



# **ANNUAL REPORT AND ACCOUNTS 2022**

**UNIVERSITY OF JAFFNA  
SRI LANKA**



*Late Sir Ponnambalam Ramanathan – Philanthropist and Great Scholar Statesmen who donated the land and buildings to establish University of Jaffna as an independent University*

*The Annual Report 2022 of the University of Jaffna provides a comprehensive summary of the University's achievements. This is prepared following the standard format prescribed by the Ministry of Higher Education and covers the activities and performances of the University during the period from 01.01.2022 to 31.12.2022. It is presented in compliance with National Audit Act no 19 of 2018, Public Enterprises Guidelines and Section 12.7 University Act 16 of 1978. The information submitted by the respective Faculties, Departments, Centres, Units, Finance Branch, Establishment, Examination, Admission, Academic, Administrative and Welfare Sections of the University are compiled to give an overall view of the progress delivered by the University.*

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### **OUR VISION**

To be a leading Centre of excellence in teaching, learning, research and innovation, scholarship and community engagement.

### **OUR MISSION**

To produce intellectually and professionally competent graduates and postgraduates, in alignment with current and emerging needs of the national and international community, engage in research, innovation and research commercialization, promote scholarship and engage with industry and community with a special emphasis on the social, economic and cultural needs of Northern Sri Lanka.

## CORPORATE GOALS/ VALUES/ NORMS

<b>Goal 1</b> Promoting and sustaining quality of teaching and learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ To bring continuous quality improvement in teaching and learning process</li> <li>➤ To produce readily employable graduates</li> <li>➤ To broaden the activities of CODL</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 2</b> Strengthening Research and Innovation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ To promote quality publications</li> <li>➤ To encourage researches on regional concerns</li> <li>➤ To disseminate research findings</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 3</b> Strengthening the governance of the University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ To articulate vision and mission of the University among the stakeholders</li> <li>➤ To prepare and implement bylaws, guiding principles and policies</li> <li>➤ To promote transparency and accountability</li> <li>➤ To mitigate conflict of interest</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 4</b> Developing Human and Physical Capital	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ To develop capacity of academic, academic support, administrative staff and other employees</li> <li>➤ To Improve wellbeing of University community and promoting organizational citizenship behavior</li> <li>➤ To develop necessary infrastructure facilities to the university community</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 5</b> Expanding Service Coverage Within and Outside the University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ To engage in community empowerment</li> <li>➤ To increase the capacity of the University</li> </ul>

## CORE VALUES

<b>Excellence:</b>	Promoting excellence in all activities by exploiting the full potentials
<b>Integrity:</b>	Constant pursuit of being exemplary in maintaining the highest professional and ethical standards through trust, honesty, and respect.
<b>Accountability:</b>	Ensuring good governance and management with a high degree of efficiency and productivity.
<b>Freedom of Thought and Expression:</b>	Courageously exploring knowledge and ensuring freedom of thought and expression.
<b>Co-creation:</b>	Fostering ingenuity, creativity, and innovation through collaborative development of impactful research and innovation, and research commercialization.
<b>Community Engagement:</b>	Transforming lives of the community and the nation through identifying their needs and challenges and applying the knowledge creation for the benefit of the community and national development.
<b>Respect for Conservation of Nature:</b>	Influencing, encouraging, and assisting societies to conserve the integrity and diversity of nature and to ensure equitable and ecologically sustainable usage of natural resources in line with the mission of International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN)
<b>Unity in Diversity:</b>	Respecting, recognizing, and valuing all people with equality, civility and dignity
<b>Discernment:</b>	Spirit of perceiving wisdom; an organized form of life
<b>Intellectual virtues:</b>	Qualities of mind and character that promote intellectual flourishing, critical thinking, and the pursuit of truth

## IMPELLING AND IMPEDING FORCES (SWOT Analysis)


### Impelling Forces

#### STRENGTH

- Geographical location of the University
- Good governance
- Institutional goals/ Expansion facilities
- Competent and qualified staff
- Sound academic programmes covering global and regional academic needs
- Well-founded postgraduate catering the current needs of the society
- Multicultural/ multiethnic student population/ community
- Undergraduate programmes through 10 faculties
- Diverse fields of studies
- STEM education
- Committed employees exhibiting good team work
- High involvement in community engagement
- Regular revision and updating of Curriculum
- Physical resources/ infrastructure
- International collaboration with reputed institutions
- Well established CODL, Wellbeing Centre and UBL

#### OPPORTUNITY

- Substantial amount of consolidated funding
- Green technology development
- Global economic support
- Cultural support
- Demand for postgraduate programmes
- Strong diaspora community
- Growing demand for STEM graduates
- Opportunities for sharing expertise
- UGC-online admission
- Educational resources
- Demand for consultancy services
- Paradigm change in activities, operations, modes of academic programmes due to pandemic
- Opportunity for research development

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- Experienced staff in project development and securing grants
  - Upgraded Teaching Learning Methods
  - Agile University Community incorporating state of art education technology
  - University having faculties for indigenous studies with community support
  - Well-developed bylaws, policies, strategic planning and MIS
  - Up to date research repository
  - High involvement in community health service
  - Functions of media unit
  - Well established Library
  - New faculties in STEM disciplines established with good physical resources and residential facilities
  - Regular research conferences conducted by the University
  - Regular year-around sports activities
  - Management committed to develop business models
  - Postgraduate training in advanced technology
  - IT specialist/ resources/ IT facilities/ IT centre
  - Well established Indoor Stadium
  - Installation of Solar Plants and energy conservation

### Impeding Forces

#### WEAKNESS

- Monolingual programmes in some faculties
- Lack of residential facilities in main premises
- Weak multilingual fluency among staff
- Lack of self-learning capacity
- Remote location away from capital of the country
- Lower level industrial training facilities
- Inadequate IT equipments
- Poor economic background of the majority of the students
- Limited activities for self-generation of funds
- Poor commercialization of research
- Long graduates' transition period
- Unemployment and underemployment of the graduates
- Lack of space for future expansion for some fields and faculties
- Lack of entrepreneurial mindset/ Business engagement

#### THREATS

- Attractive offers to academics from other institutions
- Low English proficiency
- Proliferation of foreign and private Universities
- Availability of professional courses outside
- Better infrastructure facilities in other Universities
- Reduced scholarship opportunities
- Disadvantageous geographic location of the University
- Rigid administrative and financial procedures

## MESSAGE FROM THE VICE CHANCELLOR

I am indeed elated to share my reflections on the special events, achievements and remarkable progress in various spheres of university activities in the year 2022. Despite economic turmoil in the country the University of Jaffna has taken rapid strides in the direction of development and expansion to deliver on its vision. Strategic plan for the university has been revamped after in-depth deliberations. Statements of vision and mission and core strategies were modified. Core values of the university have been clearly articulated. New version of strategic plan was designed and developed with five major goals to achieve the vision of the university.

The Ramanathan Academy of Fine Arts has been upgraded into a faculty: and named as “Sir Pon. Ramanathan Faculty of Performing and Visual Arts” with six Departments of Studies. It has turned out to be the newest addition to the faculties of the University of Jaffna with the gazette notification dated 16<sup>th</sup> August 2022. The university has fulfilled all the necessary steps towards the establishment of another faculty, namely, Faculty of Siddha Medicine and the UGC has approved the proposal to establish the faculty. Actions were also initiated towards the establishment of the Faculty of Marine Sciences and Aquatic Resources Technology. In the meantime, the first batch of students for the degree of Bachelor of Science Honours in Physical Education was admitted under the faculty of Allied Health Sciences in 2022, while the Sri Lanka Nursing Council granted approval for the degree programme conducted by the Faculty of Allied Health Science for accreditation, which are significant milestones for the faculty and the university. The transition of University of Vavuniya established in October, 2021 by upgrading the former Vavuniya Campus of the University of Jaffna was facilitated by the University of Jaffna in 2022, as requested and directed by the UGC. The affairs of students admitted to the former Vavuniya Campus of the University of Jaffna are regulated by the Senate and the Council of the University of Jaffna with the assistance of respective authorities of the University of Vavuniya. Asset transfers, internal auditing, AHEAD project activities are also facilitated by the University of Jaffna in this regard.

In 2022, 428 students obtained postgraduate qualifications including Ph.D, M.phil, MA, M.Ed. MBA and Postgraduate Diploma. The university also produced 4196 graduates of whom 3813 were internal candidates and 383 were external candidates. Two convocations (35<sup>th</sup> part II and 36<sup>th</sup> part I) were held in March and October.

The university was able to maintain a satisfactory level of services and necessary facilities to the staff and students. The university, despite all the calamity prevailed in the external environment functioned and continued its academic programmes without any interruption. All the programs were conducted on direct mode even during the fuel crisis that shook the country in an unprecedented manner. Students were encouraged and facilitated by various means to stay in the hostels and attend their academic programmes in person. Student enthusiasm and staff commitment were very high to overcome the problems. Due to the current economic crisis of the country, it was observed that a sizeable number of students were not able to have proper meal at affordable price. Witnessing the inability of those students to have proper meal, a couple of academic staff conceived an idea to provide mid-day meal to the needy students through a ‘Community Kitchen Model’ in which a group of people meet on a regular basis to plan, cook and share healthy, affordable meals. The Community Kitchen project is being sustained for last year and continued to be in operation. An initiative was taken to promote harmony and healthy environment among staff by having a University Cricket League tournament that was conducted with much enthusiasm. Further, a Response Management System to address concerns at the faculty level or university level has also been approved by the Council as a vital tool of quality enhancement process in the University of Jaffna to effectively deal and promptly address the concerns expressed by staff members and students. I am pleased to say that all these give ample testimony to enthusiasm and commitment of staff and students to continue academic activities.

Infrastructure development activities were strategized to meet the challenges and uncertainties faced during the year. Department of Computer Science has moved into its new-state-of-the-art building and with all the equipment and amenities for which generous help received from the alumni of the department was noted with gratitude. Ingenious ways were adopted to spearhead and expedite the construction works of Eight-storied building for Clinical Departments of the Faculty of Medicine and Engineering Technology and Biosystems Technology building (phase I) of the Faculty of Technology. Building for Clinical Departments went from a very low level of 45% physical progress to 85 % despite all the challenges including fund restrictions, price



escalation, material unavailability or shortage. Even more heartwarming is the completion of Engineering Technology and Biosystems Technology building- phase I that is very massive in its size and majestic in its appearance. I am fully satisfied with what we have managed to accomplish through the support of the Council. The Technology faculty which had its first batch graduated in the year 2022 moved from its temporary building to this new building this year much to the delight of the students. Another new building for the faculty is under construction under AHEAD grant as Phase II.

In the sphere of collaboration, a significant number of Memorandums of Understanding (MOUs) were signed with local and international universities and other reputed organizations. These collaborative arrangements included staff and student exchange programmes and external support expected to improve the facilities of the University of Jaffna in order to enhance quality of higher education provided by the university. These initiatives will positively impact the academic, research and other activities carried out by the university. Moreover, numerous outreach activities, community engagement projects, seminars and workshops that were carried out by the centres such as Centre for Science Education, Centre for Gender Equity and Equality, University Business Linkage unit of the university strengthened further the ties and links with community and contributed to sustainable development of the country.

Many staff members and students were awarded several prestigious international scholarships and fellowships. Jaffna University International Research Conference (JUICE) is a triennial conference organized by the University of Jaffna. The JUICE also had an interesting transformation to be more productive academic exercise. In the history of the Sri Lankan Universities, JUICE-2022 was made to be the very first umbrella conference. It was noteworthy that under the exquisite JUICE banner eleven satellite conferences were held, which were successfully organized by the Faculties, the Library, the Center for Gender Equity and Equality, Unit of Siddha Medicine of the University of Jaffna and Department of Tamil for Kandiah Karthigasu Trust Fund. Besides, fourteen memorial lectures and numerous workshops were conducted. Faculties, Administrative Departments, and Units are continuously updating the website to improve the University Rank. As the result of these concerted efforts the University of Jaffna was able to secure the first place under innovation category and the third place based on overall assessment within Sri Lanka in the SCImago ranking of 2022. The Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce of the University of Jaffna has become first in Sri Lanka in SCImago Institutions Rankings (SIR) in the domain of business, management and accounting. It is also praiseworthy that research activities and publications have increased during 2022 and two patents were received and two licensing agreements for commercialization were signed as a result of the research projects that were carried out by staff and students while two more applications are lodged for patents by the university from another two projects.

I hope that the Annual report 2022 prepared to document all these achievements and general progress in the year under review will give a glimpse of what we, in the University of Jaffna, strived for. It also captures the moments that we cherish the most. I convey my sincere gratitude to the Ministry of Education, University Grants Commission, members of the Council, members of the Senate, all the Deans, the Registrar, the Bursar, Heads of Departments, Academic Staff, Administrative staff, other staff members and all the other stakeholders of the University of Jaffna for their unstinted support and unwavering commitment that made possible for the university to ascend to new heights in the year. I envision a brighter future for the University of Jaffna for more and more achievements with our collective efforts as in 2022.



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### **ABBREVIATIONS**

<b>UGC</b>	- University Grants Commission
<b>UOJ</b>	- University of Jaffna
<b>J&amp;K Premises</b>	- Jaffna and Kilinichchi Premises
<b>AHS</b>	- Allied Health Sciences
<b>MS&amp;C</b>	- Management Studies and Commerce
<b>SPRFPVA</b>	- Sir Ponnambalam Ramanathan Faculty of Performing and Visual Arts
<b>USM</b>	- Unit of Siddha Medicine
<b>CODL</b>	- Centre for Open and Distance Learning
<b>CGU</b>	- Career Guidance Unit
<b>SDC</b>	- Staff Development Centre
<b>CGEE</b>	- Centre for Gender Equity and Equality
<b>CQA</b>	- Centre for Quality Assurance
<b>UBL</b>	- University Business Linkage
<b>SP&amp;MIS</b>	- Strategic Planning and Management Information System
<b>CSE</b>	- Centre for Science Education
<b>ERC</b>	- Ethics Review Committee
<b>MOU</b>	- Memorandum of Understandings
<b>MOA</b>	- Memorandum of Agreement
<b>JUICe</b>	- Jaffna University International Conference
<b>AHEAD</b>	- Accelerating Higher Education Expansion and Development

# 1. Introduction

## 1.1. Review of the University of Jaffna

University of Jaffna originated from Jaffna Campus of the University of Sri Lanka. The Jaffna Campus of the University of Sri Lanka was ceremonially inaugurated on the 6<sup>th</sup> October 1974, at the Parameshwara College premises by the then Honorable Prime Minister of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka late Mrs. Sirimavo Bandaranaike.

