlights

Achievement of Corporate Goals

Goal 01 - Expanding Access to Education, Research and services

- New Distance Learning Course – Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

Higher Diploma in English

- Due to COVID 19 most of the degree programmes conducted online throughout the year
- Student Enrolment in 2019 and 2020

	2019	2020
Intake	2392	2459

Goal 02 - Enriching Quality of Education

- 51% of Academics with PhD s
- Academic Staff Distribution as at 31st December, 2020

Faculty	Senior Professor	Professor	Associate Professor	Senior Lecturer	Lecturer	Lecturer (Prob.)	Total
Agri.	8	15	1	26	7	12	69
AHS	-	1	-	14	-	19	34
Eng.	-	2	-	46	5	21	74
FMST	1	3	-	9	5	9	27
H&SS	6	3	5	68	2	28	112
Mgt.	-	1	1	38	6	7	53
Med.	7	20	2	49	3	19	100
Sci.	4	12	2	50	7	19	94
Tec.	-	1	-	8	-	28	37
Total	26	58	11	308	35	162	600

- Lecture theatres and laboratories with modern teaching facilities
 - New Language Lab and IT Lab were established in the Public Policy Department under the AHEAD Project – Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences
 - Department of Engineering Technology were established Engineering Technology Lab, Mechanical Machine Shop, Electronic and Simulation Lab, Material Lab, Robotics and Automation Lab, Automobile Lab - Technology

- Ranking of University of Ruhuna
 - Webometric Ranking – 2020

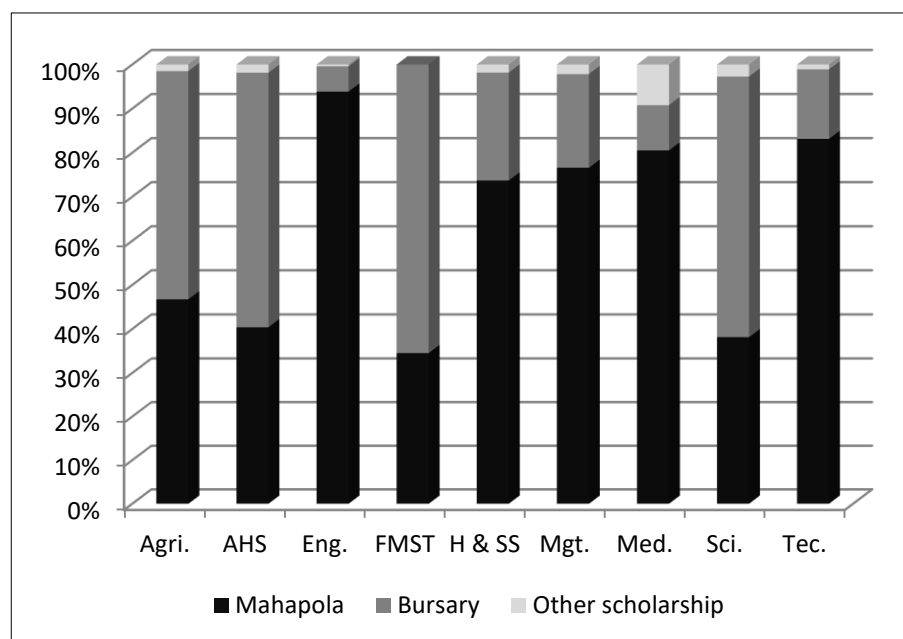
Sri Lanka Ranking	04
World Ranking	2503

Goal 03 – Enhancing Relevance of Education and Research

- Providing of industrial training / implant training / internships for the undergraduates
 - All the fourth year undergraduates are provided with two month industrial training – Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology
 - Interneship training for the 4000 level students following Archaeology, History, Geography, Sociology, Economics and Public Policy – Faculty Humanities and social Sciences
 - Internship were introduced as compulsory course in all the honours degree programmes to be implemented from the 2019/2020 academic year onwards – Faculty of Humanities and social Sciences
 - Students following Engineering Technology degree program were successfully completed their six months of industrial training and NAITA has already evaluated their training and all student have got through it – Faculty of Technology
 - Students following Information and Communication degree program started the industrial training – Faculty of Technology

Goal 04 – Empowering Justice and Equity

- Financial Assistance for who have dire economic / social needs



Goal 05 – Ensuring Good Governance

- Conduct of regular Action Plan Progress Review Meeting

Goal 06 – Endowing Invention and Innovation

- Promote awareness programs of developing inventions and obtaining patents

Goal 07 – Epitomizing the Uniqueness

- ‘Diving Unit’ was established at the Department of Oceanography and Marine Geology with approval of the council
- Marine Aquaculture facility was developed and the Taiwan Marine Research Center was established

Highlights – Year 2020

1. Foundation Laying Ceremony for the New Building Complex for Faculty of Allied Health Sciences



2. Construction of the Professorial Ward Complex for Faculty of Medicine



3. Academic Program Developments

- * COURSERA online learning platform was introduced to students – Faculty of Allied Health Sciences
- * Whole curriculum of the BSc Hons in Marine and Freshwater Sciences for level IV has been introduced – Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences
- * Revised curriculum of BSc Hons in Fisheries and Marine Sciences for level IV has been implemented – Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences
- * The course “Geomatics” (45 hours) for the TROPIMUNDO – Erasmus Mundus joint Master Degree in Tropical Biodiversity and Ecosystems – Faculty of Science
- * Introduced a new course unit of “Introduction to Robotics” for the proposed Honors Degree Programme – Faculty of Science
- * Introduced Electronic System Design, Mechanics of Machines, Machine Design, Programmable Digital Electronics and Power Electronics and Applications

4. National and International Research Symposiums conducted

- * 17th Academic Sessions & 16th Vice Chancellor's Award Ceremony
- * 3rd Research Symposium of the Faculty of Allied Health Sciences (RuFARS-2020)
- * 7th Ruhuna International Science and Technology Conference 2020 (RISTCON-2020)
- * 6th Ruhuna University International Conference on Humanities and Social Sciences (RUICHSS-2020)
- * Ruhuna Arts Students' Annual Sessions (RASAS-2020)
- * 9th International Conference on Management and Economics (ICME-2020)
- * Internatinal Symposium on Agriculture and Environment (ISAE – 2020)

5. Signed New MOUs with;

- * Guizhou Academy of Sciences, China
- * Chulabhorn Graduate Institute, Thailand
- * Cardiff Metropolitan University, UK
- * Moscow University, Russia
- * Chartered Institute, Sri lanka
- * Sri lanka Inventors Commission, Sri Lanka
- * Dialog Axiata (Pvt) Ltd., Sri Lanka

6. Sports Highlights

- * University of Ruhuna Represented the Online 2020 World Taekwondo Asia Poomsae Open Championship
- * University of Ruhuna Represented the 1st Virtual Taekwondo national Championship

7. Invention & Innovation

- * Vacuum powered sprouted seed establisher – Silver Medal “Sahasak Nimavum” – 2020 – Faculty of Agriculture
- * MEDICUS+ (Medical Robot) prototype development – Faculty of Engineering
- * Healthy Nutritional instant food was invented and commercialized via TTO – Prof. K.G. Somasiri – Faculty of Medicine
- * Microscope-in built camera, Soil hydrometer and Hydraulic conductivity meter – Faculty of Science
- * Solar powered automatic hand sanitizer, Automated Small Finger Marker and Modified Hazmat Suit with Controllable inside temperature and Smart safety door system – Faculty of Technology

8. Quality Assurance Highlights

- * Establishment of Centre for Quality Assurance (CQA)
- * Establishment of Senate Standing Committee on Quality Assurance
- * Formulation of QA Strategic Plan for 2021-2023
- * Amendment of QA By-Laws
- * Formulation of University Policy “Student Feedback and Peer Evaluation on Teaching and Learning Activities”
- * Establishment of two new internal Quality Assurance Cells; for 1). Distance and Continuing Education Programmes and 2. For Library Services
- * Launch of CQA webpage
- * Coordination of the introduction of seven new undergraduate programmes, four postgraduate programmes and revision or introduction of 21 Certificate/Diploma/Undergraduate Courses
- * Preparation of Annual Employability Survey Report
- * Preparation and the submission of Self Evaluation Report for Institutional Review
- * Coordination of the Programme reviews in the Faculty of Agriculture, Faculty of Medicine, Faculty of Engineering, Faculty of Engineering and Faculty of Allied Health Sciences

Alignment of University of Ruhuna Goals with Sustainable Development Goals of Sri Lanka

Sustainable Development Goals in Sri Lanka	University of Ruhuna Goals
Goal 4. Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all	Goal 2. Enriching Quality of Education • Ensure 70% of the academic staff have obtained PhD or PhD equivalent qualifications by year 2023 • Complete all the programme reviews of faculties and prepare the University for institutional review • Provide access to ICT facilities for all academic staff and students by expanding Wi-Fi facilities by 2023 ✓ Increase the percentage of areas covered by Wi-Fi within the University premises ✓ Increase the percentage Hostels covered by Wi-Fi ✓ Ensure all Academic staff are provided with personal computers
	Goal 3. Enhancing Relevance of Education and Research • Revise curricular of all the undergraduate degree programmes in order to increase the overall employability up to 95% within one year of graduation by year 2023 • Complete the introduction of the principles of Outcome Based Education (OBE) methods to all curricula by 2023
	Goal 4. Empowering Justice and Equity • Ensure the provision of basic infrastructure facilities to cater to differently abled persons in essential buildings by 2023 • Improve learning facilities for a total of 25 differently abled students by 2023
Goal 5. Achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls	Goal 4. Empowering Justice and Equity • Ensure at least 30% of female representation among office bearers of all student unions and study circles by 2023

Sustainable Development Goals in Sri Lanka	University of Ruhuna Goals
Goal 9. Build resilient infrastructure, promote inclusive and sustainable industrialization and foster innovation	Goal 2. Enriching Quality of Education • Ensure that 60% of the administrative process and functions will be automated by 2020 and by 2023 it will be converted into a fully automated system by 2023 • Integration of management information system (MIS) in all faculties, libraries and administrative units by 2023 • Increase the physical assets by 50% including all lecture theatres and laboratories with modern teaching facilities by 2023 • Increase the digital library facilities by 60% by year 2023
	Goal 1. Expanding Access to Education, Research and Services • Increase the capacity and facilities for research by 25% by year 2023
	Goal 6. Endowing Invention and Innovation • Develop and maintain a database of inventions and patents of University of Ruhuna by 2023 • Obtain five national and one international patents per year by 2023 • Commercialize two patents per year by 2023 • Achieve five participations in national and international exhibitions of invention and innovations per year • Promote 10 awareness programs of developing inventions and obtaining patents by 2023
	Goal 3. Enhancing Relevance of Education and Research • Ensure 80% of research undertaken by university to address the national/regional needs by year 2023 • Improve the mechanism for commercialization of research by 2023 • Ensure successful commercialization of 10 research projects and enter in to 20 external agreements by 2023

Sustainable Development Goals in Sri Lanka	University of Ruhuna Goals
Goal 10. Reduce inequality within and among countries	Goal 4. Empowering Justice and Equity • Maintain the conducive environment for all ethno-religious communities to study and live in harmony • Ensure equal opportunities in all activities irrespective of gender, ethnicity and religion
Goal 14. Conserve and sustainably use the oceans, seas and marine resources for sustainable development	Goal 7. Epitomizing the uniqueness • Introduce five new degree programs and 10 new course units for existing degree programs related to freshwater and marine sciences, to make the University of Ruhuna unique • Enhance the Coastal Center(CoRAC) by year 2023 • Develop five new links with international maritime universities and research institutes by year 2023 • Develop a university township around the university including national level aquarium by year 2023 • Introduce 10 course units and five certificate courses to transfer knowledge and technology to local fishery community , fishery industry and harbor industry by 2023
Goal 16. Promote peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provide access to justice for all and build effective, accountable and inclusive institutions at all levels	Goal 4. Empowering Justice and Equity • Ensure the implementation of sex and gender based violence prevention • Provide financial/social support for all the students who have dire economic/social needs by 2023 ✓ Increase the percentage of students receiving financial support out of Bursary/Mahapola Scholarships ✓ Increase the number of other scholarships

Sustainable Development Goals in Sri Lanka	University of Ruhuna Goals
	Goal 5. Ensuring Good Governance • Regularize and adhere to the existing governing rules and regulation • Maintain accountability and transparency • Optimize the organizational performance • Serve the stakeholders within a reasonable time frame • Promote open and comprehensive stakeholder engagement through maintaining an effective and efficient customer friendly environment
Goal 17. Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the Global Partnership for Sustainable Development	Goal 7. Epitomizing the Uniqueness • Develop five new links with international maritime universities and research institutes by 2023

Future Projection Report based on Sustainable Development

(According to Section 17 (d) of part III of National Audit Act, No. 19 of 2018)

Activities related to the green environment concept in year 2020

1. Green house

Establishment of a plant production house to fulfill plant requirements for landscape activities was implemented. Different foliage and flowering plants were produced with the help of plant production house and used for ongoing landscape projects. A cluster of ready-made decorative plant pot stock was begun to maintain and seems to be reduce the cost of decorations stuffs during the future ceremonial occasions.



2. Landscape Master Plan



A master plan for landscape development in Wellamadama premises was developed after series of discussion with experts personals from Faculty of Agriculture and Department of Botany. Conservation of existing valuable plant species and introduction of new species were also included to the master landscape plan to improve the scenic beauty and the species variation inside the university. The arable land used for Vehicle Park in front of the main lake of the university premises was proposed to develop as a regular vehicle and leisure park.

3. Waste Disposal

A proper waste disposal system was continued inside the university. Daily waste was collected to the separate bins and sent out side separately as glass, Plastic polythene and paper waste. Swirl was sent to feed pigs at the farm at faculty of agriculture and some used for compost production facility at Wellamadama premises.

3.1 Compost Production

Compost production was continued in the university premises. Daily collected leaf litter and the some amount of swirl collected from the canteens were used as the material and compost was used to feed the plants and beds in the university garden.



Part III - Staff Information

Employee Classification (According to Director General's – DMS - letter No. DMS/1528 (S) Vol - 1)

Service Category	Salary Code	Approved Cadre	Actual Cadre	Vacancies
Primary Level				
Primary Grade - Unskilled	PL - 1	394	344	50
Primary Grade - Semi Skilled	PL - 2	124	98	26
Primary Grade - Skilled	PL - 3	81	61	20
Secondary Level				
Management Assistant - Non - Technical	U – MN 1	344	131	111
Management Assistant - Technical	U – MT 1	173	51	70
Associate Officers - Segment 2	U – MN 2	2	2	-
Associate Officers - Segment 1	U – MN 3	26	22	4
Staff Assistant/Supra & Senior Staff Assistant	U – MN 4	No approved cadre. (Promoted from U-MN 1 & U-MT1)	154	-
Tertiary Level				
Academic Support - Segment 2	U – AS 1	81	18	16
Academic Support - Segment 1	U – AS 2		47	
Junior Executive/ Managers	U – EX 1	34	28	6
Senior Level				
Middle Level Executives	U – EX 2	25	15	5
Middle Level Executives	U – EX 2 (a)		5	
Senior Executives	U – EX 3	2	2	-
Lecturer	U – AC 3	788	505	188
Associate Professors	U – AC 4		11	
Professors/ Senior Professors	U – AC 5		84	

Part IV - Student Information

Student Profile

Category	Faculty									Total
	Agri.	AHS.	Eng.	FMST	H&SS	Mgt.	Med.	Sci.	Tec.	
Student intake (New admission)	257	142	275	100	471	397	202	430	185	2459
Increase of student Intake compared to the previous year (%)	15.2	25.4	9.09	28	-2.3	0.5	-	14.2	1.62	7.89
Total student Population	812	459	971	298	1632	1379	1066	1186	560	8363

Student Intake – Past 5 Years

Faculty	Student Intake				
	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Agriculture	830	972	780	784	812
Allied Health Science	312	441	324	358	459
Engineering	1150	1120	894	915	971
Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology	148	253	212	239	298
Humanities and Social Sciences	1684	2062	2093	2025	1632
Management	1502	1802	1591	1298	1379
Medicine	945	1001	1004	1226	1066
Science	890	1310	1025	1085	1186
Technology	-	269	444	425	560
Total	7461	9230	8367	8355	8363

Faculty wise student distribution according to the Academic Year

Faculty	No. of Undergraduates						
	1 st Year	2 nd Year	3 rd Year	4 th Year	5 th Year	5 th Year	Total
Agriculture	257	191	225	139	-	-	812
Allied Health Science	142	102	105	65	-	-	414
Engineering	275	248	224	224	-	-	971
Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology	100	63	74	61	-	-	298
Humanities and Social Sciences	471	476	445	240	-	-	1632
Management	397	391	309	282	-	-	1379
Medicine	202	191	187	156	169	161	1066
Science	430	355	323	78	-	-	1186
Technology	185	143	115	117	-	-	560

Student Affairs Related Appointments

Position	No.
Proctor	01
Deputy Proctor	07
Senior Student Counselor	01
Student Counselor	68 including 5 Deputy Senior Student Counsellors
Academic Warden	11
Academic Sub-warden	19
Total	107

Hostel Accommodation provided during the year - 2020

Location	Name of the Hall	No.of Rooms	Students accommodated		
			Male	Female	Total
Wellamadama	Wellamadama 01 Girls' Hostel	47	-	93	93
	Wellamadama 02 Girls' Hostel	53	-	420	420
	Wellamadama 03 Girls' Hostel	51 Sick Room : 02	-	311	311
	Eliyakanda New Girls' Hostel	99	-	178	178
	Eliyakanda Old Girls' Hostel	54	-	171	171
	Pamburana 02 Girls' Hostel	11	-	9	9
	Eliyakanda New Boys' Hostel	99	142	-	142
	Eliyakanda Old Boys' Hostel	15	1	-	1
	Meddawatta Boys' Hostel	67	226	-	226
	Walauwatta Bikkhu Hostel	23	45	-	45
Faculty of Engineering Hapugala	Boy Hostel C (Male)	103	386	-	386
	Boy Hostel D (Male)	94	324	-	324
	Girls Hostel A (Female)	23	-	128	128
	Girls Hostel B (Female)	16	-	64	64
Faculty of Medicine	Stemcor House Girls' Hostel	85	-	170	170
	Kuwait Girls' Hostel	102	-	204	204
	New Girls Hostel (Female)	10	-	58	58
	Kuwait Boys' Hostel	102	153	-	153
	Boys' Hostel	9	37	-	37
Faculty of Agriculture	Block Hostel No 1 (Female)	5	-	29	29
	Block Hostel No 2 (Female)	5	-	19	19
	Block Hostel No 3 (Female)	5	-	26	26

Location	Name of the Hall	No.of Rooms	Students accommodated		
			Male	Female	Total
Faculty of Agriculture	Block Hostel No 4 (Female)	5	-	21	21
	Unit Hostel No 5 (Female)	5	-	41	41
	Unit Hostel No 6 (Female)	5	-	40	40
	New Hostel (Female)	99	-	380	380
	Block Hostel No 1 (Male)	5	25	-	25
	Block Hostel No 2 (Male)	5	13	-	13
	Block Hostel No 3 (Male)	5	30	-	30
	Block Hostel No 4 (Male)	5	31	-	31
	Unit Hostel No 1 (Male)	11	28	-	28
	Unit Hostel No 2 (Male)	11	09	-	09
	Unit Hostel No 3 (Male)	11	32	-	32
	Unit Hostel No 4 (Male)	11	28	-	28
Faculty of Technology	Sarasawi Medura Boy Hostel	99	371	-	371
	Sarasawi Medura Girl Hostel	99	-	192	192
Faculty of Allied Health Science	Godakanda Boy Hostel (Rent)	9	43	-	43
	Labuduwa New Girl's Hostel (Rent)	8	-	41	41
	Labuduwa Old Girl's Hostel (Rent)	21	-	46	46

Hostel Accommodation (Faculty wise)

Faculty	No. of Student			Student Population	% of Students accommodated hostel facilities
	Male	Female	Total		
Agriculture	196	556	752	812	92.61%
Allied Health Science	43	87	130	459	28.32%
Engineering	710	192	902	971	92.89%
Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology	119	130	249	298	83.55%
Humanities and Social Sciences	86	464	550	1632	33.70%
Management	57	308	365	1379	26.46%
Medicine	153	352	505	1066	47.37%
Science	152	280	432	1186	36.42%
Technology	371	192	563	560	100.53%
Total	1887	2561	4448	8202	54.23%

Financial Assistance

No of Students who received Mahapola, Bursary and other scholarships

Faculty	No. of mahapola recipients	No. of bursary recipients	No. of other Scholarships recipients	Student Population	% of Students received a scholarship
Agriculture	250	277	8	812	65.89
Allied Health Science	109	156	5	459	58.52
Engineering	458	28	2	971	50.26
Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology	58	110	-	298	56.38
Humanities and Social Sciences	1044	347	26	1632	86.83
Management	883	245	25	1379	83.61
Medicine	471	60	54	1066	54.88
Science	294	456	21	1186	65.01
Technology	379	72	5	560	81.43
Total	3946	1751	146	8363	69.87

Student Unions and Societies

Category	Faculty									Common Societies	Total
	Agri.	AHS.	Eng.	FMST	H&SS	Mgt.	Med.	Sci.	Tec.		
No. of Student Unions	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	-	09
No. of Subject Related & Other Societies	04	-	12	04	08	03	02	13	-	03	49

General Convocation

* Due to Covid - 19 pandemic situation convocation for 2020 to be postponed to 26th March 2021.

Part V – Fund Distribution of Capital Grant

Capital Expenditure 2016 – 2020

Vote Particulars	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Rehabilitation & Improvement of Capital Assets	180,077,813	198,025,863	189,318,593	105,937,734	70,284,007
Acquisition of Fixed Assets	353,651,161	379,938,850	240,754,338	126,307,630	202,255,538
Construction Projects	453,819,220	388,292,469	856,316,366	81,364,572	836,086,912
Human Capital & other Development Projects	1,465,400	2,972,524	4,720,832	2,898,105	794,610
Strengthening Research	7,699,874	18,052,145	6,873,230	8,399,894	3,064,759
Grant total Capital Expenditure	996,713,468	987,281,851	1,297,983,360	324,907,935	1,112,485,826

Ongoing Construction Projects as at 31st of December , 2020

Project Name	Location	TCE Value	Project Duration	Physical Progress as at 31.12.2020
Design, Construction, Supervision, Commissioning, Completion and Maintenance of Twelve Storied Building Complex for the Faculty of Medicine.	Karapitiya, Galle	1,179.7 Mn	09.09.2020 - 08.09.2021	20%
Establish New Professorial 10 storied Ward Complex, Faculty of Medicine, University of Ruhuna, at Teaching Hospital, Karapitiya	Karapitiya, Galle	1,300 Mn	15.12.2019 - 14.06.2022	55%
Construction and Completion of Proposed Building Projects with equipment for “Southern Center for Naval Studies and Shipping” Faculty of Engineering.	Hapugala, Galle	943 Mn	2019- 31.07.2021	20%
Construction of the Faculty of Allied Health Sciences (Phase I)	Walahanduwa, Galle	1,660 Mn	03.12.2020- 02.06.2023	16%
Design, Construction, Supervision and Commissioning of Three Storied Lecture Hall Building, Faculty of Technology, University of Ruhuna (Including furniture)at Karagoda, Uyangoda, Kamburupitiya- Funded by AHEAD Funds	Karagoda, Uyangoda	421.26 Mn	21.06.2019- 20.12.2021	45%

Project Name	Location	TCE Value	Project Duration	Physical Progress as at 31.12.2020
Construction of Student Canteen with furniture and kitchen appliances for Faculty of Technology	Karagoda, Uyangoda	53 Mn	Consultancy Selection completed. Construction not awarded yet	3% (Consultant Selection Completed)
Major Renovation works in the Existing Building at Main Premises-Guest House	Wellamadama, Matara	400.42 Mn	11.08.2020 - 07.02.2021	75%
Major Renovation works in the Existing Building at Main Premises-Gymnasium	Wellamadama, Matara		26.08.2020- 06.06.2021	16%
Major Renovation works in the Existing Building at Main Premises-Administration Building	Wellamadama, Matara		11.08.2020- 07.02.2021	15%
Major Renovation works in the Existing Building at Main Premises-Bachelor Quarters	Wellamadama, Matara		Procurement Process in Progress	12%
Major Renovation works in the Existing Building at Main Premises-Library Building	Wellamadama, Matara		Procurement Process in Progress	0%
Building complex (Phase II) of the Faculty of Management & Finance	Wellamadama, Matara	276.40 Mn	19.10.2017- 31.03.2021	78%

Project Name	Location	TCE Value	Project Duration	Physical Progress as at 31.12.2020
Construction of Retaining Wall and Drainage System for the CSL-CER Building University of Ruhuna (CSL-CER projects Funds)	Wellamadama, Matara	26.60 Mn	02.12.2020-01.03.2021	15%
Township Development Project	Wellamadama, Matara	556.60 Mn	Not Awarded Yet	-

Part VI – Reports of Faculties

Faculty of Agriculture

Dean's Statement

Year 2020 was a year full of challenges due to the COVID – 19 outbreaks all over the world. The country was in a lockdown situation from March 2020 to May 2020 and therefore, the University of Ruhuna also was closed and was out of bound for the students.

However, the lectures were conducted via online for the students. The University was reopened and lectures and practical were conducted according to the normal schedule for the students with strict health guidelines. The need of technology enabled and student centered learning was emerged. One semester was completed by zoom lectures and another semester is going on. The Industrial Training program for the final year students also was cancelled for ARMT and AB students. But the GT students have successfully completed their Industrial Training program and the evaluation of them also was completed. ARMT and AB students were asked to commence their final year research component instead of the industrial training program.

Accordingly, Faculty is working to offer a Diploma in Agricultural Machineries Operation Technology (DAMOT), Agro Entrepreneurship and Economical Home Gardening, Scientific Plantation of export Oriented Crops and Urban Agriculture and Edible Home Gardening are main courses processing to offer on distance mood.

Smart Agro-ecosystem Based Resilience Center (fully-equipped modern resource center with a state-of-the-art ICT facility) has been proposed by the BRITAE funded by EU grant.

Faculty was able to perform well in the Program Review and obtained Grade “A” for Agribusiness Management and Green Technology degree programs and Grade “B” for Agricultural Resource Management & Technology degree program.

In my opinion, the challenge of 2020 was well accepted by the Faculty and I am proud to work with such staff and students of the Faculty.

Faculty Review

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Community Services	Training of Health Science Teachers on Child Malnutrition	Health Science Teachers in South, North Central and Sabaragamuwa Provinces
Curriculum Development (Improvements of course units /subjects)	Actively contributed for the recent curriculum revision of the faculty and revised the existing courses for the betterment of the undergraduates. Introduced two new courses (Extended Essays in Animal Science and Sustainable Livestock Production Systems) to the specialization module of Animal Science	Undergraduates of the ARMT programme. Students specializing in Animal Science

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Contribution to National Development	Digital consultation on Food waste prevention and reduction jointly organized by the Ministry of Urban development, FAO, and IWMI Participated as co-controlling examiner for the A/L Bio systems technology practical test. Served as a Resource Person to two day training workshop for Technical Officers on Instrumentation and Lab Procedures on Workplace Safety (Modern Computers and related matters) conducted by the Dept of Soil Science, Faculty of Agriculture held on 21st -22nd September 2020. Served as a member of Jury for "SAHASAK NIMAVUM 2020" National online Invention and Innovation Competition organized by SLIC. Continuation of the service as the Deputy Coordinator for the research project on commercialization of a real time mobile based information system (Govi-Nena) under RIC-AHEAD. Served as a paper moderator for module EC5005 software engineering of the IESLCE engineering study program – graduate diploma level final examination. Served as a paper moderator and second examiner for Information and Communication Technology of Bachelor of Agro-Technology Degree program – University of Colombo Institute for Agro-Technology and Rural Science. Served as a visiting lecturer to Computer Literacy –I and II, Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Science & Technology. Served as a resource persons to series of workshops on technology enabled teaching and learning tools, conducted by the Dept. of Agric. Economics, Faculty of Agriculture under AHEAD grants. Continuation of research projects on IoT based smart agriculture with Dialog Axiata PLC. Served as a visiting lecturer to Computer Literacy –III and IV, Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Science & Technology.	

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Contribution to National Development	Members of the Department of Animal Science involved in the “Gurugedara” Educational Programme telecasted by the Sri Lanka Rupavahini for A/L Teachers and students	GCE A/L teachers and students in Biosystems Technology and Agriculture Science subjects in the country.
Contributions in International Level	Tropical agricultural program with University of the Ryukyus, Okinawa, Japan	
Committees & No. of Members involved	University IT Committee (02 members) University web development committee (01 member) Subcommittee of Network Services under University IT Committee (01 member) Subcommittee of Hardware/ Software under University IT Committee (01 member) National Committee of Post-harvest Technology, Sri Lanka Council for Agriculture Research Policy Sustainable Consumption & Production Forum	Development of Post-Harvest Technology sector Developing a national policy on SCP
Grants Received (purpose & amount) - Local - International	NSF grant to conduct research on Upgrading the already developed IoT based protected house automation system for cultivating up-country vegetables in low-country area in medium scale poly-tunnels and home gardening units (1.6 million LKR) Erasmus program (BRITAE) SECRA Unit4resilience	MSc in Building resilience in Tropical Agro ecosystems University Industry partnership Resilience building
Awards/Patents/Special Achievements	Patent (Industrial design) application number of National Intellectual Property office in Sri Lanka. Patent (Design) No.ID LK/I/13361, 08.09.2020. Patent (Industrial design) application number of National Intellectual Property office in Sri Lanka. Patent (Design) No.ID LK/I/13329, 27.08.2020.	
Outreach activities	Revisiting water security and climate change in Kotapola Pradeshiya sabha - a Citizen science program for community leaders in Kotapola	a) To identify a water sensitive group of leaders (politicians, civil society and officers) in Kotapola who will be made aware of impending climate related water security issues and need for conservation and

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Outreach activities		monitoring pollution of water resources b) To assess the impact of climate change on agricultural productivity in the area c) Propose an Action Plan for community leaders
Link Programmes	Sakura Science Plan, the Japan-Asia Youth Exchange Program in Science every year and 8 members visit Japan to participate the program regular basis. This year the program was conducted as an online session due to Covid-19. The program was conducted 11th November 2020 whole day as an online under the established MoU between Ruhuna- Kobe University. 2020 session of the International Agriculture Program (IAP) which conducts under the MOU between Graduate School of Agriculture, University of the Ryukyus, Japan and the Faculty of Agriculture, University of Ruhuna, Sri Lanka was successfully held from 21st November to 19th December 2020. Graduate School of Agriculture, University of the Ryukyus, Japan coordinated the programme. Due to the prevailing pandemic situation this year's IAP 2020 was held as an online lecture series. Fifteen prominent academics from the US, Netherland, Micronesia, Thailand, Indonesia, Japan, and Sri Lanka were invited to conduct lectures (50 min lecture and 10 min Q&A) on Tropical Agriculture. About 50 Master and Undergraduate students from Bogor Agricultural University (Indonesia), Khon Kaen University (Thailand), Ibaraki University (Japan), University of the Ryukyus (Japan) and Faculty of Agriculture, University of Ruhuna (Sri Lanka) were participated for the program. Conducted a lecture on “Status of SDG Indicators in Sri Lanka”, Conducted a lecture on “True Cinnamon in Sri Lanka”	All final year students specialized in Agricultural Engineering (we have 10 Agri.Res. Mgt. Tech. and 19 Green Tech. students were participated this event. Students from Three universities Bogor Indonesia, Andalas from Sumatra Island and Ruhuna were also joined the program. 30 final year students from Green Technology and Agricultural Resources Management degrees were participated for the program.

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Link Programmes	Conducted a lecture on “Solid Waste Management in Sri Lanka: Policy & Strategy” for the IAP 2020. Unit 4Resillience BECK Erasmus+	

Publications and Dissemination of Knowledge

Category	Number
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are in the citation index	11
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are not in the citation index	01
Full papers or short communications in local journals	04
Full papers in proceedings	01
Abstracts of oral presentations	32
Abstracts of poster presentations	03
Books	01
Scholarly articles in other publications (Magazines, National News Papers etc.)	04
Editorial works	14
Total	71

Faculty of Allied Health Sciences

Dean's Statement

Year 2020 was a remarkable year in the Faculty History as the foundation stone for the construction of new faculty complex was laid on 10th December 2020. Even though many activities were affected by Covid-19, Faculty of Allied Health Science (FAHS) was successful in conducting academic and other related activities using the novel technologies.

FAHS stopped all academic activities on 16th March 2020 as per the government instructions. With the support of Zoom technology, all departments started to continue the lecture and tutorial classes since 20th April 2020. The Faculty conducted following examinations after the successful completion of academic works.

Department of Medical Laboratory Science

Year End Examination - Year 4 - 2014/2015 (08th) Batch (18/12/2020 - 13/01/2021)

Year End Examination - Year 2 - 2016/2017 (10th) Batch (17/11/2020 - 03/12/2020)

Year End Examination - Year 1 - 2017/2018 (11th) Batch (24/08/2020 - 02/09/2020)

Department of Nursing

3rd end semester examination - 10th batch (10.12.2019 - 09.01.2020)

5th end semester examination - 09th batch (14.01.2020)

7th end semester examination - 08th batch (27.01.2020)

2nd end semester examination - 11th batch (06.10.2020 - 21.10.2020)

4th end semester examination - 10th batch (18.11.2020 - 03.11.2020)

6th end semester examination - 09th batch (15.12.2020 - 23.12.2020)

Department of Pharmacy

Fourth BPharm - Part II - 06th batch (29.06.2020 – 10.08.2020)

Third BPharm - Part II - 07th batch (29.08.2020 – 07.09.2020)

Second BPharm - Part II - 08th batch (08.09.2020 – 18.09.2020)

First BPharm - Part II - 09th batch (23.09.2020 – 06.10.2020)

First BPharm - Part I - 10th batch (16.11.2020 – 27.11.2020)

In addition, the FAHS was successful in conducting RuFARS – 2020; the annual research symposium of the faculty for the third consecutive year. This year, we have published 64 abstracts (29 oral and 35 poster).

FAHS was fortunate to be a co-host of the 18th Academic Sessions and the 17th Vice Chancellors awards which is scheduled to be held on 03rd March 2021.

Moreover, the FAHS is waiting for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs approvals for two MOUs between Chulabhorn Graduate Institute, Thailand and Asia Development Center Association (ADCA), International Internship Consultancy Services, Japan.

Inauguration ceremony for 12th batch of students of the Faculty was held on 19.02.2020 and currently they are working on the respective semesters and terms.

We conducted 10 Faculty Board meetings during the year 2020.

Administrative positions

Our academics obtained following administrative positions in the University.

Head, Department of Pharmacy – Ms. K A K D Wijesekera (Senior Lecturer/Department of Pharmacy)

Promotions

Our academics obtained promotions as follows.

Professor

Dr. Imendra Kotapola – Department of Nursing

Senior Lecturer Grade I

Dr. W V R T D G Bandara – Department of MLS

Dr. H H Peiris – Department of MLS

Dr. S K Hettihewa – Department of Pharmacy

Senior Lecturer Grade II

Dr. H W A S Subasinghe – Department of Pharmacy

Ms. K K P M K de Silva – Department of Nursing

Ms. M W K Gamage – Department of Nursing

Ms. H J H Madhushanthi – Department of Nursing

Dr. S M T D Sundarapperuma – Department of Nursing

Lecturer (Confirmed)

Dr. R H M P N Rathnayake – Department of Nursing

New recruitments

Following staff members were recruited to the Faculty during the year 2020.

Mrs. G H C Nadeeshani – Assistant Registrar

Ms. S Iresha – Assistant Bursar

Mr. W H P Kumara – Assistant Network Manager

Faculty Infrastructure development

- Faculty of Allied Health Sciences received the approval from the Land Reform Commission for the acquisition of 10 acres land from Walahanduwa Estate, Walahanduwa.
- Foundation stone laying ceremony for the construction of the Faculty of Allied Health Sciences at Walahanduwa was held on 10th December 2020.

- LEARN facility was established at the Departments of Medical Laboratory Sciences and Pharmacy at Uluvitike premises.

Rs. 10 Mn has been spent for purchasing capital equipment in the Faculty of Allied Health Sciences for the year 2020.