The Parameshwara College was a premier Hindu Educational Institution in Jaffna founded in August 1921 by Sir Pon. Ramanathan, who was a leading Hindu Educationist, Great Scholar, Nationally acclaimed Statesman and Philanthropist.

With the implementation of the Universities Act No.16 of 1978, and by Gazette notification dated 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1978, the Jaffna Campus became an independent and autonomous university bearing the name of University of Jaffna. At the inception, the Jaffna Campus had only two faculties namely Faculty of Science and Faculty of Humanities. Later, Ramanathan Academy of Fine Arts, which was established in memory of Sir Pon. Ramanathan, in order to promote the education of Tamil classical music and Bharathanatyam, was also taken over by the then Jaffna campus of the University of Sri Lanka.

Now, University of Jaffna is the home of eleven faculties with 68 Academic Departments and several Academic/Service/Support Units/Centers.

University of Jaffna is continued to function with devotion to the cause of higher education for a half of a century and has become not only a center of excellence but also a truly national university, where students from all parts of the country would find it an effective learning environment conducive for higher studies and research. The University of Jaffna has widely expanded over the years and at present has 11777 undergraduates and 645 postgraduates students.

The University of Jaffna is committed to pursuit of the truth in diverse fields. The academic community of the university is committed to create an atmosphere of academic excellence by maintaining high quality of teaching, research and scholarship in advanced learning with dissemination and enhancement of knowledge, intellectual and professional competence, equality and fairness.

### Faculties, Units and Centres

The university has academic entities including the three faculties in the Ariviyalnagar, Kilinochchi premises which has a total land area of 568 acres. Detail are as follows:

#### (A) Jaffna Premises:

1. Faculty of Arts
2. Faculty of Graduate Studies
3. Faculty of Medicine
4. Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce
5. Faculty of Science
6. Faculty of Allied Health Sciences
  - Sports Science Unit
7. Faculty of Hindu Studies
8. Sir Ponnambalam Ramanathan Faculty of Performing and Visual Arts (SPRFPVA)

#### Kilinochchi Premises:

9. Faculty of Agriculture
10. Faculty of Engineering
11. Faculty of Technology

#### Other Degree awarding entities (Jaffna)

1. Siddha Medicine Unit (USM)

#### (B) Affiliated Units:

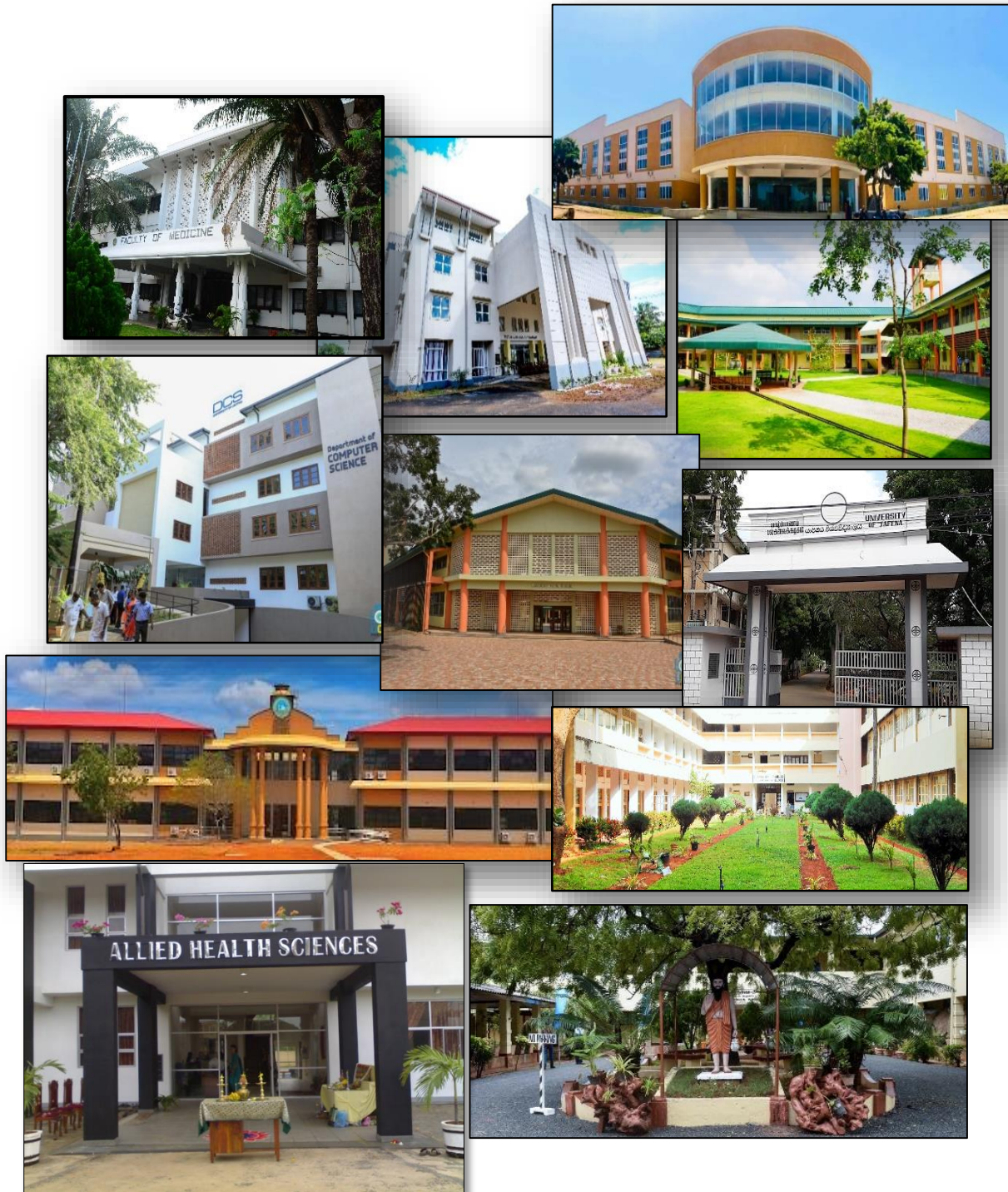
The University has five (05) affiliated Units:

1. Career Guidance Unit (CGU)
2. Computer Unit
3. Physical Education Unit
4. Strategic Planning and Management Information System Unit (SP&MIS)
5. University Business Linkage Unit (UBL)

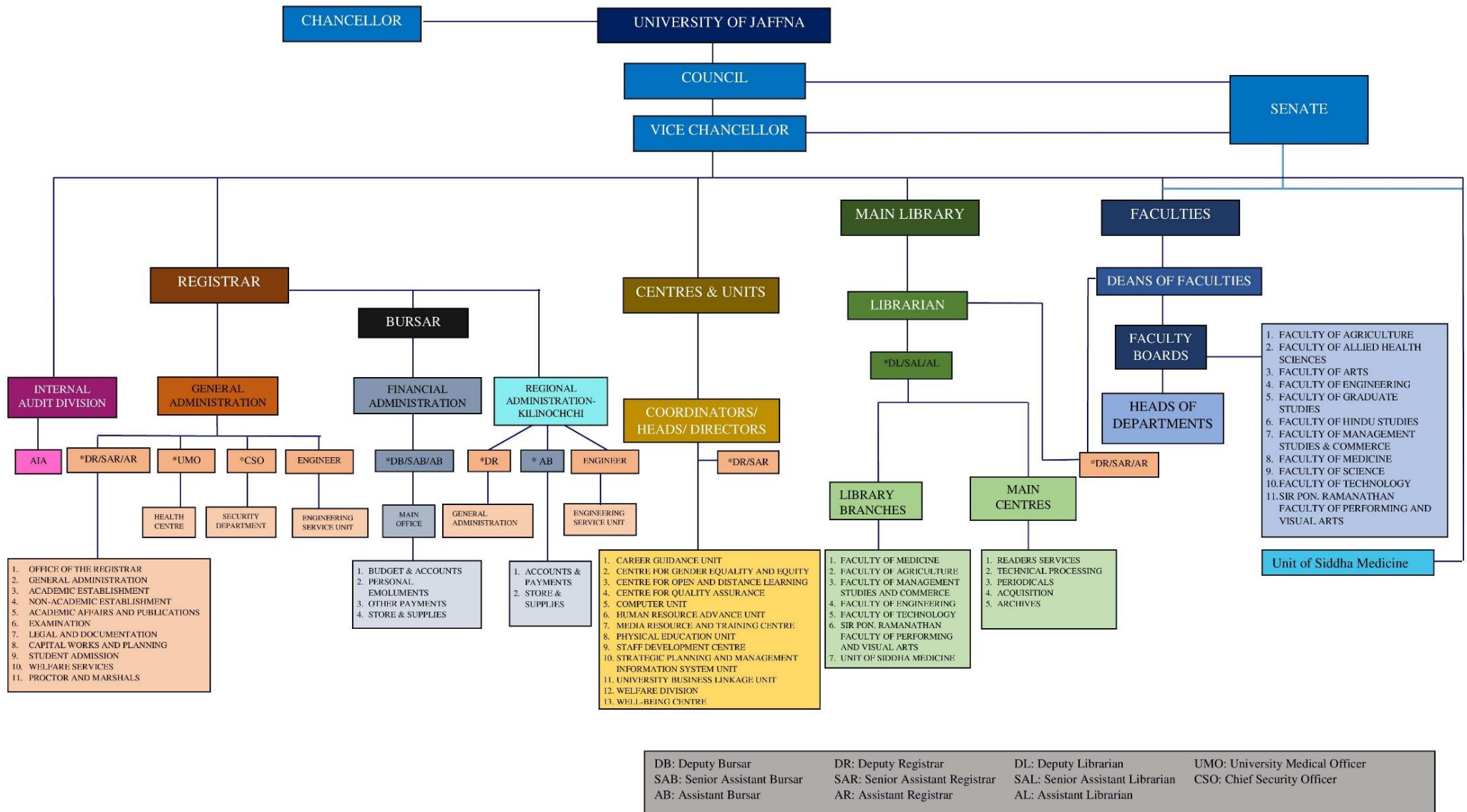
## Centres

The University has the following five (05) Centres.

1. Centre for Open and Distance Learning (CODL)
2. Centre for Quality Assurance (CQA)
3. Centre for Gender Equity and Equality Centre (CGEE)
4. Staff Development Centre (SDC)
5. Well Being Centre



## 1.2. Organizational Chart



DB: Deputy Bursar      DR: Deputy Registrar      DL: Deputy Librarian      UMO: University Medical Officer  
 SAB: Senior Assistant Bursar      SAR: Senior Assistant Registrar      SAL: Senior Assistant Librarian      CSO: Chief Security Officer  
 AB: Assistant Bursar      AR: Assistant Registrar      AL: Assistant Librarian

### 1.3. The Council

The Council of the university, which is the governing authority, is constituted in terms of section 44 of the Universities Act No. 07 of 1985. The University Council is the governing authority of the university, which constitutes from the following members. The Vice Chancellor (as the ex-officio Chairperson), Deans of eleven faculties, two representatives from the Senate, and fifteen members appointed by the UGC.

#### Ex-officio Members:

Prof.S.Srisatkunarajah	-Vice-Chancellor (Chairman)
Prof.S.Vasantharuba	-Dean, Faculty of Agriculture
Mrs.D.Thabotharan	-Dean, Faculty of Allied Health Sciences
Prof.K.Suthakar	-Dean, Faculty of Arts
Dr.K.Pirapaharan	-Dean, Faculty of Engineering
Dr.(Mrs.)S.Srimuralitharan	-Dean, Faculty of Hindu Studies
Mr.S.Padmanaban (From 05.11.2022)	
Prof.R.Surenthirakumaran	-Dean, Faculty of Medicine
Prof.B.Nimalathasan	-Dean, Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce
Prof.S.Kannathasan	-Dean, Faculty of Graduate Studies
Prof.P.Ravirajan	-Dean, Faculty of Science
Prof.(Mrs.)S. Sivachandran	-Dean, Faculty of Technology
Mr.S.Sivaruban (From 05.10.2022)	-Dean, Sir Pon Ramanathan Faculty of Performing and Visual Arts

#### Members appointed by the UGC: [from 30.01.2020 to 15.01.2023]

Name	Affiliation
Prof. P. Balasundarampillai	-Former Vice Chancellor, University of Jaffna
Mr. P. Sutharsan	-Assistant Zonal Director of Education, Kilinochchi
Mr. P. Thiyagarajah	-Former Member of Provincial Public Service Commission
Mr. K. Rushangan	-Educational Career Consultant, Northern Province
Mr. V. Suthagar	-Chief Engineer, Road Development Authority, Jaffna District
Mr. K.Sivaram	-Director, MK Agri Products (Pvt) Ltd
Mr.V.Kanagasabapathy	-Retired Director General of Public Enterprise
Mr. T. Vignaraja	-Former Judge
Mr. M. Thiruvathavooran	-Attorney at Law
Dr. Aru Thirumurugan	-Retired Principal
Mr. T. Vimalan	-District Director, Land Reform Commission
Prof. Mahinda S Rupasinghe	-Former Vice-Chancellor, Sabaragamuwa University of Sri Lanka
Prof. Kumudu Wijewardana	-Former Professor, Department of Community Medicine, University of Sri Jayewardenepura
Mr.T. Sivarajah	-Retired Senior Administrative Secretary, Postal Department
Rev.Prof.G.Pilendran	-Former Professor, Department of Christian & Islamic Civilization, Faculty of Arts
Mr. V.Vithurson (from 15.01.2020 to 26.03.2022)	-Diplomat, Third Secretary rank High Commission of Sri Lanka to the United Kingdom

#### Members elected by the Senate:

Prof.G.Mikunthan	Senior Professor in Agricultural Biology, Department of Agricultural Biology, Faculty of Agriculture
Prof.K.Velauthamurty	Professor in Chemistry, Department of Chemistry, Faculty of Science

#### Secretary

Mr.V.Kandeepan	Secretary- (Ex officio)(Registrar of the University)
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## COUNCIL OF THE UNIVERSITY OF JAFFNA, SRI LANKA- 2022



Seated : Mr.M.Thiruvathavooran, Rev.Prof.G.Pilendran, Mr.T.Vimalan, Mr.P.Sutharsan, Mr.V.Suthagar, Mr.P.Thiyagarajah, Prof.S.Srisatkunarajah (Left to Right) (Vice Chancellor), Mr.V.Kanagasabapathy, Prof. P.Balasundarampillai, Dr. Aru Thirumurugan, Mr.T. Sivarajah, Mr.V.Kandeepan (Registrar)

Standing : Dr.(Mrs).S.Srimuralitharan (Dean/ Hindu Studies), Prof.S.Kannathasan (Dean/ Graduate Studies), Dr.K.Pirapaharan (Dean/Engineering), (Left to Right) Prof.B.Nimalathasan (Dean/ Management Studies & Commerce), Prof.K.Velauthamurthy (Rep. of Senate), Dr.S.Vasantharuba (Dean/Agriculture), Prof.R.Surenthirakumaran (Dean/ Medicine), Prof.K.Suthakar (Dean/Arts), Prof.G.Mikunthan (Rep. of Senate), Prof.P.Ravirajan (Dean/ Science), Mrs.D.Thabotharan (Dean/Allied Health Sciences)

Absent : Mr. K. Rushangan, Mr. K. Sivaram, Mr. V. Vithurson, Mr. T. Vignaraja, Prof. M. S. Rupasinghe, Prof. Kumudu Wijewardana, Prof.(Mrs).S.Sivachandran (Dean/Technology)

## 1.4. The Senate

The University Senate, which is the academic authority, is constituted in terms of Section 46(2) of the Universities Act.No.16 of 1978, as amended by the Universities (Amendment) Act No 7 of 1985. During the year under review 2022 it consisted of the following members.

<b>Ex-Officio</b>		
<b>Designation</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Period</b>
<b>Chairman:</b> Vice-Chancellor (Ex officio)	Prof .S.Srisatkunarahah	28/08/2020-25.08.2023
<b>Deans of the Faculties</b>		
Arts	Prof.K.Suthakar	20/01/2020-19/01/2023
Agriculture	Prof..S.Vasantharuba	29/06/2021-28/06/2024
Engineering	Dr.K.Pirapaharan	24/06/2021-23/06/2024
Graduate Studies	Prof.S.Kannathasan	27/04/2021-26/04/2024
Medicine	Prof.R.Surenthirakumaran	13/09/2021-12/09/2024
Management Studies & Commerce	Prof.B.Nimalathasan	15/08/2020-14/08/2023
Science	Prof. P.Ravirajan	31/05/2020-30/05/2023
Technology	Prof.(Mrs.).S.Sivachandran	19/07/2021-18/07/2024
Hindu Studies	Mr.S.Padmanaban	06/11/2022-05/11/2025
Allied Health Sciences	Mrs.D.Thabotharan	02/06/2020-01/06/2023
SPRFPVA	Mr.S.Sivaruban	05/10/2022-04/10/2025
<b>Heads of the Departments</b>		
Philosophy	Mrs.A.Rajkumar	03/10/2022-02/10/2025
Fine Arts	Dr.T.Sanathanan	01/09/2022-31/08/2025
Linguistics and English	Mrs.K.Navakulan	01/08/2022-31/07/2025
Education	Dr.(Mrs.).J.Rasanayagam	05/02/2021-04/02/2024
Chi. Civilization	Rev.Dr.Paul Rohan	01/05/2020-30/04/2023
Geography	Dr.A.Antonyrajan	02/08/2021-01/08/2024
History	Prof.K.Arunthavarajah	01/01/2021-31/12/2023
Economics	Prof.S.Santhirasegaram	01/03/2020-28/02/2023
Political Science	Prof.K.T.Ganeshalingam	07/02/2022-06/02/2025
Sanskrit	Dr.M.Balakailanathasharma	06/11/2022-05/12/2025
Tamil	Prof.M.Ragunathan	01/04/2020-31/01/2023
English Language Teaching	Dr.K.Sanmuganathan	01/03/2021-28/02/2024
Information and Communication Centre	Mr.M.Ramanan	01/07/2022-30/06/2025
Law	Mrs.T.Shayanthan	05/03/2020-04/03/2023
Translation Studies	Dr.S.K.Kannathas	16/04/2020-15/04/2023
Sociology	Dr.S.Jeevasuthan	01/07/2020-30/06/2023
Media Studies	Dr.S.Raguram	27/03/2022-26/03/2025
Music	Ms.P.Kaneshakambar	01/09/2022-31/08/2025
Instrumental Music	Mrs.S.Niranjan	01/09/2022-31/08/2025
Dance	Ms.M.Aruliah	01/09/2022-31/08/2025
Painting	Mr.V.Balamurugan	05/10/2022-04/10/2025
Sculpture	Mr.M.Manokar	01/09/2022-31/08/2025
Drama and Theatre Arts	Dr.(Mrs).N.Karunaharan	01/09/2022-31/08/2025
Financial Management	Prof. (Mrs.).L.Kengatharan	20/12/2022-19/12/2025
Marketing	Mr.M.Karunanithy	01/02/2020-31/01/2023
Human Resource Management	Mrs.T.Raveendran	01/02/2020-31/01/2023
Accounting	Mr.S.Balaputhiran	15/08/2020-14/08/2023
Commerce	Dr.S.Achchuthan	01/08/2022-31/07/2025
Chemistry	Dr.P.Iyngaran	01/06/2020-31/05/2023
Botany	Dr.E.C.Jeyaseelan	03/10/2022-02/10/2025
Zoology	Dr.(Mrs.).A.Sivaruban	01/05/2021-30/04/2024
Computer Science	Mr.S.Suthakar	01/10/2020-30/09/2023
Physics	Dr.T.Pathmathas	01/07/2020-30/06/2023
Mathematics and Statistics	Mrs.N.Satkunathan	18/11/2022-17/11/2025
Fisheries	Prof.(Mrs.).S.Kuganathan	01/08/2021-31/07/2024
Anatomy	Dr(Mrs).S.Udhayakumar	01/08/2021-31/07/2024
Obstetrics and Gynecology	Dr.K.Muhunthan	02/05/2020-01/05/2023
Physiology	Dr.(Mrs.).T.SunilNavaratinaraja	08/11/2022-07/02/2023
Forensic Medicine	Dr.S.Kumaran	13/09/2021-12/09/2024
Pediatrics	Dr.(Mrs.).N.Umasankar	01/05/2020-30/04/2023
Community and Family Medicine	Dr.P.A.D.Coonghe	09/04/2022-08/04/2025

Medicine	Dr.(Mrs.).S.Vathulan	01/06/2022-31/05/2025
Microbiology	Dr.(Mrs.).V.Ambalavanar	01/12/2022-30/11/2025
Surgery	Dr.S.Gobishangar	14/03/2022-13/03/2025
Pathology	Dr.(Mrs.).H.Sivakumar	01/11/2020-31/10/2023
Biochemistry	Prof.R.Surendrakumaran	19/11/2022-12/09/2024
Psychiatry	Dr.N.Suganthan	27/12/2022-26/01/2023
Pharmacology	Dr.(Mrs.).T.SunilNavaratinaraja	01/03/2020-28/02/2023
Parasitology	Dr.A.Muruganathan	27/05/2021-26/05/2024
Nursing	Mrs.L.Kamalarupan	12/07/2020-11/07/2023
Pharmacy	Mr.P.Kalki	16/03/2020-15/03/2023
Medical Laboratory Sciences	Mrs.T.J.Gnanakarunyan	02/03/2020-01/03/2023
Agronomy	Dr.(Mrs).L.Pradheeban	29/06/2021-28/06/2024
Agricultural Chemistry	Prof.(Mrs.).N.Gnanavelrajah	29/06/2021-28/06/2024
Agricultural Biology	Dr.K.Pakeerathan	02/04/2022-01/04/2025
Agricultural Engineering	Dr.N.Kannan	03/11/2021-02/11/2024
Agricultural Economics	Dr.K.Sooriyakumar	29/09/2021-28/09/2024
Animal Science	Prof.(Ms).J.Sinniah	02/09/2022-01/09/2025
Inter Disciplinary Studies (Engineering)	Dr.P.Kathirgamanathan	05/07/2021-04/07/2024
Civil Engineering	Dr.B.Ketheesan	01/02/2022-31/01/2025
Computer Engineering	Dr.A.Kaneswaran	27/09/2022-26/09/2025
Electrical and Electronic Engineering	Dr.K.Ahilan	01/08/2022-31/07/2025
Mechanical Engineering	Dr.(Mrs).T.Thanihaichelvan	01.10.2022-30.09.2025
Inter Disciplinary Studies (Technology)	Dr.T.Ketheesan	20/07/2021-19/07/2024
Engineering Technology	Dr.S.Gowthaman	01/02/2022-31/01/2025
Bio Systems technology	Ms.K.Srikantha	06/12/2022-05/01/2023
Saiva Siddhantha	Mr.P.Chandrasegaram	06/08/2022-05/08/2025
Hindu Civilization	Dr.S.Muhunthan	13/03/2020-12/03/2023

**Professors: Under Section 46(2)(h) of the Universities (Amendment)Act No.07 of 1985**

<b>Designation</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Date of Appointment</b>
Professor in Agronomy	Prof.(Mrs.).S.Sivachandran	14/12/2019
Senior Professor in Agricultural Biology	Prof.G.Mikunthan	27/11/2017
Professor in Agricultural Biology	Prof.G.Thirukkumaran	04/04/2017
Professor in Agricultural Chemistry	Prof.(Mrs.).N.Gnanavelrajah	13/05/2016
Professor in Agricultural Chemistry	Prof.S.Vasantharuba	13/12/2019
Professor in Animal Science	Prof.(Ms.).J.Sinniah	07/06/2019
Professor in Agricultural Engineering	Prof.(Mrs.).T.Mikunthan	05/03/2014
Professor of Fine Arts	Prof.T.Sanathanan	01/10/2022
Associate Professor in History	Prof.K.Arunthavarajah	29/05/2014
Professor in Geography	Prof.K.Suthakar	02/09/2019
Senior Professor in Tamil	Prof.K.Visakaruban	24/09/2017
Senior Professor in Tamil	Prof.M.Ragunathan	05/11/2017
Professor in Tamil	Prof.(Ms.).S.Sivasubramaniam	21/03/2019
Professor in Economics	Prof.C.Elankumaran	29/11/2005
Professor in Economics	Prof.S.Santhirasegaram	27/03/2015
Professor in Economics	Prof.S.Vijayakumar	14/09/2018
Professor in Political Science	Prof.K.T.Ganeshalingam	28/01/2018
Professor in Christian & Islamic Civilizations	Prof.Dr.Paul Rohan J.C	07/10/2021
Professor in Linguistics and English	Prof.(Mrs.).S.Ramesh	16/05/2014
Professor in Media Studies	Prof.S.Raguram	18/06/2021
Senior Professor of Accounting	Prof.T.Velnampy	31/08/2020
Professor in Accounting	Prof.B.Nimalathanan	01/10/2014
Professor in Accounting	Prof.P.Pratheepkanth	20/11/2020
Professor in Marketing	Prof.(Mrs.).S.Shanmugathas	18/02/2019
Professor in Marketing	Prof.S.Sivesan	05/03/2019
Professor in Human Resource Management	Prof.N.Kengatharan	23/10/2020

Professor in Human Resource Management	Prof.J.Robinson	16/06/2021
Professor in Financial Management	Prof.(Mrs.).R.Yogendrarajah	06/07/2017
Professor in Financial Management	Prof.(Mrs.).L.Kengatharan	13/12/2019
Professor in Civil Engineering	Prof.N.Sathiparan	20/06/2019
Professor in Electrical and Electronic Engineering	Prof.A.Atputharajah	26/11/2013
Professor in Electrical and Electronic Engineering	Prof.T.Thiruvaran	12/06/2020
Senior Professor of Bio Chemistry	Prof.(Ms).V.Arasaratnam	01/11/2006
Professor in Community and Family Medicine	Prof.R.Surenthirakumaran	26/02/2020
Professor of Community and Family Medicine	Prof.B.Kumarendran	25/06/2022
Professor in Medicine	Prof.N.Suganthan	19/10/2020
Professor in Medicine	Prof.(Ms.).A.Arasalingam	21/10/2020
Professor of Medicine	Prof.T.Kumanan	25/06/2022
Professor in Microbiology	Prof.(Mrs.).K.Muruganathan	13/12/2019
Professor in Parasitology	Prof.S.Kannathasan	11/07/2017
Professor in Obstetrics and Gynecology	Prof.K.Muhunthan	25/11/2020
Professor of Pediatrics	Prof.(Mrs).M.G.Sathiadas	25/06/2022
Department of Surgery	Prof.S.Raviraj	14/10/2019
Professor in Surgery	Prof.S.Rajendra	26/10/2020
Professor in Computer Science	Prof.A.Ramanan	07/03/2022
Professor in Computer Science	Prof.M.Siyamalan	07/03/2022
Professor in Mathematics & Statistics	Prof.S.Srisatkunarajah	15/12/2010
Professor in Mathematics & Statistics	Prof.R.Vigneswaran	12/02/2021
Professor in Chemistry	Prof.J.P.Jeyadevan	26/11/2013
Professor in Chemistry	Prof.K.Velauthamurty	18/05/2017
Professor in Chemistry	Prof.P.Abiman	07/11/2019
Professor in Chemistry	Prof.R.Srikaran	10/12/2019
Professor in Chemistry	Prof.G.Sashikesh	12/12/2019
Professor of Chemistry	Prof.(Mrs.).M.Senthilnathanan	03/10/2022
Senior Professor of Physics	Prof.P.Ravirajan	25/10/2022
Professor in Physics	Prof.K.Vignarooban	13/12/2019
Professor in Botany	Prof.R.Kapilan	29/10/2019
Professor in Botany	Prof.P.Sevvel	12/12/2019
Associate Professor in Botany	Prof.A.C.Thavaranjit	21/03/2017
Senior Professor of Zoology	Prof.S.N.Surendran	04/01/2020
Professor in Zoology	Prof.(Mrs.).R.Gnaneswaran	09/01/2018
Professor in Zoology	Prof.K.Gajapathy	31/07/2019
Professor in Zoology	Prof.T.Eswaramohan	13/12/2019
Professor of Fisheries	Prof.(Mrs.).S.Kuganathan	09/10/2017
Librarian (Acting)	Mr.S.Ketheeswaran	26.12.2022-25.06.2023
<b>Members Elected under Section 46(2)(j) of the Universities (Amendment)Act No,7 of 1985</b>		
Arts	Mr.A.Nithlavarnan Mr.S.Uthayakumar	16.11.2021-15.11.2024 16.11.2021-15.11.2024
Agriculture	Dr.(Mrs.).S.Selvaskanthan Mr.K.Umashankar	29.10.2021-28.10.2024 29.10.2021-28.10.2024
Allied Health Science	Mrs.V.Jegapragash Mr.S.Thuvaragan	19.06.2020-18.06.2023 19.06.2020-18.06.2023
Management Studies & Commerce	Dr.A.Saravanabawan Dr.V.Sritharan	16.11.2021-15.11.2024 16.11.2021-15.11.2024
Medicine	Dr.S.Gobishangar Dr.B.Balagobi Dr.T.Yoganathan	14.11.2021-14.03.2022 14.11.2021-13.11.2024 30.05.2022-13.11.2024
Engineering	Dr.R.Nishanthan Dr.S.Thananjeyan	16.11.2021-15.11.2024 16.11.2021-29.10.2022