Faculty Review

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Newly introduced undergraduate degree programs	Faculty has initiated the development of new degree programs	Expand opportunities for more students to enter university and to obtain professional degrees.
Community Services	<u>Department of Nursing</u> Community clinical appointment by nursing undergraduates Faculty has initiated to develop curricula for following new degrees. BSc Hons in Public Health (Cover four areas namely Public Health Science, Public Health Laboratory Technology, Public Health Entomology and Midwifery) BSc Hons in Health Technology (Cover three main areas namely Cardiac Technology, Neuroscience Technology and Optometry) BSc Hons in Health Interventional Therapy (Covers two areas at the moment namely Prosthetic and Orthotics and Occupational Therapy)	Health education, health promotion of family/community Expand opportunities for more students to enter university and to obtain professional degrees.
Curriculum Development	<u>Department of Medical Laboratory Science</u> Currently BSc MLS degree programme is conducting as term systems. Therefore, this traditional term system has been converted into semester system with a curriculum revision and revised curriculum has been submitted for necessary actions. <u>Department of Nursing</u> The department is in the process of revising the curriculum of BSc Hons. in Nursing degree programme.	Faculty would expect the students to receive more opportunities for higher studies and career opportunities in abroad.

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Curriculum Development	<u>Department of Pharmacy</u> The department has initiated the process of revising the curriculum of Bachelor of Pharmacy degree programme.	
Staff Development Programs	Coordination of One module of CCPDHE- University of Ruhuna, Mapping, examination manual and PR workshop	Development of newly recruited staff
Contribution to National Development	<u>Department of Nursing</u> Community Research between FAHS- Regional Director of Health Services, Galle. Community visits by nursing undergraduates. Research projects by the academics staff. <u>Department of Pharmacy</u> Commercialization of Herbal products	Identify health related problems/statistics in Southern Sri Lanka. Health education, health promotion of family/community. Dissemination knowledge General public
Contribution in International Development	Three departments carry out research projects relevant to local and international health care needs. In addition, the FAHS was successful in conducting the RuFARS – 2020; the annual research symposium of the faculty for the third consecutive year. This year, we have published 64 abstracts (29 oral and 35 poster).	Dissemination of knowledge.
Committees and No. of Members involved	Steering Committee – FAHS 10 Board of Study 11 Ethics Review Committee 15 Faculty Research Committee 10 Internal Quality Assurance Cell – FAHS 12 Grievances Committee 11 Curriculum Development and Ethics Review Committee 12 Technical Evaluation Committee (Laboratory Equipment) 05 Technical Evaluation Committee (Furniture) 05 Technical Evaluation Committee (Office Equipment) 05 Lecture Hall Theatre committee 10 Library & IT committee 10 Hostel & Canteen committee 10	

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Committees and No. of Members involved	Research Journal Club, Department of Nursing, FAHS – All Academic Staff of the Dept of Nursing Scholarship committee 11 Faculty Hand Book Development Committee 09 SER reviewing committee of Programme Review of FAHS 09 Advisory committee to Dean of FAHS 08 Website Development Committee 10 Faculty Action Plan Monitoring Committee 07	
Grants Received (purpose and amount) - Local - International	<u>Department of Medical Laboratory Science</u> Local Ms. E.H. Silva has received a research grant of 1.5 million rupees from the University Grant Commission	
Awards/Patents/Special Achievements	<u>Department of Medical Laboratory Science</u> Ms. P Wijesiriwardhana received the second runner up award at the Annual Academic Sessions of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo, 2020. Mahakuara S, Gunawardena KB and Sampath Gunawardena, Assessment of Weight and Quality of Backpacks Used by Children in Selected School in Galle District have received a merit award for poster presentation done at RuFARS-2020	Improvement of quality of the staff
Workshops/Seminars/Conferences conducted (International & Local)	Workshop on Curriculum mapping by Prof KKAS Yapa on 28th May 2020 Examination manual Workshop by Prof. T.P.D. Gamage on 15th June 2020 Workshop on SWOT analysis done by Dr AB Sirisena on 22nd June 2020 Workshop on information resources by Mr Nishantha Gamage, Senior Assistant Librarian on 02.06.2020 Workshop on SER writing by Prof KKAS Yapa on 20th July 2020 RuFARS – 2020 (Ruhuna Faculty of Allied Health Sciences Research Symposium) on 02.10.2020 – Local	Improve the quality of staff and student Expand opportunities for more students to enter university and to obtain professional degrees.

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Workshops/Seminars/Conferences conducted (International & Local)	24.01.2020 - Public Health Science, Public Health Laboratory Technology and Public Health Entomology 12.02.2020 - Public Health Laboratory Technology <u>Department of Medical Laboratory Science</u> Workshop on Year 4- Work based training was conducted on 7th July 2020 with Snr Prof LKB Mudduwa, Prof A de S Nagahawatta, Dr. KAC Wickramaratne and Dr. ID Siriwardhana as resource persons. Workshop on designing a new course unit “Medical Laboratory Instrumentation” on 25th September 2020. Department of Pharmacy Clinical Pharmacy Workshop conducted by Foreign resource persons- University of Wolverhampton- UK	Revised the existing curriculum and convert the term system into semester system Staff and Students
Link Programs	<u>Department of Nursing</u> MOU was signed between Asia Development Center Association (ADCA) International Internship Consultancy Services located at Osaka, Japan and the Department of Nursing, Faculty of Allied Health Sciences, University of Ruhuna to initiate an internship programme for nursing undergraduates. Initiated MSc in Dementia in collaboration with Kristianstad University, Sweden with 05 Different universities in Sri Lanka including University of Ruhuna (Department of Nursing, Faculty of Allie Health Sciences)	

Publications and Dissemination of Knowledge

Category	Number
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are in the citation index	13
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are not in the citation index	07
Full papers or short communications in local journals	03
Full papers in proceedings	01
Abstracts of oral presentations	42
Abstracts of poster presentations	06
Books	01
Scholarly articles in other publications (Magazines, National News Papers etc.)	17
Editorial works	Editorial board member of RuFARS 2020
Total	90

Faculty of Engineering

Dean's Statement

The Faculty plans was changed based on the subsequent resurgent of the Covid 19 pandemic and Government rules and regulations during the year 2020. Faculty has functioned under the leadership of Dr. H.P. Sooriyaarachchi, Senior Lecturer attached to the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering who has been serving as the Dean since 1st January 2019.

The 21st batch with 275 students was admitted to the Faculty of Engineering on 13th May, 2020 with a small online inauguration and started their development programme via on line. Considering last year, the 25 additional numbers of students were admitted to the Faculty from 2018 A/L batch. UGC has now issue a prospect for 2019 A/L and that issue has allocated 510 students to the Faculty of Engineering from the 2019 A/L batch such as 2018 A/L Normal intake (275 students), Computer Engineering degree Programme (200 students), Marine Engineering and Naval Architecture programme (10 students), Additional Students for the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering (25 students) and Computer Engineering programme (200 students).

Faculty has taken steps to inform to the Chairman UGC regarding the funding requirement of the Faculty for increase intake. This year Faculty has received Rs. 40 Million from AHEAD Project for increased intake of students for the Faculty. A meeting between the University Grants Commission (UGC) and the University of Ruhuna (UoR) to discuss the status of the four proposals submitted by the Faculty of Engineering to increase the student intake and urgent financial and human resource requirements to facilitate these proposals were held on Friday, 10th July 2020 at 1.00 p.m. over the Zoom. At this meeting UGC has agreed to release LKR 101.4mn as furniture and refurbishment cost for lecture venues for the 2019 A/L students and also confirmed, that commission in their last sitting has already agreed to released previously defaulted payment of 30 million in relation to equipment grant for the Faculty.

For the preparation of increased intake of students for the first year arrangements was made to convert old library building into computer center to cater 235 additional students and 510 students in total.

The surveying work camp for 18th batch of undergraduates specializing in the field of Civil and Environmental Engineering was conducted from 6th March 2020 until 19th March 2020 at the Irrigation Institute at Galgamuwa.

The Engineering Education Center of the Faculty arranged three-month industrial training for 4th and 6th year Engineering undergraduates at various industries in Sri Lanka with the support of National Apprentice and Industrial Training. Due to COVID – 19 pandemic the training was call off and started the odd semester academic activities. Zoom was used for all teaching when social distance cannot be maintained. Five number of smart teaching class rooms were developed in department wise to ensure proper delivery of lecture material

The Faculty has opened for students for their academic activities physically on 28th November, 2020 and it was done by batch wise starting from final years. They were completed their laboratory work under governmental guide lines and was maintained all social distancing and other preventive measures in all places inside the faculty, hostels, canteen and labs.

The department of Civil and Environmental Engineering received the 'Full Accreditation' from the IESL for the period from 2021 to 2025.

The 7th Annual Research Symposium (ARS – 2020) of the Faculty was held successfully on 6th July, 2020 at the Faculty of Engineering as online symposium this year.

The 8th Undergraduate Research Symposium on 'Recent Advances in Civil Engineering' jointly organized by the Civil and Environmental Engineering Society and Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, University of Ruhuna, was successfully held on 3rd September 2020, at the faculty premises. They symposium showcased undergraduate achievements and research from all the areas of study at the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, University of Ruhuna.

Department of Electrical and Information Engineering has developed a medical robot that allows doctors to remotely diagnose patients taking vital measurements, with two-way audio-video communication. This was unveiled to the Teaching Hospital, Karapitiya on 05th May 2020.

Faculty Review

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Newly Introduced Undergraduate Degree Programmes	B.Sc. Engineering (Hons) in Computer Engineering	Annual intake of the Department of Electrical and Information Engineering is increased by 200 students
Newly Introduced Courses (Course units)	New course units of ME6305 Power Hydraulics, ME8301 Building Service Engineering and ME6210 Computational Fluid Dynamics are introduced to Existing Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering Program New course units EE6209 Biomedical Engineering was introduced to existing Electrical and Information Engineering programme	Undergraduates and Post-graduate students as well as Industry
Community Services	<u>Department of Electrical and Information Engineering</u> Repairing SLC-2 Weapon Locating Radar Units Repairing 20 ICU beds	School of Artillery, Minneriya Teaching Hospital - Karapitiya
Contribution to National Development	<u>Department of Electrical and Information Engineering</u> MEDICUS+ prototype development for Covid-19, a Medical Robot that allows doctors to remotely diagnose patients taking vital measurements, with two-way audio-video communication	

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Contribution to National Development	<u>Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering</u>	
	Prof. Sudhira de Silva- Technical Expert for the Development of Self-Assessment Online tool for Condition Assessment of low-rise buildings in Sri Lanka, National Building Research Organization (NBRO), Colombo, October, 2020	Prof. Sudhira de Silva- Construction Sector community and Engineers
	Prof. Sudhira de Silva - Member of the External Review Committee appointed for developing Technical Guidelines on Retrofitting and Strengthening of Low-Rise Buildings in Sri Lanka, National Building Research Organization (NBRO), Colombo, October, 2020	Prof. Sudhira de Silva- Construction Sector community and Engineers
	Prof. Sudhira de Silva -External Reviewer for developing Standard Operating Procedure on Preparation of Structural Appraisal Reports on Buildings that appear to be old or cause threat or danger to General Public, National Building Research Organization (NBRO), Colombo, June, 2020	Prof. Sudhira de Silva- Construction Sector community and Engineers
	Dr W KCN Dayanthi served as a resource person in the reviewing committee of the feasibility study and preliminary designs of Gin Nilwala Diversion Project	Construction Sector community and Engineers
	The department of Civil and Environmental Engineering developed the Initial Environmental Examination (IEE) report for the proposed sea outfall for the Koggala Export Processing Zone. The team consists of following staff from the department:	
	Dr W K C N Dayanthi- Team Leader	
	Dr Tushara Chaminda	
	Dr Wasala Bandara	
	Dr Thushara Wickramaarachchi	
	Dr Anuruddhika Jayasinghe	
	<u>Department of Interdisciplinary Studies</u>	
	Dr. D.M.K.N. Seneviratne and Dr. J.M.R.S. Appuhamy served as a chief examiner for G.C.E. A/L 2019 for the subject of Combined Mathematics.	Department of Examination, Sri Lanka
	Dr. D.M.K.N. Seneviratne served as a Committee member of Sri Lanka Association for the Advancement of Science (SLASS)	Sri Lanka Association for the Advancement of Science (SLASS)
	Dr. D.M.K.N. Seneviratne served as a Committee member of Institute of Applied Statistics, Sri Lanka (IASSL)	Institute of Applied Statistics, Sri Lanka

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Contribution to National Development	Dr. J.M.R.S. Appuhamy served as a chief examiner for G.C.E. A/L 2019 for the subject of Combined Mathematics Dr. N.M. Wagarachchi served as a President of Sri Lanka Association of Artificial Intelligence 2020/21 (SLAAI) Dr. Ruwan Appuhamy participated in Working Group on Preparation of National Annexes to Euro codes meeting on 5th February 2020 at Sri Lanka Standards Institution, Colombo.euro-code revision	Department of Examination, Sri Lanka Sri Lanka Association of Artificial Intelligence 2020/21 (SLAAI)
Committees & No. of Members involved	Panel member of Recognition of Engineering Degree Programs for AMIESL 01 TEC committee 02 Faculty Board of Engineering 55 Housing sub-Committee 05 Hostel Committee 23 Canteen Committee 23 Research Committee 08 Board of Study in Engineering 08 ICT Management Committee 06 Internal Quality Assurance Cell 06 Buildings and Lands Committee 05 Technology Transfer CEL of the Faculty 05 Security Committee 09 Academic Sessions organizing committee 05 Sports Advisory Committee 02 Green Buildings Committee of UGC 01 Cultural Center, University of Ruhuna 01 Vice chancellor and deans award evaluation committee 04	Bachelor of the Science of Engineering in Electrical & Electronic Engineering Degree Program awarded by South Eastern University of Sri Lanka (SEUSL) Installation of lightning protector at Sri Wardhanaramaya Temple, Mapalagama Central Providing recommendations for purchasing CCTV camera sat Thihagoda Pradeshiya Saba

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Grants Received (purpose & amount) - Local - International	<u>Department of Electrical and Information Engineering</u> Develop a Portable Radar System to Detect Body-Worn Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs)/LKR 1,075,000.00 from Technical Transfer Office (TTO) University of Ruhuna MEDICUS+ : Robot for Remote Patient Monitoring and Real Time Communication /LKR 250,000.00 from Technical Transfer Office (TTO) University of Ruhuna	Dr. C.K.W.Seneviratne Mr. Chatum Sankalpa
Awards/Patents/Special Achievements	Research paper titled “Controller for the Power Injection from a Grid Energy Storage within an AC Micro Grid” awarded as the Best Paper of the Session 1, ICSTEESD-2020 Conference Gold Medal award for “HemoX- Non Invasive Screening Tool to Detect Anemia” during the EURO INVENT - European Exhibition of Creativity and Innovation, Romania	Mr. D.J.K. Dassanayake, Ms. H.M.A.P. Ruwanthi, K.K.D.I. Karunanayaka, Mr. K.M.S.Y. Konara, Dr. P.D.C. Perera Mr. A.A. Ajmal
Workshops/Seminars/Conferences conducted (Internal & Local)	OWSD-Elsevier Foundation Award for Early-Career Women Scientists in the Developing World, at the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) Annual Meeting on 15 th February 2020 Dr. Tushara Chaminda, participated Toyo University, Japan, to undergo a laboratory training program in Tokyo, Japan under a collaborative research with Dr. Tushara Chaminda of DCEE, Ochanomizu University and Toyo University, Japan. 2-days workshop in Electrical Engineering laboratory sessions in collaboration with Engineering Design Centre, University of Peradeniya The 7 th Annual Research Symposium (ARS – 2020) of the Faculty was held successfully on 6 th July, 2019 at the Faculty of Engineering via zoom.	Dr. Champika Ellawala For the benefit of students 70 technical officers in Southern Province Staff and students of the Faculty
Outreach activities	Conducting online Math classes through IEEE University of Ruhuna Chapter	Children at SOS Children's Village, Kalgna, Galle

Publications and Dissemination of Knowledge

Category	Number
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are in the citation index	15
Full papers or short communications in local journals	01
Full papers in proceedings	14
Abstracts of oral presentations	20
Books	01
Chapters in books	06
Scholarly articles in other publications (Magazines, National News Papers etc.)	01
Editorial works	02
Total	60

Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology

Dean's Statement

Year 2020 is the 15th year of the Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology, which was established in year 2005. So far, the Faculty has produced nine batches of graduates specialized in the fields of Fisheries, Aquaculture, Limnology, Oceanography and Marine Geology. The 4th batch of the Degree programme, BScHons in Marine and Freshwater Sciences was enrolled in 2020. The revised curriculum of the degree programme of BScHons in Fisheries and Marine Sciences was introduced for level IV in 2020 in parallel with the introduction of the curriculum of level IV of BScHons in Marine and Freshwater Sciences. Moreover, Faculty has initiated for implementing a new degree programme of BScHons in Marine services and Resource Management, which will be conducted by the Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology and Faculty of Management and Finance since 2023. Three short courses named customary law, national and international legislations applicable to fisheries, Ornamental fish breeding and culture, and Fish Post-harvest Techniques have been developed and recommended by the Faculty Board, IQAC, DCEU and SCQA. A review panel reviewed the course structure and the revised curriculum was recommended by SCQA.

A photocopy and printing centre was established at the Faculty premises to expand services for students. The academic programme was disrupted and delayed nearly two months during the lockdown period of the whole country due to Covid 19 outbreak. However, the Faculty has effectively conducted online teaching via zoom and LMS by completing an average of 50% of workload of the semester I, 2020. Also, official email addresses for all staff and students were provided and later academic programme was conducted physically following under new normal condition.

Faculty has been continuously provided the service through FMST-Service laboratory at the Department of Limnology and Water Technology for testing water and wastewater of industries in southern province as a registered laboratory in Central Environmental Authority of Sri Lanka. Students and staff of the Faculty conducted Beach cleaning program on 2nd February 2020 while celebrating world wetland day. Also, students in the societies of 'soft skills' and 'LimSo' have conducted a book donation programme for a rural school and online competition of article, photography and slogan for celebrating world environmental day on 22nd January 2020 and 2nd June 2020 respectively. The 'Diving Unit' was established at the Department of Oceanography and Marine Geology with recommendation of finance committee and approval of the council to provide training on swimming and diving according to international protocols. Moreover, faculty members have involved in social service activities and developed relations with other institutes; Dr. PBTP Kumara was appointed as the General Manager, MEPA, Prof. K.H.M.A. Deepananda was appointed as a member for NARA governing board in 2020. International collaborations were strengthen in year 2020 as such a Grant of US\$ 1618 Received from NSYSU, Taiwan to develop Marine research at Taiwan Sri Lanka Marine Research Station, UoR.

The Faculty members have published 10 international indexed journal papers, 2 non-indexed papers, 11 abstracts at different forums, and two book chapters in 2020. The Faculty members received national and international awards and recognition; Senior Professor P.R.T. Cumararatunga was awarded Professor Emeritus title, Snr Prof. T.P.D. Gamage was awarded Guangdong Province Science and Technology Cooperation Award 2019 was presented in 2020, Mr. K.H.H. Niroshana represented Commonwealth Scholars, Chevening Scholars, and ACU Blue Charter Fellows, at Buckingham Palace, London, United Kingdom on March 2020.

Faculty Review

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Newly Introduced Courses (Course units)	Whole Curriculum of the BScHons in Marine and Freshwater Sciences for level IV has been introduced in 2020 Revised curriculum of BScHons in Fisheries and Marine Sciences for level IV has been introduced in 2020 Implementation of Curriculum development for the new Degree programme; Marine Services and Resource Management is under discussion	Enhanced the fields of job and post graduate opportunities for the graduates To fill the gap of job market with qualified graduates
Distance Education Programmes or Extension Courses	Three short courses named as Customary law, national and international legislations applicable to fisheries, Ornamental fish breeding and culture, and Fish Post-harvest Technology have been recommended by the Faculty Board IQAC, DCEU and SCQA and further reviewed by the panel of reviewers	Fisher community members, small scale entrepreneurs & government officials engaged in fisheries and aquaculture fields
Fee Levying Courses	Implementation of Diploma on 'Marine Services and Resource Management' was under discussion at the committee	Introduce as a joint Diploma course by two faculties (FMST and FMF)
Community Services	Continuation of FMST-Service laboratory at the Department of Limnology and Water Technology Beach cleaning programme was conducted for celebrating world Wetland day on 2nd Feb, 2020 Book and stationary donation to a rural School was conducted by the soft skills society on 22nd January, 2020	Provide water and wastewater analytical reports Aware the public for keeping clean environment Encouraged students for social services
Curriculum Development (Improvements of course units /subjects)	Whole curriculum of BScHons in Marine and Freshwater Sciences for level IV was introduced in 2020. Revised Curriculum of Level IV of the BScHons in Fisheries and Marine Sciences Degree programme was introduced	Updated the curriculum towards local and global requirements
Staff Development Programmes	Coordinated the Module 7 of the CCPDHE programme in 2020 Staff participated in online trainings	
Contribution to National Development	Consultancy service of the proposed Hambanthota City University by UGC	HR development, disseminate knowledge to National development

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Contribution to National Development	Appointed as the General Manager, MEPA Served as members of cabinet appointed committees by National Ocean Affairs Committee of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Member National Science Foundation National Thematic Research Projects steering committee on Oceanography and Marine Sciences Serving as an Editor for Sri Lanka Journal of Aquatic Sciences, Reviewer/ Sri Lanka Journal of Aquatic Sciences (Online ISSN: 1391 – 2038)	
Contribution in International Level	Co-director of the China Sri Lanka joint Center for Education and Research (CSL CER) from 21st August 2018 for a period of three years Served as the Co-Editor of the publication ‘Proceedings of the technical sessions of the Regional workshop on Underutilized Fish and Marine Genetic and their Amelioration’, published by Asia-Pacific Association of Agricultural Research Institutions (APAARI), Bangkok, Thailand Served as the country representative of the international project “Assessing the Vulnerability of Coastal Landscapes and Ecosystems to Sea-Level Rise and Climate Change (RCA 7031)” conducted by the International Atomic Energy Authority Reviewer/ Lakes & Reservoirs: Science, Policy and Management for Sustainable Use (Online ISSN:1440-1770), The Egyptian Journal of Aquatic Research (ISSN: 1687-4285)	
Committees & No. of Members involved	SER writing committee of PR 06 History writing committee 03 Board of Study PG 06 Committee for introducing Diploma/degree Marine Services and Resource Management 11 Hand book and timetable preparation committee 05 Curriculum development committee 12 Board of Study – DCEU 05 Library committee of the Faculty 07 Technology Transfer Cell (TTC) 07 Committee for the development of research vessel 04	

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Committees & No. of Members involved	Diving Unit 05 Students Disciplinary committee 03 Research and Development committee 04 Scholarship committee 04 Student's request committee 04 Ethics committee 05 Information & communication Technology committee 07 Committee of CoRAC 04 Committee for preparing laboratory safety document 04 Research Grant Committee 05 Finance sub Committee 06	
Grants Received (purpose & amount) - Local - International	NSF – Thematic Research Grant NTRP/2017/CC&ND/TA-05/P-01/01 LKR 17,340,142 Grant of US\$ 1618 Received from NSYSU, Taiwan to develop Marine research at Taiwan Sri Lanka Marine Research Center, UoR	Postgraduate students of the University Developed Marine aquaculture facilities and research in the Faculty
Awards/Patents/Special Achievements	Guangdong Province Science and Technology Cooperation Award 2019 was Presented to UoR Scientist in 2020 Represented the group of scholars included Commonwealth Scholars, Chevening Scholars, and ACU Blue Charter Fellows Buckingham Palace, London, United Kingdom on March 2020 Professor Emeritus title Three probationary lectures received competitive scholarships to read PhD	developed personal skills and encouraged other members
Workshops/Seminars/Conferences conducted (Internal & Local)	workshop 'Perspective of Blue Bio-economics International workshop conducted by University of Tromso and National Aquatic Resources Research and Development Agency, January 2020' webinar on Research Needs on Marine Resources and Oceanography for National Development organized by SLAAS on 20 th Nov 2020 Organized a workshop on the use of Microsoft A1 for online teaching and learning for academic staff of FMST	Provide opportunities for staff members on various disciplines
Outreach activities	Students of Society of Limnology (LIMSo) conducted an online competition on biodiversity for celebrating world Environmental Day on 2 nd June 2020	Students got exposure to the society to develop their skills and taken responsibilities to aware

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Outreach activities	LIMSo launched documentary video on ‘Hydraulic structures’ and uploaded to YouTube Student of Soft Skills Society organized a book donation (YATHRA) to a rural school on 22nd January, 2020 Beach cleaning programme was conducted by the staff and students of the Faculty on 2nd Feb, 2020	the public on the protection of the Environment
Link Programmes	MoU between SunYat Sen University, Taiwan and FMST MoU between South China Sea Institute of Oceanology and UoR NOR Lanka Blue project, mobility scholarship in Zurich University of Applied Sciences, Switzerland National Museum and Marine Aquarium (NMMBA), Taiwan and faculty of FMST	Graduates and Probationary lecturers of the Faculty received scholarships to proceed MSc / PhD

Publications and Dissemination of Knowledge

Category	Number
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are in the citation index	10
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are not in the citation index	01
Full papers in proceedings	01
Abstracts of oral presentations	11
Chapters in books	02
Total	25

Faculty of Graduate Studies

Dean's Statement

As a service to the country and the world, the faculty is committed to produce high caliber academics and researchers with advanced knowledge in diverse fields, targeting to be an outstanding center of excellence for advanced teaching, learning and research. In that endeavor, during the last year with draw backs in every sector of the country due to Covid-19 pandemic, the key purpose of the faculty was to run all the existing programs, without any interruption. The faculty was highly successful in that aim and, in addition, we were able to recruit new batches for ongoing programs without any drop compared to the previous normal situation.

However, as usual, the new recruitments for science based post graduate taught courses is somewhat low in this year also and it is a common phenomenon for the other universities also.

Postgraduate Program	New Admissions	Total Enrolment
Master of Business Administration	20	121
Master of Business Management	78	176
Master of Arts in Sociology	72	316
Master of Arts in Economics	–	225
Master of Arts in Peace & Development Studies	23	73
MSc in Engineering	24	92
MSc in Crop Production	–	118
Total	217	1,121

Student enrolment in research degree programs

Postgraduate Program	New Admissions	Total number of students
MPhil	20	133
PhD	01	56

The Faculty of Graduate Studies conducted 22 viva-voce examinations relevant to the various subject disciplines in MPhil and PhD Degrees in the year.

Income received from postgraduate courses

Course	Actual Income	Actual Expenditure	Balance
MBA Program	7,319,391.00	2,313,400.87	5,005,990.13
MSc in Agri. Econ & RM	6,000.00	-	6,000.00
MSc in Agri Business Mgt.	3,000.00	-	3,000.00
MA in Economics	1,654,365.00	1,905,500.20	(251,135.20)
MSc in Civil and Env. Engineering	218,250.00	1,095,680.00	(877,430.00)
MA in Sociology	7,426,100.00	3,202,623.15	4,223,476.85
MSc in Crop Production Tech.	1,476,000.00	146,860.00	1,329,140.00
MSc in Agri. Econ and Development	17,000.00	-	17,000.00
MA in Peace and Development Studies	1,362,000.00	639,526.59	722,473.41
MBM Programme	11,831,350.00	3,942,352.20	7,888,997.80
Total	31,313,456.00	13,245,943.01	18,067,512.99

Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

Dean's Statement

The Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences of the University of Ruhuna is composed of nine academic departments - Economics, English and Linguistics, English Language Teaching, Geography, History and Archaeology, Pali and Buddhist Studies, Public Policy, Sinhala, and Sociology; a unit Information Technology; and two centers - Modern Languages and Civilization and Natural Disaster Information Center.

A brief review of the faculty in the year 2020 has been given below under the 07 goals of the university strategic plan.

Expanding access to education, research and services - The faculty offers degree programmes namely the Bachelor of Arts (General) and Bachelor of Arts (Special) degree (Recently revised as Bachelor of Arts Honours) for the internal students, and the Bachelor of Arts (General) degree for the external students as its main concern. Although, the normal intake of the faculty is 350 students, it accommodated 478 students who were selected by the University Grants Commission (UGC) to the faculty in the year 2020. The outreach programmes of the faculty include diploma and certificate courses in a range of fields that contribute to the socio-economic development of the country. With the broadening of horizons in the academic and research fields, the faculty has been able to attract a large number of students. Meantime, 04 Issues of Journal on Social Sciences and Humanities Review and two issues of Faculty Journal on Humanities and Social Sciences published during the year 2020.

Enhancing quality of education research and services - The Faculty of Humanities & Social Sciences grooms the students for a professional life by providing them with a broad understanding of the traditions that operate in a wide range of humanistic and social science disciplines. The faculty conceives education as a positive force that builds a strong foundation for good citizenship, mutual respect, democratic values and tolerance of diverse opinions. 90% of the faculty academic staff obtained post graduate qualifications and the PhD qualified academic percentage which was 32% in the year 2019 was increased to 40% in the year 2020. The faculty, in the year 2020, made the use of Learning Management System (LMS) as compulsory for all the course units. Several training programmes were conducted for both students and the academics on the use of LMS. The Faculty's MIS has been fully automated and the Academic Workload Model was completed by all the academics of the faculty with 100% achievements. Despite the Covid 19 pandemic situation, all the academic activities of the faculty were conducted via online mode during the year.

Enhancing relevance of education and research - The faculty introduced new curricular aiming to improve the degree programmes offers by the faculty to reach the market/ society needs. The career guidance programmes of the faculty further strengthened with combining several other related activities. The process was resulted more than 1600 students attending various career guidance activities of the university. The Annual Students Sessions (RASAS-2020) conducted in the year 2020 through online mode, provided opportunities for a large number of students to present and share their research findings and also learn more on the research activities. The Faculty's Annual International Conference (RUICHSS-2020) was also held via online with financial assistants from the NORHED-CPDS project, providing opportunities to the academics and researchers to present, discuss and share research outcomes. Further, the newly enrolled students of the faculty were provided an English Language and ICT intensive course.

Ensuring justice and equity with respect to gender, ethnicity, religion and differently-abled Persons - The faculty continued its cell which supports the people with disabilities. The faculty

continually offered course unit on social harmony. In the year 2020, a new project on Developing Inclusive Education for Students with Disabilities was commenced under Erasmus + funding. In the newly revised syllabus, a Tamil language course unit was introduced as a compulsory subject for all the students of the faculty. The Centre for Modern Languages and Civilization of the faculty, conducted several language courses including Tamil, Chinese, French and Hindi, targeting internal students of the faculty.

Enhancing good governance through effective and efficient management of the resources -

Around 80% of the vacancies of the faculty were filled and the remaining vacancies have been advertised. 04 new academic cadres were received under increased intake as the intake was increased from 350 to 600. The students counselling and students mentoring programmes were continued successfully while the Grievances Handling Committee was further strengthened by introducing online system to report student grievances.

Empowering invention and innovation -The faculty could conduct several awareness sessions regarding the matter and it had been initiated to develop and maintain a database of inventions and innovations of the faculty. The students were encouraged to achieve participations in national and international exhibitions in inventions and innovations.

Epitomizing the uniqueness - Curricular was completed for a Diploma programme on Tourism.

Faculty Review

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Newly Introduced Undergraduate Degree Programmes	Curriculum is being developed for three new degree programs in Economics ,Geography and Sociology	On completion of the approval process, 50 students will be enrolled to each degree programme
Newly Introduced Courses (Course units)	Four new course units were introduced to the degree programmes of Political Science, History and Archaeology, ICT to enhance the relevance of the degree programmes	150 students
Distant Education Programmes or Extension Courses	Syllabuses of two courses; Certificate Course in English and Diploma in English revised. A new course on Higher Diploma in English was introduced. BA (External) degree programme and Diploma in Psychological Counseling were continued	Approximately 2500 who have passed GCE Advance level and Ordinary level
Fee Levying Courses	All the distance education courses (BA (External), Diploma in Psychological Counseling, Certificate Course in English, Diploma in English, Higher Diploma in English are conducted as fee levying courses.	Approximately 2000, most of them are professionals in various field particularly from the Southern Province

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Fee Levying Courses	Further, the faculty conducts three Post Graduates taught courses (MA in Sociology, MA in Peace and Development Studies, MA in Economics) with the Faculty of Graduate Studies, as fee levying courses	
Community Services	The faculty engaged in various community service activities ranging from community capacity building, exchange programmes, training workshops and welfare activities. Training workshops for the Advanced Level Teachers and students were conducted by the Departments of Geography, History and Archaeology	Students following GCE (AL) School Teachers General Public (communities)
Curriculum Development (Improvements of course units /subjects)	Newly revised curricular is being implemented for the 1000 level students Graduate Profiles of the BA honors degree programmes were prepared. Faculty By-Law revised and implemented Revised curricular is being prepared to be offered to the BA (External) degree programme as well	All internal students of the faculty (currently 1842) Students following BA (External) degree (around 1250)
Staff Development Programmes	Several workshops were conducted for academic staff on online education, use of LMS and MIS.	Permanent and Temporary Academics of the Faculty (approximately 140)
Contribution to National Development	Two research studies on economic and social impact of COVID 19 were conducted and reports were shared through media to the general public and policy implementers. 06 departments of the faculty contributed for the GCE/AL paper marking process. During the Covid -19 period, Ministry of Health was provided a detailed report on “Ethical Media Reporting”	The contribution of the faculty members in the GCE- A/L paper marking supported to more than 1,00,000 A/L students of the country. General public of the Country
Contributions in International Level	The faculty contributed in several international workshops and partnership programmes The faculty conducted an International conference in its sixth consecutive year.	Researchers and academics in the international academic and research institutions.
Committees & No. of Members involved	The faculty members involved in various national and provincial level committees in the national and provincial Ministries of Education, Social Welfare and Cultural Affairs.	General public/ national and provincial policies
Grants Received (purpose & amount) - Local - International	The Department of Geography and Public Policy received AHEAD Grants.	

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Grants Received (purpose & amount) - Local - International	03 Academics received AHEAD grants to follow PhDs Department of Sociology concluded NORHED granted project in the year 2020 (2014- 2020)	All students of the faculty 03 academics following PhDs under AHEAD grants Two publications completed by the NORHED-CPDS project of the Department of Sociology
Awards/Patents/Special Achievements	A Post-Doctoral Fellowship was Awarded by NORHED to one academic of the faculty	On academic member of the faculty
Workshops/Seminars/ Conferences conducted (Internal & Local)	12 workshops have been conducted by experts for students who are following Geography and Political Science 06 th International conference of the faculty was conducted under the theme on “ Culture, Modernity and Social Transformation. Ruhuna Arts Students' Annual Sessions (RASAS) 2020 were conducted for the fifth consecutive year.	Around 800 students following Geography and Political Science subjects for their degree programmes International conference helped academics and researchers to share their research out comes The students’ sessions were instrumental for around 400 young students in the humanities and social sciences faculties of the Sri Lankan universities
Outreach activities	The faculty conducted 10 community service projects. Trainings were provided to school teachers in various disciplines as outreach service activities.	Communities of the Southern Province Around 300 school Teachers
Link Programmes	The Department of Sociology continued its link programme with three universities in Norway, Nepal and Pakistan. The Department of Economics continued its link programme with the Agder university in Norway. The Department of Geography established partnerships with the National Building Research Organization and Meteorological Department. The Faculty received approval for two Erasmus + programmes in partnerships with 06 European and 03 National Higher Education Institutes.	Bachelor and Post Graduate Students

Publications and Dissemination of Knowledge

Category	Number
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are in the citation index	03
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are not in the citation index	10
Full papers or short communications in local journals	37
Full papers in proceedings	14
Abstracts of oral presentations	46
Books	14
Chapters in books	13
Scholarly articles in other publications (Magazines, National News Papers etc.)	41
Editorial works	16
Total	194

Faculty of Management and Finance

Dean's Statement

The Bachelor of Business Administration honours degree programs at the Faculty of Management and Finance aimed at producing graduates of high caliber, who can cater to the emerging needs in the business management profession both locally and internationally. All the degree programs at the Faculty are four-year honours degree program placed at SLQF level 6. By following these program, the students will learn major concepts, theories, and techniques relevant to four specialization areas (i.e. Accounting and Finance; Entrepreneurship, Human Resource Management and Marketing), together with other important skills such as communication skills, analytical skills, and problem-solving skills required to understand and manage the factors shaping the modern business administration sphere. Further, the compulsory independent research project promotes life-long learning skills and competencies in building defensible arguments, while the internship training exposes students to the industry, giving an experience of how knowledge, skills, and attitudes they have acquired are applied in a corporate environment.

The Faculty reviews its strategic plan on a regular basis and endeavor is made to achieve the Goals specified at the University Corporate Plan -2023. Following Tables provide the details of the achievements of the year 2020.