Science	Dr.R.Prashanthan Dr.G.Sashikesh Dr.(Mrs.)J.Prabagar	15.06.2020-14.06.2023 15.06.2020-29.12.2021 21.01.2022-14.06.2023
Technology	Mr.S.Kajanthan Dr.S.Gowthaman Dr.T.H.K.Nawarathna	09.07.2021-08.07.2024 09.07.2021-01.02.2022 06.04.2022-08.07.2024
Hindu Studies	Mr.S.Muhunthan Mr.S.Pathmanaban Mrs.S.Jeganathan Mr.T.Selvamanoharan  Mr.S.Ramanarajah	06.08.2019-13.03.2020 06.08.2019-06.05.2022 30.11.2020-04.05.2022 27.06.2022-05.08.2022 22.08.2022-21.08.2025 31.05.2022-05.08.2022 22.08.2022-21.08.2025
SPRFPVA	Dr.(Mrs.)S.Jeyakumar Dr.S.Suriyakumar	27.09.2022-26.09.2025 27.09.2022-26.09.2025
<b>Invited by the Senate</b>		
Head/Siddha Medicine (on invitation)	Dr.(Mrs.)V.Sathiyaseelan	26/09/2022-25/09/2025
Head/Sports Science Unit (on invitation)	Dr.S.Sabaananth	10.01.2022-09.01.2025
Director/Centre for Quality Assurance (on invitation)	Prof.(Mrs.)M.Senthilnathan	01.10.2020-30.09.2023
Computer unit (on invitation)	Mr.K.Ananthakrishnan	15/02/2021-14/02/2024
Head/Medical Education Unit (on invitation)	Dr.S.Raguraman	08/07/2021-07/07/2024
Head/Nuclear Medicine Unit (on invitation)	Dr.T.Yoganathan	05/07/2021-04/07/2024
<b>Secretary: Registrar (Ex officio)</b>	Mr.V.Kandeepan	From 11.03.2009

## 1.5. Boards and Committees

The authorities and other bodies of the university met regularly during the year under review. The number of meetings held for each authority and body is as follows:

University/Faculties/Branches	No. of Meetings	No. of Members
<b>Authorities</b>		
Council	12	29
Senate	12	146
<b>Sub Committees of the Council</b>		
Audit Committee	07	09
Management Committee to Council	12	16
Finance Committee	16	12
Budget Committee	01	14
Project Monitoring Committee	17	12
Board of Student Discipline	04	17
Leave and Awards Committee	12	11
Committee of Review of Obligation on Bond and Agreement	02	06
<b>Sub Committees of the Senate</b>		
Curriculum and Evaluation Committee	03	16
University Research Committee (URC)	-	37
Library Committee	06	30
Examination Offence Committee	07	03
Endowments/Scholarships and Gold Medal Committee	05	20
Convocation Committee	06	21
Centre for Quality Assurance	12	44
Kandiah Kartigaesan Trust Fund Meeting (Board of Trustees)	05	19
<b>Faculty Boards</b>		
Faculty of Agriculture	10	29
Faculty of Allied Health Sciences	11	20
Faculty of Arts	09	87
Faculty of Engineering	14	25
Faculty of Graduate Studies	11	28
Faculty of Hindu Studies	10	17
Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce	13	58
Faculty of Medicine	19	53
Faculty of Science	12	80
Sir Pon. Ramanathan Faculty of Performing and Visual Arts	02	42
Faculty of Technology	10	06
<b>Other Meetings</b>		
Procurement Committee	12	03
Kilinochchi Premises Development Committee	04	34
Siddha Medicine Unit meeting	04	21
Sports Advisory Board	01	31
Strategic Planning and Management Information System Unit Meeting	12	18
UBL- Jaffna Advisory Board Meeting	03	13
Centre for Gender Equity and Equality	04	28
Centre for Open and Distance Learning (CODL) meetings		
Management Committee of the Centre for Open and Distance Learning	12	28
Bachelor of Business Management (BBM)- Board of Study	09	13
Bachelor of Commerce (B.Com)- Board of Study	11	14
Bachelor of Arts (B.A)- Board of Study	11	16

## 1.6. Report on Future Projection based on Sustainable Development (Section 17(D) of the National Audit Act, No.19 of 2018).

(Details of activities taken by the university to safeguard the environment and mitigate negative impact on the environment).

### Introduction

“Sustainable development satisfies the needs of the contemporary issues without compromising the capacity of future generations, guaranteeing the balance between economic growth, care for the environment and social well-being.” Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) require active involvement of individuals, businesses, administrations and countries around the world, to safeguard the environment and mitigate negative impact on the environment. Preservation of the Natural environment is essential for maintaining community sustainability, and therefore all Government Institutions in Sri Lanka, are expected to embed sustainable development across their activities. University of Jaffna is continuing its efforts towards sustainability and shares best practices in order to implement their plans.

### Planning, Policies and strategies

Sustainable development goals have already been incorporated in the University strategic plan and promoting environment sustainability is one of the main objectives in the strategic plan for 2021-2025. Initiatives have been taken to implement the above goals through future projects.

### (A) The Following activities had been taken by University to achieve the sustainable Development through sustainable development Goals(SDGs)

Goals	Action taken by the University (Faculties/Units/Centre)
<b>Goal 1:</b> No poverty <b>Goal 2:</b> Zero hunger	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ University of Jaffna has already taken action through its faculties with the target of achieving environment protection and sustainable green development.</li> <li>➤ Academics of the University involved in many research projects to combat the hunger and poverty with the financial assistance of WHO.</li> <li>➤ Research Activities focusing regional sustainable development are also funded by the University through University Research Grants.</li> <li>➤ The Student Societies in all the faculties involved many community based activities to support the public to preserve the environment and planning trees.</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 3:</b> Good health and well-being for people	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Providing excellent recreational facilities (Building for a good level of recreational facilities to accommodate all professionals and build daycare center for Educating Children.</li> <li>➤ The Wellbeing Centre of the University was established in 2018, with the collaboration of the Jaffna Medical faculty overseas Alumni(JMFOA)</li> <li>➤ This wellbeing center supported the staff and students to drop in for a break, rest, relaxation, refresh, counselling, recuperation and discussion.</li> <li>➤ Wellbeing centre also provided services such as counselling and Befriending, relaxation, calming and mentorship through a team of trained staff.</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 4:</b> Quality Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Quantity Education was prioritized and incorporated into the strategic management and action plans in order to ensure equal access for all women and men to affordable and quality, technical, vocational and tertiary education.</li> <li>➤ University has taken action to include and deliver sustainable development goals in their curriculum especially in the final year study programme, as research component.</li> <li>➤ Strengthening the Quality Assurance activities through Centre for Quality Assurance (CQA) and 17 Nos of Internal Quality Assurance Cells enhanced quality education in the University.</li> <li>➤ Applying for the IESL Accreditation.</li> <li>➤ Creating Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) to maintain the quality of teaching and link to the QAC team of the UGC.</li> <li>➤ Internalizing quality assurance among all the faculties and degree offering centers and units of the University enabled for the successful active implementation of the identified best practices.</li> <li>➤ Awareness on the Quality Assurance mechanism was made across the University especially among staff and students.</li> <li>➤ Implementing the recommendations in the reports of Institutional Review and Programme Review reports received from the QAC and action plan are developed and being implemented.</li> <li>➤ Sustainability across the curriculum:</li> <li>➤ Environmental Science included as the main focus in the curriculum of the following degree programmes;             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Undergraduate Degrees                 <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science (4 years) - Faculty of Applied Science</li> <li>ii. Bachelor of Environmental Science (3 years) - Faculty of Applied Science</li> </ol> </li> <li>• Postgraduate degrees                 <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Master of Science in Environmental Management - Faculty of Graduate Studies</li> </ol> </li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<p>ii. Master of Clean Energy Technology (Level 9) (1 year) - Faculty of Graduate Studies</p> <p>iii. Master of Science in Clean Energy Technology (Level 10) (2 years) - Faculty of Graduate Studies</p>
<b>Goal 5: Gender Equity</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ University of Jaffna is committed to promote the Gender Equity/Equality (GEE) among students and staff.</li> <li>➤ Ensuring equal rights and opportunities, women empowerment and an environment free from all forms of discrimination and harassment.</li> <li>➤ The University Community has the responsibility of ensuring that it is free from Gender Inequity and Sexual and Gender based Violence (SGBV).</li> <li>➤ The University works to remove any barriers in terms of GEE which might defer people of the highest ability from being part of University of Jaffna as staff or students.</li> <li>➤ By Laws and policy documents on GEE/SGBV were released and the official website was functioning.</li> <li>➤ Providing support to improve gender balance in all academic programmes</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 6: Clean water and sanitation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Established new RO plants to provide clean water to all university students and staffs.</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 7: Affordable and clean energy</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Established a centre for excellence in Solar Research for sustainable development that undertakes projects including teaching, research operations and governance to empower students as change agents.</li> <li>➤ Established a Research Consortium in nanomaterial for clean Energy Technologies.</li> <li>➤ Established the first floating solar pilot plant with the capacity of 46.5Kw.</li> <li>➤ Formation of Renewable energy park (Training of Trainers, developed courses for different levels and virtual labs)</li> <li>➤ Conducted a conference on Advanced Materials for Clean Energy and Health Applications (AMCEHA) by collaborating with other Universities under the following six thematic areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Solar energy</li> <li>- Wind energy</li> <li>- Hydrogen energy and storage</li> <li>- Materials for health applications</li> <li>- Bio energy</li> <li>- Advanced functional materials</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>Goal 8: Decent work and economic growth</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Providing good staff accommodation to attract staff.</li> <li>➤ Providing conducive environment to pursue research and teaching.</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 9: Industry Innovation and Infrastructure</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ University Business Linkage Unit of the University of Jaffna was established to achieve sustainable Growth for micro, small and medium enterprises (MSME)s in the regional economy through collaboration between the University and public/private enterprises and to create tangible and intangible value to boost the economic activities of the region's MSMEs through mentoring, knowledge sharing, new and novel approaches, innovations and technology transfers.</li> <li>➤ Increasing infrastructure as scheduled.</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 10: Reducing inequalities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Providing Mahapola, Bursary, Scholarship funds to needy students.</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 11: Sustainable cities and communities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Developing the surroundings of the University premises (Kilinochchi) with city center, shopping complex, railway station, bus stand and bus stops etc.</li> <li>➤ Improving the access to the university from city.</li> <li>➤ Writing World Bank proposal for township development to improve the surroundings facilities.</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 12: Responsible consumption and production</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Executing the required infrastructure facilities according to the master plan.</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 13: Climate action</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Creating opportunity to involve staff to work on policy development at regional and national level.</li> <li>➤ Researches were done on sustainable development of various types and disaster impact analysis.</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 14: Life below water</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Action taken to establish faculty of Marine Sciences and Aquatic Resources Technology.</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 15: Life on Land</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Preparing World Bank proposal for township development to improve the surroundings facilities.</li> </ul>
<b>Goal 16: Peace, Justice and strong institutions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ University has introduced a Peace Education Programme to the students of each faculty and the above programme is reported to be very useful to the students.</li> <li>➤ Organizing interactive sessions with community during faculty weeks.</li> <li>➤ Conducting International days with the participation of community and vulnerable groups – conducted the International Women's day in the Kilinochchi Divisional Secretariat.</li> </ul>

<b>Goal 17:</b> Partnerships for the goals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Conducting International Conferences annually by the faculties to develop multi stakeholder partnerships to share knowledge, expertise technology and financial support.</li> <li>➤ Entering memorandum of Understanding with local and foreign Universities and other institutions.</li> <li>➤ Project-waste for life- managing waste for sustainable future.</li> <li>➤ Promoting team researches.</li> <li>➤ Creating more industrial collaborations through business linkages</li> </ul>
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**(B) Other initiative actions taken by the University of Jaffna to safeguard the environment and mitigate negative impact on the environment based on the SDGs.**

- i. Conducting workshops, webinars and community outreach activities to implement the goals of sustainable development.
- ii. Delivering Guest Lectures and Trainings
- iii. Signing collaborative agreements.
- iv. Other project activities related to sustainable development
- v. Conducting International Conferences
- vi. Conducting World Environmental Day and activities related to conservation of environment
- vii. Publishing Research Papers on Sustainable Development Goals
- viii. New Innovations and Commercialization- Faculties/UBL

**(i). Conducting workshops, webinars and community outreach activities to implement the goals of sustainable development.**

Name of the workshop	Target group
Vermitechnology for Organic Agriculture	Farmers
Climate Smart Agriculture	Farmers
Soil Fertility and Water Management in Organic Farming	Farmers
Off-season crop production under protected structures	Farmers
Climate Smart Irrigated Agriculture	Officers from the Northern Province Department of Agriculture
Workshop on organic farming at Urumpirai and field work centre, Thondaimanaru	home garden growers, students, agricultural instructors, and workshop assistants
Workshop of the Going Global Partnerships UNICYCLE 2022 programme	50 students from the Faculties of Arts, Agriculture, Science and Technology
A COVID 19 management session (Siddha)	Indigenous Doctors from Sri Lanka and India, Western Doctor from Sri Lanka, Alloopathy Doctor from Sri Lanka, Siddha Students and Public
Workshop on organic farming at ‘Thayakam’, Urumpirai north, Urumpirai (Science)	Faculty students and farmers
Workshop on soft skill development	Grade 10 and 11 students, Jaffna Hindu College

**(ii). Delivering Guest Lectures and Trainings**

Title	Lead Speaker	Places	Period
Prof. Somasundaram Kandiah Memorial Lecture “Reviving Sri Lanka’s Agriculture – A Herculean Task Ahead”.	Prof. Buddhi Marambe, Senior Professor in Crop Science, University of Peradeniya	Auditorium of the Faculty of Agriculture	21.09.2022
Innovative Technology for sustainable development in sports, fitness and healthy life.	Dr. K. Ketheeswaran	Organized by Alagappa College of physical education and Sri Murugan international research foundation for higher education Alagappa Karaikudi	25.02.2022-26.02.2022
Developing the sustainable Tourism Destinations and Case Overviews		Department of Economics, Faculty of Arts	07.04.2022
Vermi-Technology	Training programme	Faculty of Agriculture	03 months from 27.05.2022
Mushroom Production & Processing Technology			03 months from 15.10.2022
Principles of micro-irrigation			
Principles of farm machinery			
Livestock and poultry rearing			03 months from 20.10.2022

### (iii). Signing collaborative agreements

Parties	Purpose
Alcohol and Drug Information Center (ADIC) and the University of Jaffna	The Memorandum of Understanding on Joint Education and Advocacy Programmes on Alcohol, Tobacco and other Drug Prevention and Awareness Collaboration was signed on the 25th of May 2022 at the University of Jaffna.

### (iv). Other project activities related to sustainable development

#### **PRECIDA-UOJ**

“Project for Research and Education Capacity Improvement in Dry Zone Agriculture” at University of Jaffna (PRECIDA-UOJ) is the new technical cooperation project awarded to the Faculty of Agriculture. This project is funded by the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) from the Japanese government. This technical cooperation project is expected to enhance the quality of education and research at the Faculty of Agriculture and to contribute to the human resource development that will help to improve the productivity of agriculture and the livestock industry in the Northern Province and strengthen their ability to adapt to the climate change.

#### **Community Kitchen**

A mid-day meal programme to the needy students under ‘Community Kitchen’ model had been going on. Due to the current economic crisis of the country, it was observed that a sizeable number of students were not able to have proper meal at affordable price. Witnessing the inability of those students to have proper meal, a couple of academic staff Mr.K.L.Ramanan and Mr.S.Kabilan from the Faculty of Arts conceived an idea to provide mid-day meal to the needy students through a Community Kitchen Model in which a group of people meet on a regular basis to plan, cook and share healthy, affordable meals. Dr.P.Iyngaran from the Faculty of Science then joined the initiators of the community kitchen. This group was growing with the participation of the staff from the Faculties of Science and Arts. This community Kitchen model had been well appreciated by the students and parents. The concept was followed by the staff from the Faculty of Engineering and Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce.

An article published on 27.12.2022 on The Island Online e-paper titled ‘Accountability and reconciliation’, appreciated the efforts taken by University community, specially Academic staff and the leadership towards reconciliation as follows:

“Unlike some of the other universities which have been conducting their courses online, the University of Jaffna has been determined to conduct its courses on campus and face to face rather than virtually. The university has demonstrated strong leadership in banishing the horrendous practice of ragging which masks physical abuse, and has taken on the support of a community kitchen started by two of its academic staff. Some of the other universities have seen their student attendance drop due to the inability of the students to meet the highly escalated costs of their meals and accommodation. The change in the University of Jaffna is a dramatic one from what it was in the past when students clashed with one another on ethnic grounds or clashed with the administration on political grounds. This change can be attributed to good leadership that shows care and concern for the students.”

#### **Wednesday Market**

Business Incubation cell organized ‘Wednesday Market’ on 12<sup>th</sup> October, 9<sup>th</sup> November, 16<sup>th</sup> November, 23<sup>rd</sup> November and 30<sup>th</sup> November 2022. The purpose of this Wednesday Market was to create awareness and market opportunities for the micro business. The members appreciated the concept and requested to extend it to the main premises on all week days.

#### **Awarding ceremony of the certificate courses**

The certificate awarding ceremony for the two certificate courses titled “**Mushroom Production & Processing Technology, and Vermi-Technology**” offered by the Department of Agricultural Biology of the Faculty of Agriculture was held on 21st of September 2022 at the Auditorium of the Faculty of Agriculture.

#### **Media Studies Students Served as Resource Persons in School-based Prevention Programmes on Alcohol and Drugs**

The students along with Alcohol and Drugs Information Centre (ADIC) officials successfully conducted the alcohol and drugs prevention programmes on the 3rd, 4th and 9th of November 2022, in Jaffna Hindu Collage, Periyapulam Maha Vidyalayam and Sathana Vidyalayam.

#### (v). Conducting International Conferences

Name of the Conference	Date	Faculty/Unit	Theme
Eighth International Conference on Dry Zone Agriculture (ICDA)-2022. Professor Ogata Kazuo from Kyushu University, Japan served as the conference's keynote speaker.	14.09.2022	Agriculture	“Emerging Appropriate Agrotechnologies Towards Food Sustainability”, as a satellite conference of JUICe-2022
International Research Conference on Healthy Delights (ICHD)- 2022	24.08.2022	AHS	“Hark back in Shaping Health Futures”.
1st Maanudam Research Conference (MRC)	29.07.2022 30.07.2022	Arts	Restoring Normalcy and Building Resilience amidst a Pandemic and an Economic Crisis
3rd International Research Conference on Siddha Medicine (IRCSM)- 2022	27.01.2022- 30.01.2022	USM	“Enhance Immunity for Healthy Life through Siddha Medicine”.

#### (vi). Conducting World Environmental Day and activities related to conservation of environment

##### Field day

A field day was organized by the Faculty of Agriculture at Integrated farm and training centre, Parasankulam, Puliyanakulam on 09th February 2022. Vice Chancellor Prof.S. Srisatkunarajah graced the occasion as the chief guest. This paddy was cultivated without adding any inorganic fertilizers. Compost developed by the Department of Agricultural Chemistry by using locally available resources from an undergraduate research project was used as the main source of nutrients for this paddy cultivation.

##### Clean-up and tree planting program

Students of the Faculty of Agriculture participated in clean-up and tree planting program along with the school students on 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2022.

**Planning students of the young planner community, Faculty of Arts** created a clean environment by carrying out waste management in their school environment at the request of the Principal of Khadija Mahavidyalaya, Jaffna on 25.09.2022.

**Tree planting ceremony around the premises of the Faculty of Technology under Assisted Natural Regeneration Project** in collaboration with the Green Layer Environmental Organization was held on 29<sup>th</sup> November 2022.

**Planning students of Young Planner Society, Faculty of Arts** conducted a program on drug prevention at West Saiva Sanmarka Vidyadal Primary School on 07.10.2022.

**Commerce Students' Union organized a Tree Planting Project** at J/ Pandatharippu Girls's High School, J/Mathagal ST.Joseph Maha Vidyalayam and J/ Mathagal Vikneshwara Vidyalayam on 21.10.2022.

#### (vii). Publishing Research Papers on Sustainable Development Goals

##### Journal of Dry Zone Agriculture - Volume 8

Volume 8 issue 1 of the Journal of Dry Zone Agriculture was released in the Sri Lanka Journal online (SLJOL) platform on 19<sup>th</sup> of October 2022 and issue 2 was released on 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022.

#### (viii). New Innovations and Commercialization –Faculties/UBL)

##### Product Launch Ceremony- Bael fruit syrup incorporated drinking yoghurt

Staff and students of the Department of Animal Science, Faculty of Agriculture invented a new drinking yoghurt incorporated with Bael fruit syrup. License for producing this yoghurt was given to Mullai milk processing industry, Mullaitivu, Sri Lanka. The newly developed yoghurt was launched for commercialization through University business linkage, University of Jaffna at Kailasapathy auditorium on 12th October 2022. It is notable that this is the first commercialization of research done in University of Jaffna through the UBL-Jaffna.

##### Signing of licensing agreement for commercialization of super compost

Staff of the Department of Agricultural Biology, Faculty of Agriculture invented a Super Compost, which is a nutritionally rich and biologically fortified super compost through composting of mushroom industry waste, fish industry waste, and livestock waste using earthworm and beneficial microbes consortia. This invention was licensed to Thampa Plantations, Vavuniya. The Licensing Agreement signing was done on the 14<sup>th</sup> October 2022 at the Boardroom of the University of Jaffna.

##### Signing of licensing agreement for commercialization of bio plastic

Staff and student of the Department of Agricultural Chemistry, Faculty of Agriculture and Department of Biosystems Technology, Faculty of Technology, University of Jaffna developed a Cellulose Reinforced Bio-

composite using Poly Lactic Acid (PLA), and Thermoplastic Starch (TPS) simply referred to as “Bioplastic”. A license agreement for the commercialization of the bioplastic was signed between the University of Jaffna and MRK Associates (Licensee). MRK Associates, a pioneer polymer industry in Sri Lanka, that manufactures, sells, and exports natural polymer products on 25th November 2022 at the University of Jaffna Board Room. In addition to the Licensing agreement, a sponsored research agreement was signed with the same licensee agreeing to invest in the further development of the research.

**Patents were obtained** for an undergraduate project carried out by **Meegaswatta S.M.U, Prabhashana W.H.S.C** and supervised by **Dr. Kanagasundaram Ahilan, and Mr. Ragupathyraj Valluvan** with the support of UBL-Jaffna and AHEAD project. Faculty is seeking commercial partners for this. The project is highlighted at different international industry forum to facilitate commercialization through the AHEAD project.

**International Patent:** “System and Method for Automobile Emission Measurement”-WIPO PCT WO 2022 /185119 A1- Date of the Patent: (Sept 09, 2022).

### **Competition on clean Energy technologies based Innovative prototype model development- 2022**

Centre for Science Education, Faculty of Science, University of Jaffna, conducted competition on Clean Energy Technologies based Innovative Prototype Development- 2022 under the Capacity Building and Establishment of a Research Consortium (CBERC) project to enrich innovative ideas and creativity among the school children from Northern Province, Sri Lanka.

★All in all, all these initiative actions are outlined, explained, detailed, depicted or otherwise described in sections covering the activities of respective faculties, sections, units and centres.

## **1.7. Problems Encountered and Justifications**

- 1.** The project for the Construction of Building Complex for Allied Health Science at the TCE of Rs. 1,125.0 million was approved by the Cabinet of Ministers in 2017. The project was not commenced up to 2022 due to no capital fund allocation for this project. Special fund allocation through a special budgetary line is required to implement this project at least from 2022 since annual capital allocation is not adequate to commence such major project.
- 2.** Only Rs.95.0 million for construction projects and Rs. 42.0 million for rehabilitation works were allocated by Treasury. Insufficient allocation of fund badly affected the progress of ongoing construction projects and rehabilitation works and only a few rehabilitation works awarded in 2022.  
In the meantime, two rehabilitation works were awarded and cancelled due to insufficient fund allocation and in terms of National Budget Circular No. 03/2022 dated 26.04.2022. In general, material shortage due to current economic crisis of the country also badly affected the progress of construction and building improvement works in 2022.
- 3.** The progress of Phase II building of Engineering Technology and Bio System Technology was very slow. The contractor informed about high risk due to price escalation and demanded actual cost for the materials purchased. The university tried at various levels to speed up the construction progress.
- 4.** Further, in the case of Library, fund was not allocated for Books & Periodicals due to the economic crisis of the country. When new branch libraries were established, library cadres are not increased accordingly. It affects the smooth functioning of branch libraries. A few branch libraries are struggling to provide access to e-resources and online library catalogues, due to a lack of LEARN facilities.

## 2. STUDENTS AND STAFF AFFAIRS

### 2.1. Students Affairs

#### Student Population

Students from all the districts of Sri Lanka enter the University. This has led to a remarkable increase in the student population. Student intake has been increased during the last decade 2012 to 2022. The number of students admitted annually from 2012 to 2022 is tabulated below:

Year of Registration	Student Number		
	Jaffna and Kilinochchi	Vavuniya Campus	Total
2012	5202	606	5808
2013	5737	730	6767
2014	6240	763	7703
2015	7024	716	7740
2016	7399	767	8166
2017	7141	891	8032
2018	8792	989	9781
2019	9475	1161	10636
2020	12034	1402	13436
2021	11671	1878	13409
2022	11073	-	11073

Table 2.1: The number of students admitted annually from 2012 to 2022

#### Student Enrolment from (A/L) 2020/2021

Faculty/ Department/ Unit	Student Admission	Commencement of Academic Year
Agriculture	27.04.2022	25.07.2022
AHS	17.05.2022	09.06.2022
Arts	23.03.2022	15.06.2022
Arts (Department of Law)	08.03.2022	28.03.2022
SPRFPVA	17.05.2022	-
Engineering	09.03.2022	18.04.2022
Hindu Studies	19.05.2022	27.07.2022
MS&C	22.03.2022	01/06/2022
Medicine	28.12.2021	28.12.2021
Science	27.04.2022	29.07.2022
Technology	25.03.2022	27.06.2022
USM	15.03.2022	09.05.2022

Table 2.2: Date of student enrolment from (A/L) 2020/2021

#### Student Registration- New Admission for the Academic year 2020/2021

Faculty/ Unit	Course	Proposed intake	Registered
<b>Jaffna Premises</b>			
Arts	Arts	556	571*
	Arts Additional	80	23
	Law	101	99
	Translation Studies	37	33
SPRFPVA	Dance	101	95
	Music	117	97
	Art and Design	62	53
MS&C	Management	431	415
	Commerce	127	118
Medicine	Medicine	174	194
AHS	Pharmacy	73	57
	Medical Laboratory Sciences	72	60
	Nursing	78	66
	Physical Education	50	48
Hindu Studies	Hindu Civilization	100	27
	Saiva Siddhanta	50	24
	Sanskrit	30	1
Graduate Studies	Ph.D	-	04
	MPhil	-	22
	Master of Education (Jaffna Centre)	-	200
	Master of Education (Vavuniya Regional Centre)	-	205
	Master of Science in Health Management	-	38
	Master of Saiva Siddhantha	-	44