Faculty Review

Faculty of Management and Finance received approval for three new degree programs; namely, BBA (Hons) in Business Management, BBA (Hons) in Finance, and BBA (Hons) in Business Law. Approval has also been granted for two new academic departments, i.e. the Department of Business Management and the Department of Finance. In addition, the faculty has commenced an English Language Improvement Program, aligned with UTEL for all the undergraduates of the faculty. Curricular development for two new bachelor's degree programs (i.e., BBA (Hons) in Tourism and BBA (Hons) in Supply Chain Management) has already been commenced and the programs are expected to be finalized by 2022.

The faculty has already introduced the new online extension program, Diploma in Human Resource Management, through the university Distance and Continuous Education Unit, and is planning to re-activate the Diploma in Marketing program as an online program as well. The faculty has three fee levying postgraduate programs: Postgraduate Diploma in Business Administration, Master of Business Administration, and Master of Business Management. Further, the faculty contributes to MPhil and Ph.D. programs.

All the newly selected members of the academic staff are encouraged to complete the CCPDHE program, conducted by the university Staff Development Center. The faculty coordinates two units of this course in an attempt to mold the educators of the faculty and the university into exemplary scholars. The academic staff contributes to the GCE A/L examinations in the capacity of Chief Examiners and is involved in syllabus review processes as required. Moreover, most of the staff of the faculty has coordinated the training program of the graduate scheme of the Southern province and has contributed to the program as resource persons well. Additionally, the faculty staff has conducted 10 programs of "Gurugedara Educational Program" (Advanced Level Accounting Subject), telecasted in the Rupavahini- Eye Channel and the Nethra T.V. (This program was organized jointly by the

Ministry of Education and the National Institute of Education (N.I.E.) Sri Lanka), and has contributed to a welfare project under community development together with the Matara regional branch of Regional Development Bank (Project Name: “Matara Isuru Ambulthiyal”). Moreover, the faculty represented Sri Lanka in the top five finalist list (selected from 65 countries) in the ELTons Innovation Awards ceremony 2020 with the Sciencepedia comic book (The British Council ELTons Award for Local Innovation in partnership with Cambridge Assessment English).

The faculty received the ELTA ELSE Faculty Grant, from the AHED program for enhancing the Teaching and Learning Environment of the Faculty, online teaching facility, computer laboratory, language laboratory, and audio-visual center. In addition, there are around five Ph.D. awardees of the AHEAD program. The faculty successfully conducted its 9th International Conference on Management and Economics-ICME and Undergraduate Research Forum in 2020.

The staff of the faculty is committed and dedicated to all the functions of teaching, research, and administration of the faculty and the university as a whole.

Publications and Dissemination of Knowledge

Category	Number
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are in the citation index	03
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are not in the citation index	08
Full papers in proceedings	20
Abstracts of oral presentations	04
Total	35

Faculty of Medicine

Dean's Statement

The first two months were uneventful and academic activities were progressing smoothly.

The Faculty and the university was closed on 13th of March 2020 as a result of COVID-19 outbreak, for a period of over two months. After the initial closure there was staggered opening prioritizing the requirements of the different batches of medical students. During this period maximum effort was taken to continue clinical appointments uninterrupted and was successful in conducting final MBBS examination for the 36th batch of students and getting ready the 37th batch to sit the scheduled final MBBS examination on time. Most of the teaching converted to online mode and the Faculty developed an approach to get the batches of students in a staggered way for them to complete essential practical sessions required to be ready for examinations, minimizing the risks. During this period we have successfully conducted all the examination including the in-course assessments without significant delays. However in December 2020 six students were found to be positive for Covid 19 and as a result the entire hostel was converted to a quarantined area and was managed by the Faculty and successfully prevented the internal spread completely.

The Staff

Following members are promoted to Senior Professors.
Professor. Mahinda Kommalage of Department of Physiology.
Professor K.D. Pathirana of Department of Medicine.

Following members are promoted to Professors/Associate Professor.
Dr. M.M.A.J. Kumara of Department of Surgery.
Dr Samarawickrema of Departments of Anatomy.

Following members were promoted as Senior Lecturers Grade I.
Dr. P.L.G.C. Liyanage of Department of Pharmacology.
Dr. L.B.L. Prabodha of Departments of Anatomy.
Dr. C.M. Wickramathilake of Department of Biochemistry.
Dr. A.P. Attanayake of Department of Biochemistry.
Dr. D.L.W. Dasanayaka of Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Following members were promoted to Senior Lecturer Grade II.
Dr. P.L.A.N. Liyanage of Department of Community of Medicine.
Dr. P.P.W.D. De Zoysa of Department of Medicine.
Dr. (Mrs) S.S. Wickramasinghe of Department of Microbiology.
Dr. K.K.W.J.C. de Silva of Department of Community Medicine.

Faculty recruited several academic staff members out of which 01 new Senior Lecturer and 01 new Probationary lecturer already assumed duties.
Dr. S.A. Mendis to Department of Pharmacology was joined as a lecturer probationary.
Dr. K.P.V.R. de Silva to Department of Surgery was joined as a senior lecturer.

There were no new recruitments in the non-academic category 2020.

Professor K.G. Somasiri retired after a continuous service of 30 years in the Faculty of Medicine.

Professor Menik Hettihewa resigned from her position in the Department of Pharmacology after serving for 25 years.

National Contribution by the Academic Staff

Dean Professor Vasantha Devasiri was inducted as the President of the Sri Lanka College of Paediatricians in January 2020.

Professor Sujeewa Amarasena was appointed as a member in Presidential Task Force to control COVID 19.

Professor Madhu Wickremathilaka was appointed as President of Sri Lanka Nutrition Society.

Awards

Professor Channa Yahathugoda won the Vice Chancellors award for the highest number of grants received.

Professor Manjula Hettiarachchi won the Vice Chancellor's award for the "The Most Outstanding Scholar for the year 2019. Awarded in 2020.

Research Grants

During this period following academics won research grants.

Dr Gaya Wijayaratne has awarded NRC grants

"NRC Rapid response grants – R & D Interventions against COVID – 19"

Dr. Gaya Wijayaratne – Grant number – NRC CVD 20-07

Topic – "Covid – 19 surveillance in the Southern Province of Sri Lanka".

Dr Nayani Weerasinghe has awarded NRC Grant,

"NRC Rapid response grants – R & D Interventions against COVID – 19"

Dr. Nayani Weerasinghe – Grant number – NRC CVD 20 – 08

Topic – "Covid – 19 in a subset of community in Sri Lanka and the possible exposure to risk factors.

Infrastructure Development

The Faculty used Rs 30 million allocated AHEAD funds planning to increase students' intake. The money was used to improve the laboratory facilities and to upgrade the tutorial rooms in the pre-clinical departments.

The foundation stone of the Professorial Ward Complex laid by the Vice Chancellor of the university in a modest function held on 21.02.2020. Money allocation of SLR 1,138,355,200.00 + VAT was secured for the Professorial Ward Complex and construction work started in December 2020.

The contract of the proposed 12 stores building is awarded to CECB and the contractor agreed to make proposed changes in the building to provide facilities to conduct examinations and skills training which was not there in the original plan.

Faculty acquired the 3-acre land "Keselgashena" Pinnaduwa Galle to build up a playground and the sports complex requested another 3 acres of land from LRC to develop hostels, quarters. Money allocation of Rs. 13,285,750.00 secured for this project and restarted construction towards the end of 2020.

Annual Academic Sessions

The Faculty held its Annual Academic sessions were not held under prevailing circumstances.

Sports Activities

The Faculty had to cancel most of the sports activities but new policy decisions were adapted to improve the quality of the sports activities.

Programme Review

Program Review of the Faculty is conducted in January 2020 and received a C grade. Faculty had taken positive steps identifying the deficiencies and restructured the entire quality assurance process. The action plan is sent to the Director CQA. A series of workshops were conducted in view of improving the quality of the program.

Curricular Revision

Successfully maintained the process of curriculum revision activities during 2020 and the process has come to its final stages. During this period there was active participation of the Faculty and 10 workshops were conducted.

Despite the existing unfavorable circumstance lot of re-habilitation activity were completed during this period which include upgrading the Senior Common Room, Deans Office, Expanding the office area with renovation of the clinical Investigation unit and replacing mainly electricity panels.

Other new developments were change in the MCQ marking from manual to OMR.

Management Information Systems is upgraded and the annual registration and the registration of the examinations to be done through MIS.

Faculty Review

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Community Services	Conducted the Genetic Clinics, Maternal and Child Health Clinics, School Medical inspection, Family Medicine Clinic, Dermatology Clinics	Community and suspected patient
	Distribution of Handbooks on Birth Defect Prevention to midwife	MCH care recipients and school children in Bope-Poddala area
	Stress Management and Anger management programs	Children in SOS Children's Village, Kalegana
	Conducted lectures on Microbiology for Public Health Inspector trainees	
	Diagnostic services including stools examinations, thin and thick films for malaria parasites and malaria antigen tests, testing body aspirates and urine samples for parasites	Public health sector

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Community Services	3D lymph Tech Scans Reporting of adverse drug reactions in Teaching Hospital, Karapitiya Histopathology service function, Cytology and immunohistochemistry service functions Urine for dysmorphic red cells Conducted Staff Development Programme Written a book for the community “ Gabini Mawata Ovadanak” for pregnant mothers Patient care provided for patients in the University Surgical Unit Ward 3 & 5, general surgical clinics, varicose vein clinic and in endoscopic procedures	Over 1500 lower limb 3D LymphaTech scans were done. 20-month, 22-month, and 24-month follow-ups were completed Patients, doctors Output – Report on ADR Dissemination of findings in GMA Annual Academic Sessions by oral presentation Patients of professorial clinical units Community and suspected patient Doctors , Nurses & Midwifery staff at MOH Akmeemana Pregnant mothers, Medical Students, PG trainees and Patients
Curriculum Development (Improvements of course units /subjects)	Participated in development of new curriculum converting the existing system to a module based one in which reevaluated and the learning outcomes and assessments were redefined. A module on Professional and Personality Development was introduced. pharmacology	Medical undergraduates 80% of the process is completed.
Staff Development Programmes	Resource person of the workshop on SOP training and reviewing a proposal in view of granting Ethical approval on 13th Aug 2020 at FOM Session of safety measures to be followed when carrying out COVID-19 RT PCR testing, including sample handling and disposal of waste Quality Management, Accreditation safety and lab tests CPD Programmes conducted weekly for members of the University unit, Teaching Hospital Mahamodara	Researchers Staff Staff Health Care Professionals in the University and in the Ministry of Health
Contribution to National Development	Services provided as President of the Sri Lanka College of Paediatricians President of the Nutrition Society President of the Galle Medical Association	Academics and service providers in public health

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Contribution to National Development	Services rendered as the Council members of the College of Microbiologists, Nutrition Society, Galle Medical Association, SLMA,SLCP Contributed as guest lecturers in various forums Establishment of a COVID-19 RT-PCR testing facilities in the Department of Microbiology Served as Participation as the Secretary and as a member of, Lanka Public Health Education Institutes Network Secretary of College of Biochemists, Sri Lanka Contribution as a member of the of the Working Committee on Health Sciences of the National Science Foundation of Sri Lanka Working Committee on Bioethics of the National Science Foundation of Sri Lanka and Chairperson of The Board of Study Microbiology in PGIM, National Health Research Council, Sri Lanka Contribution of the members as members in all the study boards of the PGIM Participation as examiners in the examinations conducted by PGIM Contributed as trainers in the Post Graduate Training Process Curriculum development for hematologists, Laboratory management certificate course Contributed in the accrediting process in Hospitals, laboratories, as a member in the accreditation committee Recurse Person in National workshops on laboratory quality (EHA – SLCH Tutorial 2020 Sri Lanka Technical Assessor and as a committee member for SLAB Contributed as supervisors in post graduate studies Serving as a Technical Advisory Committee on Maternal Health & Family Planning Ministry of Health Resource person for National Training program conducted by SLAB on implementation of ISO 15189 QMS technical requirements	Academics and service providers in public health To support the National COVID-19 diagnostic facilities conducted by the Ministry of Health Sri Lanka Academics and service providers in public health Postgraduate students

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Contribution to National Development	Member of the committee appointed by SLCH on reviewing and implementation of National EQA program for specialized coagulation tests in Sri Lanka Advisor to the subcommittee appointed by SLCH on National Thalassemia Screening Program, to the Ministry of Health matters, on establishment of molecular diagnostic laboratories in haematology including establishment of national molecular laboratory Obtained Surveyor status for hospital Accreditation Australian Council on Healthcare Standards Participated International Pilot study for ACHS on EQuIP 7 in Sri Lanka Chaired Session 4 – Hematology practice in high-volume resource-constrained settings in EHA ISHBT tutorial held in Chandigarh India and presented a lecture on Haematology Services in Sri Lanka	Gynaecologists in Sri Lanka
Contributions in International Level	Participated as a symposium speaker 2nd ISFAN International Symposium on Food and Nutrition organized by the Food and Nutrition Society of Indonesia Invited Speaker 26th ISCB International Conference (ISCB-2020) jointly organized with Nirma Institute of Pharmacy International Conference (NIPiCON), Nirma University, India-2020 Represented Virtual Poster Sessions event hosted by Royal Society of Chemistry UK - 2020, Delivered an invited talk at the International Conference on Molecular Structure & Instrumental Approaches (ICMSI-2020) Member of the South-East Asia Regional Certification Commission for Polio Eradication Cordinated MSc Medical Toxicology programme (Online) conducted by Post Graduate Institute of Medicine where half of the students are international	Researchers, Scientists Global population Materialize the online course
Committees & No. of Members involved	Head, Duke-Ruhuna Collaboration FM Ruhuna Chairperson, Editorial Board, UoR Highlights Assessor for Sri Lanka Accreditation Board and performed audits for laboratory accreditation as per ISO 1518 Member of Accreditation Committee SLAB 2020 -2022	

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Grants Received (purpose & amount) - Local - International	Research grant from International Foundation of Science, Sweden USD 11800 received SLMA Fairmed Research Grant (SLR 247000) NRC rapid response grant for research related to Covid-19 surveillance in Southern Province NRC rapid response grant for research on Covid-19 antibody detection. Amount LKR 472,450 NSF Grant for Scientific Meeting/Workshops Agency: TFGH, Atlanta, USA, LEDoxy Grant - Value: US dollars 339662/= Research Grants Received - Galle Medical Association Research Grant 2020	Community, postgraduate trainees
Awards/Patents/Special Achievements	Award for the “Best presentation in Pharmacology” at the SLMA 133rd Anniversary International Medical Congress Wilson Peiris Prize at the SLMA 133rd Anniversary International Medical Congress 2020 Award for the Best Paper 2020 " Surveillance of Wuchereria bancrofti infection by anti-filarial IgG4 in urine among schoolchildren and molecular xenomonitoring in Sri Lanka: M Award for the best paper for the presentation "Development of a sandfly anti-salivary gland—SG747—IgG antibody-based urine enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA) for cutaneous Award for the Dr C. Palasuntheram Prize for the oral presentation "The diagnostic accuracy of a modified nested PCR-RFLP method in the diagnosis of cutaneous leishmaniasis caused by Leishmania donovani. 29th Annual Scientific Sessions, The Sri Lanka College of Microbiologists, 13th -14th August 2020 Award for the First Prize in oral presentation "The diagnostic accuracy of a modified nested PCR-RFLP method in the diagnosis of cutaneous leishmaniasis caused by Leishmania donovani. 29th Annual Scientific Sessions, The Sri Lanka College of Microbiologists, 13th -14th August 2020 Won the best oral presentation, in The Sri Lanka College of Pathologists Annual Academic Sessions; 2020 Oct. 15-17; Sri Lanka	Improvement of research based knowledge

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Awards/Patents/Special Achievements	Best oral presentation, in The Sri Lanka College of Pathologists Annual Academic Sessions; 2020 Oct. 15-17; Sri Lanka Comparison of performance of Erythrocyte Sedimentation Rate (ESR) using half-filled Westergren tube method with standard Westergren tube method Rathugama Leading article (by invitation) Haematology Journal - Publication of Sri Lanka College of Haematologists “The road to success assuring quality in coagulation testing” Sri Lanka College of Haematologists – curriculum developed for Certificate in Laboratory management Course for Haematologists 2nd Best paper at Young Gynaecologist presentation in Annual Scientific Congress SLCOG 2020	
Workshops/Seminars/Conferences conducted (Internal & Local)	Organized by (Faculty / Department / Centre / Unit) Faculty of Medicine Being a resource person in Research Methodology workshop conducted by the Galle Medical Association (GMA) Siri Wickremesinghe Oration 2020 of the Sri Lanka College of Microbiologists on 29th February 2020 Topic: Towards polio free world - Contribution from Sri Lanka Resource person of the Workshop on ‘Standard operating procedures in Research ethics and Reviewing articles’ conducted by ERC DTeaching and educational training of Public Health Midwives in Southern Province regarding “Soft Skills Development” in 2020	Medical officers and postgraduate trainees Awareness programme for Faculty Academic staff PG Trainees in Emergency Medicine
Outreach activities	monthly Dermatology clinic at Naval Hospital (South) at SLNS Nipuna Boosa , Editor, Galle Medical Journal Supervision of students students of the Global Health Masters Programme under Duke-Ruhuna Research Collaboration Aichi Medical University, Aichi Japan Department of Parasitology, Faculty of Medicine Colombo, Kelaniya	Navy personnel and families Health staff in Curative and preventive sector Students of the Global Health Masters degree programme LF surveillance programme & TAS and CL programme A PCR confirmation was done at Faculty of Medicine,Colombo

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Outreach activities	CNTD, Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine, UK	National Survey of Intestinal Nematode Infections in Sri Lanka
	Washington University, USA	Mental Health Studies of LF patients
	Task Force for Global Health Atlanta, USA	LF surveillance program

Publications and Dissemination of Knowledge

Category	Number
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are in the citation index	62
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are not in the citation index	33
Full papers or short communications in local journals	30
Full papers in proceedings	03
Abstracts of oral presentations	91
Abstracts of poster presentations	64
Books	04
Chapters in books	03
Scholarly articles in other publications (Magazines, National News Papers etc.)	08
Editorial works	53
Total	351

Faculty of Science

Dean's Statement

The Faculty consists of six departments in the subject areas of Botany, Chemistry, Computer Science, Mathematics, Physics and Zoology. Faculty of Science had been offering general and special degree programmes in Physical Science, Biological Science and Computer Science.

The UGC had decided to admit students from the batch of students who faced the GCE(A/L) examination in 2019 for the newly approved Bachelor of Science (Honours) Degree program in Financial Mathematics and Industrial Statistics.

The Faculty decided to increase the student intake for both Bachelor of Science and Bachelor of Computer Science. The following table illustrates the summary of the increase of the student enrolment starting from the batch of students who faced GCE (A/L) examinations in 2019.

Number of students for each program with information of additional total intake of 290 students

Degree program	Previous intake up to 2018/2019 academic year	Proposed intake from 2019/2020 academic year	Increased number of students for each program
Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) Physical Science Stream, Biological Science Stream	210	300	90
	150	250	100
Bachelor of Computer Science (BCS)	50	100	50
B.Sc. (Honours) in Financial Mathematics & Industrial Statistics (FM&IS)	Not applicable (New Program)	50	50
Total	410	700	290

Faculty had been progressing well with the implementation of the activities relevant to the grants received under the AHEAD project as the faculty as well as individual departments that submitted applications jointly with academic staff within and outside the faculty.

The faculty is presently in the process of finalizing the proposals the proposal for the BSc Honours degree programme and the revised proposals will be submitted to Quality Assurance and Accreditation Council of the University Grants Commission. The faculty re-considered the proposals for introducing new honours degree programmes and identified the need of several changes in the proposed programmes.

Faculty successfully held the 7th Ruhuna International Science and Technology Conference. Members of the faculty published their research findings in local and international research conferences and journals.

Many of the academic staff members of the faculty received a number of grants from various entities and grant schemes.

In addition to that faculty members worked in special committees for different types of purposes within and outside of the university.

The specific details of curriculum development, research output, national services, community services, University services and international contributions of individual departments are given in Tables below.

Faculty Review

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Newly Introduced Courses (Course units)	Dr. Prasadh added few new course units in the field of Astronomy for the proposed Honors Degree Programme Mr. Lakshan added a new course unit of “Introduction to Robotics” for the proposed Honors Degree Programme Dr.Nadeeka Served as a Visiting Lecturer at the Department of Medical Laboratory Science (MLS), Faculty of the Allied Health Science, University of Ruhuna Dr.Nadeeka Served as a supervisor as well as an invigilator in Physics-Practical (MLS 1101) at B.Sc. MLS year end examination conducted by the Faculty of the Allied Health Science, University of Ruhuna Dr.Nadeeka Served as an Examiner in Physics (MLS 1101) at B.Sc. MLS year end examination conducted by the Faculty of the Allied Health Science, University of Ruhuna Dr.Manjula as a teacher and a supervisor for MLS students at Allied Health Sciences Faculty Dr. E J K P Nandani served as a visiting lecturer for Engineering Mathematics Level IV at the Faculty of Engineering Technology, Open University of Sri Lanka, Matara Dr. K D Prasangika served as a guest Lecturer of The Erasmus Mundus joint Master Degree Program in Tropical Biodiversity and Ecosystem 2020 Proposed and processing – Certificate course in Biotechnology	Science Faculty students Science Faculty students MLS Degree Program students at the Faculty of the Allied Health Science, University of Ruhuna MLS Degree Program students at the Faculty of the Allied Health Science, University of Ruhuna MLS Degree Program students at the Faculty of the Allied Health Science, University of Ruhuna Faculty of Allied Health Sciences Undergraduates of Technology Honours in Engineering, Open University of Sri Lanka, Matara Faculty of Science, University of Ruhuna Those who are studying/serving in the field of microbiology/immunology/molecular biology
Community Services	Dr.Mahanama initiated a COVID Relief Fund with the help of the Science Faculty academics Dr.Mahanama organized a project of making sanitizer with the help of departments of Botany, Chemistry and Zoology during start of COVID 19	100 students were donated Rs. 5000.00 during march/April 2020 who were suffered from financial difficulties due to COVID 19

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Community Services	Mr.Ranatunga served as an online Jury member of Sahasak Nimawum Invention & Innovation Exhibition-2020, organized by Inventors commission Mr.Ranatunga served as a Jury member of Annual Invention & Innovation Exhibition-2020, organized by Matara Youth Service Council (Tharuna Sewa Sabhawa) Dr.Nadeeka served as a mentor for Students in the Faculty of Science Dr.Manjula served for the distribution of foods for helpless people, distribution of PPE kits and face masks for hospitals, SL Police and others during COVID 19 – Season 1 Dr. E J K P Nandani served as a Mentor for the Science Faculty Mrs. K C N Shanthidevi served as a Cultural Center coordinator Community projects through Active citizenship programme Awareness programme Establishment of mangrove wood section in SFFL mangrove museum On sabbatical leave until April 2020 and due to covid situation not much of the mentioned activities could be done	All the inventors & innovators in the Sri Lanka All the inventors & innovators in Southern Province Students of the Faculty of Science Sri Lankan communities Science Faculty students University of Ruhuna School children Coastal dwellers School children, environmentalists, all museum visitors
Curriculum Development (Improvements of course units /subjects)	On going : Revising the existing degree programme (BCS), Designing the BSc. (Special) in Computer Science degree programme Quantitative Ecology Biostatistics	Botany Special Degree students Botany Special Degree students
Staff Development Programmes	Dr.Mahanama organized two workshops on ZOOM usage and LMS usage as the Acting Dean/Science Dr.Mahanama organized a workshop on Course Unit mapping for the academic staff of the department Prof.Yapa taught two units - “Curriculum Mapping” and “Programme review”	Science Faculty Academics and students Academic staff of the Physics department Trainees under CCPDHE

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Staff Development Programmes	Dr.Nadeeka participated in a workshop on “Sexual and Gender based Violence” organized by University of Ruhuna Dr.Nadeeka participated in a workshop on “An awareness session on programme review process and Sri Lankan Qualifications framework (SLQF)” organized by the working committee of AHEAD, Faculty of Science, University of Ruhuna Dr.Nadeeka participated in a LMS workshop on “Building skills and knowledge for developing courses in a digital format” conducted by the Department of Computer Science, University of Ruhuna Module 6 of Certificate Course in Professional Development in Higher Education Programme	Beneficial for all the staff members and students of the University Beneficial for all the academic staff members of the Faculty of Science Beneficial for all the academic staff members and students of the Faculty of Science
Contribution to National Development	Prof. Dharmaratna chaired the committee appointed by UGC for Subject Benchmark Statement of Physics Prof. Dharmaratna served as a member, Basic Science Working Committee, NSF Prof. Dharmaratna served as a member of the Editorial Board of Journal of Physics, IPSL Prof. Dharmaratna served as the Chief Editor, Ruhuna Journal of Science Prof. Dharmaratna served as the Dean/Faculty of Technology until 12.02.2020 in addition to normal duties in the Dept. of Physics Evaluated the new Technology Degree Programmes at University of Colombo. Dr.Mahanama served as the Acting Dean for the period from 06.02.2020 – 08.06.2020 Dr.Mahanama served as the Head of the department of Physics Dr.Mahanama served as chief examiner of A/L Exam 2020 Dr.Saranga served as a Visiting lecturer - Statistical Physics	Standard of Physics Degree programmes. Staff and students Research Development and dissemination. Scientists and researchers, students Research Development and dissemination. Scientists and researchers, students Research Development and dissemination. Scientists and researchers, students Development of Technology stream in the University, Students and staff Faculty of Technology, University of Colombo and students Science Faculty students and academics Department of Physics School Students of the country Southeastern University students

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Contribution to National Development	Dr. E J K P Nandani Serves as a Chief Examiner of G.C.E.(A/L) Combined Mathematics Paper marking in 2020 Dr. E J K P Nandani Served as a resource person for the A/L 2020 Science & Maths Revision online seminar series (Nestomalt Buddhi Prabodaya) Organized by ministry of Education Dr. K.D. Prasangika served as a chief Examiner for the supervision of marking of Combined Mathematics answer scripts in G.C.E. A/L Examinations 2020 Dr. K.D. Prasangika was a resource person of online revision program-2020 conducted by the Department of Education Dr B.G.S.A. Pradeep conducted an A/L 2020 Science & Maths Revision Seminars by Ministry of Education Establishment of Mangrove museum in SFFL, Chilaw	Sri Lanka Students G.C.E. A/L-2020 Combined Mathematics Students G.C.E. A/L 2020 Combined Mathematics Students G.C.E. A/L 2020 Combined Mathematics Students G.C.E. A/L 2020 Combined Mathematics Students Mangrove scientists, school children
Contributions in International Level	Prof. Dharmaratna, lead the Sri Lankan Consortium of Physicists to CMS experiment at CERN. Establishment of Master programme (Erasmus Mundas) Participated to an international conference as a resource person to give a lecture on climatic change and its effect on biodiversity, commerce and economics in Arts, commerce and science , collage, Sonai , India, in 2020 Serve as an editorial member of “World journal of Agricultural research” since 2014 Served as a reviewer of the journal Archives of Phytopathology and Plant Protection published by Taylor and Francis, on July 20th 2020 (Manuscript no. GAPP-2019-0212) Serve as an editorial member of “World journal of Agricultural research” since 2014	Development of research in Sri Lankan Universities, Staff and students in Physics Departments Disseminate of knowledge to 1000 of participants so that it may be used to lead to improve the awareness of environment protection and to lead to find strategies for sustainable development

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Contributions in International Level	Served as a reviewer of the journal Archives of Phytopathology and Plant Protection published by Taylor and Francis, on July 20 th 2020 (Manuscript no. GAPP-2019-0212)	
Committees & No. of Members involved	Prof. Dharmaratna served as the Chairman of the BOS, Faculty of Technology (Until 12.02.2020)	Research Development in the University. Researchers and postgraduate students
	Prof. Dharmaratna served in selection committees and several Senate and Council appointed committees of the university	University, Staff and students. Especially the By-Law review committee developed By-Laws of all faculties
	Dr.Mahanama - Research Committee Meetings	Faculty of Science
	Dr.Mahanama served as the Chairman of the BOS, Faculty of Technology	Faculty of Science
	Dr.Mahanama - Course Coordinators Committee Meetings	Faculty of Science
	Dr.Mahanama – COVID-19 response Committee Meetings	Faculty of Science
	Mr.Ranatunga served as an executive Committee member of RUSTA- 15 members	
	Dr.Saranga served as the Chairman of the Organizing committee -Faculty day-2020 (7 members)	Faculty of Science
	Dr.Saranga - Industrial training and research coordinating (6 members)	Faculty of Science
	Dr.Saranga - Programme review-evidence collection	Faculty of Science
	Dr.Saranga - Faculty sports coordinator (rugby)	Faculty of Science
	Dr.Nadeeka served as a “Medical Committee” member of the Faculty of Science, University of Ruhuna. (6 members)	Beneficial for all the students in the Faculty of Science, University of Ruhuna
	Dr.Nadeeka Served as a member of the Self Evaluation Report (SER) writing and evidence collection committee of the Faculty of Science. (11 members)	Faculty of Science
	Dr Manjula served as a member of the “Faculty Day 2020” Committee – 08 members	University of Ruhuna
	RISTCON 2021 Organizing Committee	
	Continued AHEAD/ICE grant – 2nd year – 40 Million Rupees	

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Committees & No. of Members involved	Dr. E.J.K.P. Nandani is a committee member of the RISTCON 2021.	Faculty of Science, University of Ruhuna.
	Dr. E.J.K.P. Nandani is a committee member of the SER writing and evidence collection for Programme Review of Faculty of Science of Science and University of Ruhuna.	Faculty of Science, University of Ruhuna
	Dr. K.D. Prasangika Member of the Program review Committee, Faculty of Science committee member	Faculty of Science, University of Ruhuna
	Mrs. K.C.N. Shanthidevi served as the patron of Mathematics and Statistical Society	Faculty of Science, University of Ruhuna
	Ethics committee/Faculty of Science – 7 members	Academic staff and students of the Faculty of Science
	Chairperson - Inter-faculty drama, University of Ruhuna, 2020	
	Member of the Science faculty Quality assurance cell	
	Science faculty coordinator for Cultural center, University of Ruhuna	
	University coordinator for Sri Lanka Broadcasting corporation, Ruhunu Sevaya, Matara	
	Patron/Kala hawula, Faculty of Science	
	Member of Science Faculty grievances committee	
	Member of the Science faculty COVID relief committee	
	Ethics committee/Faculty of Science – 7 members	
	Chairperson - Inter-faculty drama, University of Ruhuna, 2020	
	Member of the Science faculty Quality assurance cell	
	Science faculty coordinator for Cultural center, University of Ruhuna	
	University coordinator for Sri Lanka Broadcasting corporation, Ruhunu Sevaya, Matara	
	Member of Science Faculty grievances committee	Academic staff and students of the Faculty of Science

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Committees & No. of Members involved	Member of the Science faculty COVID relief committee Patron/Kala hawula, Faculty of Science	Academic staff and students of the Faculty of Science Academic staff and students of the Faculty of Science
Grants Received (purpose & amount) - Local - International	The budget proposal submitted by Prof. Dharmaratna to the Ministry of Science, Technology and Research to start research collaboration with CERN (Rs. 250 m for five-year period starting from 2018) was approved by the Ministers of Cabinet. This project has been successfully continued in 2020 FSPI- SEDRIC (International)	Universities, Physics Departments, staff and researchers, postgraduate students, and undergraduate Physics students.
Awards/Patents/Special Achievements	A PCT was submitted by the AHEAD ICE project team led by Dr.Mahanama. Prof. Dharmaratna Maintained h- index of 51, and i10-Index 96 (as of Dec 28, 2020). Prof. Dharmaratna made of more convenient Universal Cuff for Blood Pressure Measurements. Still waiting for the patent. Prof.Dharmaratne got his retirement on 30 th September 2020 Fellow of the higher education academy received by Dr. W.A. Mohotti Most outstanding young researcher Most outstanding international convener Received best paper presentation award on 4 th March 2020, in connection with the 16 th Academic sessions, University of Ruhuna. Best paper presentation award on 4 th March 2020, in connection with the 16 th Academic sessions, University of Ruhuna.	Physics department Enhanced the international ranking oh the Ruhuna University Technology development in the field of Medicine Prof. Dharmaratne. It was a big loss to the department of Physics
Workshops/Seminars/ Conferences conducted (Internal & Local)	Dr.Nadeesha served as the Chairperson of the 7 th Ruhuna International Science and Technology Conference (RISTCON 2020). Prof. Dharmaratna participated in RISTCON 2020 and served as a member of the advisory board. Prof.Yapa conducted many workshops under the theme “Becoming a Mindful Citizen” for freshmen students in faculties of Engineering, Allied Health Sciences, Management and Technology	In total 148 researches from various universities and institutions in Sri Lanka have published their research findings. Researchers and students in the fields of Science related fields All freshmen students of those faculties

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Workshops/Seminars/ Conferences conducted (Internal & Local)	Dr. J.A.P. Bodhika, conducted 14 seminars in different Southern Province schools to uplift school students inventive skills.	Southern province school students
	Dr. K.D. Praseangika organized a workshop “Managing Your Emotional Wheel” for First year Students of the Faculty of Science, on 30th September 2020.	Science Faculty Students
	Dr. K.D. Prasangika Conducted a workshop “ගණිත වැඩමුලුව” for School Mathematics teachers at Mahinda College, Galle on 12th June 2020.	A/L Combined Mathematics Teachers
	Dr. B.G.S.A. Pradeep Conducted the programme -An Awareness Session on Programme Review Process and Sri Lanka Qualifications Framework (SLQF)	Academic Staff of the Faculty of Science
	Dr. B.G.S.A. Pradeep Conducted the programme -Aligning your course unit with OBE-LCT principles	Academic Staff of the Faculty of Science
	Mrs. K.C. N. Shanthidevi organized a workshop on Curriculum Mappings	Academic Staff Membrs of Faculty of Science Faculty of FMST and Faculty of Allied Health Science
	Organized the Awareness Program with Directors and Agricultural Instructors (AIs) of the Southern Province to introduce "Govi-Nena - Home Gardening Mobile App"	
	Awareness Program at the exhibition at the Debarawewa Maha Vidyalaya, Debarawewa to introduce "Govi-Nena - Home Gardening Mobile App"	General Public
	Done a live radio programme (Ruhuna Sevaya) to introduce "Govi-Nena - Home Gardening Mobile App" at the exhibition at the Debarawewa Maha Vidyalaya, Debarawewa	
	Getting started with G-Suite and Dropbox for Online Teaching	Staff members
	Workshop on “Stress Management”	Students and Staff members
	Online Workshop on “Introduction to Learning Management System (LMS) for the Undergraduate Students of Faculty of Science"	Students of the faculty of Science
	Industry Awareness program	Students of the Department of Computer Science

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Workshops/Seminars/ Conferences conducted (Internal & Local)	Online Workshop on “Developing Research Skills in Undergraduate Students of Faculty of Science LMS Workshop on Building Skills and Knowledge for Developing Courses in a Digital Format CCPDHE (Certificate Course in Professional Development in Higher Education) 01 (international)- VUB, Belgium Conducted a program “Music for mass media” in Ruhunu sevaya” under the certificate course in Mass media on 14th March 2020. Conducted a program “Music for life”, in Faculty of Fisheries, Marine Sciences and Technology on 13th March 2020 under the orientation program of new students Conducted a program “Music for life” in Faculty of Allied Life Sciences on 28.02.2020, under the orientation program of new student Conducted a program “Music for life” in Faculty of Technology on 5th September 2020, under the orientation program of new students	Students of the faculty of Science Staff Staff
Outreach activities	Prof. Dharmaratna participated in several community projects as a Member of the Matara Lions Club Dr. Mahanama served as a reviewer of RISTCON 2020 Dr. Nadeeka served as a reviewer of RISTCON 2020 Dr. E J K P Nandani served as a Student Counselor in 2020 Dr. K D Prasangika served as a Student Counselor in 2020 Dr. K D Prasangika served as the chief Editor of the Mathematical and Statistics Society of the faculty of Science Reviewer of RISTCON and Ruhuna Journal of Science Conducted a program “Music for mass media” in Ruhunu sevaya” under the certificate course in Mass media on 14th March 2020 Conducted a program “Music for life”, in Faculty of Fisheries, Marine Sciences and Technology on 13th March 2020 under the orientation program of new students	Community in the Matara area and the Lions Club National & International research community Sri Lankan Universities & Research institutes Students of Science Faculty Faculty of Science

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Outreach activities	Conducted a program “Music for life” in Faculty of Allied Life Sciences on 28.02.2020, under the orientation program of new students Conducted a program “Music for life” in Faculty of Technology on 5th September 2020, under the orientation program of new students	
Link Programmes	Dr. Nadeesha is a Member of the CMS Collaboration. Working as a Data-MC Validation Manager Sri Lanka – CMS CERN collaboration started in 2018 Southern province school invention and innovation competition is organized collaboratively with southern province education department Several- research based (international)	Sri Lankan scientific research community Researchers and the Physics students Southern province school students

Publications and Dissemination of Knowledge

Category	Number
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are in the citation index	81
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are not in the citation index	09
Full papers or short communications in local journals	11
Full papers in proceedings	05
Abstracts of oral presentations	119
Abstracts of poster presentations	17
Books	02
Chapters in books	03
Scholarly articles in other publications (Magazines, National News Papers etc.)	04
Editorial works	16
Total	191

Faculty of Technology

Dean's Statement

Senior Prof. W.G. D. Dharmarathne stepped down from the position of Dean Faculty of Technology due to the retirement on 12th February 2020. He has extended an immense service to the Faculty as the founder dean of Faculty of Technology of University of Ruhuna. Dr. K.G.S.H. Gunawardana assumed duties as the Dean of Faculty of Technology. Dr. B.L.S. Thilakerathne was appointed as the Head of the department of engineering technology filling the vacant position. Further, Dr. K. G.S.H. Gunawardana also serves as the acting Head of the Department of Multidisciplinary Studies. Dr. P.K.S.C. Jayasinghe and Dr. Wathsala Rajawatte are continuing as the Heads of Department of Information and Communication Technology and Department of Biosystems Technology respectively. Mrs. R. L. Hettiarachchi, the Assistant Registrar of Faculty of Technology was on maternity leave and Mr. Dammika Eldeniya was serving the Faculty covering up the duties. Mrs. R.L. Hettiarachchi was returned on 1st of June 2020 and continues in the post of Assistant Registrar. Mr. Romesh Ketipearachchi, the Assistant Bursar of Faculty of Technology was transferred to the main campus and Ms. P. Hewarathne former AB of Faculty of Agriculture was appointed as the new assistant bursar of Faculty from 9th October 2020.

The academic program of this year was interrupted due to the unexpected outbreak of the COVID-19 virus. The campus was closed on 13th March 2020 indefinitely due to the pandemic situation aroused in the world. However, with the support of the developed IT infrastructure of the faculty, we could start the academic program in virtual platforms from 23rd of March 2020. Since then the academic program is mainly conducting via virtual platforms. The students in different academic levels were called the Faculty to conduct examinations and relevant practical sessions at several occasions. On arrival, students were followed a quarantine process in Hostels before starting the academic works. This was supported by the vice chancellor of university of Ruhuna, public health inspector of university and the staff of the Kamburupitiya MOH office. The academic program of the final years was planned to move forward without any delay. The students completed the level 4 semester 1 in December 2020. The semester II is scheduled to compete in June 2021.

The 4th batch of students of FOT were admitted on 29th of January 2020. It was planned to continue with the orientation program up to 9th April 2020. The Orientation program consists of English teaching sessions and practical and lecturing sessions from academic departments. It was successfully conducted up to 14th March 2020. During the lock down period English sessions were conducted through virtual instructions by the staff of the Department of Multidisciplinary studies. Engineering Technology, Biosystems and the ICT departments had also conducted some sessions for these students.

Students of the Faculty of Technology were motivated through zoom sessions to develop applications to prevent the spread of the virus and related problems. Students developed projects in groups and had good discussion with the staff in solving their practical problems. They had developed good proposals and some of them had fabricated the products. The Faculty launched an online product demonstration session for students to present their innovations and proposals. It was named as FOT INVO 2020 and coordinated by Dr Udari Rathnathunga. Students participated enthusiastically and received good feedback from the staff. Some of the students' groups were later able to secure 2nd and 3rd place in the "shasak nimawum 2020" national competition under the university category and in other university level competitions.

In parallel to the infrastructure development and fund received under the AHEAD grant, the Faculty of Technology has planned to increase the student intake. Considering the request of additional intake

of UGC the annual intake will be increased to 355 from this year. These students are divided into three academic departments: Engineering Technology-165, Biosystems Technology-104, Information and communication Technology-86.

Students are encouraged and given opportunities engage in recreational and cultural activities inside the faculty. The staff of the Department of Multi-disciplinary studies are providing assistant to students of this path. Online programs and activities are conducted in three different areas: Music, Dancing and Drama. With the collaboration of staff and the students a Christmas Program was conducted successfully.

Faculty Review

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Newly Introduced Courses (Course units)	ENT4123 Electronic System Design ENT4132 Mechanics of Machines ENT4142 Machine Design ENT4212 Programmable Digital electronics ENT4222 Power Electronics and Applications	Engineering Technology Students / Mastery knowledgein Electro mechanical Technology
Contribution to National Development	Participation for A/L practical examination Dr. E.U.U. Rathnathunga -Co-controlling Examiner –G.C.E. A/L, Practical examination of the Biosystems Technology scheme, 2020 Mr Chamila Priyankara - Co-controlling Examiner – G.C.E. A/L, Practical examination of the Biosystems Technology scheme, 2020	G.C.E. A/L students
Committees & No. of Members involved	Faculty Board Meeting 34 Head's Meeting 13 Housing Committee 06 Board of Graduate Study 10	To discussed matters relating to Faculty and students and staff To discussed matters relating to divisions / departments To discussed matters relatingto accommodation facilities and hostels issues Evaluation of research proposals and applications of postgraduate students Ensuring ethical approval for research where necessary Evaluation of Progress reports and making recommendations on them, making recommendations on nominees as thesis examiners

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Committees & No. of Members involved	Inventions & Innovation Committee 04	For the purpose of considering new innovation & inventions relating to students
	Canteen, hostel and security Committee 06	To discuss relating to canteen problems (Food choice, quality of Food),hostel matters and security problems
	Sports Advisory Committee 19	To discuss relating to upcoming Sports events and incorporate students and staff for those events
	Library Committee 20	To discuss issues relating to library
	IQAC Meeting 16	To discuss issues relating to Quality of Degree programmes
Grants Received (purpose & amount) - Local - International		Course unit mapping, preparation of lesson plans, peer evaluation,self evaluation etc.

Publications and Dissemination of Knowledge

Category	Number
Full papers or short communications in international journals which are in the citation index	04
Abstracts of oral presentations	03
Abstracts of poster presentations	01
Total	08

Part VII – Awards and Special Events

National and International Research Conferences

1. 17th Academic Sessions and 16th Vice Chancellor's Awards - 2020

17th Academic Sessions and 16th Vice Chancellor's Awards – 2020 of University of Ruhuna was successfully held on the 4th of March 2020 under the theme '*Innovation and Creativity for Social Wellbeing*' at Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences. The Vice Chancellor of University of Ruhuna, Senior Professor Sujeewa Amarasena graced the inaugural ceremony as the Chief Guest. Professor Kusuma Karunaratne, Professor Emeritus delivered the keynote address on '21st Century Education, Prospects and Challenges' and the invited oration was delivered by Professor Sarath Amarasinghe, Professor Emeritus on 'Advanced Sociological Research to Address Social Issues in the Contemporary Sri Lankan Society'.

Seventy five academics disseminated new branches of knowledge through their respective research findings in technical and poster sessions, conducted under diverse disciplines. The most outstanding academics and students were recognized and honored at 16th Vice Chancellor's Awards Ceremony. The following Vice Chancellors awards and Emeritus Professorships were awarded in this event.

Professor Emeritus

Professor Sarath Amarasinghe – Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

Professor S. Wawwage – Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

Professor P.R.T. Cumararatunga – Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology

Professor B.G. Nanayakkara – Faculty of Medicine

Most Outstanding Scholar

Dr. Manjula Hettiarachchi – Faculty of Medicine

Most Outstanding Young Researcher

Dr. Sunanda Kodikara – Faculty of Science

Most Outstanding Student Inventor/Innovator

Mr. K.T. Methdasun Sandamal – Faculty of Technology

Highest Recipients of Grants

Professor Channa Yahathugoda – Faculty of Medicine

Most Outstanding Convener of International Conferences/Promoter of International Relations

Dr. Sunanda Kodikara – Faculty of Science

2. International Symposium on Agriculture and Environment (ISAE) 2020

International Symposium on Agriculture and Environment (ISAE) 2020 held on 14th February 2020 at the Faculty of Agriculture, University of Ruhuna. It is one of the major events organized by the Faculty of Agriculture where the staff and the students meet with the professionals around the world, in view of securing the future of Agriculture and Environment. The theme of ISAE 2020 was '*Redefining Agricultural and Environmental Policies: Emerging Challenges and New Horizons*'. The chief guest of the main event was Mr. Eric Lavertu, Ambassador of France to Sri Lanka. Around 170 scholarly articles related to 12 research themes were presented and around 400 participants locally and internationally were gathered at this event.

3. Ruhuna International Science and Technology Conference (RISTCON) 2020

RISTCON is an excellent forum to share research findings on a wide range of areas in the fields of Science and Technology while opening doors for research interactions among peers across many disciplines. The 7th Ruhuna International Science and Technology Conference 2020 was held on January 22nd at the Faculty of Science. Professor Ruey-an Doong was the Keynote speaker from the Institute of Analytical and Environmental Sciences, National Tsing Hua University, Taiwan. Professor K.M.Nalin de Silva delivered the Guest speech. The theme of the conference was '*Sustainability through advancement in Science and Technology*'. The event was enlightened by 250 participants.

4. Research Symposium of the Faculty of Allied Health Sciences (RuFARS – 2020)

3rd Research Symposium of the Faculty of Allied Health Sciences (RuFARS) was successfully held on 2nd October 2020 at the auditorium, Faculty of Medicine under the theme '*Developing Academic Integrity and Literacy through Research*'. Dean, Faculty of Nursing, University of Colombo was the keynote speaker and the Vice Chancellor, University of Ruhuna was the chief guest of the RuFARS – 2020. More than 60 abstracts related to Biomedical and Allied Health Sciences were presented at the symposium.

5. Ruhuna University International Conference on Humanities and Social Sciences (RUICHSS) 2020

The 6th Ruhuna University International Conference on Humanities and Social Sciences was held virtually on 5th of November 2020, adjusting to the new normal circumstances in the context of COVID – 19. Vice Chancellor of the University of Ruhuna graced the occasion as the chief guest and Professor Sasanka Perera, Professor of Sociology, South Asian University, New Delhi took part in the session as the Keynote speaker. The online conference was fashioned by the theme '*Culture,*

Modernity and Social Transformation’ which provided a platform for its participants to engage in diverse disciplines in Humanities and Social Sciences under 10 areas.

6. Ruhuna Arts Student’s Annual Sessions (RASAS) 2020

Ruhuna Arts Student’s Annual Sessions 2020 was successfully conducted as a virtual event on 6th of November 2020, for the fifth consecutive year. This research symposium for undergraduates was organized by the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences under the theme ‘The Spirit of Sprouting Researchers of Tomorrow’. The Keynote speaker, Dr. Praneeth Abhayasundara who graced the research symposium by virtually appearing through the Zoom technology. Vice Chancellor of University of Ruhuna represented at the event as the chief guest. RASAS -2020 created a platform for the young undergraduates from national universities to disseminate their novel research findings and receive constructive feedback from experts.

7. International Conference on Management and Economics (ICME) 2020

The 9th International Conference on Management and Economics (ICME) 2020, organized by the Faculty of Management and Finance under the theme of ‘ The Role of Business Intelligence in Shaping Organizations in Emerging Economics’ was held on 11th September 2020 at the Weligama Bay Marriott Resort & Spa. Professor Ajantha Dharmasiri, Director and the Chairman, Board of Management of Postgraduate Institute of Management, University of Sri Jayawardanapura and Dr. Sugumar Mariappanadar, Senior Lecturer Peter Faber Business School, Australian Catholic University, Australia delivered insightful keynote speeches at the conference.

National and International Awards

1. Guangdong Province Science and Technology Cooperation Award

The Guangdong Province Science and Technology Cooperation award has been initiated on 1st October 2000 by the Government of Guangdong Province, China with the intention of rewarding the citizens and organizations either in China or outside China for their contribution in promoting science and technology in Guangdong Province.

This award was awarded to Professor Tilak P.D. Gamage of the Department of Limnology and Water Technology, Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology. Professor Tilak Gamage is the Co-ordinator of the China-Sri Lanka Joint Centre for Education and Research (CSL CER). He was able to initiate the relationship with China in 2009, with the support of Prof. Dongxiao Wang of the South China Sea Institute of Oceanology, Chinese Academy of Sciences. This award has been considered his commitment to China-Sri Lanka relationship through numerous academic activities with various organizations.

2. Fulbright Fellowships

Dr. Sudhira De Silva received US-SL Fulbright Advanced Research and Lecturing Award to pursue his post-doctoral fellowship at the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, University of Connecticut, Storrs, USA.

Dr. Subashi De Silva received a Visiting Research Fellowship from the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, University of Connecticut, Storrs, USA. These research studies initiated the best opportunity for long term collaborative research with Structural Engineering & Applied Mechanics Group of University of Connecticut, USA.

Professor Disna Ratnasekara from Department of Agricultural Biology was awarded the prestigious and highly competitive Fulbright Professional Fellowship from the Government of United States to serve as a visiting professor, attached to Department of Botany and Plant Science, University of California, USA.

3. NCAS Scholarship

Ms. Hemanthi Subhadra Hidellaarachchi of the Department of English Language Teaching, University of Ruhuna was awarded a scholarship by the National Centre for Advanced Studies to follow a PhD programme in September 2020.

4. Online 2020 World Taekwondo Asia Poomsae Open Championship

Ms. W.H.I.S. Chandrasena of the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences won Gold medal in female under 30 colour belt poomsae event and Mr. K.H.K.L. Dilshan of Faculty of Management and Finance won Silver medal in male under 30 colour belt poomsae event representing Sri Lanka national Taekwondo team for online 2020 World Taekwondo Asia Poomsae Open Championship.

5. 1st Virtual Taekwondo National Championship

Several achievements are obtained by participating University of Ruhuna Taekwondo team for the 1st virtual Taekwondo National Championship organized by Sri Lanka Taekwondo Federation.

Mr. K.H.K.L.Dilshan- Faculty of Management and Finance	Individual Poomsae University Category – Gold Medal Open under 30 category – Bronze Medal
Mr. K.A.D.M.K.M. Kathriarachchi- Faculty of Science	Individual Poomsae University Category – Bronze Medal Open under 30 category – Silver Medal
Mr. P.H.B.S. Sandaruwan- Faculty of Science	University Category – Silver Medal Open under 30 category – Silver Medal
Ms. A.A.E. Rasanduni- Faculty of Management and Finance	Individual Poomsae University Category – Bronze Medal Open under 30 category – Bronze Medal
Ms. K.W.D.O. Priyadarshani- Faculty of Science	Individual Poomsae University Category – Bronze Medal Open under 30 category – Bronze Medal
Ms. W.H.I.S. Chandrasena- Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences	Individual Poomsae University Category – Bronze Medal

International Collaborations

1. Inauguration of the EU Funded Capacity Building Project on “Developing Inclusive Education for students with disabilities in Sri Lankan Universities (IncEdu)”

The IncEdu project addresses a significant issue in higher education in Sri Lanka that has not received adequate attention. The project partnership consists of four well renowned European Universities: Masaryk University, Czech Republic, Zagreb University of Croatia, Transylvania University of Brasov, Romania and Uppsala University of Sweden and four universities from Sri Lanka. The inaugural meeting was held on 26th – 28th of February 2020 in Kandy.

2. Award from the Indian High Commissioner



Faculty of Allied Health Sciences received an award from the Indian High Commissioner on 29th January 2020 to arrange three gold medals for the best performing Allied Health Science students of the BSc Medical Laboratory Science, BSc. Nursing and B. Pharmacy degree courses annually.

3. Establishment of Erasmus Mundas TROPIMUNDO Master Programme

The Erasmus Mundus joint master degree in tropical biodiversity and ecosystems (TROPIMUNDO) is a highly competitive and rigorous programme carrying the European Commission’s only educational excellence label (Erasmus Mundus) and is run jointly between several universities. Accordingly, students who select University of Ruhuna as their destination in second semester came to the university to complete 30 credits. This included field visits to different ecosystems. The programme was processed through CINTA, University of Ruhuna.

4. Establishment of Ruhuna-Duke Centre for Infectious Diseases (RDCID) as an official centre of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Ruhuna

The Faculty of Medicine, University of Ruhuna and the Duke Global Health Institute created a research and educational collaboration in partnership with the Duke Hubert Yeargan Center for Global Health, in an effort to facilitate bi-directional collaboration on health related research and student/clinician training exchanges.

5. Virtual real-time Happiness Index Measurement: Collaboration of BECK Project and Vilnius Gediminas Technical University and University of Ruhuna

Department of Agricultural Engineering, Faculty of Agriculture has established Mood Measuring Camera systems at the faculty and department premises. The camera systems and neuro-analytical systems developed by the Vilnius Gediminas Technical University (VGTU) has indexed the mood of passers-by based on their facial expressions, body language, temperature, and other factors. The main goal of the study is to establish parameters that make people feel good in public spaces and lead a more effective life.

6. Student Exchange Program under the NOPART partnership project NOR-LANKA BLUE

The student exchange program under the NOPART partnership project NOR-LANKA BLUE with the Arctic University of Norway (UiT), Tromsø was successfully implemented amidst COVID19 pandemic time to send seven students who will register or have registered for MPhil degree programs at University of Ruhuna and University of Jaffna to Tromsø in October 2020.

Other Events

Workshops and other annual event conducted at Faculty and University level are given below.

1. MOU between Faculty of Technology, University of Ruhuna and Dialog Axiata on automated agricultural systems in protected houses

Faculty of Technology, University of Ruhuna has signed a MOU to conduct research activities on protected agriculture systems in the framework of public-private partnership with Dialog Axiata PLC. The scope of this agreement shall be for the parties to engage in research activities for exploring the possibilities of automating hydroponic agriculture practices and thereafter explore the possibility of carrying out research on aquaponics and aeroponic agriculture, with the participation of the university students and engage in product development, launching and popularizing the products relating to IOT supported protected agriculture.

2. Foundation Laying Ceremony for the New Building Complex for FAHS

Foundation stone laying ceremony of the new building complex of the Faculty of Allied Health Sciences, University was held on 10th December 2020 at Walahanduwa Estate, Galle. The occasion was graced by the Chancellor, Vice Chancellor, Deputy Vice Chancellor and Deans of the University of Ruhuna, Hon. Minister Dr. Ramesh Pathirana and the distinguished guests.

3. Rohana – Bharati Hindi Prabodhini



The inaugural Ceremony of the Hindi Language Teaching Programme, “Rohana – Bharati Hindi Prabodhini” was held at the university premises on 17th February, 2020. Prem K. Nair, Consulate General of India, graced the event as the chief guest and the guest speech was delivered by Senior Professor Upul Ranjith Hewawitanagamage from the Department of Hindi Studies, University of Kelaniya.

4. Construction of the Professorial Ward Complex

Foundation stone was laid on 21st of February 2020 for 10 storied Professorial Ward Complex, a jointly managed facility by Faculty of Medicine, University of Ruhuna and Teaching Hospital, Karapitiya. The complex will contain teaching facilities to accommodate a higher intake of students and also it will improve clinical care provision both qualitatively and quantitatively to patients of Southern Province.

Part VIII - Library

Librarian's statement

Been the “heart of a university” an academic library has key role to be played by providing required support to continue teaching and learning in the university. The year 2020 was a challenging year for the library system of the University of Ruhuna, to achieve the objectives of the university despite the pandemic situation prevailed in the country. Where the teaching and learning processes of the university was transformed into online medium. Specially, the library has to provide access to the related textbooks, provide required information, and continue other community-oriented activities that the library usually does.

Withstanding with these challenges of the “new normal”, under a limited financial facility, the Library has been able to carry out several activities and services as follows to achieve the objectives of the University.

Mr. Nimal Hettiarachchi
Acting Librarian

➤ New Services

- Introduce Laptop Lending Service
- Implementation In-Out Management System
- Implementation of University ID Card Printing Unit
- Off-Campus access for E- Journals
- Implementation Digital Document Supply Service
- Implementation of university news archiving service

➤ New Collections

- E - Books Collection
- Professor Dr. (Mrs) Kumari Jayawardena Collection

Library Review

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Orientation Programmes	Carried out orientation programs for the newcomers of the Faculty of AHS, the Faculty of Agriculture, the Faculty of Science, the Faculty of FMST, the Faculty of HSS, the Faculty of MF and the Faculty of Engineering/Faculty of Medicine	First Year Students
Contribution to National Development	Mr. Nimal Hettiarachchi is a Member of the committee for the Preparation of "MARC 21 Descriptive Cataloging Framework for Sri Lanka" Mr. UA Lal Pannila is a Council Member of Sri Lanka Library Association (SLLA) Year 2020/2021	All the library professionals in Sri Lanka
Workshop/seminars/conferences Conducted (Internal and Local)	Resource person: Mr. Nimal Hettiarachchi - Organized by National Library, Sri Lanka Online Seminar on the "MARC 21 Descriptive Cataloging Framework for Sri Lanka" Mr. PG Nishantha - Resource Person - Information resources ,Use of Turnitin in for academic publications, Research support (Referencing, Literature, avoid plagiarism) Mr. Kusala Fernando- Resource Person - Plagiarism, its prevention, and how to use the TURNITIN similarity detection platform, Plagiarism, its prevention, and how to use the TURNITIN similarity detection platform, Introduction and handling of the Institutional Repository, UoR, Identification of predatory journals and White journal list of the UoR Mr. Kusala Fernando and Mr. UA Lal Pannila -Resource Persons - Capacity building workshop for teacher Librarians of the Akuressa Educational division. Organized by Zonal Education Office Akkurassa	All the library professionals in Sri Lanka Academic Staff of FAHS Library senior staff, Faculties Staff 40 Teacher librarians
Community Services	Ms. PK Jayasekara - Translated How to Spot Fake News – COVID-19 Edition infographic published by International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions (IFLA), (2020) into Sinhala as ව්‍යාජ පුවත් හඳුනා ගනිමි - කොවිඩ් - 19 සංස්කරණය Available at https://www.ifla.org/publications/node/93015 Mrs. Sakunthala Senevirathna - Participated as a guest speaker, Board casting cooperation Sri Lanka, Ruhunu Seway	

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Policy Development	පරිත්‍යාග ලෙස ලැබෙන ග්‍රන්ථ සඳහා මිල තීරණය කිරීමේ ප්‍රතිපත්තිය Policy for the Library Development Fund	
Information Literacy Courses	Information Literacy and Scientific Communication module Introduced from 2019/2020 Batch Module conducted from 29th Jan 2020 to 15th Feb 2020 (12 Theory hours and 10 Practical hours) Lecture panel - Mr. U A Lal Panila, Mr. Kusala Fernando, Mrs. Sandaya Gammanpila, Mr. J A Ajith, Mrs. Theja kuruppuarachchi, Mrs. Sakunthala Senevirathna Course coordinator - Mr. J A Ajith Information Literacy and Library Research Skills (FND 3122) Degree Program - Bachelor of Science in Fisheries and Marine Science Degree, Bachelor of Science in Marine and Freshwater Science Degree Course coordinator - Mrs. R A P S Senevirathna Lecturer - Mr. Kusala Fernando	184 students participated in the module and most of them participated in more than 80 percent 73 Level III students of FMST
Committees and Membership	Mr. Nimal Hettiarachchi - Member and Convener of University IT committee, Member and Convener of Documentation of University History Mr. U A Lal Pannila - Member and Convener of Library Committee of FHSS, Library Representative of FHSS, Chairman of the subcommittee in the Library of Documentation of University History Mrs. Theja Kuruppuarachchi - Member and Convener of Library Committee of FoS, Library Representative of FoS Mr. Sandaya Gammanpila - Member and Convener of Library Committee of FoA, Member of the subcommittee in the Library of Documentation of University History Mr. J J Garusinghe Arachchige - Member and Convener of Library Committee of FoE, Member of the subcommittee in the Library of Documentation of University History Mr. Sanath PushpaKumara - Member and Convener of Library Committee of FoM, Member of the subcommittee in the Library of Documentation of University History	

Programme	Activity / Brief Information	Beneficiaries /Output
Committees and Membership	Mr. PG Nishantha - Member and Convener of Library Committee of FoAHS, Member of University IT committee, Member of the subcommittee in the Library of Documentation of University History Mr. J A Ajith - Member and Convener of Library Committee of FoT, Member of the subcommittee in the Library of Documentation of University History Mr. Kusala Fernando - Member and Convener of Library Committee of FoM, Member of University IT committee, Library Representative of FMF, Member of the University web development committee, Editorial team member of the Journal of Humanities and Social science review, Editorial team member of the Journal of the University of Ruhuna, Editorial team member of the of the Rohana Research Journal, University of Ruhuna, Exco Member of the Teachers Union (FHSS&FMF) Mrs. Sakunthala Senevirathna - Member and Convener of Library Committee of Fo FMST, Library Representative of Fo FMST, Assistant Secretary of the Teachers Union (FHSS&FMF) Miss. P K Jayasekara - Library Representative of FoGS	

Publications and Dissemination of Knowledge

Category	Number
Full Papers in Local Journals which are in the index	03
Full Papers in Local Journals which are not in the index	02
Full Papers in Proceedings	01
Abstract in Proceedings	01
Book Chapters	01
Total	08

Membership Details

	Main	Agri.	AHS	Eng.	Med.	Tec.
Current Memberships						
• Students	5605	851	496	1009	1052	637
• Academic Staff	837	81	36	68	82	35
• Non Academic Staff	318	54	22	56	122	20
New Memberships (In year 2020)						
• Students	2325	234	30	274	204	182
• Academic Staff	18	14	02	02	05	09
• Non Academic Staff	08	04	04	01	04	03

Opening Hours

	Main	Agri.	AHS	Eng.	Med.	Tec.
Opening Hours (a.m – p.m)						
• Weekdays	8.00 - 5.30	8.00 - 6.00	8.00 - 6.00	8.00 - 6.00	8.00 - 7.00	8.30 -4.30
• Saturday	8.00 - 5.00	8.00 - 6.00 (Only for exam period)	8.00 - 6.00 (Only for exam period)	8.00 - 5.00	8.00 - 6.00 (Only for exam period)	-
• Sunday	Closed	8.00 - 6.00 (Only for exam period)	8.00 - 6.00 (Only for exam period)	-	8.30 – 6.45	-
Multimedia Center						
• Opening Hours	-	Not available	Not available	Not available	8.30 - 6.45	Not available
Self-Learning Area	8.00 – 10.00					24 hours (on user request)

Fines, Loans and Photocopy

	Main	Agri.	AHS	Eng.	Med.	Tec.
Fines for overdue (Rs.)	93847.00	7276.00	4164.00	12536.00	51955.00	2183.00
Inter Library Loans						
• Sent	02	01	-	01	-	-
• Received	-	-	-	-	-	-
No of Photocopy						
• Official Use	2000	2171	5077	1453	12000	850

Books and Periodicals

	Main	Agri.	AHS	Eng.	Med.	Tec.
Periodicals						
• Already available total no. of Periodicals	289	149	88	1184 (issues)	346	40
• New Purchased	06	-	-	-	-	03
• New Donations	65	62	-	12	05	03
Books						
• Already available total no. of Books	245471	23366	4056	15760	24000	2351
• New Purchased	127	-	-	04	-	20
• New Donations						
- English	683	92	10 (E-Books)	26	-	05
- Sinhala	55	-	-	-	-	-
• Computerized Books						
- English	745	68	105	79	-	-
- Sinhala	8998	24	-	130	-	-
- CD	-	-	-	16	-	108
No of Book Issued						
• Students	15204	754	1050	1074	2311	214
• Academic Staff	1242	318	175	181	194	50
• Non Academic Staff	2250	335	104	346	277	44

Part IX - Ext. Services

Medical Centre

Medical Centre provides Medical & paramedical services to undergraduates, academic & non-academic staff of the University, and also giving health service at various functions. (eg. Convocation, University games events, other special events etc.)

Staff Strength of the Medical Centre

Category	Number
Chief Medical Officer (Acting) Ass. Basis	01
University Medical Officers (Ass. Basis)	02
Dental Surgeon	01
Nursing Officer	02
Pharmacist	01
Public Health Inspector (Ass. Basis)	01
Medical Laboratory Technician (Ass. Basis)	01
Attendant (Female)	01
Attendant (Male)	01
Work Aids	03
Laborer (Health Service)	01

Clinical Services

Service	Student	Staff	Total
OPD	3703	1638	5341
Dental Unit	594	214	808
Laboratory Service	147	420	567
Psychological Counselling	97	07	104
Referral to Special Clinic	23	02	25

Preventive Health Services

- 1) Control of Communicable diseases
- 2) Vector control.
- 3) Food safety

Other Services

Treatment and Special Investigation	Wound Dressings	520	824
	Injection	62	
	Minor Surgery (Done by UMO/MBBS)	10	
	ECG	82	
	Other	150	
Medical Examination	NCD	148	155
	Special	07	
Medical Certificates (Issued from MC)	For students	944	983
	Staff	39	
Medical Certificates (Accepted)	New Students	1048	1320
	Examination & Other	117	
	Staff	116	
	External	39	
Public Health Services	Canteen Inspection	479	2204
	Hostels Inspection	1105	
	Environmental	380	
	Other Premises	240	

Physical Education

- Inter Faculty and Inter University Events could not be held due to the Covid 19

National/International Events

Event	Winner
Represented the University of Ruhuna Online 2020 World Taekwondo Asia Poomsae open Championship and won Gold Meddle	Ms. W.H.I.S Chandrasena (HS/2015/15693)
Represented the University of Ruhuna Online 2020 World Taekwondo Asia Poomsae open Championship and won Silver Meddle	K.H.K.L Dilshan (MF/2016/4548)
Represented the University of Ruhuna 1 st Virtual Taekwondo National Championship	K.H.K.L. Dilshan (MF/2016/4548) K.A.D.M.K.M. Kathriarachchi (SC/2017/10234) P.H.B.S Sanaruwan (SC/2018/10468) Ms. A.A.F. Rasaduni (MF/2017/4999) Ms. K.W.D.O. Priyadarshani (SC/2017/10173) Ms. W.H.I.S. Chandrasena (HS/2015/15693)
Nominated to Represent the University of Ruhuna World University Cross Country Championship 2020 Marrakech,Morocco (Cancelled due to Covid 19)	A.W.G.S.J Bandara (SC/2017/10205)

Colours Awards

- Colours Men & Women (2020) - 06 – Selected (Will be held on 2022)
- Special Awards Men & Women - 06 – Selected (Will be held on 2022)

Other Events

- Relay Carnival (Men)
 - 1st place Faculty of Engineering
 - 2nd place Faculty of Fisheries Marine Science & Technology
 - 3rd place Faculty of Management & Finance
- Relay Carnival (Women)
 - 1st place Faculty of Fisheries Marine Science & Technology
 - 2nd place Faculty of Management
 - 3rd place Faculty of Engineering and Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

Part X – Reports of Units/ Centers

1. Career Guidance Unit

➤ Statement of the Director

Year 2020 was a challenging year for every human being due to the widespread COVID-19 pandemic. Despite of lockdowns and off-campus period, CGU Ruhuna has been able to be one of the fully functional units of the university, transforming all its activities into online forms. CGU has been able to conduct 57 programs, covering all faculties and all 10 focal areas of career guidance.

➤ Internships/Industrial trainings provided

Under the current circumstances, Career Guidance Unit have been arranged to conduct a Career Fair online for those find a Job, Internship or a part time job.

➤ Conducting Career Events/Activities / Workshops

The Career Guidance Unit had been working to deliver quality programmes and activities that will build soft skills and employability skills and personality development in the students.

Career Guidance Activities was done using a variety of human resources and venue. To provide the necessary counseling for the various mental problems faced by the students and to take action to build the healthy mentality required for the educational activities.

Furthermore maintaining coordination with institutions, especially providing the necessary guidance to grasp the opportunities in the private sector.