	Master of Cultural Studies	-	41
	Master of Christian Studies	-	40
	Master of Tamil	-	51
Science	Biological Science	177	152
	Physical Science	320	296
	Computer Science	111	109
USM	Siddha Medicine	123	127
<b>Kilinochchi Premises</b>			
Agriculture	Agriculture	220	218
Engineering	Engineering	195	195
Technology	Bio System Technology	162	159
	Engineering Technology	165	149
<b>Total</b>		<b>3712</b>	<b>4031</b>

\* (additional intake)

**Table 2.3:** Number of students registered for each course during the year 2022

### Student Enrolment Pattern

Annual enrolment of the Faculties over the last five years 2018-2022

Faculty / Unit	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Agriculture	96	113	129	168	218
AHS	184	159	157	194	229
Arts	746	649	666	739	726
Engineering	124	151	173	217	195
Hindu Studies	-	-	-	-	52
MS&C	417	401	400	536	533
Medicine	150	153	150	195	194
Science	397	393	418	477	557
SPRFPVA	197	195	194	243	245
Technology	219	212	211	320	308
USM	67	67	75	119	123
<b>Total</b>	<b>2597</b>	<b>2493</b>	<b>2573</b>	<b>3208</b>	<b>3380</b>

**Table 2.4:** Annual enrolment of the Faculties over the last five years 2018-2022

### Total Student Population

	Intake (Toal No. of Students)		Academic Year									
			1 <sup>st</sup>		2 <sup>nd</sup>		3 <sup>rd</sup>		4 <sup>th</sup>		5 <sup>th</sup>	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Undergraduate Students (J&K premises)	3171	3380	3910	3130	2484	3441	2420	2407	2557	1886	300	209
Vavuniya Campus*	873	-	802	-	489	-	410	-	177	-	-	-
Postgraduate Students	62	645	62	645	47	61	79	44	197	41	79	122
Self-Finance Courses	1027	1245	1027	1245	-	773	-	589	-	58	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>5133</b>	<b>5270</b>	<b>5801</b>	<b>5020</b>	<b>3020</b>	<b>4275</b>	<b>2909</b>	<b>3040</b>	<b>2931</b>	<b>1985</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>331</b>

\*Former Vavuniya Campus of the University of Jaffna

**Table 2.5:** Total student population in Academic year 2021/2022

### Details of Foreign Students

Faculty	Course	Scholarship/ Paid Money	Country	Intake in 2022	Academic Year			
					1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>
MS&C	BBA	Scholarship	Swaziland	nil	0	0	0	1
Medicine	MBBS	Scholarship	Qatar	nil	0	1	0	0
Graduate Studies	Master of Clean Energy Technology	Paid money	Norway	nil	0	0	1	0

**Table 2.6:** Details of Foreign Students

### Breakdown of ethnicity of internal students at different levels as at the end of 2022

Faculty/Unit	Ethnicity	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	Total	%
Agriculture	T	54	61	59	46	-	220	43%
	S	94	60	40	47	-	241	47%
	M	25	13	7	5	-	50	9%
AHS	T	101	64	37	40	-	242	35%
	S	75	70	84	75	-	304	45%
	M	38	42	28	30	-	138	20%
Arts	T	504	960	448	417	-	2329	77%
	S	60	54	38	37	-	189	6%
	M	154	216	113	38	-	521	17%
Engineering	T	54	53	53	28	-	188	28%
	S	125	137	102	59	-	423	63%
	M	13	18	21	6	-	58	9%
Hindu Studies	T	48	-	-	-	-	48	100%
	S	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MS&C	T	234	255	203	205	-	897	51%
	S	248	224	165	145	-	782	45%
	M	21	15	9	18	-	63	4%
Medicine	T	108	102	66	62	71	409	50%
	S	53	61	50	56	53	273	34%
	M	26	25	36	21	24	132	16%
Science	T	135	140	135	53	-	463	36%
	S	251	171	212	52	-	686	53%
	M	49	36	45	12	-	142	11%
SPRFPVA	T	227	216	173	151	-	767	91%
	S	1	1	0	0	-	2	1%
	M	15	27	15	13	-	70	8%
Technology	T	66	77	59	65	-	267	26%
	S	209	201	122	119	-	651	63%
	M	31	39	22	24	-	116	11%
USM	T	62	78	45	40	36	261	65%
	S	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	M	49	25	20	22	25	141	35%
							<b>11073</b>	
<b>Grand Total</b>	T-Tamils						<b>6091</b>	55%
	S- Sinhalese						<b>3551</b>	32%
	M- Muslims						<b>1431</b>	13%

Table 2.7: Breakdown of ethnicity of internal students at different levels as at the end of 2022

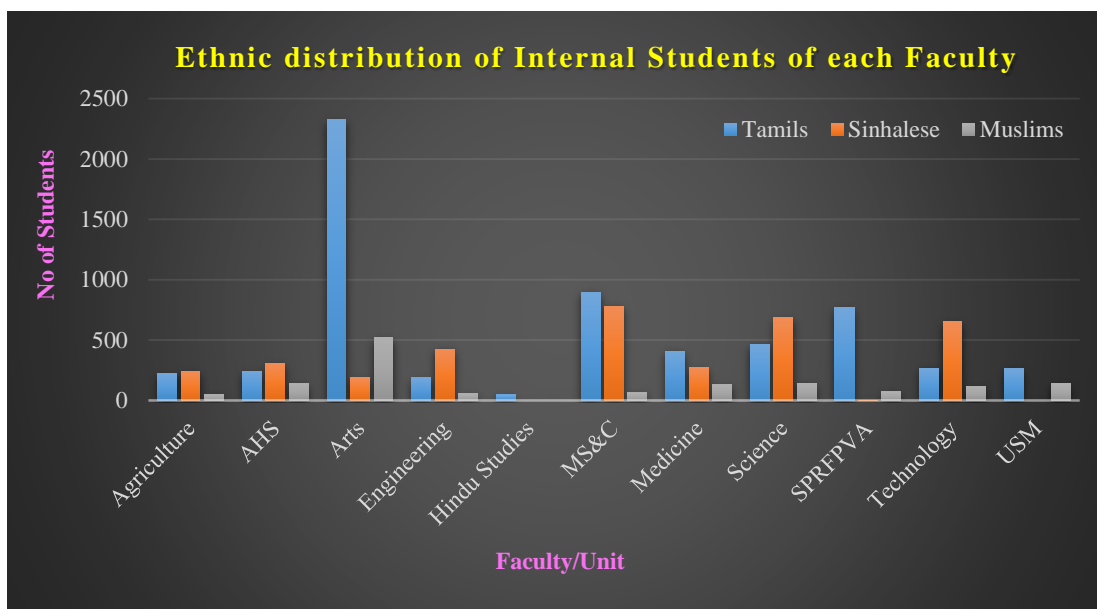


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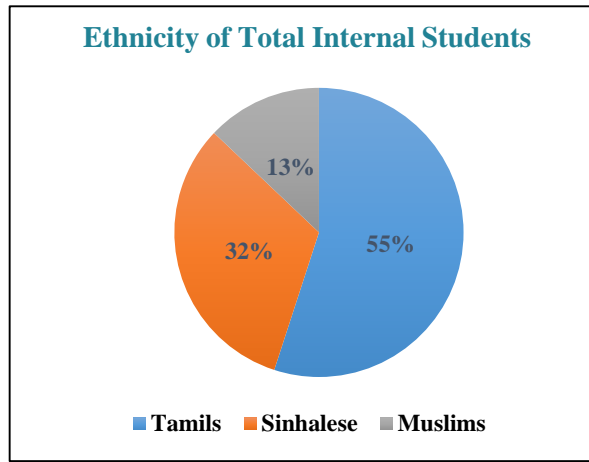


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**Gender-wise breakdown of the students as at the end of 2022**

Faculty/Unit	Gender	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	Total	%
Agriculture	M	40	26	36	27	-	129	25%
	F	133	108	70	71	-	382	75%
AHS	M	67	43	49	34	-	193	28%
	F	147	133	100	111	-	491	72%
Arts	M	112	192	110	84	-	498	16%
	F	606	1038	489	408	-	2541	84%
Engineering	M	142	146	132	72	-	492	74%
	F	50	62	44	21	-	177	26%
Hindu Studies	M	4	-	-	-	-	4	8%
	F	44	-	-	-	-	44	92%
MS&C	M	184	174	125	136	-	619	36%
	F	319	320	252	232	-	1123	64%
Medicine	M	76	68	55	57	58	314	39%
	F	111	120	97	82	90	500	61%
Science	M	233	166	195	36	-	630	49%
	F	202	181	197	81	-	661	51%
SPRFPVA	M	32	30	13	18	-	93	11%
	F	211	214	175	146	-	746	89%
Technology	M	166	169	120	107	-	562	54%
	F	140	148	83	101	-	472	46%
USM	M	14	20	12	8	13	67	17%
	F	97	83	53	54	48	335	83%
							<b>11073</b>	
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>M-Male</b>						<b>3601</b>	<b>33%</b>
	<b>F-Female</b>						<b>7472</b>	<b>67%</b>

Table 2.8: Gender-wise breakdown of the students as at the end of 2022

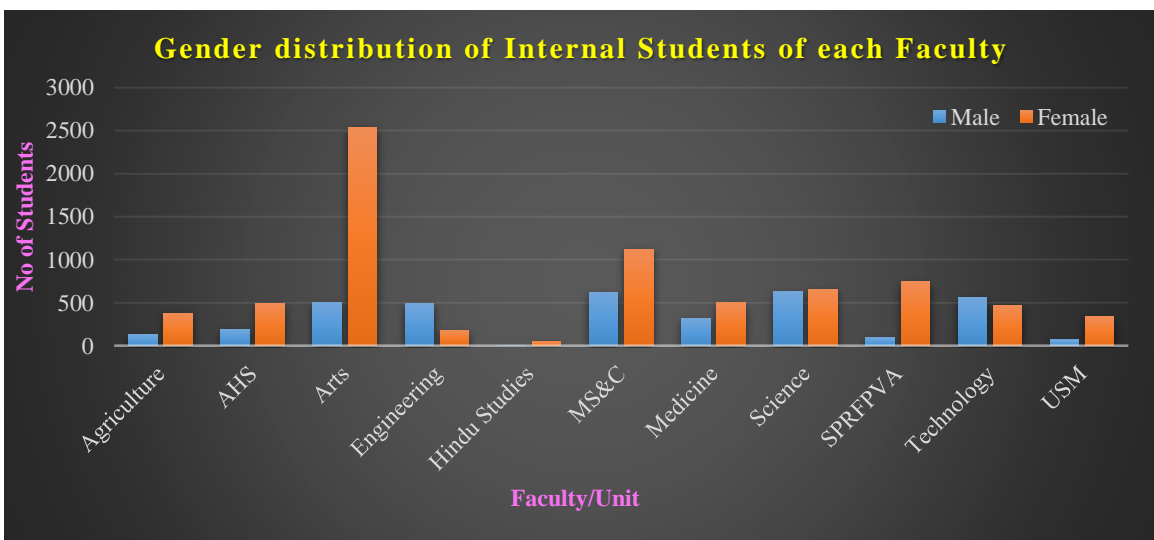
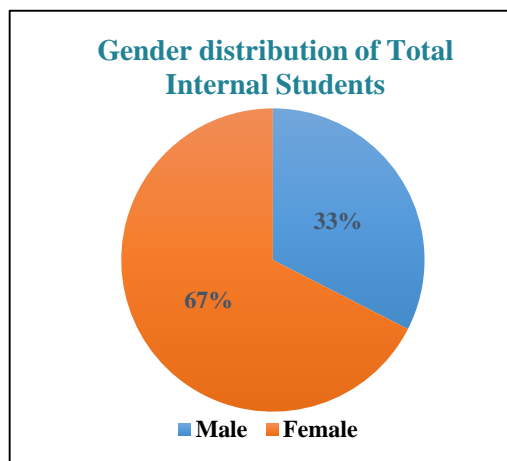


Figure: 2.3



**Figure: 2.4**

### Graduate Output during the year under review-2022

Two convocations (part sittings) were held in 2022.