Also creating platforms to identify and develop students' special talents is also an important service

➤ Conducted Events

Faculty	Event / Workshop / Programme
Faculty of Agriculture	• Certificate Course in Soft Skills Development • “Niliwessa” – Orphanage Program • CV Writing and how to Facing an Interview • First Aid Training - Faculty of Science • Music Appreciation and Discussion-Orientation Programme • Media Literacy Training • Table Manners & Etiquettes with Training • Role of Career Guidance unit for Flourishing Life

Faculty	Event / Workshop / Programme
Faculty of Agriculture	• Valentine Entertainment • Commercialization of Invention and Innovation in collaboration Sirasa Gammadda V Force • Alternative and Opportunity Cost & Win Win Solution • Online Leadership Series in collaboration with Sirasa TV and • Pradeepagarayaka Pahan Eliya – Online series • Personal Grooming & Corporate Ethics
Faculty of Allied Health Sciences	• Leadership Training Program • “Lead with Respect” introduction to best tools and best practices for lean industries • For a promising future where you stand out of the crowd Orientation Program • Activity base workshop about presentation skills and communication skills • CSR – Elder Program ,Baddegama • Valentine Entertainment • Coursera for campus online learning platform • Pradeepagarayaka PahanEliya – Online series • Win the Competitive Job World with High Degree of Confidence • “Communicating with Clarity ”– Online Session for learn about effective communication Skill • “Self Evaluation” – Identify yourself and potential – Online session • “Hidden Drivers of Your Success” – Online session • “Personality Development for Career Enhancement” – Online session
Faculty of Engineering	• Certificate Course in Soft Skills Development • Turning point of your Life- Development Program • Communication and Presentation Skills Training - 5 days • Leadership Training – 2 days • Professional Development Training – 6 days • Media Literacy Training • Table Manners &Ethiquettes Training • Certificate Course in Soft Skills Development

Faculty	Event / Workshop / Programme
Faculty of Engineering	• Turning point of your Life- Development Program • Communication and Presentation Skills Training - 5 days • Leadership Training – 2 days • Professional Development Training – 6 days • Media Literacy Training • Table Manners &Ethiquettes Training • Alternative and Opportunity Cost & Win Win Solution • New Trends of Job Market • Pradeepagarayaka PahanEliya – Online series • “Communicating with Clarity ”– Online Session for learn about effective communication Skill • “Self Evaluation” – Identify yourself and potential – Online session • “Hidden Drivers of Your Success” – Online session • “Personality Development for Career Enhancement” – Online session • “Goal Setting” – Online Session • Mental Health Development Programme “What is Stress and what is not” – Online session
Faculty of Fisheries & Marine Sciences	• Mindfulness Activities – Yoga Program • Valentine Entertainment • How to face the Challenges • Dancing Therapy • Stress release program - Pandama • Survey on Employability matters of the graduates of FMST
Faculty of Humanities & Social Sciences	• Certificate Course in Soft Skills Development • Personality Development and Attitudes Changing Programme (Orientation Programme) • Future Vision of University Undergraduates (Orientation Programme) • Orientation Programme • Career Prospects of H&SS Undergraduates • Personality Development and Attitudes Changing Programme (Orientation Programme)

Faculty	Event / Workshop / Programme
Faculty of Humanities & Social Sciences	• First Aid Training • UNDP Forum • Valentine Entertainment • “SarasaviReswalalla” SLBC Recording Programme • Professional Development Training – 6 days • Media Literacy Training • Table Manners &Ethiquettes Training • How to facing an Interview • Mass Media Training- NYSC • Alternative and Opportunity Cost & Win Win Solution • Career Prospect of Sociology students • Online Leadership Series in collaboration with Sirasa TV and Gammadda V FOrce • New Trends of Job Market • Plan your Career • PradeepagarayakaPahanEliya – Online series • Personal Grooming & Corporate Ethics
Faculty of Management	• Certificate Course in Soft Skills Development • First Aid Training Programme • Leadership Training • Business Communication Skills • “ SarasaviRasWalalla” Radio Program • Valentine Entertainment • CSR - Student Motivational Session - Dudly Senanayaka College • CSR - “LassanaIskole” School Wall Painting Program • SCR - “Peramaga” Leadership Training Program - School • Professional Development Training – o6 days • Media Literacy Training • Valentine Entertainment • Alternative and Opportunity Cost & Win Win Solution • Online Leadership Series in collaborationwithSirasa TV and Gammadda V Force • New Trends of Job Market • CSR - Explore your Future –School Leavers” Program

Faculty	Event / Workshop / Programme
Faculty of Management	• Pradeepagarayaka Pahan Eliya – Online series - Music Program - “MandaraminEha” • Personal Grooming & Corporate Ethics
Faculty of Medicine	• Professional Development Training – 06 days • Table Manners & Ethiquettes Training • Foundation program for 1st year • Pradeepagarayaka Pahan Eliya – Online series
Faculty of Science	• Identifying Career Paths of BSc. In Biological and Physical Graduates-Series of workshop • Event Management Program „Pohoya sanda nagen a sada pera poda daham sabhawa” • Introduction workshop for Job World • Motivational workshop on Development of Research Skills • How to Face an Interview Successfully? • How to write winning CV and Face an Interview Successfully • Leadership Program • “Facing the Moment of Truth”- Grooming Program • Meditation with Yoga • How to do a Presentation Successfully • Win the Competitive Job • Activity based workshop Team Building • Activity based workshop Goal Setting • Activity based workshop about presentation skills and communication skills
Faculty of Science	• Valentine Entertainment • Dancing Therapy • Stress release program – “Pandama” • How to face exam successfully? • Pradeepagarayaka Pahan Eliya – Online series of online workshop “Communication and Presentation” • Helping students to conduct Mushroom project and Kalahanda project • “Jobs and Skills” Motivational Program

Faculty	Event / Workshop / Programme
Faculty of Technology	• “Mind Fullness” Meditation program • “For a promising future where you stand out of the crowd” • Orientation Program • Music Therapy Stress Relaeased program • The Foundation for Success –Leadership Training • Consciousness Development Program- Jinasena Foundation –Bolgoda • Career Prospect of Bio System Technology Graduate • Career Prospect of Engineering & IT Graduates • “Jobs and Skills” Motivational Program • Pradeepagarayaka Pahan Eliya – Online series

➤ **Other Workshops**

Common	Event / Workshop / Programme
Non Academic Staff	Table Manners &Etiquettes Training
Faculty Academic Career Advisor	Awareness Program about Small Scales Project – American Corner

2. Center for International Affairs

➤ Student exchange under various projects

NOR-LANKA BLUE Project (Faculties of Science, Agriculture and Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology)

- NOR-LANKA Blue Project is continued collaborating with Faculties of Science, and Agriculture, University of Ruhuna, University of Jaffna, National Aquatic Research Agency (NARA), and the Arctic University of Norway-UiT, Tromso (Coordinated by Faculty of Science, University of Ruhuna)
- Three Masters students from UiT stayed at Faculty of Science/ Fisheries and Marine Science & Technology for about 2 months (January-Feb 2020), to complete 8 ECTS course module and a residential workshop under NOR-Lanka Blue project. Ms Anna Karia Lerøy Rippe, Ms. Rikke Stabell, Ms. Signy Antonette Linge Killingmo
- Seven Masters students from Sri Lanka (4 from University of Ruhuna -BOS/Science, BOS/Agri and BOS/FMST, and 03 from University of Jaffna) went to University of Tromso (UiT, the Arctic Univ of Norway), funded by NORPART/ NOR-LANKA BLUE as exchange students for one semester abroad, and one NARA scientist started a fulltime MSc program in October, 2020

Faculty of Agriculture

- Erasmus+ Global Mobility Programme was signed between University of Ruhuna, University of Tromso, Norway
- One PhD student is currently undertaking her postgraduate research at the Institute of Plant and Environment Protection, Beijing Academy of Agriculture and Forestry Sciences, China
- R.J. Rebecca Joysika (PG/AG/01/2019/169), Supervisors - Prof. Shouxian Wang, Institute of Plant and Environment Protection, Beijing Academy of Agriculture and Forestry Sciences, China. Local supervisor– K L Wasantha Kumara, Dept of Agric Biology
- Agreement between Southwest Minzu University (SWMU) of China and University of Ruhuna of Sri Lanka

2019/2020 – Four students completed their final year research projects in March 2020 at the SWMU, China

- W.M.N.K.K. Kulasinghe - AG/AT/2015/4029, Prof. Wang Changting, Southwest Minzu University, Chengdu wangct@swun.edu.cn, wangct6@163.com.
- P D B Wijekoon - AG/AT/2015/4030, Prof. Yang, Sheng-Tao, College of Chemistry and Environment Protection yangst@pku.edu.cn.
- RMDNK Rathnayake – AG/AT/2015/4089, Prof. Yang, Sheng-Tao, College of Chemistry and Environment Protection yangst@pku.edu.cn
- I H Jayalath - AG/AT/2015/4054, Prof. Wang Changting, Southwest Minzu University, Chengdu wangct@swun.edu.cn, wangct6@163.com

- Agreement between National Sun Yat-sen university, Taiwan and University of Ruhuna of Sri Lanka

2019/2020 – Two students completed their final year research projects at NSYSU, Taiwan in March, 2020

- AARP Lakshani - AG/AT/2015/4027, Prof Yu-chungChing, Professor& Chair, Department of Biological Sciences, National Sun Yat-sen university, Taiwan, yuchung@mail.nsysu.edu.tw
- MGWK Weerasinghe - AG/AT/2015/4063, Prof Yu-chungChing, Professor& Chair, Department of Biological Sciences, National Sun Yat-sen university, Taiwan, yuchung@mail.nsysu.edu.tw, Ibaraki University Student Exchange-Japan, Sakura Science Student Exchange (Okayama University-Japan)

Two students completed their final year research projects in March, 2020 at the Okayama University, Japan

Faculty of Engineering

- Mr Nischal Bhattarai completed Bachelor of the Science of Engineering honours degree in Civil and Environmental Engineering under the Government of Sri Lanka Presidential Scholarships Program for foreign students

Faculty of Science

- TROPIMUNDO Masters degree program – Coordinator - Dr Sunanda Kodikara, Department of Botany - Following students enrolled for a practical component of Tropical Biodiversity course and completed

- Grace Irene Ridder	- Frederick Asante
- Danyan Chen	- Anne Marieke De Geest
- Victor Manuel Souza De Aevedo	- Karen Melissa Serna Rodriguez
- Samuel Appiah Ofori	- Gersey Vargas Rivera
- Kristine Camille V. Buenafe	- Carlos Victor Dourado Batista
- Ngendahimana Ephrem	- Sacha Philippe Lewandowski

Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

- Dr. B M Sumanaratne – Coordinator for MA Degree programme on “Global Development and Planning” between Agder University, Norway and University of Ruhuna, Sri Lanka. Following students visited University of Ruhuna

- Ms. Hanne Kristensen	- Ms. Ester Miriam T Sivertsen
- Ms. Helene O. Drevland Kiyve	- Mr. Thomas Severeide Aase
- Mr. Oscar D Myrmell	- Ms. Ida Johansen Kjolso
- Ms. Birgitte As	- Ms. Idunn. B. Nonstad
- Ms. Susann Wilson	- Ms. Katarina Melland – Grovlen

- Chinese language Instructor – Mr. Bai Fan from China has been serving as the Volunteer Chinese Language Teacher for the certificate course of Chinese Language conducted by the Centre for Modern Languages and Civilization of the University of Ruhuna Since October 2018

➤ **Foreign Delegates visited University of Ruhuna**

Faculty of Agriculture

- Dr. Katharine Tveiteras, Prof. Jorge Santos, Prof. Sveine Ottar, from Norwegian College of Fisheries and Biosciences, University of Tromso Norway, visited University of Ruhuna on 13th January, 2020
- Prof. Hiroaki Fanahashi, Dean/ Graduate School of Environmental and Life Sciences, Okayama University, Japan visited University of Ruhuna on 13th February, 2020

Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

- Hanne Haaland- Head of Department, Prof. Arne Olav Øyhas, Per. Sigurd Sørensen – Faculty Director, Anne Halvorsen – Dean, Cecilie Mawdsley – PhD/Research Adviser, Jann ik Timenes visited the University
- International Coordinator, University of Agder, Norway visited University of Ruhuna on 29th January 2020
- Dominique de Priest, Full Bright Teaching Assistant started working in the Intensive Course in English conducted by the Department of English Language Teaching from January to March and was compelled to leave Sri Lanka due to Covid-19

Faculty of Science

- Prof. Ragupathy Kannan – Fulbright fellow 2020 from University of Arkansas Fort-Smith, USA arrived on Feb 5, 2020 and served at the Department of Zoology as an Honorary Visiting Professor. The Fulbright program was suspended in March, 2020 due to Covid19 pandemic, yet he continued his stay at the Department of Zoology engaging in educational, extension and outreach activities. He carried out daily bird census in Matara over the year and immensely contributed to the Sri Lankan ornithological information. He mentored University of Ruhuna staff and students to secure PhD opportunities at University of Arkansas.

University Level

- HE the Ambassador of Canada visited the University of Ruhuna on 11th February, 2020 and had a meeting with the ALUMNI of Canadian Universities
- HE Ambassador of France, E. LAVERTU, attended ISAE - 2020 at the Faculty of Agriculture on 14.02.2020
- A Seminar on ‘Choose France for Your Studies was conducted by the France Embassy in Sri Lanka on 14th February, 2020 at the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

- Farewell Dinner to Mr. Shri Prem Nair, Consulate General of India was held on 09th July, 2020
- His Excellency the Ambassador/Head of Delegation, Mr Denis Chaibi, Delegation of the European Union to Sri Lanka and the Maldives had a courtesy call with the Vice Chancellor of the University of Ruhuna and discuss bilateral collaborations on 29th September 2020
- H.E. the German Ambassador to Sri Lanka and the Maldives, Mr Holger Seubert visited the University of Ruhuna on 07th of October 2020 with his delegates comprising Ms. Christiane Einfeldt, the Country Director of GIZ in Sri Lanka and the Maldives, Mr. Christoph Feyen, the Director of Strengthening Reconciliation Process in Sri Lanka (SRP) Project of GIZ, Ms. Dharini Daluwatte, Advisor to the German Embassy, and Ms. Marsha Daniel, the Advisor on Technical Lead, Institution Development & Learning, SRP and discuss future collaborations
- Online meetings with foreign counterparts
 - A Sinhala language course to Russian Students was inaugurated on 17th October 2020 online with the participation of Professor M. D. Lamawansa, H.E. the Ambassador of Sri Lanka to the Russian Federation, Admiral Prof. Jayanath Colombage the Secretary of the Foreign Ministry, Prof Sujeewa Amarasena, Vice Chancellor, University of Ruhuna and delegation from South Ural State University of Russia (SUSU) and University of Ruhuna, and Russian students.
 - Online meeting with the Professor M. D. Lamawansa , H.E. the Ambassador of Sri Lanka to the Russian Federation, delegation from Russian University of Transport (MIIT) and Universities of Ruhuna, Peradeniya and Moratuwa was held on 29.02.2020 to explore possible collaborations between Russian University of Transport (MIIT) and Universities of Sri Lanka on education and research.
 - An online meeting was organized between the delegation from National Cheng Kung University, Taiwan and University of Ruhuna on **12.11.2020** to explore bilateral corporation in education and research between two Universities.

➤ Projects

Faculty of Medicine

- Research Grant received by Dr. M. T. Napagoda, Faculty of Medicine from International Foundation for Science

Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

- Became a partner university in Erasmus + KA2 CBHE Project “Enhancing Governance, Management and Reform in Sri Lankan Universities through Non-Academic Staff Training” (ENACT)
- IncEdu Erasmus + project on Developing Inclusive Education for Students with Disabilities in Sri Lankan Universities was inaugurated and the kick-off meeting was held in February 2020. The website of the project was launched under the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences web site and a e-brochure was designed. Work was initiated to establish a special needs unit at the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

- The 7-year (2014 -2020) NORHED - CPDS project was concluded on the 31st December, 2020

Following benefits were obtained through the project,

- The 06th Ruhuna University International Conference on Humanities and Social Sciences was organized with the support of NORHED - CPDS project
- The Computer Lab of the Department of Sociology was equipped with 20 new computers and the department Library was renovated
- Two publications were completed based on the project outcomes
- Twenty students who were enrolled in the MA in Peace and Development Studies programme were provided scholarships to cover 50% of their course fee
- Few guest lectures were facilitated by two Norwegian Professors for Bachelors and Postgraduate students of the University of Ruhuna

Faculty of Management

- TESS Project
 - University of Ruhuna (UoR) has become a partner University in the Techno-Economic-Societal Sustainable Development Training in Sri Lanka (TESS), Capacity Building in the field of Higher Education – Joint Project through the main coordination of University of South Eastern in Norway with partner Universities in Europe and Sri Lanka namely University of South Eastern in Norway, University of Essex in UK, University of NOVA in Portugal, Technical University of Denmark, University of Moratuwa, University of Sri Jayawardanapura, University of Jaffna, and University of Vocational Technology
- Requesting permission to accept funds to conduct a Technical Corporation Project

Faculty of Engineering

- EUSL-Energy Project
 - The EUSL-ENERGY project is a unique project that addresses the challenge, and turn into an opportunity, of creating an excellent educational program within the energy transition sector
 - The Faculty of Engineering in collaborating with Open University of Sri Lanka has been awarded above project funds under the Grant Agreement Number: EUSL-Energy - 610173-EPP-1-2019-1-LK-EPPKA2-CBHE-JP; Title: Europe Sri Lanka Capacity Building in Energy Circular Economy “EUSL-Energy”
- THREE Lanka Project
 - An educational project proposal developed by the Faculty of Engineering, for the development of “Training Hub for Renewable Energy Technologies in Sri Lanka (THREE-Lanka)” has been selected for EU funding under the competitive grant scheme “Erasmus+ Capacity Building in Higher Education” action (Call for

proposals EAC/A02/2019/CBHE). This grant application is a global competitive programme, where, out of the 1005 applications submitted, 164 have been selected for funding and 20 have been placed on a reserve list

Faculty of Allied Health Science

- Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Mahidol University, Thailand and University of Ruhuna is recommended for signing between two Universities by the council of University of Ruhuna and submitted to the UGC for the government approval. This MoU will provide financial assistance to investigate understanding the growth and body composition in infants and young children aged 6-24 months in the Asia and Pacific Island Region. The project is aiming to provide valuable information on the relationship between complementary feeding practices, growth and body composition of children of this age specific to this region.

Faculty of Science

- SEDRIC @ SRILANKA Project
 - “Benefit Agreement” to be signed between the Embassy of France in Sri Lanka and University of Ruhuna to implement activities of the SEDRIC @ SRILANKA with the objective of strengthening the capacity for interdisciplinary analysis and monitoring of socio-ecological coastal changes to promote the implementation of integrated management of the coastal area in Sri Lanka was forwarded to the UGC for obtaining government approval
- TROPIMUNDO Project
 - ERASMUS MUNDAS Master’s degree in Tropical Biodiversity and Ecosystems (TROPIMUNDO) is conducted and jointly offered by six European Universities while few tropical countries are also involved in this program to offer 21 credits concentrated on practical aspects (*i.e.* Field classes) of the degree program
 - The Department of Botany, Faculty of Science, was invited to join the above Master’s degree program as one of the Tier II partners. In joining the programme, the Department of Botany has to cover 21 ECTS credits (Equivalent to 11.5 SLQF credits) mainly on practical aspects of “Tropical Biodiversity”, during the 2nd semester of the degree program

Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology

- ACIAR Project
 - A Memorandum of Agreement between the Government of Sri Lanka and Government of Australia was to be signed where University of Ruhuna has become one of the project implementing agencies of this project. The aim of the proposed project is to introduce robust, science-based management regime for the culture-based fishery of *Giant freshwater prawn* and fish species in Sri Lanka reservoirs and improve facets of the supply chain ensuring productivity, profitability, livelihood and

income of local men and women. The designated corporation agencies of the project are Ministry of Education, Sri Lanka and ACIAR, Australia. University of Ruhuna is one of the implementing agency along with two other local Institutions.

➤ Existing MOU's

Faculty of Agriculture

- With Northwest A&F University for research collaborations
- Life Long Learning for Farmers (L₃F) Project. MOU was signed between University of Ruhuna and Commonwealth of Learning (COL), Vancouver, Canada
- NORHED Project of Incorporating Climate Change into Fisheries and Agriculture Ecosystems in Vietnam and Sri Lanka- MOU signed between NhaTrang University, Vietnam, University of Ruhuna, and University of Tromso. The Project is funded by the Norwegian government
- MOU with HARTI for postgraduate course MAED
- A grant agreement between Manitoba University, Canada, and University of Ruhuna on “Dried fish Matters” was signed by the Vice Chancellor
- Memorandum of Understanding between Faculty of Agriculture, University of Ruhuna and National Cheng Kung University, Taiwan, Ibaraki University

Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology

- 2009 - Practical Action South Asia & FMST, about Small scale fisheries research project
- 2011 - MEPA & UOR-FMST, about Establishment of an aquatic coastal ecological baseline database for southern coast of Sri Lanka
- 2011 - SL Navy, about Collaboration and cooperation on higher education
- 2012 - South China Sea Institute of Oceanology, CAS, China, about Student staff exchange, joint master's degree program
- 2013 - Hantec Co Ltd & UOR, about Research cooperation
- 2013 - Biosphere Foundation- USA and UOR, about On boat data collection for whales, marine mammals
- 2014 - South China Sea Institute of Oceanology, CAS, China for the establishment of China-Sri Lanka joint center for Education and Research

Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

- MoU between Indira Kala Sangeeth Vishwa Vidyala, Khairagarh, India and University of Ruhuna
- MoU between University of Ruhuna and Kolkata University

Faculty of Science

- Expression of Interest in the participation of physicists from the University of Ruhuna, Sri Lanka, in the CMS experiment at CERN LHC Acceleration has been signed in 2006

➤ New MOU's signed

Faculty of Agriculture

- With Guizhou Academy of Sciences – Pending approval of the government of Sri Lanka
- Memorandum of Understanding between University of Ruhuna and Beijing Forestry University, China
- Memorandum of Understanding to be signed between Faculty of Agriculture, University of Ruhuna, and College of Plant Protection, China Agriculture University, China
- Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology (TUAT)-Japan

Faculty of Allied Health Sciences

- MOU between University of Ruhuna and Chulabhorn Graduate Institute, Thailand on post graduate studies in the fields of Chemical Biology, Applied Biological Sciences, and Environmental Toxicology (Pending approval)
- Capacity Building Higher Education project on Neurodegenerative diseases care, Kristiansted University, Sweden – Pending Approval
- EoI to be partnered with “Meththa Foundation” UK and University of Salford, UK for the Bachelor’s Honours degree in Prosthetics and Orthotics – Pending Approval

Faculty of Engineering

- MoU to be signed between Sirindhorn International Institute of Technology, Thammasat University, Thailand and Faculty of Engineering for the Exchange of Faculty /Staff members, Exchange of students, Exchange of information, documentation and materials and Coordination in joint projects, seminars, conferences
- Faculty of Life and Environmental Sciences, University of Yamanashi, Japan, - exchange Students on a reciprocal basis with tuition waiver, exchange faculty and staff members from both institutions, exchange academic information and develop joint research and educational program
- Japan Intergovernmental-Adjustment Management Agency (JIMA), MME, Both parties jointly to conduct on electric and electronic appliances related product design and developments, and improve existing technology appropriate to Sri Lankan context Collaborative research and possible exchange of related technologies Mutual assistance in the arranging related programmes and co-operation in training projects for specified areas of development. Opportunities for other forms of cooperation, such as directing specific research

Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

- Under Erasmus+ programme, MoU signed between Agder University, Norway as the programme University and the UoRL as the partner university
- Renewal of the MoU that the Department of Geography has signed with University Sains, Malaysia

Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology

- 2019 - National Sun Yat-sen University, Taiwan & UOR
 - Establishment of Taiwan and Sri Lanka Marine Research Station (TSMRS) was done
- 2019 - The Arctic University of Norway
 - Student, staff and administrative mobility under NOR-LANK BLUE project

Faculty of Science

- NOR-LANKA BLUE Consortium agreement signed with The Arctic University of Norway, Tromsø (grantee) by University of Ruhuna, University of Jaffna, and NARA 2019-2023

3. Distance and Continuing Education Unit

➤ Student Registration

Bachelor of Arts General (External) degree

The degree program has been advertised in March 2020 and selection interview has been conducted.

1425 applicants have been selected among 2248 applicants. But enrollment process has been temporary suspended due to UGC letter dated 28.08.2020.

Additionally, the students have been registered for the following courses.

Program	Date of Registration	No. of Students
Diploma in Psychological Counselling	29 th & 30 th August 2020	100
Diploma in Human Resource Management	20 th December 2020	119
Extension Courses in English* (Certificate, Advance Certificate, Diploma & Higher Diploma)	15 th -23 rd December 2020	491

*Registration process continues

➤ Diploma Courses

Course Name	Course Duration
Diploma in Psychological Counselling	1 year
Diploma in Human Resource Management	1 year
Diploma in English	1 year
Higher Diploma in English	1 year
Advanced Certificate in English	1 year
Certificate in English	1 year
Diploma/Advanced Certificate in Biodiversity and Ecosystem Management	1 year
Diploma in Scientific Tea Manufacturing & Quality Management	1 year
Certificate in Scientific Tea Manufacturing & Quality Management	6 months

➤ Examinations

Name of Examination	No. of Candidates sit for the examination	No. of Students Passed
BA (External) Degree Part I 2015,2019 and 2015(repeat)	1929	Results pending
Diploma in Psychological Counselling (2019 batch) -2 nd semester	104	Results pending

➤ Convocation

The Convocation for the Bachelor of Arts General (External) Degree program has been shifted to 2021 due to the COVID-19 pandemic. 207 undergraduates who have successfully completed the degree program are to be graduated.

➤ Enrolment in External Undergraduate degree Programme – 2020

Programme of Study	Student Enrolment (Total No. of registered students) as at 31 st Decemehr,2020		
	Male	Female	Total
Bachelor of Arts General (External) Degree (Part II) (18 th batch)	102	891	993
Bachelor of Arts General (External) Degree* (19 th batch)	180	1245	1425

* - 1425 candidates faced the interviews for new intake. But enrollment processe has been temporary suspended due to UGC letter dated 28.08.2020.

➤ Student Support

- Introducing Learning Management System (LMS)
- Online seminars for the Bachelor of Arts General (External) degree program-Part II - 2016 examination (from August to November)
- The re-scrutinizing of answer scripts
- Establishment of the Grievance Committee to help students registered under DCEU
- Establishment of Internal Quality Assurance Cell
- DCEU website for application forms, past papers, results and other relevant documents.

4. Centre for Quality Assurance

In 2020, University of Ruhuna made two major administrative changes with the aim of further strengthening its quality assurance component. In line with UGC Directives, University established Centre for Quality Assurance (CQA), replacing the hitherto functioning Internal Quality Assurance Unit. Furthermore, Senate Standing Committee on Quality Assurance was also established, replacing Management Committee of the Internal Quality Assurance Unit. The Senate Standing Committee on Quality Assurance (SCQA) is chaired by the Vice Chancellor and is vested with more responsibilities.

Despite the difficulties arose due to Covid 19 pandemic situation, nine meetings were conducted. During 2020, two new Internal Quality Assurance Cells (IQAC) were established for library services and for the Distance and Continuing education Programmes, in addition to the IQACs functioning in ten faculties.

Major activities undertaken by the Center for Quality Assurance, during 2020 are summarized below under six areas.

➤ Policies

CQA introduced a number of new Quality Assurance related policies and published a number of important documents.

- The Internal Quality Assurance By-Laws of the University was amended, taking the new UGC circular 09/2019 into account. Having approved at the Senate and the Council, the amended by-law became effective from 01.01.2021.
- In consultation with IQACs and members of the SCQA, Quality Assurance Strategic Plan of the University of Ruhuna 2020-2023 was prepared. The strategic plan was approved by the Council of the University and is being implemented from 01.01.2021.
- Ruhuna University Policy “Student Feedback and Peer Evaluation on Teaching and Learning Activities” was formulated. Having approved at the Council, the policy is effective from 01.01.2021.
- University Policy on Using the term Course/Course Module/Course Units was formulated.
- Having considered the observations after a year of implementation, the Manual of the Procedures for the Conduct of Examination, University of Ruhuna was subjected to a revision process.
- The process of preparing Manual for the Postgraduate Examinations was initiated.
- Faculty of Allied health Sciences formulated its policy “student absenteeism, unsatisfactory performance and unbecoming conduct during the clinical appointments of Department of Nursing, Faculty of Allied Health Sciences, University of Ruhuna.
- Taking the comments from stake holders Academic Accountability Model was improved.
- Expansion of the academic accountability model into a workload model was initiated.
- Establishment of students’ grievance Committees was proposed to the Senate. Based on the initial concept originated at the SCQA, all Faculties have established Students’ Grievance Committees.

➤ **New programmes, Courses, Curriculum revisions**

CQA facilitated the introduction and/or revision of following new programme/courses

- Facilitated the conversion of Medical Laboratory Science programme of the Allied health Science Faculty, into module system.
- Completed the introduction process of following undergraduate programmes
 - BBA (Business Law); received the UGC approval
 - BSc Engineering (Computer Science); received the Quality Assurance Council approval
 - BBA (HRM)
 - BBA Degree Programmes (BBA in Entrepreneurship)
 - BBA (Finance)
 - BBA Hons (International Business)
 - BSc (Food Science and Technology); concept paper was approved by the Senate
- Completed the revision of the 12 BA Degree Programmes offered by the Faculty of Humanities and Social Science. Undergraduates register for both internal and external BA degree programmes at the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences follow the revised curricular.
- External reviewing of the four postgraduate programmes was initiated.
 - Postgraduate diploma in Analytical Chemistry
 - MSc (Analytical Chemistry).
 - MA in Development Planning (sent for QAC approval)
 - Postgraduate Diploma Course in Education
- Facilitated the introduction of a number of short courses.
 - Diploma/Higher Diploma in HRM
 - Certificate /Diploma Course in Scientific Management of Plantation and Minor Export Crops
 - Spirituality and relaxation techniques for personality development
 - Green behaviour and sustainable consumption stimulation
 - Climate change at urban and peri-urban scale in tropics: Impacts, Mitigation and adaptation
 - Certificate/Diploma course in Agro-entrepreneurship and Sustainable Home Gardening.
 - Certificate/Diploma Course in Urban Gardening and Edible Landscaping
 - Ornamental Fish Breeding and Culture
 - Certificate/Diploma Course in Agricultural Machinery Operations Technology.
 - Customary law, national and International legislations applicable to fisheries
 - Fish post-harvest techniques
 - Certificate Course in Hindi
 - Certificate Course in Biotechnology
 - Innovative Course Module with Credit transfer for overseas graduate students visiting University of Ruhuna.
 - Phlebotomy course for the BSc. Medical Laboratory Science Degree Course.
 - Curriculum of the active citizen course was finalized and approved by the Senate. Arrangements have been made to implement the introduce the new curriculum appropriately.

- In collaboration with the Faculty of Graduate Studies, initiated the introduction of a common induction/Introductory course for all postgraduate students.
- Completed the process of establishing two departments; Department of Accounting and Department of Finance, by splitting Department of Accounting and Finance.
- Commenced the renaming process of two Departments in the Faculty of Agriculture.

➤ **Internal review**

- Conducted the graduates' employability survey.

➤ **External Reviews**

- Facilitated the accreditation of the undergraduate programmes offered by the Faculty of Engineering.
- Self Evaluation Report for the Institutional Review was submitted.
- Three degree programs offered by the Faculty of Agriculture and MBBS Programme offered by the Faculty of Medicine were subjected to programme review. Results of the evaluation were as follow

- MBBS Programme	C
- BSc (Agricultural Resource Management and Technology	B
- BSc (Green Technology	A
- BSc (Green Technology)	A

- Action plans in response to the programme review recommendations related to two faculties were prepared and submitted to the UGC.
- Action Plan of the Faculty of Medicine has been prepared and submitted for the Senate approval.
- Initiated the preparation of action plans of the Faculty of Agriculture.
- Facilitated the Self Evaluation Report (SER) preparation of three Faculties; Faculty of Science, Faculty of Engineering and Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology. SERs related to the undergraduate programmes offered by the above faculties were submitted to the Quality Assurance Council.
- Arrangements for the review of the programmes offered by the Faculty of Allied Health Sciences were done; leading to the completion of draft self evaluation report to be evaluated by the internal review panel.

➤ **Workshops and trainings**

Despite the difficulties arose due to Covid 19, CQA successfully organized or facilitated following training sessions related to quality assurance.

Name of the Workshop/Training	Date	Target audience and resource persons	Participants
Issues related to Quality assurance in higher education , external reviews, preparation and implementation of action plans, in response to programme review recommendations	2020.02.05	Director, Quality Assurance Council, Deans, IQAC Chairpersons, and academics involve in Programme reviews	93 participants
Student engagement in quality assurance	2020.02.13	Experts from University of Western Scotland, British Council, IQAC Chairpersons, selected students.	16 participants
University ranking systems	2020.05.05	Dr Sujata Gamage, Team Leader, Human Capital Programme, LIRNEasia, Members of the SCQA	30 participants
Awareness programme about Institutional Review	2020.05.14	Director, CQA for University Administrative Staff.	30 Admin Officers
International training programme Under RecoAsia project.	From June onward	11 academics involve in quality assurance	12 participants
On Quality Assurance, recongnizion and credit transfer in Higher Education.		Three modules were completed during 2020.	
Sexual and Gender-Based Violence	2020.07.01	Academics and other staff	100
Workshop on Programme Review	2020.07.21	IQAC members and core groups on programme review preparation, Faculty of Medicine.	26 participants
Arrangements for programme review A series of workshops	2020.10.05, 06,.09,13,16, 19 and 20	Academic staff members organized by IQAC, Faculty of Medicine	108 participants

➤ Other major activities

- Developed the webpage for CQA and linked to the University Website.
- Coordinated the upgrading and updating university website.

5. Center for Modern Language and Civilizations (CMLC)

➤ Services (during the year - 2020)

- Restarted Certificate Course in Tamil Language Proficiency and 1238 students were enrolled. Mrs. Sarojini Paulraj, Mr. V. Krishnamoorthy Mr. C. Kiridigoda, Mr. Danesh Vijayantha, and Mr. S. Alexander were appointed as visiting instructors. At the end of the course, Students participated through Moodle, and lecturers were conducted through audio recordings due to COVID 19 pandemic.
- Restarted Certificate Course in Hindi Studies. Inaugural Ceremony was held in the University premises on 17th February 2020. Following members participated in the event. (Special Event)

Vice Chancellor	Senior Professor Sujeewa Amarasena University of Ruhuna
Acting Dean	Dr. Saman Udayakantha Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences University of Ruhuna
Chief Guest	Prem K. Nair Consulate General of India, Hambantota
Guest Speaker	Snr. Prof. Upul Ranjith Hewawitanagamage Department of Hindi Studies University of Kelaniya
Visiting Instructor in Hindi	Dr. Monika Sharma, Indian High Commission of Sri Lanka, Colombo
Visiting Instructor in Hindi	Ms. Indra Kumari Dassanayake
Coordinator – CMLC	Mrs. R. Malawi Patirana
Coordinator - Hindi Language	Mrs. K.V.G. Koshalee

- 192 students were enrolled. Dr. Monica Sharma from Swami Vivekananda Cultural Centre and Ms. Indra Dasanayaka, from Consulate General Office, Hambantota were appointed as visiting instructors for the course. Consulate General Office in Hambantota is sponsoring the payments of the instructors. Students are participating via Zoom for the lectures from 30th of May 2020 due to COVID 19 pandemic.
- Problems of holding examinations have occurred for the above courses due to the COVID 19. Therefore, the center proposed an online examination method for the final evaluations.
- The new syllabus for the Certificate Course in Hindi studies has been sent for reviewers.

- An Online French Language Class was started for 53 selected undergraduates (Only from the Faculty of H&SS) from 27th of May 2020 with the guidance of our Vice- chancellor.
- An Online Japanese Language Class was conducted for undergraduates (nearly a thousand) while the COVID 19 pandemic from 28th of May 2020 to August with the guidance of our Vice- chancellor.
- An Online Chinese Language Class was started for undergraduates (nearly 300) on the 10th of June 2020. Mr. Bao Fan (Attached to the CINTA), a chines instructor is conducting the class.
- The center planned to start a German Language Certificate course for undergraduates in 2021 and Senior Prof. Neelakshi Premawardhana from the University of Kelaniya was appointed to prepare the curriculum.
- The center planned to start a Korean Language Certificate course for undergraduates in 2021 and Mr. Amilajith Nisanka Leelarathne, from the University of Kelaniya was appointed to prepare the curriculum.
- ‘Story Telling Competition and Poem Recitation Competition – 2020’ for the undergraduates who are studying the Hindi Language in the Centre for Modern Languages and Civilizations (CMLC), Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences was held successfully. CMLC organized this competition as a collaborative programme with Indian Council for Cultural Relations (ICCR), High Commission of India, Colombo.
- Dr. Monica Sharma, the visiting Hindi teacher of ICCR has informed the results of the two competitions held with an appreciation of improvement of the Hindi Learning students of CMLC on behalf of the ICCR. Dr. Rewant Vikram Singh, Director-ICCR and Dr. Monica Sharma from the High Commission of India and Ms. Indra Dasanayaka, visiting Hindi instructor of CMLC served as the judges of the competition. The judgment is attached here with.
- List of the winners of each prize is as follows:

Winners of Story Telling Competition

- First Prize	Rs. 20,000	- A.W.P. Nilmi Dinupama Tathsarani
- Second Prize	Rs. 15,000	- Nagahage Ishara Kalhari
- Third Prize	Rs. 11,000	- Wadiya Rallage Sachini Nimesha Madumali
- Fourth Prize	Rs. 4,000	- Seenarathna Hansani Shasikala

Winners of Poem Recitation Competition

- First Prize	Rs. 20,000	- J.A. Mahesh Rohan Jayawardhana
- Second Prize	Rs. 15,000	- Basnayaka Mudiyanseelage Indunil Kanchanamala
- Third Prize	Rs. 11,000	- D.M. Maleesha Hansani Dassanayake
- Fourth Prize	Rs. 4,000	- T.M.T.G.M.C. Tennakoon

- CMLC has received the certificates and the cash prizes for the winners.

➤ Language Coordinators

- Hindi Ven.Dr. Unuwaturabubule Mahinda
Senior Lecturer
Department of Pali and Buddhist Studies

Mrs. K.V.G. Koshalee
Lecturer (Probationary)
Department of History and Archeology
- Chinese Dr. W.M.G. Wijesinghe
Senior Lecturer
Department of Sinhala
- Spanish Ven. Makola Mangala
Senior Lecturer
Department of Pali and Buddhist Studies
- Japanese Dr. R.P. Abeywardhana
Senior Lecturer
Department of Pali and Buddhist Studies
- Tamil Mr. K.A.S. Udayanga
Lecturer (Probationary)
Department of Sociology
- Korean Mrs. Jayani Sameera
Lecturer (Probationary)
Department of Sinhala
- French Mrs. A.J. Jayasekara
Lecturer (Probationary)
Department of Economics
- German Dr. Dilshan Rajapaksha
Senior Lecturer
Department of Pali and Buddhist Studies

6. Cultural Center

The Cultural Center conducted the following events during the year 2020.

- Preaching of Seth Pirith by the Chief Incumbent of the Kotuwegoda Jayasumana Viharaya Ven.Yatagala Somathilake Thero at the Cultural Center
- Ruhuna University Inter Faculty Dancing Competition was held on 03.05.2020 at the Rabindranath Tagore Memorial Auditorium to Commemorate the 150th death anniversary of Mahathma Gandhi
- Ruhuna University Inter Faculty "Chinthana Pranama Nirmana Tharagawaliya"
 - Competition start Date -13.06.2020
 - Closing Date - 30.11.2020
 - Date of Judgment - 01.12.2020
 - The final ceremony is expected to take place in the new year
- Online Lecture Series organized by the Cultural Center of University of Ruhuna on behalf of the University of Ruhuna Community
 - Step 01
Lecture by senior prof .Jayantha Amarasingha on 26th september 2020,
"Why Literature is Art" (සාහිත්‍යය කලා කුමකද ?)
 - Step 02
Senior Prof .Sujeewa Amarasena, Vice Chancellor, University Of Ruhuna,
lecture on the "Role of the University Student" (විශ්වවිද්‍යාල ශිෂ්‍යයාගේ කාර්යභාරය)
 - Step 03
Senior Prof .Sarath Amarasingha delivered a lecture on "Indegenous Knowledge & Development" (පාරම්පරික දැනුම හා සංවර්ධනය) on November 26th 2020.
 - Step 04
On December 17th 2020 Musician Nadeeka Guruge delivered a lecture on
"What to Listen to in Music"(සංගීතයේ ඇසිය යුත්තේ කුමක්ද ?)
- Holding an Online "Standing Poetry Shed"(හිටිවන කවි මඩුව)on December 03rd 2020.

Part XI – Support Service

1. General Administration

Payments of Utility Bills	Rs.
- Water	9,476,794.68
- Electricity	30,588,893.74
- Telephone	2,319,243.49
- Internet	28,645,273.94
Other Service	
- Railway Warrants	639,320.00
- Postal	6,50,000.00
Contractual Service	
- Cleaning Service	99,120,855.39
- Private Security	36,550,451.50
Transport	
- Hiring of Vehicle , Maintenances , Highway Charges	2,873,330.00
- Fuel	2,349,616.00
- Vehicle	4,606,770.00
Maintenance of Equipment	
- Equipment Repairing	2,239,403.75
Other Income	
- Rabindranath Tagore Memorial Auditorium	4,598,750.00
- Guest House	75,250.00

2. Legal & Documentation

Cases handled by the Legal & Documentation Division during 2020

Case Category	Total no of cases		No.of Cases Filed against the University		No. of Cases Filed by the University		Present positions of the Cases			
							No.of Cases Pending		No.of Cases Concluded	
	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2
Before Labour Tribunals compensation court	2	3	2	3	-	-	1	1	1	2
Before USAB	1	6	1	6	-	-	1	4	-	2
Before District Court	3	3	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	2
Before Magistrate Court	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	-
Court of Appeal And Civil High Court	5	6	5	5	-	1	5	2	-	4
Supreme Court	2	4	2	4	-	-	2	4	-	-
Total Number of Cases	13	24	11	19	2	5	10	14	3	10

Note 1- Cases Filled by / Against During the Period Specified above

2- Cases filled by / Against in a Previous Years

Case Category		Total no Cases	No of Cases Pending	No Of Cases Finalized
Student Disciplinary Inquiries				
Student Disciplinary Inquiries	Formal Inquiries	20	11	09
	preliminary Inquiries	30	17	13
Total Number of Cases		47	50	28
Employee Disciplinary Inquiries				
Non - Academic Employee Disciplinary Inquiries	Formal Inquiries	11	08	03
	preliminary Inquiries	11	02	09
Academic Employee Disciplinary Inquiries	Formal Inquiries	02	02	-
	preliminary Inquiries	04	-	04
Total Number of Cases		19	28	12

Part XII – Financial Statements



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CERTIFICATE OF THE ACCOUNTING OFFICER ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2020 , UNIVERSITY OF RUHUNA

The Financial Statements of accounts of the University of Ruhuna for the financial year ending 31st December 2020 have been prepared in the form and manner specified by the University Grant Commission and in terms of section 106 and 107 of the University Act No. 16 of 1978 and , in terms of the Finance Act No. 38 of 1971 and has been rendered to the Auditor General together with the schedules referred to in the Statement of Financial Performance and the Statement of Financial Position.

These financial statements have been prepared and presented in compliance with the Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standards (SLPSAS) issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka. Financial rules procedures prescribed by the University Grants Commission have been complied with, and the systems of controls have been maintained as far as practicable to ensure propriety of transactions and efficiency in expenditure. To the best of my knowledge, the statement in respect of the year 2020 have been prepared satisfactorily and exhibits a true and fair view of the financial position of the University

Senior Professor Sujeewa Amarasekera
Vice-Chancellor
(Accounting Officer)

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University of Ruhuna
Matara
20th February 2021

1. Statement of Financial Performance for the Year ended 31st December 2020

University of Ruhuna - Sri Lanka
Statement of Financial Performance
For the Year Ended December 31, 2020
(In Sri Lankan Rupees)

	Note	2020	2019
For the year ended 31 , December			
Revenue			
Revenue from non exchange transaction - Current			
Government Grant for Recurrent Expenditure		4,027,000,000	3,755,000,000
Grant for Mahapola Scholarships		-	28,510,650
UGC Grant for Student Bursaries		54,004,000	41,388,700
UGC Grant for Mahapola Scholarship	Donations	-	20,388,900
UGC Grant for Sri Lanka University Games		-	35,000,000
Miscellaneous Income	25	706,317	3,119,233
Total Revenue from non exchange transaction - Current		4,081,710,317	3,883,407,483
Revenue from exchange transaction - Current			
Interest Income		28,097,860	3,516,059
Rent Income		1,934,598	1,244,514
Generated Income - Other sources (Net)	24	39,246,627	-
Miscellaneous Income	25	45,117,074	44,104,595
Income from Self financing activities	27	39,031,350	32,707,591
Gian on fiar value changes - Agricuture Farm		1,565,678	-
Gain on disposal of assets		14,932	-
Total Revenue from exchange transaction - Current		155,008,120	81,572,759
Total Revenue – Current		4,236,718,437	3,964,980,242
Revenue from on exchange transaction - Capital	26		
Capital transfer		1,152,618,941	525,676,604
Gifts , Dinatons , Goods in Kind - Local		9,970,015	-
Gifts , Dinatons , Goods in Kind - Foreign		81,528,162	66,006,370
Total Revenue from non exchange transaction - Capital		1,244,117,117	591,682,974
Total Revenue		5,480,835,555	4,556,663,216
Operating Expenses - Current			
Personal Emoluments	28.1	3,630,184,521	3,201,747,043
Travelling	28.2	4,293,702	6,712,013
Supplies and Consumables	28.3	71,657,164	115,999,620
Maintenance	28.4	26,846,902	37,769,896

	Note		
For the year ended 31 , December		2020	2019
Contractual Services	28.5	302,217,141	344,198,408
Research & Development	28.6	852,819	4,883,887
Mahapola & Bursary Payments	28.7	54,004,000	100,372,800
Other Operating Expenses	28.6	77,306,724	132,838,785
Leasing interest & other finance cost	28.6	37,485	242,284
Gratuity Provision	28.1	276,248,528	790,292,979
Expenditure for Self financing activities	27	39,031,350	32,707,591
Total Operating Expenses		4,482,680,336	4,767,765,305
Non Operating Expenses			
Depreciation & Amortization	9	700,768,558	611,961,317
Strengthening Research & Human capital development		3,859,369	11,297,999
Rehabilitation Expenses - Non capital nature		277,130	-
Total Non Operating Expenses		704,905,057	623,259,316
Total Expenses		5,187,585,393	5,391,024,621
Total surplus / (deficit) for the period		293,250,162	(834,361,405)

Total surplus / (deficit) for the Period comprise current and capital surplus or (deficit) for the period as follows ,

Current surplus / (deficit) for the period	(245,961,898)	(802,785,062)
Capital surplus / (deficit) for the period	539,212,060	(31,576,342)

"The Accounting policies and Notes are an integral part of these financial statements."

 Senior Professor Sujeewa Amarasena Vice Chancellor Accounting Officer Professor Sujeewa Amarasena (MBBS,MD,DCH(Col),DCH(Sydney) Vice-Chancellor University of Ruhuna Matara Sri Lanka	 P.S. Kalugama Registrar Assistant Accounting Officer P.S. Kalugama Registrar University of Ruhuna Matara.	 K. A. R. S. Jayasinghe Bursar Assistant Accounting Officer K. A. R. S. Jayasinghe Bursar University of Ruhuna Wellamadama Matara
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2. Statement of Financial Position for the Year ended 31st December 2020

University of Ruhuna - Sri Lanka
Statement of Financial Position
For the Year Ended December 31, 2020
(In Sri Lankan Rupees)

	Note		
	As at	31.12.2020	31.12.2019
ASSETS			
Current Assets			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	3	218,228,151	346,453,719
Advances & Pre payments	4	9,587,346	16,940,865
Loans and advances to staff	5	54,992,588	61,498,552
Capital Advances	6	5,065,829	593,385
Trade and Other Receivables	7	347,261,610	46,934,007
Inventories	8	22,818,161	23,710,626
Total Current Assets		657,953,685	496,131,153
Non- Current Assets			
Property, Plant and Equipment	9	8,229,708,296	7,550,336,323
Work in Progress	10	1,248,667,665	1,213,404,432
Intangible Assets	11	2,923,713	6,501,523
Long term Investments	12	73,000,517	68,492,049
Loans and advances to staff	5	23,511,776	26,086,428
Other Financial Assets	13	423,559,961	326,914,892
Total Non- Current Assets		10,001,371,928	9,191,735,647
TOTAL ASSETS		10,659,325,613	9,687,866,800
LIABILITIES			
Current Liabilities			
Deposits	14	34,645,437	57,346,881
Creditors & Payables	15	290,010,428	290,035,082
Other Liabilities	16	6,843,002	16,896,388
Deferred Revenue		210,041,124	120,436,483
Lease Creditors less than one year	23	-	826,929
Total Current Liabilities		541,539,991	485,541,762
Non-Current Liabilities			
Creditors & Payables		7,526,750	-
Provision for Gratuity		1,533,344,467	1,341,876,368
Total Non-Current Liabilities		1,540,871,217	1,341,876,368
TOTAL LIABILITIES		2,082,411,208	1,827,418,130
NET ASSETS/ EQUITY		8,576,914,405	7,860,448,670

	Note		
	As at	31.12.2020	31.12.2019
Accumulated Funds & Reserves			
Accumulated Fund - Current & Capital	17	5,714,468,073	5,039,184,373
Reserves	18	2,031,555,191	1,969,605,080
Research Grants	19	19,158,120	31,063,277
Restricted Fund & Grants	20	132,811,593	238,977,407
Designated Funds	21	613,155,784	519,818,578
Endowment Funds	22	65,765,645	61,799,955
TOTAL NET ASSETS /EQUITY		8,576,914,405	7,860,448,670

"The Accounting policies and notes on page 11-50 are an integral part of these financial statements.

These financial statements have been prepared and presented in compliance with the Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standards (SLPSAS) issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka.


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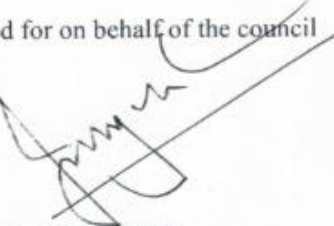

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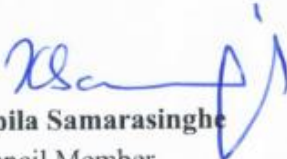
The members of the council is responsible for the preparation and presentation of these Financial Statements. These Financial Statements were approved by the Council of the University of Ruhuna."


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Signed for on behalf of the council


Sudath Jayasekara
 Council Member


Kapila Samarasinghe
 Council Member

3. Statement of Cash Flow for the Year ended 31st December 2020

University of Ruhuna - Sri Lanka

Statement of Cash Flow

For the Year Ended December 31, 2020

(In Sri Lankan Rupees)

For the year ended 31 , December	2020	2019
Cash Flow From / (Used in) Operating Activities		
Surpluses / (Deficit) for the Period	293,250,162	(828,409,127)
Adjustments for Non cash Movement		
Amortization	-	(586,337,253)
Depreciation & Amortization expenses	700,768,558	611,961,317
Gain on fair value changes - Agriculture Farm	(1,565,678)	-
Gain on disposal of assets	(14,932)	-
Gifts , Donations , Goods in Kind - Local	(9,970,015)	-
Gifts , Donations , Goods in Kind - Foreign	(81,528,162)	-
Provision for Gratuity	276,248,528	790,292,979
Finance Cost	37,485	242,284
Other Adjustment to General reserve	55,054,253	33,649,717
Operating Surplus before changes in working Capital	1,232,280,199	21,399,917
Increase / (Decrease) Trade and Other Receivables	(300,327,603)	(2,735,381)
Increase / (Decrease) Staff Loans & Advances	9,080,616	2,137,372
Increase / (Decrease) Inventories	2,458,144	1,083,455
Increase / (Decrease) Advances & Prepayments	7,353,518	15,635,436
Decrease / (Increase) Deposits	(22,701,444)	2,506,477
Decrease / (Increase) Deferred Revenue	89,604,641	-
Decrease / (Increase) Payables	(2,682,653)	52,371,013
Decrease / (Increase) Other Liabilities	(10,053,386)	16,190,459
Cash Generated / (Used) from Operations	(227,268,168)	87,159,475
Gratuity Paid	(84,780,429)	(47,316,191)
Finance Cost paid	(37,485)	(242,284)
Net Cash From / (Used In) Operating Activities	920,194,117	61,000,917
Cash Flow From / (Used In) Investing Activities		
Acquisition of Property Plant & Equipment	(98,755,892)	(157,880,296)
Expenditure Strengthening research & human capital development	-	(11,297,999)
Proceeds from sales of PPE	14,932	416,300
Work in Progress	(760,092,663)	(282,619,831)
Building Rehabilitation	(63,431,610)	(76,492,310)
Capital Advances - Net	(4,472,444)	(29,356)
Long term Investments - Net	(4,508,468)	(21,764,325)
Other Financial Assets - Net	(96,645,069)	(58,279,275)
Net Cash From / (Used In) in investing Activities	(1,027,891,214)	(607,947,092)

For the year ended 31 , December	2020	2019
Cash Flow From / (Used In) Financing Activities		
Government grant & other grant for Capital Expenditure	-	525,676,604
Net Cash In (Out) flows from other grants, Donation & Fund	(19,701,542)	231,571,422
Proceeds from / (repayment of) Lease creditor	(826,929)	(2,019,493)
Net Cash Flow From / (Used In) Financing Activities	(20,528,471)	755,228,534
Net Increase / (Decrease) in cash & cash equivalents	(128,225,567)	208,311,715
Cash & Cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	346,453,719	138,142,004
Cash & Cash Equivalents at the End of the Period	218,228,152	346,453,719

4. Changes in Equity for the Year ended 31st December 2020

University of Ruhuna - Sri Lanka
Changes in Equity
For the Year Ended December 31, 2020
(In Sri Lankan Rupees)

Description	General Reserve	Revaluation Reserve	Capital Grant Spent	Capital Grant Unspent	Accumulated Fund - Current	Accumulated Fund - Capital	Restrcted funds	Total
Balance as at 31.12.2018	339,698,031	1,969,605,080	5,539,593,794	(133,441,671)	-	-	647,154,433	8,362,609,666
Prior year adjusment - Debit	(7,283,062)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(7,283,062)
Prior year adjusment - Credit	31,574,585	-	-	-	-	-	-	31,574,585
Deficit/Surplus for the period	(828,409,127)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(828,409,127)
Capital grant received during the Year	-	-	-	525,676,604	-	-	66,006,370	591,682,974
Amortization	-	-	(569,712,835)	-	-	-	(16,624,418)	(586,337,253)
Transfer From unspent grant to spent grants	-	-	517,229,017	(517,229,017)	-	-	-	-
Expenditure strenthning research	-	-	-	(11,297,999)	-	-	-	(11,297,999)
Transfer to/from restricted fund & resrves	-	-	22,174,795	27,886,517	-	-	(22,174,795)	27,886,517
Received during the year (Net)	-	-	-	-	-	-	231,987,722	231,987,722
Balance as at 31.12.2019	(464,419,573)	1,969,605,080	5,509,284,772	(108,405,567)	-	-	906,349,311	7,812,414,023
Balance as at 01.01.2020	(464,419,573)	1,969,605,080	5,509,284,772	(108,405,567)	-	-	906,349,311	7,812,414,023
Reclassification of profit on sale of assets fund	-	-	-	-	-	-	(5,203,365)	(5,203,365)
Reclassification of endowment fund	-	-	-	-	-	-	53,238,011	53,238,011
Reclassification as per SLPSAS11 - Accumulated Fund - Capital	25,624,064		(5,509,284,772)	108,405,567	(25,624,064)	5,503,603,945	(102,724,740)	-
Reclassification as per SLPSAS11 - Accumulated Fund – Recurrent	438,795,509				(438,795,509)			-

Description	General Reserve	Revaluation Reserve	Capital Grant Spent	Capital Grant Unspent	Accumulated Fund - Current	Accumulated Fund - Capital	Restrcted funds	Total
Adjusted balance as at 01.01.2020	-	1,969,605,080	-	-	(464,419,573)	5,503,603,945	851,659,217	7,860,448,669
Surplus / (Deficit) For the period					(245,961,898)	539,212,060		293,250,162
Contribution to capital outlay from restricted funds						40,313,161	(40,313,161)	-
Transfer to the designated fund					(39,246,627)		39,246,627	-
Prior Year Adjusment (Net)					49,950,259	331,016,745		380,967,004
Net contribution during the year							(19,701,542)	(19,701,542)
Revaluation reserve		61,950,111						61,950,111
Balance as at 31.12.2020	-	2,031,555,191	-	-	(699,677,839)	6,414,145,911	830,891,141	8,576,914,404

5. Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year ended 31st December, 2020

University of Ruhuna - Sri Lanka
Notes to the Financial Statements
For the Year Ended December 31, 2020

1. General Information

1.1 Legal and Domicile Form

University of Ruhuna is a Government University which was established under the Universities Act No. 16 of 1978 and domiciled in Sri Lanka. At present university has 10 Faculties. The Faculties of Humanities and Social Sciences, Sciences, Management & Finance, Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technologies and Graduate Studies are situated at main premises at Wellamadama, Matara. The Faculties of Medicine, Engineering and Allied Health Sciences are situated at Karapitiya, Hapugala, Uluvitike in Galle district respectively. The Faculties of Agriculture and Technology are located in Kamburupitya, Matara.

1.2 Principal Activities & Nature of operation

The university primarily caters to local students to promote and develop Higher Education and Research in the fields of Agriculture, Humanities & Social Sciences, Medicine, Science, Allied Health Sciences , Management & Finance, Engineering, Fisheries and Marine Sciences and Technology.

1.3 Financial Period

The Financial period of the University of Ruhuna represent twelve months period from 01st January 2020 to 31st December 2020.

1.4 Date of Authorization for Issue

The Financial statement for the year ended 31st, December 2020 of the university of Ruhuna was approved and authorized to issue by the 409th meeting of the University Council held on 24th February 2021.

1.5 Basis of Preparation of Financial Statements

1.5.1 Statement of Compliance

The financial statements of the University of Ruhuna have been prepared in accordance with Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standards (SLPSASs) issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka.

The financial statements comprise the Statement of Financial Position, Statement of Financial Performance, Statement of Changes in Equity, Cash Flow Statement and Notes to the Financial Statements. All accounting policies adopted by the University are applied consistently with those of the previous year, where necessary comparative figures have been adjusted to conform to the changes, in presentation of current year figures. The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of the, financial statements are set out below.

1.5.2 Basis of Measurement

The Financial Statements have been prepared on historical cost basis except where appropriate disclosures are made with regard to the fair value clarified by relevant notes.

1.5.3 Comparative Information

Comparative information including quantitative, narrative and descriptive information is disclosed in respect of the previous period for all amounts reported in the financial statements in order to enhance the understanding of the financial statements of the current period and to improve comparability. When necessary, comparative figures have been rearranged to conform to the current year presentation.

1.5.4 Functional and Presentation Currency

The financial statements are presented in Sri Lankan Rupees, which is the functional and presentation currency of the University. All financial information presented in Sri Lankan Rupees has been rounded to the nearest rupee.

1.5.5 Significant Accounting Estimates and Judgments

The preparation and presentation of financial statements in conformity with SLPSASs, requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates and judgments used.

Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an on-going basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognized in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods. Any changes in accounting estimates and critical judgments are disclosed in the relevant notes to the financial statements.

1.5.6 Going Concern

Financial statements have been prepared on the assumption that the University is a going concern basis.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

2.1. Assets and the Basis of their valuation

2.1.1 Property, Plant and Equipment.

(a) Recognition and Measurement

Property, Plant and Equipment are recognized when, it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the asset will flow to the University and the cost of the asset can be measured reliably.

All items of Property, Plant and Equipment are initially recognized at cost. After initial recognition subsequent measurement of Property, Plant & Equipment are carried at cost less accumulated depreciation except classes of Land, Motor Vehicle & buildings. Land, Motor Vehicle & buildings are subsequently measured at revaluation model and carried at a revalued amount, being its fair value at the date of the revaluation less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses. Assets acquired through the non exchange transactions recognized at its fair value as at the date of acquisition. Property, Plant and Equipment include the assets acquired through the government grants, Projects, research grants, internally generated funds and donations. The value of property plant & equipment received as gift and, donations were recognized as revenue from Non exchange transaction in accordance with the SLPSAS 11. Repair and maintenance cost are recognized in the statement of financial performance as incurred.

During the year 2020, Rs.4.5 Mn has been paid to the Divisional Secretary, Bope Poddala as a 25% advance payment for the acquisition of land called “Piyon Arachchige Watta” adjacent to the Department of Electrical & Information Engineering, Faculty of Engineering to construct a building to admin the new intake. As the ownership is not transferred to the University, consideration of the land has not been recognized in the financial statement .The said land has been valued to Rs.18 Mn by Department of Government Valuation.

Three acre land called “Keselgashena Watta” has been transferred for the consideration of 13.28 Mn from the Land Reform Commission for the Faculty of Medicine ground. Land Reform Commission has given their concurrence for the payment of consideration in 60 equal installment. Payable balance as at 31.12.2020 was Rs.10.18 Mn, included in the Statement of Financial Position. The purchase consideration and other initial expenditures incurred for this land have been capitalized and included under the Statement of Financial Position.

Construction project of The State of the Art Auditorium named “Rabindranath Thagore Memorial Auditorium “with 1,500 seating capacity for the University of Ruhuna has been completed and handed over to the university on 13th February 2019. The project was funded by the High Commission of India on behalf of Government of India .Tax and consultancy payment related to the project was funded by the Ministry of Education. Accordingly total cost incurred for the above project was recognized as the fair value of the assets and capitalized as follows,

Description	Amount Mn (Rs)
Total cost of work funded by Indian high commission	260.55
VAT, Consultancy & other payments funded by MOE	49.21
Total Recognized value of Building	309.76

(b) Subsequent Expenditure

Subsequent expenditure incurred for the purpose of acquiring, extending or improving assets of a permanent nature in order to carry on or increase the earning capacity of the assets has been treated as capital expenditure. Expenditure incurred to replace a component of an item of Property, Plant and Equipment that is accounted for separately, including major inspection and overhaul expenditure, is capitalized. Other subsequent expenditure is capitalized only if it is probable that the future economic benefits embodied within the part will flow to the University and its cost can be measured reliably.

(c) Revaluation of Property Plant & Equipment

Land and Buildings have been revalued by a professionally qualified person in year 2006. Lands which were not accounted at the time of revaluation have been valued and accounted using at rates prevailed at the time of acquisition of lands.

The class of motor vehicle has been revalued during the year by the member of profession in government valuation department. Revaluation surplus arising from the revalued vehicles has been transferred to revaluation reserve and included in the accumulated fund and reserves in the statement of financial performance.

(d) Depreciation

Depreciation is recognized in the Statement of Financial Performance on a Straight –Line basis over the estimated useful life of Property, Plant and Equipment items from the date that they were made available for use. Lands are not depreciated. The estimated useful life periods are as follows.

Asset Category	Estimated Useful life
Buildings	20 Years
Furniture & Fittings	10 Years
Telephone Exchange	10 Years
Electricity Supply	10 Years
Water Supply	10 Years
Office Equipment	05 Years
Plant & Machinery	05 Years
Computer & Accessories	05 Years
Sport Goods	05 Years
Lab & Teaching Equipment	05 Years
Library books & periodicals	05 Years
Motor Vehicles	05 Years
Cloaks	05 Years

Depreciation of an assets begin from the month when it is available for use and ceases at the month that the asset is de-recognized or fully depreciated. Depreciation on Property, Plant and Equipment purchased through project, research grant and restricted funds are charged to the Statement of Financial Performance.

The cost of fully depreciated assets which are recognized based on the cost modal as per the Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standards (SLPSAS) 07, as of 31st December 2020 amounted Rs.1,322 Mn.

(e) De recognition

An item of Property, Plant and Equipment is derecognized upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising on de recognition of the asset except motor vehicle is calculated as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount and included in the Statement of Financial Performance in the year, the asset is derecognized.

2.1.2 Finance Lease

Leases are classified as finance leases whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the lessee.

(a) During the year, Financial lease obligations for the Lease of Ashok Leyland bus (NC-4780) & Toyota Camry car (CAP- 7905) fully settled and ownership of the leased assets were transferred to the University . At the yearend date there were no any Capital obligations arising from lease arrangements.

2.1.3 Work-in-Progress & Rehabilitation

Capital work-in-progress & rehabilitation is stated at cost. These are expenses of a capital nature directly incurred in the construction & improvement of Property, Plant and Equipment which are awaiting for the capitalization. Capital work-in-progress & rehabilitation expenditure are transferred to the relevant asset category in Property Plant and Equipment, when the full cost is reliably measured and when the asset is available for use. Capital expenses incurred during the year which are not satisfied the recognition criteria as at the date of the Statement of Financial Position are shown as Capital Work-in- Progress and Rehabilitation.

2.1.4 Intangible Assets

Intangible assets are recognized when it is probable that future economic benefits or service potential that are attributable to the asset will flow to the university and the cost of the intangible asset can be measured reliably. All intangible assets acquired separately are initially measured at cost. Subsequently it will be carried at its cost less any accumulated amortization under cost model in accordance with the Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standard 20 (SLPSAS). The cost of intangible assets acquired in a non-exchange transaction is their fair value at the date of the exchange.

All intangible assets with finite useful lives are amortized on straight line basis over its estimated useful life and charged to the statement of financial performance as follows,

(a) Computer software

Acquired computer software licenses are capitalized on the basis of the costs incurred to acquire and bring to use. These costs are amortized over their estimated useful life of five (5) years on straight line basis.

(b) Human Capital development & Quality Assurance expenses

As University has insufficient control over the expected future economic benefits arising from human capital development and quality assurance cost for these items to meet the definition of an intangible asset. All the capital nature expenditure incurred for the human capital development and quality assurance is recognized as an expense when the incurred and charged to Statement of Financial Performance.

(c) Internally Generated intangible assets Research Expenses

As per the SLPSA 20, No intangible assets arising from research phase shall be recognized and Expenditure on research shall be recognized as an expenses when it is incurred. Accordingly all the expenditure incurred for the research expenses recognized as an expenses and charged to the statement of financial performance.

(d) Development Expenses

All internally developed intangible assets are recognized only if the recondition criteria are met in accordance with the SLPSA 20 section 55.

2.1.5 Investments

Investment in Fixed deposits & Saving relating to Endowment funds, designated funds, short term funds are stated at cost and interest accrued is accounted as a receivable in the financial statement.

2.2 Inventories

2.2.1 Inventories (Stocks)

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realizable value after making due adjustment for obsolete items and the cost was determined based on First In First Out (FIFO) method. The cost includes expenditure incurred in acquiring the inventories and bringing them to their existing location and condition. The inventories of the university include stationery items , consumables , maintenance stocks and medical stocks .

Loss stock of tyres and toners during 2009 & 2011 amounting Rs.125,965 relating to the main stores wellamdama has been adjusted and accounted as the “ Lost stock to be recovered “ in the statement of Financial Position.

2.2.2 Live Stock

Live Stock consists living animals held for the agricultural activity managed by the Farm of Faculty of Agriculture. Live stock are measured on initial recognition and each reporting date at its fair value less cost to sell. The fair value of the livestock was determined based on the published rates of National Livestock Development board (NLBD) and prevailing market prices of the similar assets. A gain or loss arising on recognition of Live stock at its fair value and changes in fair value are included in surplus or deficit for the period in which it arises as per the provision of SLPSAS 18.

2.2.3 Yield Stock

Yield stock consist harvested product of the Agriculture farm. Valuation of Yield stock was based on the market price at the date of verification.

2.3 Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash in hand , cash in current account ,call deposits and bank borrowings that are payable on demand . However, restricted cash deposits such as scholarship and gold medal deposits are not recognized as a part of cash and cash equivalents for the purpose preparation of cash flow statement.

During the Year 2020 University has maintained following restricted Bank Accounts,

Bank Account Name	Bank Account No	Funding Authority	Purpose
Norhed CPDS Project	Peoples Bank /032-1001-900-42806	NORAD	Provides for exchange of faculty, Phd scholars, MSc students and academic staff, mini research projects, joint publications, publication in peer reviewed journals, etc. according to NORHED project.
Norhed Climate Change Project	Peoples Bank /032-1001-000-44126	NORAD	Incorporating climate change to ecosystem approaches to the fisheries and aquaculture management in Sri Lanka

Bank Account Name	Bank Account No	Funding Authority	Purpose
South China Sea Institute Project	Peoples Bank /032-1001-100-42952	South China Institute of Oceanology	Provide the academic cooperation for the establish a China – Srilanka joint canter for education and research
AHEAD OTS Project	Peoples Bank /032-1-001-2-0053209	World Bank	Expand enrolment in priority disciplines, improve the quality of degree programs, and promote research and innovation in the higher education sector.
BRIATE Project - EURO)	BOC/ 84869161	European Commission	Enhance the competencies and skills, management, governance and innovation capacities of partners of HEI's academic, management, administrative and technical staff

2.4 Liabilities & Provisions

2.4.1 Liabilities

All known liabilities as at the date of statement of financial position are included in the financial statements and obligations payable on demand or within one year of the date of statement of financial position are treated as current liabilities in the statement of financial position. Liabilities payable after one year from the date of statement of financial position are treated as non-current liabilities in the statement of financial position.

2.4.2 Provisions

A provision is recognized in the Statement of Financial Position , when the University has an obligation as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of assets will be required to settle the obligation and the obligation can be measured reliably.

2.4.3 Capital Commitments and Contingencies

Contingencies are possible assets or obligation that arise from past event and would be confirmed only on the occurrence or non-occurrence of uncertain future events, which are beyond the Universities control. University does not recognize contingent liabilities and capital commitments, but discloses details of any contingencies in the notes to the financial statements, unless the possibility of an outflow or inflow of resources embodying economic benefits or service potential is remote.

Following litigations cases were continued as at the financial position date and no provision has been made in the accounts with regard to liabilities arising out of litigation activities.

No of Litigation cases

Type of litigation cases	No of cases
Supreme court cases	06
Court of Appeal cases	02
Provincial High court cases	05
District court cases	03
Labour tribunal	01

Workman compensation tribunal	01
University service appeal board	05
Domestic inquiry	11

Detail list of Litigation cases

Case No	Relevant Party
Supreme Court cases	
SC/FR/232/16	Mr. V. G. S. Vijith Kumara
SC/FR/235/16	Rev.sankapala pannasara
SC/FR/236/16	Rev kotiyagala Uparathana
SC/FR/308/17	Prof.K.G.Amarasekara
SC/FR/74/20	Mrs. Hiroshini Piyadasa
SC/FR/258/20	Dr (Ms). I.R.Akurugoda
Court of appeal cases	
CA/Writ/160/12	Mr.B.P.Edirisinghe and Five others
CA/Writ/333/20	Mr. Pubudu jayanath Hewawasam
Provincial High Court cases	
HC/72/2019/Appeal	Mr. K.N. Maithripala
HC/230/2020/Appeal	Mr. H.R.Gamini
HC/1454/2020/Appeal	Dr. D.Wikramasinghe
CHC/56/2020/LA	Lanka Ashok Leyland (pvt)Ltd
CHC/3/2020/MR	Link Engineering (pvt) Ltd
District Court cases	
M/16855	Mr. G.C.J. kuruppu
M/18531	K.Y.S. Security Service
DSP/249/19	Lanka Ashok Leyland (pvt)Ltd
Labours tribunal cases	
LT/04/36/20	Mrs. Hiroshini Piyadasa
Workmen compensation tribunal cases	
C/03/158/MTR	Mrs. L.P.Chandralatha
University Service Appeal Board	
USAB 916	Mr.N.T Nalaka sanjeewa
USAB 889	Mr. V.G.S.Vijith kumara
USAB 893	Rev sankapala pannasara
USAB 892	Rev.kotiyagoda uparathana
USAB 1015	Prof. Hema pathirana

2.4.4 Defined Benefit Plan - Retiring Gratuity

Defined benefit plan is a post-employment benefit plan, other than a defined contribution plan. Accordingly Provision for gratuity was made in accordance with Gratuity Act No.12 of 1983. The gratuity liability is not externally funded and not actuarially valued. As per the University Grant Commission circular No.05/0219 dated on 04th June 2019, Academic allowance and MCA (Monthly compensatory allowance) paid for the staff are considered for the Gratuity calculation in terms of the Gratuity act no.12 of 1983 with effect from 01st June 2019.

Description	Amount Mn(Rs)
Balance at the beginning of the year	1,341.87
Provision made during the year	276.25
Payments made during the year	(84.78)
Balance at the end of the year	1,533.34

2.4.5 Defined Contribution Plan – University Provident Fund, Employees’ Trust Fund and Pension scheme

A defined contribution plan is a post- employment plan under which an entity pays fixed contribution into a separate entity and will have no legal or constructive obligation to pay a further amount. Obligations for contributions to defined contribution plans are recognized as an expense in the statement of financial performance as and when they are due.

Employees are eligible for ‘University provident Fund Contributions, Employees Trust Fund Contributions and University Pension Fund in line with respective statutes and regulations. These are recognized as an expense in the Statement of Financial Performance as incurred. The university contributes 8%, 3% and 7% of gross emoluments of the employees to University ‘Provident Fund and Employees’ Trust Fund and University pension fund respectively.

2.5 Restricted funds and Grants

Where the grants/donations are received for use in an identified project or activity, such funds are held in a restricted fund account and, unutilized funds are held in their respective fund accounts and included under accumulated fund and reserves in the statement of financial position until such time as they are required. Where expenditure of such approved grant exceeds the income received and if there is certainty that the balance will be received, such amounts are recognized as receivables in the statement of financial position.

2.6 Designated Funds

Any fund designated by the University for a specific purpose with the approval of Council are identified as a Designated Funds. Unutilized funds are held in their respective fund accounts and included under accumulated fund and reserves in the statement of financial position until such time as they are required.

2.7 Endowment Funds

Where assets are received as an endowment, only the income earned from such assets may be recognized and used as income. Investment income and other gains realized from such endowment investments are allocated to the appropriate funds, unless the relevant agreement or minute provides otherwise.

Endowment funds such as gold medal and scholarships held under the deposits were reclassified and presented under the Endowment funds in the Statement of Financial Position under accumulated funds and reserves.

2.8 Accelerating Higher Education Expansion And Development (AHEAD) Grant

Accelerating Higher Education Expansion and Development (AHEAD) is a World Bank funded project for Sri Lankan government to support the higher education sector with the objectives of expanding enrolment in priority disciplines, improve the quality of degree programs, and promote research and innovation in the higher education sector. Ministry of Education is the implementing agency of this project. University Grant Commission and Operations Monitoring and Support Team (OMST) are coordinate and support for the project activities of the universities.

Since the above project is operated separately through Operational Technical Secretariat office (OTS) of the University of Ruhuna, Grant receipt and expenses of the AHEAD operations have not been included in the financial statement. However capital assets acquired through this grant including Property Plant & Equipment, completed construction works and human capital development expenditure are recognized as revenue from non-exchange transaction in accordance with SLPSAS 11 in the statement of Financial performance and accumulated under capital surplus/ (deficit) in the statement of financial position.

During the period of 2018 to 2020, University of Ruhuna has been awarded several grants under AHEAD Project, and Summary of the financial performance of the each sub programmes for the year ended is given below,

Grant Description	Faculty /Department	Approved Grant (LKR)	Imprest release up to 31.12.2020	Cumulative Expenditure up to 31.12.2020
STEM expansion- Construction of Lecture hall building complex , Faculty of Technology		390.00	165.46	165.46
STEM expansion	Medicine	90.00		
Equipment (Round 01 , 02 & 03)	Technology	130.00	160.39	145.23
	Engineering	90.00		
HRD Doctoral scholarship	PhD Scholars (14 Number of of Academic staff)	115.97	29.16	37.16
ELTA – ELSE Faculty Development Project	Science	120.00		15.20
	Management	120.00	16.30	9.08
ELTA – ELSE Department Development Project	Dept. of Public Policy	18.00		4.02
	Dept. of Agri Economics	18.00	11.25	2.58
	Dpt. Of Chemistry	18.00		0.85
	Dpt. Of Geography	18.00		2.09
University Business Linkage (UBL)	Technology Transfer Office	13.00	4.56	4.10
Innovation commercialization enhancement (ICE)	Dept. of Physics	40.00	28.19	28.07
Research , Innovation & Commercialization (RIC)	Dept. of Computer Science	35.00	18.38	15.46
	Dept of Chemistry	40.00		1.62

Development oriented Research (DOR)	Dept of Chemistry	40.00		3.02
	Dept. of Botany	40.00		20.33
	Dept. of Bio Chemistry, Medicine	35.00	36.56	16.56
OTS staff Salaries		N/A	8.42	8.42
Grand Total		1,370.97	478.69	479.25

*STEM - Sciences, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics

ELTA- ELSE - Enriching Learning, Teaching Assessment and English Language Skills Enhancement

2.9 Revenue Recognition

Revenue comprises gross inflows of economic benefits or service potential received and receivable by University during the year and represents an increase in net assets/equity. University recognizes revenue following the established criteria of SLPSAS 10 (Revenue from Exchange Transactions) and SPSAS 11 (Revenue from Non Exchange Transactions).