1. 35 <sup>th</sup> General Convocation (Part-II) held on 3rd,4th & 5th March, 2022				
Degree	Numbers			
	Postgraduates	Graduates	Diploma	Total
Doctor of Philosophy	2			2
Master of Philosophy	4			4
Master of Education -2020	101			101
Master of Arts in Saiva Siddhanta	31			31
Master of Arts in Cultural Studies	10			10
Master of Business Administration -2018	47			47
Master of Science in Environmental Management-2020	14			14
Post Graduate Diploma in Library and Information Science	13			13
Postgraduate Diploma in Management -2018	2			2
Bachelor of Arts Honours 2018		303		303
Bachelor of Arts Honours in Translation Studies - 2018		15		15
Bachelor of Arts Special 2017		2		2
Bachelor of Arts General - 2018		5		5
Bachelor of Fine Arts -2018 (Dance-Bharatham)-2018		63		63
Bachelor of Fine Arts -2018 (Music-Vocal)		56		56
Bachelor of Fine Arts -2018(Miruthangam)		1		1
Bachelor of Fine Arts-2018 (Art & Design)		20		20
Bachelor of Siddha Medicine and Surgery		38		38
Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery		131		131
Bachelor of Science Honours in Agriculture-2019		65		65
Bachelor of the Science of Engineering Honours 2019		55		55
Bachelor of Laws - 2019		52		52
Bachelor of Science Honours in Nursing-2019		24		24
Bachelor of Science Honours in Medical Laboratory Sciences - 2019		18		18
Bachelor of Pharmacy Honours -2019		15		15
Bachelor of Engineering Technology Honours -2019		88		88
Bachelor of Biosystems Technology Honours -2019		77		77
Bachelor of Business Administration Honours -2018		246		246
Bachelor of Business Administration - 2018		8		8
Bachelor of Business Administration -General -2018		12		12
Bachelor of Commerce Honours -2018		65		65
Bachelor of Commerce General 2018		5		5
Bachelor of Commerce -2018		2		2
Bachelor of Science General 2018		174		174
Diploma in Fisheries Science			1	1
<b>Former Vavuniya Campus of the University of Jaffna</b>				
Bachelor of Science Honours in Information and Communication Technology -2018		27		27

Bachelor of Science Honours in Environmental Science-2018		6		6
Bachelor of Science Honours in Computer Science -2018		6		6
Bachelor of Science in Information Technology-2018		41		41
Bachelor of Science in Applied Mathematics and Computing 2018		23		23
Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science – General-2018		13		13
Bachelor of Business Management in Project Management -2018		28		28
Bachelor of Business Management(BBM) (Honours) -2018		80		80
Bachelor of Business Management (General)-2018		25		25
<b>Centre for Open and Distance Learning (CODL)</b>				
Bachelor of Arts (External)		114		
Bachelor of Commerce (External)		23		
Bachelor of Business Management (External)		98		
Bachelor of Dance (External)		02		
<b>Total (part I)</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>2025</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>2250</b>
<b>2. 36<sup>th</sup> General Convocation (Part-I) held on 6th,7th &amp; 8th October, 2022</b>				
Doctor of Philosophy	2			2
Master of Philosophy	10			10
Master of Science in Environmental Management	6			6
Master of Science in Health Management	1			1
Master of Business Administration	7			7
Post Graduate Diploma in Health Management	1			1
Postgraduate Diploma in Education -2020 Part Time	78			78
Postgraduate Diploma in Education -2019 Full Time	79			79
Bachelor of Science Honours in Agriculture -2019		13		13
Bachelor of Science Honours in Agriculture -2020		82		82
Bachelor of the Science of Engineering Honours-2020		7		7
Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery- 2022		142		142
Bachelor of Fine Arts -2018 (Music-Vocal)		6		6
Bachelor of Fine Arts -2018(Miruthangam)		1		1
Bachelor of Fine Arts-2018 (Art & Design)		1		1
Bachelor of Arts (General)		162		162
Bachelor of Arts (Opted)		80		80
Bachelor of Arts (Honours)		465		465
Bachelor of Arts (Special)		5		5
Bachelor of Arts (Translation Studies)		28		28
Bachelor of Laws Honours		46		46
Bachelor of Business Administration Honours (4 year)		265		265
Bachelor of Business Administration (General 3 year)		7		7
Bachelor of Commerce Honours		89		89
Bachelor of Commerce		1		1
Bachelor General Commerce (General 3 year)		1		1
Bachelor of Science Honours in Nursing		6		6
Bachelor of Science Honours in Medical Laboratory Sciences		2		2
Bachelor of Pharmacy Honours		7		7
Bachelor of Science Honours		104		104
Bachelor of Science Honours in Computer Science -2019		38		38
Bachelor of Science Honours in Applied Science		33		33
Bachelor of Science (General)		143		143
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science		20		20
Bachelor of Computer Science		1		1
Diploma in Computer Science			1	1
Bachelor of Medical Science		1		1
Bachelor of Engineering Technology Honours		9		9
Bachelor of Biosystems Technology Honours		21		21
<b>Former Vavuniya Campus of the University of Jaffna</b>				
Bachelor of Science Honours in Environmental Science-2019		8		8
Bachelor of Science Honours in Computer Science -2019		13		13
Bachelor of Science in Information Technology		24		24
Bachelor of Information and Communication Technology		4		4
Bachelor of Science in Applied Mathematics and Computing		28		28
Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science – General-2019		28		28
Bachelor of Business Management in Project Management -2019		38		38
Bachelor of Business Management (Honours) -2019		78		78
Bachelor of Business Management (General)-2019		18		18

Centre for Open and Distance Learning (CODL)				
Bachelor of Commerce Honours (External)		49		
Bachelor of Commerce (External)		14		
Bachelor of Business Management (External)		83		
Higher Diploma in Business Management (External)			01	
<b>Total (part II)</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>2171</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>2357</b>
<b>Grand total for the year</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>4196</b>	<b>02</b>	<b>4607</b>

Table 2.9: Graduate Output during the year under review-2022

### First Degree Award Classification during the year under review-2022

#### 1. 35<sup>th</sup> General Convocation (Part-II) held on 3rd,4th & 5th March, 2022

Faculty/Unit/ Centre	Degree	First Class	2 <sup>nd</sup> Class Upper	2 <sup>nd</sup> Class Lower	Pass	Total
Agriculture	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Agriculture-2019	6	30	15	14	<b>65</b>
Arts	Bachelor of Arts Honours-2018	34	185	63	21	303
	Bachelor of Arts General-2018	0	0	0	5	5
	Bachelor of Arts-Special Degree-2018	0	0	1	1	2
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Translation Studies -2018	0	8	7	0	15
	Bachelor of Laws-2020	0	0	4	48	52
	Bachelor of Fine Arts (Dance-Bharatham)-2018	0	6	10	47	63
	Bachelor of Fine Arts (Art & Design)-2018	0	0	13	7	20
	<b>Sub Total</b>					<b>460</b>
Medicine	Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery	2	18	45	66	<b>131</b>
Engineering	Bachelor of the Science of Engineering Honours- 2018	2	17	23	13	<b>55</b>
Applied Science	Bachelor of Science in Information Technology-2018	0	2	5	34	41
	Bachelor of Information and Communication Technology -2018	5	12	10	0	27
	Bachelor of Science(Applied Mathematics and Computing) -2018	0	0	3	20	23
	Bachelor of Science(Environmental Science)-2018	0	1	7	5	13
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Computer Science -2018	2	3	0	1	6
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Environmental Science-2018	2	3	1	0	6
	<b>Sub Total</b>					<b>116</b>
Business Studies	Bachelor of Business Management in Project Management-2018	0	3	11	14	28
	Bachelor of Business Management (General) -2018	2	1	5	17	25
	Bachelor of Business Management Honours 2018	6	20	24	30	80
	<b>Sub Total</b>					<b>133</b>
MS&C	Bachelor of Business Administration Honours-2018	44	88	39	75	246
	Bachelor of Business Administration (General 3 Years)- 2018	1	3	0	8	12
	Bachelor of Business Administration -2018	2	0	0	6	8
	Bachelor of Commerce Honours -2018	4	18	11	32	65
	Bachelor of Commerce General 2018	0	0	0	5	5
	Bachelor of Commerce 2018	0	0	0	2	2
	<b>Sub Total</b>					<b>338</b>
Science	Bachelor of Science(General)-2018	1	11	16	146	<b>174</b>
AHS	Bachelor of Science Honours in Nursing -2018	0	1	4	19	24
	Bachelor of Pharmacy Honours - 2018	0	3	4	8	15
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Medical Laboratory -2018	0	2	5	11	18
	<b>Sub Total</b>					<b>57</b>
Technology	Bachelor of Bio systems Technology Honours- 2019	5	18	17	37	77
	Bachelor of Engineering Technology Honours- 2019	1	9	15	63	88
	<b>Sub Total</b>					<b>165</b>
USM	Bachelor of Siddha Medicine & Surgery	15	14	5	4	<b>38</b>
CODL	Bachelor of Arts (External)	0	0	5	109	<b>114</b>
	Bachelor of Commerce (External)	0	0	0	23	<b>23</b>
	Bachelor of Business Management (External)	3	10	11	74	<b>98</b>
	Bachelor of Dance (External)	0	0	0	2	<b>02</b>
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>486</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>967</b>	<b>1969</b>
<b>2. 36<sup>th</sup> General Convocation (Part-I) held on 6th,7th &amp; 8th October, 2022</b>						
Agriculture	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Agriculture-2019 & 2020	9	22	28	36	<b>95</b>
Arts	Bachelor of Arts Honours-2019	38	274	126	27	465
	Bachelor of Arts General-2018	4	72	75	0	151

	Bachelor of Arts-Special Degree-2018	0	0	0	5	5
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Translation Studies -2019	4	12	7	5	28
	Bachelor of Laws-2020	0	2	1	43	46
	Bachelor of Fine Arts (Music-Vocal)-2018	0	2	2	3	7
	Bachelor of Fine Arts (Art & Design)-2018	0	0	0	1	1
	<b>Sub Total</b>					<b>703</b>
Medicine	Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery - 2022	1	21	47	73	142
	Bachelor of Medical Science	1	0	0	0	1
	<b>Sub Total</b>					<b>143</b>
Engineering	Bachelor of the Science of Engineering Honours- 2020	0	0	0	7	7
Applied Science	Bachelor of Science in Information Technology-2019	2	6	7	9	24
	Bachelor of Information and Communication Technology -2019	0	0	0	4	4
	Bachelor of Science(Applied Mathematics and Computing) -2019	1	6	2	19	28
	Bachelor of Science(Environmental Science)-2019	0	4	3	21	28
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Computer Science -2019	3	6	2	2	13
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Environmental Science-2019	5	1	1	0	7
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Information Technology	1	9	10	1	21
	<b>Sub Total</b>					<b>104</b>
Business Studies	Bachelor of Business Management in Project Management-2019	2	10	12	14	38
	Bachelor of Business Management (General) -2019	0	0	4	14	18
	Bachelor of Business Management Honours 2019	2	22	17	37	78
	<b>Sub Total</b>					<b>134</b>
MS&C	Bachelor of Business Administration Honours-2019	39	97	66	63	265
	Bachelor of Business Administration (General 3 Years)- 2019	0	0	0	7	7
	Bachelor of Commerce Honours -2019	3	35	30	21	89
	<b>Sub Total</b>					<b>361</b>
Science	Bachelor of Science(General)-2019	1	2	6	134	143
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Computer Science-2019	4	15	5	14	38
	Bachelor of Science in Computer Science-2019	0	1	0	19	20
	Bachelor of Computer Science-2019	0	0	0	1	1
	Bachelor of Science Honours -2019	17	36	26	25	104
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Applied Science - 2019	0	4	14	15	33
	<b>Sub Total</b>					<b>339</b>
AHS	Bachelor of Science Honours in Nursing - 2019	0	0	0	6	6
	Bachelor of Pharmacy Honours - 2019	0	0	0	7	7
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Medical Laboratory	0	0	0	7	7
	<b>Sub Total</b>					<b>20</b>
Technology	Bachelor of Bio systems Technology Honours- 2019	0	1	3	17	21
	Bachelor of Engineering Technology Honours- 2019	0	0	0	9	9
	<b>Sub Total</b>					<b>30</b>
USM	Bachelor of Siddha Medicine & Surgery -2019	15	14	5	4	38
CODL	Bachelor of Commerce Honours (External)	1	11	11	26	49
	Bachelor of Commerce (External)	0	2	0	12	14
	Bachelor of Business Management (External)	3	11	10	59	83
	<b>Sub Total</b>					<b>146</b>
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>698</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>767</b>	<b>2141</b>

*Table 2.10: First Degree Award Classification during the year under review-2022*

### Summary of Graduate Output (Internal and External)- 2022

Degree/Diploma	Total
Postgraduates	428
Internal Graduates	3813
Internal Diplomates	02
External Graduates	383
External Diplomates	01
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4627</b>

*Table 2.11: Summary of Graduate Output (Internal and External)- 2022*

## Number of Graduates Passed out in the Last Five Years (2017-2022)

Faculty/Unit/Centre	Year of Convocation						
	2017	2018	2019		2021	2022	
			Part I	Part II		Part I	Part II
Graduate Studies	65	222	332	64	377	146	105
Agriculture	53	7	49	65	62	65	95
Arts	64	686	0	633	653	649	873
Applied Science	68	0	94	0	130	136	77
Business Studies	110	0	65	0	113	133	162
MS&C	341	0	0	317	369	338	363
Medicine	0	96	0	126	119	131	143
Science	0	181	0	178	388	174	339
AHS	58	0	0	43	69	57	15
Technology	0	0	0	0	0	165	30
Engineering	0	31	48	0	52	55	7
USM	32	0	27	70	70	38	0
CODL	509	443	348	175	62	237	146
<b>Total</b>	<b>1300</b>	<b>1666</b>	<b>963</b>	<b>1671</b>	<b>2464</b>	<b>2324</b>	<b>2355</b>

Table 2.12: Number of Graduates Passed out in the Last Five Years (2017-2022)

## Details of Bachelors Degrees- 2022

Faculty	Course	SLQF mapping	Medium	UGC Intake in 2022	UGC intake year					Total	Graduated in 2022
					2020/2021	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>		
Agriculture	B.Sc.	6	English	220	173	134	106	98	-	511	160
Arts	B.A.	6	Tamil	556	587	569* 534**	497	398	-	2585	1065
	B. Laws	6	English	101	99	94	70	70	-	333	98
SPRFPVA	B.F.A.	6	Tamil	37	32	33	32	24	-	121	148
Engineering	B. Sc (Eng)	6	English	280	243	244	188	164	-	839	62
MS&C	BBA	5/6 *	English	195	192	208	176	93	-	669	338
	B.Com.	5/6 *	English	431	402	384	287	287	-	1360	363
Medicine	MBBS	6	English	127	101	110	90	81	-	382	274
AHS	B.Sc.(Nursing)	6	English	174	187	188	152	139	148	814	30
	B.Sc.(MLS)	6	English	78	61	53	45	38	-	197	20
	B. Pharm.	6	English	72	55	66	55	59	-	235	22
Science	B.Sc.in Computer Sc.	6	English	73	52	57	49	48	-	206	59
	B.Sc.	5/6 *	English	50	46	-	-	-	-	46	454
Technology	BET	6	English	111	101	68	46	23	-	238	97
	BBT	6	English	497	334	279	346	94	-	1053	98
Hindu Studies				165	148	152	98	99	-	497	-
USM	BSMS	6	Tamil	162	158	165	105	109		537	38
<b>Grand Total</b>				<b>3329</b>	<b>2813</b>	<b>2604</b>	<b>2237</b>	<b>1715</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>10086</b>	<b>3326</b>

\*SLQF- 5: 3 year Degree Programme

\*SLQF -6: 4 year Degree Programme

\* batch 1- 2019/2020

\*\*batch 2- 2018/2019

Table 2.13: Details of Bachelors Degrees- 2022

## Details of Postgraduate Degrees/Diplomas -2022

### Faculty of Graduate Studies

Degree	SLQF mapping	Intake in 2022	Academic Year					Graduated in 2022
			1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	
PhD	12	4	4	7	7	4	23	4
MPhil	11	22	22	26	21	23	59	12
Masters	10	38	38	-	-	-	-	1
Masters	9	176	176	-	16	5	31	21
MEd	9	405	405	-	-	-	-	-
PGD	8	-	-	28	-	9	9	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>645</b>	<b>645</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>41</b>