2.9.1 Revenue from Exchange transaction

(a) Undergraduate & other Internal income

All the income derived from the undergraduate degree programmes and other internal income are recognized in the Statement of Financial Performance on the cash basis.

(b) Income generated from self-financing activities

Self-financing activities ranging from consultancy, postgraduate taught courses, external degree programmes, Testing are conducting on cost recovery and non – profit basis. The income, expenditure and contribution for development votes of self financing activities have been disclosed under note 26 of the statement of financial performance.

Income of the Self financing activities recognized to the extent of the expenditure incurred for the period and future expenditures and contribution to the development votes are shown under the deferred income in the statement of financial position.

(c) Interest Income

Interest income received for the period is recorded as exchange revenue in the statement of financial performance except for the investment income earned from the externally restricted funds, designated funds and endowments funds. When the investment income earned from those funds are in excess over the expenditure, the excess is recorded as a direct increase in relevant fund and included in the statement of financial position under accumulated reserves and grants.

Interest on investment of gold medal and scholarship funds are accounted on cash basis if not matured during the accounting period.

(d) Rent Income

Rental income arising from renting out university assets is accounted for on a straight-line basis over the rental terms and included in revenue.

2.9.2 Revenue from Non Exchange transactions.

Non-exchange transactions are those where the university receives value from another entity (e.g. cash or other assets) without giving approximately equal value in exchange.

Inflows of resources from non-exchange transactions, other than services in-kind, that meet the definition of an asset are recognized as an asset only when:

- It is probable that the University will receive an inflow of economic benefits or service potential; and
- The fair value of can be measured reliably.

Inflows of resources from non-exchange transactions that are recognized as assets are recognized as non- exchange revenue, to the extent that a liability is not recognized in respect to the same inflow.

The following are the specific recognition criteria in relation to the University non- exchange transactions.

(a) Government Grant / Transfers

Assets and revenue arising from government grants are recognized in the period in which the transfer arrangement becomes binding at the fair value. Where a transfer is subject to conditions and when there is a resulting present obligation as a result of the non- exchange transaction, University recognizes a liability until the conditions is fulfilled.

Assets and revenue arising from government grants are measured at the fair value as at the date of recognition .Monetary assets are measured at their nominal value.

(b) Recurrent Grant

Government grants received for the recurrent nature expenditures are recognized in the statement of financial performance under Non exchange transactions.

The government grants of Rs. 4,027 Mn was received as recurrent grant for the year 2020.

Description	Amount (Rs)Mn
Approved Recurrent Budget	4,027
Imprest release for the year	4,027
Personal Emoluments	3,705
Other Recurrent	322

(c) Capital Block Grant and other Transfers

Government Grants and other capital transfers received for the capital expenditure are recognized in the statement of financial performance in accordance with the requirement of SLPSAS 11 , Revenue from Non exchange transactions with effect from the financial year 2020 . Capital surplus / (deficit) arising from the capital transactions are accumulated under the Accumulated Fund – Capital in the statement of financial statement.

2.9.3 Reclassification to Accumulated - fund Capital

University adopt and applied SLPSAS 11 – Revenue from Non Exchange transaction standard with effect from the year 2020 prospectively.

To harmonize the presentation of financial statements , comparative figures in relation to spent capital grant , Capital grant unspent , gift and donations were reclassified in to “Accumulated surplus capital “ in the statement of financial position accordance with the SLPSAS 11 and guidance issued by the APFASL .

Summary of capital grants are received for the year is as follows,

Description	2020 (Rs)Mn
Treasury Grant Capital	397.00
Ministry of Higher education - Grant for 12 Story building , Faculty of Medicine	193.85
University Grant Commission - Grant for Technology Stream	83.00
University Grant Commission – Staff Quarters	5.30
Ministry of Higher education – Ten storied complex , Medicine	131.70
Ministry of Higher education - Grant for Southern center , Faculty of Engineering	174.91
Ministry of Higher education – AHS faculty complex	162.16
Indian high commission	3.41
Capital Grant Total	1,151.33

2.9.4 Gifts, Donations and Goods in Kind received

Gifts, donations are voluntary transfers of assets including cash or other monetary assets and goods in-kind that the University receives which are free from stipulations.

Gifts and donations and goods in kind received are recognized as non-exchange revenue at its fair value when it is probable that the future economic benefits or service potential will flow to the University, and the fair value of the assets can be measured reliably.

During the year 2020 , State Plantations Corporations , Sri Lanka transferred the possession of six acres land of Walahanduwa government estate owned by them on the basis of waiver of compensation for the establishment of Faculty Allied Health Sciences . Land is valued as 9 Mn rupees by the Valuation department and fair value recognized under Revenue from Non exchange transaction in the Statement of Financial Performance. In addition to that following gift and donations were received during the year.

Description	Fair Value (Rs)Mn
Library books – Public communities	0.97
State Plantation Coorporation	4.17
AHEAD Project	77.36
Gift & Donation Total	41.99

2.10 Expenditure recognition

The expenditure has been analyzed by Program/project/object wise and analysis was classified under different expenditure headings based on UGC guidelines to comply with the Common Reporting Format during the period of which they are incurred. All expenses incurred in respect of undergraduate education have been recognized on accrual basis and charged to the Statement of Financial Performance.

2.11 Statement of Cash Flows

The Statement of Cash Flows has been prepared in accordance with SLPSAS 02 Cash Flow Statement under the indirect method.

2.12 Events after the reporting period

The materiality of events occurring after the reporting period has been considered and appropriate adjustments, wherever necessary, have been made in the accounts

2.13 Foreign Currency Transaction

Transaction currencies other than Sri Lankan rupees are converted in to Sri Lankan rupees at rates which approximate the actual rates at the transaction date.

2.14 Inter division's transaction

Financial statement has been prepared by eliminating the Interdivision transactions and outstanding balances. Following interdivision balances are eliminated,
Rs.40 Mn Payable balance to the Distance & Continuing Education Unit (DCEU) and receivable amounts were eliminated in the statement of Financial Performance.

2.15 Related Party Transaction

The key management personal of the University are the members of the University Council & the members of the senior management personal. The University Council is the executive body and governing authority of the University which consist of the Vice-Chancellor, Deputy Vice-Chancellor, the Deans of the faculties, two members elected by the Senate and the external members appointed by the University Grant Commission.

There is no any contracts entered between the university and any member of the key management personal who is having direct or indirect interest and there is no any Related- party transactions, including sales, purchases, loans, transfers, leasing arrangements, guarantees, amount receivable from or payable to related parties other than the employee remuneration and allowances for services provided during the period.

2.16 Comparison of Budget and Actual Amounts

Budget and accounting basis is differ. Budgets to the university is approved cash basis annually. Although University financial statement covers all the financial activities of the university, budgets are approved only for the government grant. The Statement of Comparison of Budget and Actual amounts compares the final budget to actual amounts calculated on the same basis as the corresponding budgetary amounts.

Note 03: Cash and Cash Equivalents

Name	Rs. 2020	Rs. 2019
As at 31 , December		
Treasury & General Funds		
Recurrent -People's Bank-032-1-001-1-2477589	5,584,778	39,620,328
Capital-People's Bank 032-1-001-9-2477590	11,419,389	45,664,618
Recurrent-Bank of Ceylon-0033695757	3,192,011	1,702,273
Faculty of Agriculture-People's Bank-133-10016-0000029	125,838	4,638,500
Faculty of Medicine-Bank of Ceylon-0000402437	3,074,906	10,571,056
Faculty of Agriculture-Bank of Ceylon-4441897	12,479,365	4,274,218
Faculty of Engineering-People's Bank-169-1-001-2-1871753	294,854	636,150
Foreign Account-People's Bank-32100152477592	19,365	2,042,134
Faculty of Medicine-People's Bank-343100121924633	297,412	1,226,156
Faculty of Allied Health Science - Peoples Bank -343100170011983	2,589,383	2,736,840
Faculty of Technology - Peoples Bank -133100140070650	176,169	522,255
Restricted Funds & Reserves		
External Exam Account-People's Bank-032-1-001-1-2477594	9,671,582	12,036,029
M.B.A.-People's Bank-032-1-1001-7-2477591	3,508,411	3,508,411
Management of Environmental-People's Bank-032100142477597	-	-
Service Laboratory-Bank of Ceylon-3695842	163,711	198,110
Extension English Course-Bank of Ceylon-3695841	2,432,003	4,194,342
Diploma in Psychology -Bank of Ceylon -5287099	5	5
Posgraduate Course People's Bank- 032-1-001-6-0036374	21,710,652	24,252,101
NORHEAD-CPDS Project-People's Bank- 032-1-001-9-0042806	4,148,686	11,290,069
China Sri Lanka Joint Education-People's Bank- 032-1-001-1-0042952	15,739,002	1,364,423
Violation of Bonds & Agreements-People's Bank- 032-1-001-5-0043049	3,092,652	8,963,887
NORHEAD-Climate Change-People's Bank- 032-1-001-0-0044126	5,382,639	6,127,501
Money Market Savings-People's Bank- 032200160049747	6,896,997	6,623,373
University of Ruhuna Collection Account -People's Bank- 032100170050213	13,692,571	26,952,991
Project & Research Grant - Peoples Bank 0032100120055581	10,477,679	7,490,298
Project Account - Faculty of Engineering - -Bank of Ceylon - 0085191762	16,055,966	100,000
RFC Account- People's Bank-032-4-02142780602	47,216,839	29,318,507
BRIATE Project - EURO Account -Bank of Ceylon - 84869161	18,785,285	90,399,145
Total of Cash and Cash Equivalents	218,228,151	346,453,719

Note 04: Advances & Prepayments

Name	As at 31 , December	Rs. 2020	Rs. 2019
Postal Advance		254,880	86,168
Pre-Payment Deposits		1,455,499	2,420,312
Research Advance (Wellamadama)		262,000	406,750
Research Advance (Medicine)		-	55,973
Research Advance (Engineering)		1,092,377	4,052,840
Miscellaneous Advance (Wellamadama)		10,311	1,211,953
Miscellaneous Advance (Medicine)		12,604	70,000
Miscellaneous Advance (Agriculture)		-	100,000
Miscellaneous Advance (Engineering)		2,083,366	2,766,854
Miscellaneous Advance (DCEU & FGS)		247,644	321,543
Strengthneing Research Advance (Engineering)		100,000	50,000
Miscellaneous Advance (Allied Health Science)		-	33,500
Advances Paid out of Research Grants		403,781	461,396
Advances Paid out of Project grants		798,319	3,061,493
Petty Cash Advance (Wellamadama)		23,143	9,930
Foreign Margin account - Peoples Bank		1,025,623	14,354
Security Deposit for Fixed Assets		1,817,800	1,817,800
Total of Advances & Prepayments		9,587,346	16,940,865

Note 05: Loans & advances to Staff

Name	As at 31 , December	Recoverable Within one Year	Recoverable More than one Year	Rs. 2020	Rs. 2019
Computer Loan		25,487	43,500	68,987	70,386.54
Distress Loan		20,994,263	54,055,535	75,049,798	79,852,380
Staff Loan		322,150	776,427	1,098,577	1,173,655
Vehicle Loan		50,100	117,126	167,226	125,613
Festival Advance		58,850	-	58,850	161,150
Salary Advance (Wellamadama)		200	-	200	200
Salary Advance (Medicine)		30,000	-	30,000	-
Salary Advance (Engineering)		-	-	-	69,725
Special Advance (Wellamadama)		31,050	-	31,050	36,850
Salary Advance (Technology)		-	-	-	80,000
Natural Disaster Loan		704,178	-	704,178	4,795,873
Recoveries to be made from the UPFA		1,295,498	-	1,295,498	1,219,148
		23,511,776	54,992,588	78,504,364	87,584,980

Note 06: Capital Advances

Name	Rs. 2020	Rs. 2019
As at 31 , December		
Capital Advance	4,500,000	27,100
Advance for Library Books & Periodicals (Foreign)	564,029	564,029
Advance for Library Books & Periodicals (Local)	1,800	2,256
Total of Capital Advances	5,065,829	593,385

Note 07: Trade & Other Receivable

Name	Rs. 2020	Rs. 2019
As at 31 , December		
Receivable from Self Financing Programmes	17,573,825	-
Receivable from UGC & Other Sources	298,744,013	3,263,988
Receivables from Bond Violation	30,255,712	43,670,018
Receivable from Student (Engineering - Covid fund)	688,060	-
Total of Trade & Other Receivable	347,261,610	46,934,007

Note 08 : Inventories

Name	Rs. 2020	Rs. 2019
As at 31 , December		
Main Stores (Wellamadama)	7,540,420	10,157,841
Lost stocks to be recovered (Wellamadama)	125,965	-
Sub Stores (Medicine)	3,482,749	2,383,451
Sub Stores (Agriculture)	1,491,778	1,630,750
Live Stock (Agriculture - Farm)	3,185,963	2,762,981
Sub Stores (Engineering)	1,099,274	1,266,129
Yield stock (Agriculture - Farm)	131,636	205,932
Maintainance Stocks (Wellamadama)	5,283,196	5,303,543
Farm Stock (Agriculture)	477,180	-
Total of Inventories	22,818,161	23,710,626

Note 09 : Property, Plant & Equipment
(Figures in Sri Lankan Rupees)

Cost of Property Plant & Equipment

ASSETS	Cost as at 01/01/2020	PY adjustment	Additions / Revaluation during the year	Disposal During the year	Cost as at 31/12/2020
Land & Land improvements	1,636,356,754	-	22,354,238		1,658,710,992
Buildings & structures	7,607,442,410	309,658,097	739,161,144		8,656,261,651
Furniture & fittings	337,391,298	4,028,161	38,902,366		380,321,825
Electricity supply	39,844,005	-	366,600		40,210,605
Water supply scheme	8,019,099	(4,991)	99,450		8,113,558
Plant & machinery	109,082,126	13,840,133	10,272,541		133,194,800
Office Equipment	614,985,350	1,664,796	16,987,124		633,637,270
Library books & Periodicals	421,477,360	(171,969)	1,210,726	(14,932)	422,501,185
Motor vehicles	117,820,764		2,438,312		120,259,076
Lab & teaching equipment	1,405,254,619	37,382,643	72,079,466		1,514,716,727
Cloaks & accessories	10,886,540	(197,500)	-		10,689,040
Telephone exchange	5,055,997	-	748,986		5,804,982
Sports equipment	48,025,431	2,329	(0)		48,027,760
Computer & accessories	453,166,447	11,665,865	39,510,284		504,342,596
Hostel Equipment	106,403,767	(74,940)	195,443		106,524,270
Total of Cost	12,921,211,966	377,792,625	944,326,678	(14,932)	14,243,316,337

Accumulated Depreciation of Property Plant & Equipment

ASSETS	Accumulated Depreciation as at 01/01/2020	PY adjustment	Depreciation for the year	Disposal / Revaluation adjustment	Accumulated Depreciation as at 31/12/2020
Land & Land improvements	-	-	-	-	-
Buildings & structures	2,450,919,511	13,612,522	423,321,171		2,887,853,204
Furniture & fittings	147,204,532	93,283	32,178,373		179,476,188
Electricity supply	25,540,246	(1,912)	2,654,791		28,193,126
Water supply scheme	2,925,527	(89,336)	792,795		3,628,987
Plant & machinery	63,322,897	1,735,549	17,848,024		82,906,469
Office Equipment	583,583,211	187,362	15,277,958		599,048,531
Library books & Periodicals	417,780,882	(15,948,815)	7,003,804	(14,932)	408,820,939
Motor vehicles	110,794,198		13,434,516	(59,635,399)	64,593,315
Lab & teaching equipment	1,073,111,416	5,072,367	118,525,544		1,196,709,327

Accumulated Depreciation of Property Plant & Equipment

ASSETS	Accumulated Depreciation as at 01/01/2020	PY adjustment	Depreciation for the year	Disposal / Revaluation adjustment	Accumulated Depreciation as at 31/12/2020
Cloaks & accessories	8,214,611	(154,509)	1,051,857		9,111,959
Telephone exchange	4,862,008		83,405		4,945,414
Sports equipment	23,403,413	(1,582,523)	6,005,236		27,826,126
Computer & accessories	384,487,131	1,926,496	46,473,251		432,886,878
Hostel Equipment	74,726,059	(12,490)	12,894,011		87,607,579
Total of Depreciation	5,370,875,643	4,837,995	697,544,735	(59,650,331)	6,013,608,042

Carrying Amount

ASSETS	As at 31 December 2020	As at 31 December 2019
Land & Land improvements	1,658,710,992	1,636,356,754
Buildings & structures	5,768,408,447	5,156,522,899
Furniture & fittings	200,845,637	190,186,766
Electricity supply	12,017,479	14,303,758
Water supply scheme	4,484,571	5,093,571
Plant & machinery	50,288,331	45,759,229
Office Equipment	34,588,739	31,402,139
Library books & Periodicals	13,680,246	3,696,478
Motor vehicles	55,665,762	7,026,566
Leased hold vehicles	-	-
Lab & teaching equipment	318,007,400	332,143,202
Cloaks & accessories	1,577,082	2,671,929
Telephone exchange	859,569	193,988
Sports equipment	20,201,635	24,622,018
Computer & accessories	71,455,718	68,679,316
Hostel Equipment	18,916,691	31,677,708
Total of Carrying Amount	-	7,550,336,323

Note 10.1 : Work in Progress - Construction Contracts

Name	Rs.	Rs.
As at 31 , December	2020	2019
Work In progress at the beginning of the period	1,144,755,662	2,144,104,217
Capital expenditure during the year	760,092,663	282,619,831
Building capitalized during the year	(704,381,089)	(1,281,968,385)
Work In progress balance at the end of the period	1,200,467,236	1,144,755,662

Note 10.2 : Work In Progress - Rehabilitation

Name	Rs.	Rs.
As at 31 , December	2020	2019
Rehabilitation works in progress at the beginning of the period	68,648,770	136,911,324
Capital expenditure during the year	63,431,610	76,492,310
Building capitalized during the year	(83,879,952)	(144,754,864)
Rehabilitation in progress balance at the end of the period	48,200,429	68,648,770

Note 11 : Intangible assets

Name	Rs.	Rs.
As at 31 , December	2020	2019
Cost		
Balance at the beginning of the year	13,990,058	12,910,836
Additions during the year	-	1,079,222
Prior year adjustment	(19,500)	
Balance at the end of the year	13,970,558	13,990,058
Less : Amortisation		
Balance at the beginning of the year	7,488,536	4,300,362
Prior year adjustment	334,487	426,786
Amortization during the year	3,223,823	2,761,388
Balance at the end of the year	11,046,845	7,488,536
Carrying Amounts as at 31, December	2,923,713	6,501,523

Note 12 - Long-Term Investments

Name	Rs.	Rs.
As at 31 , December	2020	2019
Employee's Security Deposit Investment	72,372	37,500
A.M. Kulathilake Scholarship Fund Investment	415,000	415,000
A.M. Kulathilake Scholarship Fund (Savings) Deposit	10,974	9,732
Beni Wickramasekera Scholarship (Fixed)	15,000	15,000
Ensina Wickramasekera Scholarship (Fixed) Deposit	15,000	15,000
Jayantha Sriya Rasaputhram Memorial Investment Fund	155,000	155,000
Jayantha Sriya Rasaputhram Scholarship (Savings)	100,403	92,319
Justin Wijewardena Scholarship Fund(Fixed) deposit	110,500	110,500
Justin Wijewardena Scholarship Fund investment(Savings)	34,553	31,682
J.E. Mohotti Scholarship Fund Investment(Fixed)Deposit	212,976	200,000
J.E. Mohotti Scholarship Fund Investment.(Savings)	275,462	258,737
K.D.K. Wedahitha Scholarship (Fixed) Deposit	412,827	375,878
L.C. De Silva Gold Medal (Fixed) Investment	353,210	346,140
L.W.A. Weerasekera Memorial (Fixed) Deposit	40,000	40,000
Martin Wickramasinghe Memorial Investment	18,000	18,000
Martin Wickramasinghe Memorial Scholarship (Savings)	6,527	5,744
P.R. Anthonyies Scholarship (Fixed) Deposit	20,000	20,000
Ruhuna University Development Fund (Fixed) Deposit.	13,770,000	13,770,000
Ruhuna University Development Fund Investment (Savings)	2,010,759	1,928,911
Ruhuna University Library Development Fund Investment(Savings)	1,220,715	1,176,882
Sir Ernest De Silva Gold Medal (Fixed)	10,000	10,000
Sports Equipment (Fixed) Deposit	40,000	40,000
Upul Wijewardena Gold Medal (Fixed) Deposit	250,000	250,000
Upali Wijayawardena Gold Medal (Fixed)	50,000	50,000
Crop Science Scholarship Investment	25,000	25,000
Donation for Dept. of Anatomy (Fixed)	100,000	100,000
L.A.D. Sirisena Memorial Gold Medal (Fixed)	371,811	364,151
W.A.Gimona Scholarship Fund (Fixed) Deposit	65,000	65,000
People's Bank Savings - Pediatrics Dept.	953,286	851,293
C.Weerakoon S.F.Investment	1,389,089	1,236,179
SE/HE Scholarship Fund Fixed Deposit	7,115,396	6,925,183
Self Health Scholarship Funds	1,435,950	1,382,602
Nalani Jayasinghe Memorial Scholarship (Fixed Deposit)	1,308,831	1,233,331
C.R De Silva, P.R. Anthonis and sada Perera Gold Medal	50,000	50,000
C.Pathinayake Memorial Investment	43,730	43,730
S.K.Charles Memorial Scholarship Investment	153,004	150,058
Martin Wickramasinghe Memorial Investment	100,000	100,000

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Christie Dias Memorial Scholarship Investment	356,058	324,190
Ranmuthu H. Wijayanayaka Gold Medal (Savings)	167,530	150,823
Dr.Hankcam Gold Medal	871,323	839,010
Ronnie De Mel Scholarship	50,000	50,000
C.Weerakoon S.F.Invest.(Fixed) Deposit	2,574,000	2,574,000
Ms. Yuri Nagai Fixed Deposit	480,000	480,000
Ranmuthu H. Wijayanayaka Gold Medal	329,622	323,825
Jim Sum Nam Scholarship	107,590	107,590
Rev.Walpola Piyananda Scholarship Investment (Fixed Deposit)	190,000	190,000
Rev.Walpola Piyananda Scholarship Investment (Savings)	8,434	8,121
Prof. Niel Fonseka Scholarship (Fixed Deposit)	975,000	975,000
Dr. A.D.V. Premarathna Gold Medal	274,052	272,404
N.D. Jayasundara Memorial Gold Medal	394,609	388,128
IFS Gold Medal	351,605	348,070
Jayamini Samaraweera Scholarship	3,268,279	3,225,145
C.R.D.Silva Gold Medal	301,605	298,070
Neliya Mendis Memorial Gold Medal	386,008	380,116
Prof. Ranaweera Banda Gold Medal	300,000	300,000
Lucky Lanka Gold Medal	300,000	300,000
D.A. Rajapaksha Memorial Gold Medal	550,000	550,000
Kirigoris Appuhamy memorial Gold Medal	550,000	550,000
Prof. Alawaththagoda Pemadasa Gold Medal	700,000	700,000
Sada Perera Gold Medal	326,338	321,193
Cristy Dias Memorial Gold Medal	250,000	250,000
Kazako Watanabe Scholarship Funds	10,000,000	10,000,000
R. H. Wijenayake Scholarship Funds	190,000	190,000
Mr. Colombapatabandige Jinasena Gold Medal	945,500	945,500
Mr. Tissweera Siriwardhana Gold Medal	945,500	945,500
Deshamanya Dr.Nihal Jinasena Gold Medal	945,500	945,500
SCSIO Gold Medal UOR Wellamadama	800,000	800,000
Lambert Weerasekara Memorial Gold Medal	1,090,619	992,763
Prof.M.Wijerathne Gold medal	800,000	800,000
AKO scholarship	290,973	268,549
Thrift & Credit Cooperative society Gold Medal	800,000	800,000
Dismoda Amarasingne Scholarship Investement	1,000,000	-
Indian High Commision Gold Medal	2,400,000	-
Nalini jayasuriya Scholarship Investment	6,000,000	6,000,000
Total of Long-Term Investments	73,000,517	68,492,049

Note 13 : Other Financial Assets

Name	As at 31 , December	Rs.	Rs.
		2020	2019
Vice-Chancellor Fund Investment		3,863,060	3,774,215
Ruhuna University Development Fund Investement		5,880,013	5,661,764
W.H.O. - 81054 Project Investment		1,966,998	1,966,998
Medical Exhibition Investment		5,463,312	5,090,412
Bond Violation Investment		87,852,392	57,846,112
Ekagu Rayo Mayoda Fund Investment I		1,540,381	1,540,381
Ekagu Rayo Mayoda Fund Investment II		287,518	287,518
Ekagu Rayo Mayoda Fund Investment III		200,000	200,000
Miscellaneous Deposit on Management Faculty Land investment		2,264,198	2,061,548
Faculty of Graduate Studies Investement		95,091,209	62,943,561
Medical Faculty Development fund Investement		50,046,583	46,696,007
Money Market Investment		-	34,781,706
Medical Faculty Investement		7,615,051	7,071,011
Sports Developmet - Presidential Grant (Short term investement)		-	10,000,000
DCEU Programeme Investement		111,577,996	70,778,662
H & S.S Development fund Investement		8,215,000	8,215,000
Sociology Department Development Fund Investement		2,420,000	2,420,000
ELTU Department Development Fund Investement		5,580,000	5,580,000
Rabindranath Thagore Memorial Auditoum Investement		13,696,250	-
Agrahara Insurance Endowment Investment		20,000,000	-
Total of Other Financial assets		423,559,961	326,914,892

Note 14 : Deposits

Name	Rs.	Rs.
As at 31 , December	2020	2019
Library Deposits (Wellamdama)	2,000	2,307,730
Library Deposits (Faculty of Graduate studies)	3,067,500	2,393,000
Employee Security Deposits	72,372	39,000
Tender Deposits	278,350	749,370
Miscellaneous Deposits (Wellamadama)	2,361,660	4,715,244
Security Deposits	3,014,180	4,821,057
Agri Economics Research Fund	55,800	55,800
Presidential Scholarship Fund	108,000	-
Miscellaneous Deposits (Agriculture)	1,635,790	2,227,188
Miscellaneous Deposits (Medicine)	137,026	122,026
Miscellaneous Deposits (Engineering)	18,749,618	13,831,618
Cost of Living Arreas	250,760	250,760
Presidential Scholarship (Agricuture)	444,759	444,759
Liquidated Damages in Suspence - Construction works	1,059,984	25,007,114
Miscellaneous Deposits (Engineering)	404,985	382,215
Security Deposits (Wellamadama)	2,999,254	-
Miscellaneous Deposits (Technology)	3,400	-
Total of Deposits	34,645,437	57,346,881

Note 15 : Creditors & Payables

Name	Rs.	Rs.
As at 31 , December	2020	2019
Retention - Supplies	5,423,565	8,160,116
Retention - Construction and works	78,597,949	75,828,247
Creditors - Capital expenses	7,114,364	48,067,873
Accrued Expenses - Recurrent	75,429,295	54,223,089
Provision for Recurrent expenses	112,008,841	103,464,040
Stamp Duty payable	16,825	16,950
PAYE Tax Payable	27,110	46,310
Withholding Tax (WHT) payable	-	228,457
Provision for Self financing Programmes	8,729,611	-
Payable - Land Reform commision	2,658,000	-
Payable to staff - Over recovered salary advances	4,869	-
Total of Creditors & Payables	290,010,428	290,035,082

Note 16 : Other Liabilities

Name	Rs.	Rs.
As at 31 , December	2020	2019
Cancelled Cheques	861,717	1,384,555
Unpaid Bursaries - Payable to UGC	119,700	9,790,750
Unpaid Mahapola - Payable to Mahapola board	120,100	120,100
Unpaid Payments (Wellamdama)	146,545	249,220
Salary Rounding off Balance payable	7,926	8,700
Unpaid Payments (Medicine)	5,920	127,158
Unpaid Payments (Engineering)	269,845	-
Unpaid Payments (Allied Health Science)	107,883	12,540
Treasury payable - Proceed from Sale of Assets	5,203,365	5,203,365
Total of Other Liabilities	6,843,002	16,896,388

Note 17.1 : Accumulated Fund - Capital

Name	Rs.	Rs.
As at 31 , December	2020	2019
Accumulated capital surplus at the beginning of the year	5,477,979,881	5,459,494,911
Prior year adjustment - Non exchange revenue	356,640,808	-
Contribution to capital outlay from Restricted funds	40,313,161	50,061,312
Capital surplus for the period	539,212,060	(31,576,342)
Total of Accumulated Fund - Capital	6,414,145,911	5,477,979,881

Note 17.2 : Accumulated Fund - Recurrent

Name	Rs.	Rs.
As at 31 , December	2020	2019
Accumulated capital surplus/(deficit)	(453,715,941)	363,989,554
Current surplus / (deficit) for the period	(245,961,898)	(802,785,062)
Total of Accumulated Fund - Recurrent	(699,677,839)	(438,795,508)

Note 17.1 : Accumulated Fund - Capital (Detail Schedule)

Description	Capital Surplus as at 01.01.2020	Revenue from Non exchange transaction - Capital	Capital Expenditure During the year	Capital Surplus as at 31.12.2020
Capital Grant Spent	5,459,223,460		897,827,843	6,357,051,303
Capital Grant Un - Spent				
Furniture & Equipment Capital Grant	(30,528,471)	75,750,000	(49,692,118)	(4,470,589)
Land Acquisition Capital Grant	(6,725,388)	-	-	(6,725,388)
Reha. & Improvement of Building Capital Grant	(65,786,877)	81,019,057	(44,252,028)	(29,019,847)
Library Books & Periodicals Capital Grant	(1,780,679)	2,500,000	(240,711)	478,610
Management Faculty Building	25,958,140	-	(7,984,940)	17,973,200
Engineering- Library Building Capital Grant	57,149	-	-	57,149
Township Grant	10,000,000	-	-	10,000,000
Construction & Completion of Housing Units for Senior Academic Staff, University of Ruhuna	617,343	-	-	617,343
Examination Hall Auditorium, Faculty of Humanities & Social Sciences	6,713,671	1,750,000	(1,502,077)	6,961,594
Construction of Three Building Blocks for the Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences & Technology	(1,934,288)	-	-	(1,934,288)
Rabindranath Targore Memorial Grant	(981,885)	-	-	(981,885)
Technology Faculty Rehabilitation	(25,471,950)	44,651,533	(19,179,582)	-
Proposed Building for Faculty of Technology	(3,372,196)	16,204,637	(12,832,441)	(0)
Construction of Mini Composed Yard	(1,194,611)	-	-	(1,194,611)
Boundry Wall Faculty of Enginerring	(31,244)	-	-	(31,244)
Human Capital Development Grant	14,443,139	4,000,000	(794,610)	17,648,529
Strengthening Research Grant	10,882,127	2,000,000	(3,064,759)	9,817,368
New Canteen Faculty of Management & Finance	(2,303,429)	-	-	(2,303,429)
Two Storied Building Extension To Library	3,135,380	-	-	3,135,380
Upgrading Play Ground	470,674	-	-	470,674
12 Storied Building , Faculty Of Medicine	(11,722,668)	193,852,005	(216,259,212)	(34,129,875)
Two Three Storied Building - Administration	899,821	-	-	899,821
Management Faculty Complex - Stage II	(232,919)	35,000,000	(44,850,398)	(10,083,317)
Encourage Accreditation - Medicine	949,163	-	-	949,163
Encourage University Students Curriculum Activities	(52,538)	-	-	(52,538)
Technology Stream Acquisition	(10,375,947)	22,143,831	(20,111,572)	(8,343,689)
Three Lecture hall building - Technology faculty	(918,037)	-	-	(918,037)
Ten Storied Professorial Ward Complex	(2,195,693)	131,705,205	(131,705,205)	(2,195,693)

Note 17.1 : Accumulated Fund - Capital (Detail Shedule)

Description	Capital Surplus as at 01.01.2020	Revenue from Non exchange transaction - Capital	Capital Expenditure During the year	Capital Surplus as at 31.12.2020
Staff Quarteres Faculty of Agriculture - UGC Grant	(5,128,472)	5,300,000	22,658	194,187
MOHE Grant- Southern cebter for Naval Studies	(17,489,513)	174,911,027	(156,155,392)	1,266,122
Guest House - Faculty of Agriculture	423,839	4,000,000	(3,476,299)	947,540
MOHE Grant - AHS Faculty Phase 1 ,Walahanduwa	(692,700)	162,186,797	(134,000,000)	27,494,097
Presidential Grant-Sports Development	5,963,495	226,849	(5,833,340)	357,004
Major Renovation - Gymnasium Building	-	25,000,000	(20,702,709)	4,297,291
Major Renovation - Guest House Building	-	30,000,000	(22,915,145)	7,084,855
Major Renovation works - Administration Building	-	7,000,000	(1,898,164)	5,101,836
Additional Grant - Acquision faculty of Eninerring	-	130,000,000	(399,800)	129,600,200
Audio Visual Unit - Indian high commision	-	3,418,000	-	3,418,000
Total Capital Grant (Spent & Unspent)	5,350,817,894	1,152,618,941	-	6,503,436,834

Foreign Aid & Other Local Grants

Foreign Aid - IRQUE Project	17,877,278	-	-	17,877,278
Foreign Aid from Doners	-	4,169,065	-	4,169,065
HETC Project Grant	22,141,411	-	-	22,141,411
South China Sea Instritute Grant	62,706,051	-	-	62,706,051
RTMA - Indian Government grant	260,558,201	-	-	260,558,201
AHEAD project Grant	70,458,544	77,359,097	-	147,817,641
Local Grant - Public & Communities	-	970,015	-	970,015
AHS Land Grant - State Plantation corporation	-	9,000,000	-	9,000,000

Total of Foreign Aid & Other Local Grants	433,741,485	91,498,177	-	525,239,661
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Depriciation & Amorization for the Period	-	(704,905,057)	-	(704,905,057)
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	5,784,559,378	539,212,060	897,827,843	6,323,771,439
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Contribution to capital outlay from other funds	50,061,312	40,313,161	-	90,374,473
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Prior year Capital Surplus ajustement	(25,624,065)	-	-	-
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Grand Total	5,808,996,626	579,525,221	897,827,843	6,414,145,912
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Note 18 : Reserves

Name	Rs. 2020	Rs. 2019
As at 31 , December		
Revaluation Reserve	2,031,555,191	1,969,605,080
Total of Reserves	2,031,555,191	1,969,605,080

Note 19 : Research Grants

Name	Rs. 2020	Rs. 2019
As at 31 , December		
Children's Fund (Medicine)	175,799	140,416
T.A.R.E. Periodicals (Agriculture)	351,230	355,030
A.D.B. Grant Project (Wellamadama)	-	99,072
WHO - Baddegama Project Fund A/c 81054 (Medicine)	2,398,275	2,191,740
IAEA Project -Ref No: 302-F4-SRL 11958 (Medical)	831,205	1,303,537
Galle Water Supply Project (Engineering)	1,114,622	513,614
Water Purification Project -Weligama (Agriculture)	-	626,209
Dukelink Project (Medicine)	2,402,128	3,733,643
University Industry Com: Int:Cells Project (Agriculture)	299,749	299,749
RG/2006/EPSP/03 Project (Agriculture)	7,411	28,411
DAFD/2006/04 Project (FMST)	-	34,838
Commonwealth of Learning(L3-F Project) (Wellamadama)	698,949	1,001,619
Japan Grant (Medicine)	333,123	430,504
I.C.R.A.F. Project (Agriculture)	113,730	-
T.R S.L. Project (Engineering)	485,274	180,000
Plant Nursery & Training Project (Agriculture)	-	29,262
S. C Collaborative research Project (Wellamadama)	8,205	8,205
I.A.E.A. CRP Project (Agriculture)	195,245	220,245
AG/UNDP IHP Project (Agriculture)	21,074	-
Mental Health of LF Patient UK (Medicine)	906,048	923,701
Cocoon Integrated project (Agriculture)	151,430	151,430
WHO Project Ref : SRLSO(10)/2011/149551 (Medicine)	-	63,633
MD-NRC Project (Medicine)	-	66,549
Staff Development Centre Programme	2,344,619	4,173,906
India Srilanka Foundation Project	-	80,046
HECT Project (Medicine)	-	27,147
Toxicity & Efficiency of Oil Spill Dis. Research (Fishries)	1,353	1,353
India Sri Lanka Joint Research Grant (Agriculture)	-	75,770

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Name		Rs.	Rs.
	As at 31 , December	2020	2019
COCOON Project (Agriculture)		-	311,191
ICGEB Project (Agriculture)		-	126,595
GEF - IFAD (Fishries)		-	1,168,934
Heiwa Nakajima Foundation (Agriculture)		-	1,339
NSF research grant : RG/2015/EB/01 (Wellamadama)		457,055	457,055
NSF research grant Student Scholarship(Agriculture)		7,122	7,122
BACC Project (Agriculture)		1,005,975	1,374,276
NSF research grant :SP/CIN/2016/04 (Science)		155,885	612,141
NSF research grant :RPHS/2016/04 (Medicine)		702,385	941,355
NSF research grant :RG/2017/BS/05 (Medicine)		848,943	2,075,004
NTRP Research Grant : 2017/CC (Wellamadama)		-	5,985,876
NSF research grant :SCH/2018/10 (Wellamadama)		92,925	671,424
NSF research grant :RG/2019/SS/01 (Wellamadama)		571,338	571,338
NSF research grant : NSF / RG/2019/BS/02 (Medicine)		1,640,522	-
NSF research grant : NSF/TG/2020/Covid/AG-01 (Agriculture)		836,500	-
		19,158,120	31,063,277

Note 20 : Restricted Funds & Grants

Name	Rs. 2020	Rs. 2019
As at 31 , December		
Donation for Asia Foundation A/C	-	19,711
Rohana Shasthreeya Fund A/C	-	30,424
Sports Equipment Grant A/C	-	196,813
W.H.O. Grant A/C	-	124,096
Gifts & Donation Common A/C	-	92,736
Explorers Club A/C	1,036,996	1,036,996
Environmental Project A/C (Wellamadama)	-	4,205
Language Center	189	189
T.L.W.I. Memorial Conference (Wellamadama)	-	53,400
Medical Exhibition account (Medicine)	6,200,051	5,827,151
Donation for Daram University	-	5,990
Noma Start up Fund	-	2,667,120
NOMA CPDS	-	1,094,980
Museum Account (Medicine)	884,643	884,643
Symposium A/C-2008 (Agriculture)	382,590	1,289,913
NCAS Grant for PHD & Mphil	500,000	321,081
Grant from Kotalawala Defence University (Medicine)	2,080,355	2,080,355
UGC PHD Research Grant A/C	4,699,035	3,395,582
Rayo Mayoda Fund	2,073,493	1,890,736
Donation for Faculty of Medicine	79,985	79,985
Consulting Service Control (Engineering)	11,681,699	10,206,234
Short Course (English)	-	419,527
ICME Conference (Management & Finance)	373,683	615,410
RISTCON Conference (Science)	483,366	419,128
Indian -Sri Lanka Cultural Programme	79,998	
NORHEAD-CPDS Project (CINTA)	4,148,557	11,222,159
South China Sea Institute Ocenology Project	14,900,178	1,471,381
Charles Darwin University PhD Programme Fund (Medicine)	122,469	122,469
RUHSS Conference - H & SS	393,636	298,113
World Maritime University (Fishries)	-	558,026
B.A.Development Programme (H &SS)	1,249,367	216,996
NORHED Climate Change Project (CINTA)	5,382,614	6,159,258
Service Laborotary A/C (FMST)	2,191,974	1,420,662
Invention & Innovation Exhibition (Science)	2,178	2,178
Faculty Day Programme (Science)	69,169	153,320
Coral Restoration Project (FMST)	-	12,330

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Enteric Fermentation Project	-	117,150
Spiulina & Virgin Coconut Project (Agriculture)	134,280	134,280
Advancing Skill Creation Project (Agriculture)	52,918	223,796
Utra sound Tech for Energy (Agriculture)	-	140,348
Foreign Gradaute fund (Medicine)	-	58,759,098
Crop Protection (Science)	481,042	481,042
Tamil Course (H & SS)	-	-
CARP 2016-05 My-Rowlings Project (Agriculture)	616,349	1,066,148
Le Doxy SL Project (Medicine)	7,500,903	8,585,932
RASAS conference (H & SS)	79,443	394,743
Climate change On Mangroves (Unesco) Project	642,119	609,119
Lung Function Testing Project (Medicine)	459,301	459,301
Presidential Secetrai Development Project (Agriculture)	4,069	84,069
Population Health Research Intution (Medicine)	43,578	43,578
Volvo Hamputom UK Project (Medicine)	73,391	73,391
ACIAR Project : FMST/2017/002 Project (FMST)	3,141,914	3,990,927
United Nations Indu Development Project (Agriculture)	631,924	701,324
Prject No.MSTTR/TRD/AGR/3/02/06 Project (Medicine)	1,250,755	1,407,610
INNOTAL Project	3,116,134	2,431,462
British Council Transform Peace Project (H & SS)	51,905	4,476,695
RUFARS Symposium (AHS)	750,049	534,429
SGBV Project (H & SS)	629,610	789,210
BECK Project (Faculty of Agriculture)	5,740,406	615,022
Awareness Center on Drug prevention and child abuse	991,454	1,172,448
Ethics Review Committee (Medicine)	153,000	59,000
SGBV PROJECT (H & SS)	830,000	
NOR Lanka Blue Project (Science)	3,293,462	2,048,475
AFinFO 2019 Industry Forum Project (Management)	55,072	55,072
ARCHIVE Project (Science)	353,008	917,008
Participation Programme (Wellamadama)	463,244	3,483,972
Coastal Resilience Project (Agriculture)	243,704	330,322
BRITAE Project (Agriculture)	20,553,492	90,399,145
Dried Fish Matters (DFM) Project Agriculture	3,158,137	-
Faculty Day Programme -Management & Finance	22,424	-
Biodiversity And Eocsystems (Wallamadama)	564,498	-
INCDEU Project - H & SS (Wellamadama)	8,547,936	-
SEDRIC Project (Science)	7,726,796	-
MEPA-Permit Management System (Science)	200,000	-
TSMRS Project (FMST)	1,239,053	-
Total of Restricted funds & grants	132,811,593	238,977,407

Note 21 : Designated Funds

Name	As at 31 , December	Rs. 2020	Rs. 2019
Ruhuna University Development Fund		29,258,357	30,019,654
Ruhuna University Library Development Fund		(3,155,494)	(3,199,327)
Vice-Chancellor Fund		14,697,729	16,071,024
Faculty Development Fund – Agriculture		496,523	577,755
Faculty Development Fund – Engineering		4,279,418	5,348,450
Faculty Development Fund – FMST		24,000	
Faculty Development Fund - Graduate Studies		13,719,600	7,786,263
Faculty Development Fund - H&SS		8,037,467	5,994,298
Faculty Development Fund - Management		656,000	650,000
Faculty Development Fund - Medicine		83,021,626	4,054,156
Faculty Development Fund - Science		565,690	559,239
Distance & Continuing Education Unit Fund		74,593,162	71,323,790
International Unit Development Fund		1,217,194	1,071,644
Dean's Fund - Faculty of Science		157,055	157,055
Dean's Fund - Faculty of Agriculture		181,210	181,210
Dpt. Development Fund - Agri Economics (Agri)		334,392	334,392
Dpt. Development Fund - Economics (H&SS)		2,319,988	2,928,614
Dpt. Development Fund - Geography (H&SS)		301,549	301,549
Dpt. Development Fund - Sociology (H&SS)		1,919,213	1,735,653
Dpt. Development Fund - English (H&SS)		8,060,842	9,526,742
Dpt. Development Fund - Civil & Environment (Eng)		4,099,396	4,005,419
Dpt. Development Fund - Electrical & Information (Eng)		217,781	224,726
Dpt. Development Fund - Inter Disciplinary Studies (Eng)		277,816	277,816
Dpt. Development Fund - Mechanical & Manufacturing (Eng		494,539	686,455
Dpt. Development Fund - Computer Science (Science)		3,539,465	3,539,465
Dpt. Development Fund -Chemistry (Science)		588,102	585,626
Dpt. Development Fund - Physics (Science)		466,855	466,855
Dpt. Development Fund - Limnology (FMST)		94,588	94,588
Dpt. Development Fund (Medicine)		89,822,142	86,444,603
Auditorium Development Fund (Medicine)		14,117,532	12,714,035
Play Ground Development Fund (Engineering)		964,104	966,372
University Integrated Fund		1,848,503	18,381,524
Rabindranath Tagore Memorial Auditorium Dev. Fund		14,552,500	9,953,750
Elective Student Programme (Medical)		-	30,984,000
Elective Student Programme (Allied Health Science)		638,476	620,011
Agrahara Insuarance Scheme		41,187,000	40,000,000
Student Welfare Fund (H&SS)		380,000	-
Violation of Bonds & Agreement - Staff		160,783,098	151,195,110
Violation of Bonds & Agreement - Suppliers		38,398,363	3,256,063
Total of Designated Funds		613,155,784	519,818,578

Note 22 : Endowment Funds

Name	Rs. 2020	Rs. 2019
Self Help Scholarship Fund (Medical)	8,985,180	8,561,944
Scholarship Funds (Wellamdama)	22,347,584	23,219,547
Crop Science Scholarship Fund (Agriculture)	47,299	44,834
Dept. of Anatomy- Fonseka memorial scholarship Fund	101,405	99,575
Christy Dias Perera Memorial (Medicine - Pathology)	203,590	171,722
Ronnie de Mel Scholarship Fund (Wellamdama)	72,995	68,714
N.Fonseka Scholarship Fund (Medicine)	1,140,548	1,092,706
Gold Medal Fund (Wellamdama)	19,431,978	15,607,992
Aslea Scholarship Fund (Engineering)	37,098	41,118
Ms. Kazuko Watanabe Scholarships (Wellamdama)	13,397,967	12,891,803
Total of Endowment Fund	65,765,645	61,799,955

Note 23 : Obligation Under The Finance Lease

Name	Rs. 2020	Rs. 2019
Lease Creditor at the beginning of the year	864,414	3,075,742
Less:		
Payments during the Year	(864,414)	(2,211,328)
Lease Creditor Balance at the end of the period	-	864,414
Interest in suspense	37,485	229,320
Less:		
Payments during the Year	(37,485)	(191,835)
	-	37,485
Net Lease Creditor at the end of the period	-	826,929
Lease Creditor with in one Year	-	826,929
Lease Creditor more than one Year	-	-
Net Lease Creditor at the end of the period	-	826,929

Note 24 : Generated Income of other sources

Name	Rs. 2020	Rs. 2019
As at 31 , December		
Course - Foreign undergraduate Student (Medicine)	7,302,948	-
Fees - Elective Student (Medicine)	2,506,310	-
Fees - Elective Student (Allied Health Science)	18,465	-
Rent income - Play ground (Engineerriing)	157,050	-
Rent income - RTMA	14,552,500	-
Rent income - Medical faculty auditorium	1,403,498	-
Interest Income derived from Bond Violation fund	13,465,175	-
Less : Expenses	(159,319)	-
Total of Generated Income of other sources (Net)	39,246,627	-

Note 25 : Miscellaneous Income

Name	Rs. 2020	Rs. 2019
As at 31 , December		
Miscellaneous Income from Non exchange transaction		
Library Fines	310,217	31,678
Fines	140,450	487,555
Mahapola & bursary recoveries	195,650	
Sponsorship & donation	60,000	2,600,000
Total of Miscellaneous Income from Non exchange transaction	706,317	3,119,233

Miscellaneous Income from Non exchange transaction

Registration Fees - (Undergraduate)	5,975,830	9,558,935
Application Fees	7,000	-
Registration Fees - (Postgraduate)	442,470	312,450
Tuition Fees - (Undergraduate)	13,750	-
Tuition Fees - (Postgraduate)	868,307	1,853,657
Examination Fees - (Undergraduate)	284,557	731,816
Examination Fees - (Postgraduate)	-	106,487
Sales of Publications	-	18,450
Sales of Old Stock	184,340	896,280
Sales of Produce	291,398	2,122,030
Reimbursements	-	23,083
Hostal Fees	3,306,391	4,760,222
Sales of produce at Mapalana Farm	-	243,201

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Ancillary Activities (Hostel)	1,054,500	498,632
Ancillary Activities (Mapalana Farm)	6,113,464	3,693,267
Certificate Fees	858,075	1,452,874
Cloak Rents income	51,131	108,050
Suppliers Registration Fees	623,250	643,550
Non Refundable Tender Fees	2,287,500	1,836,600
Convocation Income	245,705	8,431,994
Examination Admission Fees	-	10,775
Identity Card	2,500	16,450
Post Graduate registration fees	-	307,000
Income from other courses	18,200	10,761
Other Income	18,219,310	3,141,844
Water & Electricity Income	2,841,868	3,326,187
Visitors Fee	70,700	-
Liquidated damages	1,356,829	-
Total of Miscellaneous Income from Non exchange transaction	45,117,074	44,104,595

Note 26 : Revenue from non exchange transaction - Capital

Name	Rs. As at 31 , December 2020	Rs. 2019
Capital transfer - Treasury	397,000,000	340,000,000
Capital transfer - Ministry of Education	662,655,034	95,676,604
Capital transfer - University Grant Commission	88,300,000	80,000,000
Capital transfer - Sanasa , University of Ruhuna	1,019,057	-
Capital transfer - High commission india	3,418,000	-
Capital transfer - Presidential grant	226,849	10,000,000
Goods in Kind - Public donations & contributions	970,015	-
Land Transfer - State Plantation Corporation	9,000,000	-
Gifts , Donations , Goods in Kind - Foreign	4,169,065	-
Goods in Kind - Ahead Project	77,359,097	-
Total of Revenue from non exchange transaction - Capital	1,244,117,117	525,676,604

Note 27 : Self Financing Activities

Description	External Degree Programme	Extension Courses	Post Graduate Programme	Total
A.Total Income During the Year 2020				
Course fees	100,781,739	38,160,151	88,576,896	227,518,786
Application fees	358,950	1,363,100	464,250	2,186,300
Registration fees	-	954,500	81,100	1,035,600
Library fees	-	-	336,500	336,500
Examination fees	2,276,927	250	254,900	2,532,077
Other Income	804,005	4,500	14,050	822,555
Total receipt	104,221,621	40,482,501	89,727,696	234,431,818
B. Direct Cost During the Year 2020				
Payments to Outside Staff	-	456,756	3,238,880	3,695,636
Field Expenses, Academic activities, etc	792,267	1,070,096	9,067	1,871,430
Conduct Meetings, Refreshments, etc	-	134,932	492,203	627,135
Travelling Subsistence, Materials, etc.	1,104,347	502,607	594,294	2,201,248
Development Funds	-	-	600,000	600,000
Government Taxes	-	-	-	-
UGC - 0.01% of Income	-	-	-	-
Other Overhead	3,200,839	995,516	496,800	4,693,154
	5,097,452	3,159,907	5,431,244	13,688,603
C. Indirect Cost During the Year 2020				
University/HEI Development Vote			-	-
VC's Vote			-	-
Payments to Directly involved Staff	84,000	669,203	13,879,446	14,632,648
Payments to Indirectly involved Staff	10,477,023	233,076	-	10,710,099
	10,561,023	902,279	13,879,446	25,342,747
Total Cost	15,658,475	4,062,186	19,310,690	39,031,350
Excess over Expenditure	88,563,146	36,420,316	70,417,006	195,400,468

(Transferred to deferred income)

Note 28 : Operating Expenses

Name	Rs.	Rs.
For the year ended , 31 st december	2020	2019
28.1 Personal Emoluments		
Academic Staff		
Salaries & Wages	771,685,351	654,568,378
U.P.F	185,896,442	161,123,504
Pension	88,241,304	72,801,097
E.T.F	54,822,270	46,801,985
Acting Pay	436,649	-
Research Allowance 25%	229,885,920	182,286,960
Mca - Academic	-	5,253
Academic Allowances	982,428,992	836,266,519
Equalization Allowances	188,492	68,899
Other Allowances	4,080,467	4,862,834
Gratuity	185,751,588	539,784,689
Other Allowance	8,486,491	8,752,228
Cost Of Living	79,044,983	70,720,511
20% Additional Allowances	133,140,303	113,017,574
Entertainment Expenses	3,870,935	392,805
Interim Compensatory Allowance	-	
20% Additional Allowance - 02	147650.41	548,419
Total of Academic Staff	2,728,107,837	2,692,001,652
Non Academic Staff		
Salaries & Wages	475,176,848	446,851,840
U.P.F	77,171,094	74,163,624
Pension	39,266,776	36,525,430
E.T.F	23,295,959	22,137,814
Acting Pay	610,090	542,511
Research Allowance - Non Academic	7,034,833	5,912,326
Monthly Compensatory allowance - Non Academic	7,084	6,523
Over Time	57,596,520	73,462,781
Holiday Payments	544,118	1,096,940
Other Allowances	7,783,731	5,334,920
Language Proficiency Allowance	3,059	-
Gratuity	86,147,695	250,508,290

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Property Loan	6,019,529	6,161,995
Cost of Living	90,055,226	95,479,732
20% Additional Allowances	94,442,378	87,346,813
Entertainment Expenses	515,237	-
Interim Allowance		9,294,715
20% Additional Allowance - 02	212,655,035	196,435,054
Total of Non Academic Staff	1,178,325,211	1,311,261,311
Grand Total Personal Emoluments	3,906,433,048	

28.2 Travelling & Subsistence

Domestic	2,007,638	3,717,133
Foreign	2,286,064	3,163,112
Total of Travelling & Subsistence	4,293,702	6,880,245

28.3 Supplies and Consumables

Stationery & Office Requisites	20,753,824	33,530,946
Fuel & Lubricants	9,665,272	13,305,802
Uniform & Tailoring Charges	4,417,154	6,957,144
Mechanical & Electrical Goods	3,146,901	5,190,991
Chemicals & Glassware	7,853,543	14,622,804
Medical Supplies	893,355	2,790,602
Other Supplies	24,927,114	40,123,091
Total of Supplies	71,657,164	116,521,379

28.4 Maintenance

Vehicles	5,141,482	9,579,119
Plant, Machinery & Equipment	16,751,666	18,476,835
Building & Structure	2,200	244,401
Furniture	4,650	779,193
Others	4,946,903	8,769,654
Total of Supplies	26,846,902	37,849,202

28.5 Contractual Services

Transport	14,826,885	21,888,526
Telecommunication	9,140,953	7,543,574
Posted Charges	2,339,134	2,295,512
Electricity	66,059,569	80,417,996
Security Service	38,153,911	56,884,211
Water	21,097,738	25,027,943

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Cleaning Service	102,514,008	97,308,673
Rents & Hire Charges	33,583,795	36,716,587
Rates & Tax To Local Authority	8,754,107	9,624,021
Printing, Advertising Expenses	2,578,747	2,041,668
Other maintenance expenses	3,168,294	4,583,600
Total of Maintenance	302,217,141	344,332,313

28.6 Other Recurrent Expenses

Travel Grants To University Teachers	552,503	923,455
Special Service-Council & Committee	3,660,125	4,825,936
Special Service-Professional &	5,720,002	4,099,486
Workshop, Seminars expenses	710,784	1,058,279
Academic Research	852,819	4,883,887
Staff Development	334,500	1,103,096
Grants To Other Organization	34,399	-
Holiday Warrants & Season Ticket charges	804,440	522,015
Entertainment Expenses	5,337,425	9,503,924
Bank Charges	226,314	242,284
Awards & Indemnities	857,666	1,784,121
Contribution & Membership Fees	624,199	814,223
Convocation	3,385,979	3,760,695
Examination Expenses	36,262,289	46,978,400
Others-News Papers, Magazine Expenses	3,802,690	5,346,961
Visiting Lecture Fees	8,376,224	14,525,319
Course Material & Learning Qua	42,690	6,167,749
University Sports Activities	3,519,424	28,466,442
Corporate Planning ,Governance	-	31,000
Internship, Practical's ,Career development expenses	2,460	167,486
Student Development Initiatives	1,742,715	3,300,212
Students And Employee Welfare	1,347,382	1,879,462
Implementation Of Government Language expenses	-	-
Total of Other Recurrent Expenses	78,197,028	140,384,430

28.7 Financial Assistance To Student

Mahapola Scholarship	-	28,528,500
Bursaries	54,004,000	44,451,500
Endowed Scholarship	-	27,392,800
Total of Financial Assistance To Student	54,004,000	100,372,800

Part XIII – Auditor General’s Report and Reply

1. Auditor General’s Report

My No: SNP/MR/C/UOR/20/03

Date: 31st May 2021

Vice Chancellor,
University of Ruhuna

The report of the Auditor General in terms of section 12 of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018 on the financial statements of the University of Ruhuna for the year ended 31 December 2020 and for other legal and regulatory requirements.

1. Financial Statements

1.1 Opinion

The audit of financial statements of the University of Ruhuna for the year ended 31 December 2020 comprising the statement of Financial Position as at 31 December 2020 and the statement of financial performance, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended and the summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information was carried out under my direction in pursuance of provisions in Article 154(1) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka read in conjunction with the provisions of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018. My report will be tabled in the Parliament in due course, in terms of sub section 154 (6) of the Constitution.

In my opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the University of Ruhuna as at 31 December 2020 and its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standards.

1.2 Basis for the Opinion

I carried out the audit in compliance with the Sri Lanka Auditing Standards (SLAS). My responsibility under these standards has been further described in the section entitled ‘Auditor’s responsibility in auditing the financial statements. I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my opinion.

1.3 Other information contained in the Annual Report 2020 of the University

Other information means information, though included in the Annual Report 2020 of the University which is expected to be handed over to me after the date of this audit but not included in the financial statements and in my audit report thereon. Those charged with management shall be responsible for other information.

My opinion on the financial statements does not cover other information and I do not provide an assurance of any manner or express an opinion on it.

My responsibility in relation to my audit regarding financial statements is to read other information whenever available and consider where there are material inconsistencies between the financial statements or my knowledge gained otherwise and other information.

In reading the annual report 2020, if I concluded that there are material misstatements, such matters shall be communicated to those charged with management. If there still are misstatements which have not been corrected, they will be included in the report to be tabled in Parliament by me in due course in terms of Article 154(6) of the Constitution

1.4 Responsibility of the Management and governing partners for Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standards and for such internal control as the management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatements, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing financial statements, it is the responsibility of the management to decide the sustainability of the University as a going concern and it is also the responsibility of the management to keep accounts on the basis of going concern and disclose matters relevant to the University as a going concern unless the management intends to liquidate the university or takes action to suspend its operations in the absence of any other alternative.

The responsibility concerning the financial reporting process of the University is borne by the governing parties.

In terms of Sub Section 16(1) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018, the University shall maintain proper books and records of all its income, expenditure, assets and liabilities, to enable annual and periodic financial statements to be prepared in respect of the University.

1.5 Auditor's responsibility regarding financial statements

My objective is to give reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement whether due to fraud or error and to issue auditor's report that includes my opinion. The reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted with in accordance with the Sri Lanka Accounting Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

I have conducted the audit in accordance with the Sri Lanka Accounting Standards maintaining professional judgment and professional scepticism. The auditor also,

- Identifies and assesses risks of material misstatements of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, designs and performs audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtains audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for the auditor's opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtains an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the University's internal control.

- Evaluates the appropriateness of the accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the management.
- Concludes on the appropriateness of the use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the University's ability to continue as a going concern. If I conclude that a material uncertainty exists, I am required to draw attention in my audit report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify my opinion. However, future events or conditions may cause the entity to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluates the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

I have communicated with those charged with governance regarding, the significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that I have identified during the audit.

2. Report on other legal and regulatory requirements

- 2.1 Special provisions are included in respect of the following requirements in the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018.
- 2.1.1 In terms of the requirements of section 12 (a) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018, I obtained all information and explanations required for the audit and as far as it appears from my inspection, the University had maintained proper financial reports.
- 2.1.2 In terms of the requirement indicated in Section 6(1)(d) (iii) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2008, the financial statements presented by the university are consistent with the preceding year.
- 2.1.3 In terms of the requirement of Section 6(1)(d) (iv) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2008, the recommendations made by me in the previous year have been included in the financial statements.
- 2.2 On the basis of the procedures followed and evidence obtained and being restricted within the material matters, nothing that warrants the making of the following statements did not come to my attention.
- 2.2.1 In terms of the requirement of section 12 (d) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018, whether any member of the governing body of the Ruhuna University has any interest, direct or otherwise, outside normal business status in any contract entered into by the University.
- 2.2.2 In terms of the requirement of Section 12(f) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018, whether the Ruhuna University has or has not complied with any applicable written law or other general or special directions issued by the governing council of the University, except for the following observations.

Reference to laws, rules and regulations	Observation
Subsection (xv) of Section 45(2) of the Universities Act No.16 of 1978	Without obtaining the approval of the UGC as required by the provisions of the Act, an excess sum of Rs. 79,755,690 of the Faculty of Post Graduates had been invested in 03 fixed deposits.
2.2.3 In terms of the requirement indicated in Section 12(g) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018, that the University had not performed according to its powers, functions and duties;	
2.2.4 In terms of the requirement indicated in Section 12(g) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018, that the resources of the University had not been procured and utilized economically, efficiently and effectively within the time frames and in compliance with the applicable laws;	
2.3 Other matters	
(a) In making payments for the posts of Field Assistant and Laboratory attendant (Part time) for the Asia Pacific Network (APN) Project after recruiting an employee, as a result of paying 2 allowances considering the two posts separately, Rs. 389,349 had been overpaid for the year under review. Though the validity period of the appointment had lapsed on 30 th May 2018, without extending the period, the services had been obtained and the allowance had been paid.	
(b) According to the Corporate Plan relevant to the period from 2014-2018, even though it had been planned to commence 22 new distance courses and 01 online course by the year 2018 and to develop curricula to conduct 60% of distant and continuous degree course as job-oriented courses, nothing had been in that regard.	
(c) Out of 26 students registered for the first batch of students for the postgraduate course on Peace and Development, only 05 and 07 had respectively completed second year and first year levels. Accordingly, even though 05 years had lapsed since the commencement of this degree course, 12 students or 46% had not completed the course.	
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(e) A sum of Rs. 236,920,753 is spent annually as research grant for the academic staff of the university and the research conducted and outcomes thereof have not been communicated to the people.	
(f) Research reports as relates to research grants amounting to Rs. 858,745 paid to 04 officers of the non-academic staff who do not currently serve in the university had not been submitted.	

W.P.C. Wickremaratne
Auditor General

2. Reply to the Auditor General's Report

Replies to the report submitted by the Auditor General in terms of section 12 of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018 on the financial statements of the University of Ruhuna for the year ended 31 December 2020 and for other legal and regulatory requirements

Paragraph No	Matter raised by the Auditor General	Reply given by the University
1	Financial Statements	
1.1	Opinion The audit of financial statements of the University of Ruhuna for the year ended 31 December 2020 comprising the statement of Financial Position as at 31 December 2020 and the statement of financial performance, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended and the summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information was carried out under my direction in pursuance of provisions in Article 154(1) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka read in conjunction with the provisions of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018. My report will be tabled in the Parliament in due course, in terms of sub section 154 (6) of the Constitution. In my opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the University of Ruhuna as at 31 December 2020 and its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standards.	For information
1.2	I carried out the audit in compliance with the Sri Lanka Auditing Standards (SLAS). My responsibility under these standards has been further described in the section entitled 'Auditor's responsibility in auditing the financial statements. I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my qualified opinion.	For information

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1.3	<u>Other information contained in the Annual Report 2020 of the University</u> Other information means information, though included in the Annual Report 2020 of the University which is expected to be handed over to me after the date of this audit but not included in the financial statements and in my audit report thereon. Those charged with management shall be responsible for other information. My opinion on the financial statements does not cover other information and I do not provide an assurance of any manner or express an opinion on it. My responsibility in relation to my audit regarding financial statements is to read other information whenever available and consider where there are material inconsistencies between the financial statements or my knowledge gained otherwise and other information. In reading the annual report 2020, if I concluded that there are material misstatements, such matters shall be communicated to those charged with management. If there still are misstatements which have not been corrected, they will be included in the report to be tabled in Parliament by me in due course in terms of Article 154(6) of the Constitution.	For information
1.4	<u>Responsibility of the Management for Financial Statements and governing partners</u> Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standards and for such internal control as the management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatements, whether due to fraud or error.	For information

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	In preparing financial statements, it is the responsibility of the management to decide the sustainability of the University as a going concern and it is also the responsibility of the management to keep accounts on the basis of going concern and disclose matters relevant to the University as a going concern unless the management intends to liquidate the university or takes action to suspend its operations in the absence of any other alternative. The responsibility concerning the financial reporting process of the University is borne by the governing parties. In terms of Sub Section 16(1) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018, the University shall maintain proper books and records of all its income, expenditure, assets and liabilities, to enable annual and periodic financial statements to be prepared in respect of the University.	For information
1.5	<u>Auditor's responsibility regarding financial statements</u> My objective is to give reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement whether due to fraud or error and to issue auditor's report that includes my opinion. The reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted with in accordance with the Sri Lanka Accounting Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements. I have conducted the audit in accordance with the Sri Lanka Accounting Standards maintaining professional judgment and professional scepticism. The auditor also	For information

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	Evaluates the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation. • Identifies and assesses risks of material misstatements of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, designs and performs audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtains audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for the auditor's opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. • Obtains an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the University's internal control. • Evaluates the appropriateness of the accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the management. • Concludes on the appropriateness of the use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the University's ability to continue as a going concern. If I conclude that a material uncertainty exists, I am required to draw attention in my audit report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify my opinion. However, future events or conditions may cause the entity to cease to continue as a going concern. • Evaluates the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.	For information

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	I have communicated with those charged with governance regarding, the significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that I have identified during the audit.	
2	<u>Report on other legal and regulatory requirements</u>	
2.1	Special provisions are included in respect of the following requirements in the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018.	For information
2.1.1	In terms of the requirements of section 12 (a) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018, I obtained all information and explanations required for the audit and as far as it appears from my inspection, the University had maintained proper financial reports.	For information
2.1.2	In terms of the requirement indicated in Section 6(1)(d) (iii) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2008, the financial statements presented by the university are consistent with the preceding year.	For information
2.1.3	In terms of the requirement of Section 6(1)(d) (iv) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2008, the recommendations made by me in the previous year have been included in the financial statements.	For information
2.2	On the basis of the procedures followed and evidence obtained and being restricted within the material matters, nothing that warrants the making of the following statements did not come to my attention.	For information
2.2.1	In terms of the requirement of section 12 (d) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018, whether any member of the governing body of the Ruhuna University has any interest, direct or otherwise, outside normal business status in any contract entered into by the University.	For information
2.2.2	In terms of the requirement of Section 12(f) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018, whether the Ruhuna University has or has not complied with any applicable written law or other general or special directions issued by the governing council of the University, except for the following observations.	

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	Reference to laws, rules and regulations	Observation	Reference to laws, rules and regulations	Observation
	Subsection (xv) of Section 45(2) of the Universities Act No.16 of 1978	Without obtaining the approval of the UGC as required by the provisions of the Act, an excess sum of Rs. 79,755,690 of the Faculty of Post Graduates had been invested in 03 fixed deposits.	Subsection (xv) of Section 45(2) of the Universities Act No.16 of 1978	We cannot agree with this matter pointed out in this audit query. What the subsection (xv) of Section 45(2) of the Universities Act No.16 of 1978 has stated is that the moneys can be invested in a bank approved by the UGC with the approval of the Governing Council. Accordingly, we have made all investments with the approval of the Governing Council and he approval of the UGC in People’s Bank in which all accounts are maintained.
2.2.3	In terms of the requirement indicated in Section 12(g) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018,that the University had not performed according to its powers, functions and duties;		In terms of the requirement indicated in Section 12(g) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018,that the University had performed according to its powers, functions and duties;	
2.2.4	In terms of the requirement indicated in Section 12(g) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018, that the resources of the University had not been procured and utilized economically, efficiently and effectively within the time frames and in compliance with the applicable laws;		In terms of the requirement indicated in Section 12(g) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018, that the resources of the University had been procured and utilized economically, efficiently and effectively within the time frames and in compliance with the applicable laws;	
2.3	Other matters (a) In making payments for the posts of Field Assistant and Laboratory attendant (Part time) for the Asia Pacific Network Project after recruiting an employee, as a result of paying 2 allowances considering the two posts separately, Rs. 389,349 had been overpaid for the year under review. Though the validity period of the appointment had lapsed on 30 th May 2018, without extending the period, the services had been obtained and the allowance had been paid.		The objective of this project was to study the greenhouse gases emitted from soil in cultivating diverse crops after the application of different types of fertilizers and the status of the soil. Soil samples had to be collected for a period of 02 years continually with samples being collected 03 times a day during the periods of cultivation as well as non-cultivation. Thus, during this two-year period 1500-2000 soil samples were collected. The collected samples then had to be stored in a freezer in order to keep their composition unchanged and the ground and powdered soil samples had to be dispatched to the laboratory of QUT University Australia for further analysis. Similarly 6000-7000 samples of greenhouse gases had to be collected during the 2-year period. For this purpose, chambers were placed over the soil and the gas had to be inserted delicately into a vial using a syringe with needles.	

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		This was a task which required meticulous training. The Project Assistant appointed to the project was well-trained in this process. The service of the Project Assistant was extremely important for maintaining the accuracy of the collection of data and ensuring uninterrupted supply of samples to the laboratory of QUT University. On days samples were not collected, his services were obtained for laboratory activities as he was well trained in such activities. Accordingly, you are informed that payments were made to him without exceeding the approved amount as per the sum pre-approved for him (according to the time he worked in the laboratory).												
	(b) According to the Corporate Plan relevant to the period from 2014-2018, even though it had been planned to commence 22 new distance courses and 01 online course by the year 2018 and to develop curricula to conduct 60% of distant and continuous degree course as job-oriented courses, nothing had been in that regard.	For the commencement of courses from 2015 as set forth in the Corporate Plan, regional centres were established in Galle and Hambantota by Distant and Continuing Education Unit and applications were called for various job oriented courses. But, except for English and Tamil language courses, sufficient applications were not received for other courses. Though arrangements necessary had been made for conducting the B.A. General (External) Degree as an online course, it could not be conducted as planned since the Unit did not receive the relevant software.												
	(c) Out of 26 students registered for the first batch of students for the postgraduate course on Peace and Development, only 05 and 07 had respectively completed second year and first year levels. Accordingly, even though 05 years had lapsed since the commencement of this degree course, 12 students or 46% had not completed the course.	Agree with the audit observation. According to the current status of the course, 26 students had registered for the first batch and 14 of them had not completed the course. Though reminders were sent from time to time to by letters and emails, only a few students had applied for the completion of SLQF 09. <table><tr><th colspan="2">By the audited date</th><th colspan="2">By the audited date</th></tr><tr><th>SLQF 09</th><th>SLQF 10</th><th>SLQF 09</th><th>SLQF 10</th></tr><tr><td>07</td><td>05</td><td>06</td><td>06</td></tr></table>	By the audited date		By the audited date		SLQF 09	SLQF 10	SLQF 09	SLQF 10	07	05	06	06
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	(d) Action had not been taken to settle research grants totaling Rs. 3,149,340 provided to 26 lecturers during the years 2018 and 2019 even by October of the year under review.	Non-settled research advances submitted for the years 2018/2019 had been settled by 03.11.2020 and their journal numbers are given below. For the immediate settlement of the remaining non-settled advances, letters have been sent inquiring about the delays.												

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		Date	Recipient lecturer	Amount (Rs)	Journal No:
		09.08.2019	Dr. Mrs Anurudhdhika	75,000.00	J/361
		09.08.2019	Dr. Sujeewa Wimalasena	100,000.00	J/362
		03.12.2019	Dr. Sujeewa Wimalasena	34,500.00	J/362
		03.12.2019	Dr. Mrs Anurudhdhika	34,500.00	J/361
		26.11.2019	Dr. R.P.S. Chandrasena	150,000.00	J/360
		29.10.2019	D.S.D. Silva	75,000.00	J/359
	(e) A sum of Rs. 236,920,753 is spent annually as research grant for the academic staff of the university and the researches conducted and outcomes thereof have not been communicated to the people.	Conference papers and/or journal papers are published regularly. On the outcome of such researches the relevant students or teachers continue research activities and they continue their postgraduate courses on the basis of outcomes or conclusions of such researches. Therefore, it is wished to be stated that all researches conducted improve the scientific path of researchers, help in creating new researchers, provide sources to researchers and contribute for the socioeconomic and attitudinal advancement of people locally as well as internationally.			
	(f) Research reports as relates to research grants amounting to Rs. 858,745 paid to 04 officers of the non-academic staff who do not currently serve in the university had not been submitted.	The officers referred to had obtained research grant having submitted the research proposal and from the time they are transferred to another university, the payment of research grant by this university is terminated. Therefore this university does not intend to present their final reports.			

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