Table 2.14: Details of Postgraduate Degrees/Diplomas -2022

### Details of Bachelor's Degrees- Self Finance Courses- 2022

Faculty/ Centre	Course	SLQF mapping	Medium	Intake in 2022	Intake year				Total	Graduated in 2022
					2020/2021	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>		
CODL	B.A	5/6 *	Tamil	532	527	371	355		1253	114
	B.Com	6	Tamil	-	138	113	119	58	428	86
	B.B.M(Online)	5	Tamil	175	229	115	115	-	459	181
Arts	PGD. Ed.	8	Tamil	100	87	-	-	-	187	79
			Tamil	100	151	-	-	-	251	78
	Higher Diploma in Media Studies	4	Tamil	50	30	-	-	-	30	-
MS&C	Master of Business Administration	10	Engli sh	80	48	83	-	-	131	54
	Diploma in Human Recourse Management	3	Tamil	-	-	-	-	-		-
	Diploma in Microfinance	3	Tamil	50	55	-	-	-	55	-
	Diploma in Business Administration	3	Tamil	-	-	-	-	-		-
AHS	Higher Diploma in Physical Education (FT)	4	Tamil	40	-	34	-	-	34	-
	Higher Diploma in Physical Education (PT)	4	Tamil	80	-	57	-	-	57	-
<b>Grand Total</b>				<b>1245</b>	<b>1027</b>	<b>773</b>	<b>589</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>2447</b>	<b>592</b>

Table 2.15: Details of Bachelor's Degrees- Self Finance Courses- 2022

\*SLQF- 5: 3 year Degree Programme

\*SLQF- 6: 4 year Degree Programme

### Employment status of Graduates of the University of Jaffna-2022

Faculty	35th Annual General Convocation (part II)				36th Annual General Convocation (part I)			
	Employed	Other	Not Employed	Total	Employed	Other	Not Employed	Total
Agriculture	35	4	26	<b>65</b>	37	11	45	<b>93</b>
AHS	34	4	16	<b>54</b>	9	3	3	<b>15</b>
Applied Science	82	3	25	<b>110</b>	74	1	39	<b>114</b>
Arts	49	26	336	<b>411</b>	87	41	614	<b>742</b>
Business Studies	75	3	48	<b>126</b>	72	10	42	<b>124</b>
Engineering	49	-	5	<b>54</b>	4	-	-	<b>4</b>
MS&C	208	8	109	<b>325</b>	200	31	108	<b>339</b>
Medicine	119	-	-	<b>119</b>	58	3	80	<b>141</b>
Science	74	5	81	<b>160</b>	149	13	152	<b>314</b>
SPRFPVA	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	4	3	<b>7</b>
Technology	76	14	69	<b>159</b>	8	1	7	<b>16</b>
USM	1	-	36	<b>37</b>	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>751</b>	<b>1620</b>	<b>698</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>1093</b>	<b>1909</b>

Note: 'Employed' refers to permanent/temporary/contract/ self-employment

'Other' refers to graduates not looking for a job/continuing higher studies

Table 2.16: Employment status of graduates of the University of Jaffna-2022

### Summary of Resources and Students

Faculties and Units	No. of Students*	No. of. Academic Staff			No. of. Administrative Staff **	No. of. Non- Academic Staff****
		P	T***	S***		
Agriculture	511	39	30	2	2	53
Arts	3039	120	34	8	1	48
Hindu Studies	48	13	3	-	1	3
SPRFPVA	839	41	16	14	1	20
Engineering	669	40	38	1	2	47
MS&C	1742	53	26	3	1	21
Medicine	814	52	38	2	1	94
AHS	684	25	9	-	1	13
Sports Science Unit	-	03	-	-	0	2
Science	1291	90	82	2	1	82

Technology	1034	39	41	-	1	26
USM	402	17	11	1	2	25
CODL***** (External)	2140	5	4	1	1	8
Services Units		4	13	14	-	-
Faculty of Graduate Studies						
Ph.D	45	11	-	1	01	8
M.Phil	151	-	-	1		
Master Degree	671	-	-	-		
Postgraduate Diploma	46	-	-	-		
<b>Total</b>		<b>547</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>450</b>

\* Maximum No. of students at any given time within the year  
\*\* Registrar, Bursar, Deputy Registrar./Bursar, Senior Assistant Registrar/Bursar, Assistant Registrar/Bursar, Deputy Internal Auditor, Director/Physical Education, Health Services officer, Work Engineer, Curator, CSO(at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022)  
\*\*\* Permanent Academic Support Staff, Contract Academic Support Staff, and Temporary Instructors(at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022)  
\*\*\*\* Permanent Non Academic Staff, Contract and Temporary Academic Support Staff(at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022)  
\*\*\*\*\* Self-funded program, P- Permanent, T- Temporary, S- Supporting staff

**Table 2.17: Summary of Resources and Students**

## 2.2. Staff Affairs

### Co-Officers

Co-officers	Name	Qualifications
Chancellor	Prof.S.Pathmanathan (17.03.2014-to date)	Professor Emeritus in History
Vice Chancellor	Prof .S.Srisatkunarah, Professor in Mathematics, Faculty of Science	B.Sc (Sp) in Mathematics - First Class (Jaffna - 1983) and PhD (Heriot - 1988)
Dean/Faculty of Agriculture	Prof.S.Vasantharuba, Professor in Agricultural Chemistry	B.Sc(Agric.) - 2nd Class Upper division - Jaffna, M.Phil (PGIA, Peradeniya) and PhD, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, 2013
Dean/Faculty of Arts	Prof.K.Suthakar, Professor in Geography	B.A (Jaffna) Spe. In Geography 2nd Class Upper Div. - 1990, M.A (Colombo) in Geography - 1991 and Ph.D (Singapore)-2008
Dean/Faculty of Engineering	Dr.K.Pirapaharan, Senior Lecturer, Gr.I, Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering	General Curriculam of Electrical & Electronic Engineering, 1st Class, University of Peradeniya, 01.05.1993, M.Eng, Course with Research Component, KINDAI University of Japan, GPA 4.0, 25.03.1998, PhD , Kindai University of Japan,23.03.2001
Dean/Faculty of Graduate Studies	Prof.S.Kannathasan, Professor in Parasitology	B.V.Sc (Peradeniya) 2nd Class Upper Div. - 29.05.1998 and M.Phil in Medicalparacitology (Jaffna) - 09.07.2008, Ph.D , University of Peradenia, 13.02.2017
Dean/Faculty of MS&C	Prof.B.Nimalathan, Professor in Accounting,	B.Com, 1st Class (Jaffna), 2002, HNDA and Ph.D, University of Chittagong,Bangladesh, 2010
Dean/Faculty of Medicine	Prof.R.Surenthirakumaran, Professor in Community and Family Medicine	M.B.B.S (Jaffna) - 2002 and MD(Com. Medicine), University of Colombo. 01.07.2010
Dean/Faculty of Science	Prof.P.Ravirajan, Professor in Physics	B.Sc. Spe in Physics - Second Class - Upper (Jaffna - 1993), M.Sc (Peradeniya) - 1999 and Ph.D (U.K) - 2004
Dean/Faculty of Technology	Prof.(Mrs.).S.Sivachandra, Professor in Agronomy	B.Sc(Agric.) - 2nd Class Upper division - Peradeniya and Ph.D - Peradeniya
Dean/Faculty of Hindu Studies	Mr.S.Padmanaban, Senior Lecturer, Grade II, Department of Sanskrit	BA in Sanskrit, 1st Class, University of Jaffna,1999, M.Phil in Sanskrit, Trinity College and University.
Dean/Faculty of AHS	Mrs.D.Thabotharan, Senior Lecturer, Gr.I, Department of Nursing	B.Sc in Nursing-1998, Second Class (Tamil Nadu) and M.Sc(Nursing), India
Dean/SPRFPVA	Mr.S.Sivaruban, Senior Lecturer, Gr.II, Department of Dance	B.F.A (Painting), 1st Class, 2002,University of Madras. M.V.A(Graphics Arts) 1st Class,17.10.2006,Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, India.
Registrar	Mr.V.Kandeepan (11.03.2009-to date)	B.Sc(Agric),2nd class Honours-Eastern University, Sri Lanka, (EUSL), 1992, PGD in Management- Open University of Sri Lanka, 2004 and MBA-University of Sri Jeyawardenapura, 2007.

Librarian (Acting)	Mr.S.Ketheeswaren, Deputy Librarian	B.Sc (Sp) in Physics, 2nd Class Upper Div. - 2002 (Jaffna) and MLISc, Barathithasan University, 1st class, Apr., 2009.
Bursar	Mr.K.Sureshkumar (01.01.2019-to date)	Associate Chartered Management Accountant (ACMA)- Institute of Chartered Accountants Srilanka-2010, Chartered Global Management Accountant (CGMA)- Institute of Chartered Accountants Sri Lanka-2012, MBA in Finance University of Colombo-2012 and B.Sc Business Administration, B.Econ (Sp)- University of Sri Jeyawardenapura-2005.

**Table 2.18: Details of Co-Officers**

**Details of the highest academic qualifications of the academic staff in each department**

Faculty/ Unit	Department	Ph.D	M.Phil	Masters	Bachelors	Total	
Agriculture	Agricultural Biology	05	-	-	02	07	
	Agricultural Chemistry	02	03	-	02	07	
	Agricultural Economics	01	-	03	02	06	
	Agricultural Engineering	02	-	01	03	06	
	Agronomy	04	02	-	01	07	
	Animal Science	01	02	01	02	06	
	<b>Sub Total</b>		<b>15</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>05</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>39</b>
Arts	Media Studies	01	-	-	03	04	
	Translation Studies	-	-	-	04	04	
	ICT	-	-	-	-	-	
	Christian & Islamimc Civilization	Islamic	-	-	-	-	-
		Christian	01	01	01	-	03
	Economics	Economics	04	02	03	01	10
		Home Economics	-	-	03	01	04
	Education	01	01	03	01	06	
	Fine Arts	Fine Arts	01	-	01	02	04
	Geography	Geography	05	-	03	03	11
		Planning	-	-	02	-	02
	History	History	-	02	-	04	06
		Archaeology	-	-	01	02	03
	Law		-	01	01	06	08
	Linguistics & English Literature	Linguistics	01	01	02	02	06
		English Literature	01	01	-	01	03
		Sinhala	-	-	01	-	01
	Philosophy	Philosophy	-	03	-	01	04
		Psychology	01	01	01	-	03
	Political Science		01	02	01	01	05
	Sociology	Sociology	02	-	02	-	04
		Anthropology	01	-	-	-	01
		Medical Sociology	01	-	-	01	02
Tamil		03	-	03	02	08	
Information Technology		-	01	-	-	01	
ELT		05	04	05	03	17	
<b>Sub Total</b>		<b>29</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>120</b>	
MS&C	Accounting	05	01	05	02	13	
	Financial Management	06	01	02	02	11	
	Human Resource Management	05	-	06	-	11	
	Marketing	05	-	04	01	10	
	Commerce	02	01	05	-	08	
	<b>Sub Total</b>		<b>23</b>	<b>03</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>53</b>
Medicine	Medical Education	-	-	-	-	-	
	Anatomy	02	02	-	-	04	
	Biochemistry	01	01	-	01	03	
	Community Medicine	-	-	05	01	06	
	Medicine	-	-	08	-	08	

	Obstetrics and Gynecology	-	-	04	-	04
	Pathology	-	-	01	02	03
	Parasitology	01	01	-	-	02
	Microbiology	01	01	-	-	02
	Pediatrics	-	-	03	01	04
	Pharmacology	01	-	01	01	03
	Physiology	01	-	01	-	02
	Psychiatry	-	-	-	-	-
	Surgery	-	-	10	-	10
	Nuclear Medicine	01	-	-	-	-
	Forensic Medicine	-	-	-	-	-
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>05</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>06</b>	<b>52</b>
Science	Botany	07	03	01	-	11
	Chemistry	13	-	-	02	15
	Computer Science	07	01	02	03	13
	Mathematics and Statistics	08	03	-	02	13
	Mathematics	03	01	01	03	08
	Statics	07	-	02	03	12
	Physics	07	03	01	01	12
	Zoology	01	01	01	03	06
	Fisheries	07	-	02	03	12
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>90</b>
Engineering	Civil Engineering	07	01	01	03	12
	Computer Engineering	03	-	-	04	07
	Electrical and Electronic Engineering	04	-	-	06	10
	Interdisciplinary Studies	01	-	-	06	07
	Mechanical Eng.	01	-	-	03	04
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>40</b>
Technology	Engineering Technology	02	-	01	15	18
	Bio Systems Technology	-	01	-	16	17
	Inter Disciplinary Studies	01	01	-	02	04
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>03</b>	<b>02</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>39</b>
Hindu Studies	Hindu civilization	03	01	-	02	06
	Saiva Siddanda	02	01	-	-	03
	Sanskrit	01	02	01	-	04
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>06</b>	<b>04</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>02</b>	<b>13</b>
AHS	Medical Laboratory Sciences	01	01	-	07	09
	Nursing	-	02	01	06	09
	Pharmacy	01	-	02	04	07
	Sports Science Unit	03	-	-	-	03
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>05</b>	<b>03</b>	<b>03</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>28</b>
SPRFPVA	Music	03	02	04	02	11
	Instrumental Music	-	04	01	02	07
	Dance	04	06	01	-	11
	Painting	-	-	03	01	04
	Sculpture	-	-	01	01	02
	Drama and Theatre Arts	02	01	-	04	07
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>09</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>41</b>
Computer Unit		-	-	04	-	04
Library		02	01	05	03	11
USM		03	03	07	04	17
<b>Grand Total</b>		<b>172</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>547</b>

*Table 2.19: Details of the highest academic qualifications of the academic staff in each department*

**Details of Present Academic and Academic-Support Staff**

Faculty/ Unit/ Centre	Department/Section/Unit	Approved Cadre as at 31.12.2022	Senior Professors	Professors	Associate Professors	Senior Lecturer (Grade I)	Senior Lecturers (Grade II)	Lecturers	Lecturers (Probationary)	Total Academic Staff	Total Temporary Demonstrators	Total Academic Support Staff Tutor/Instructor	
Agriculture	Dean's Office	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	
	Agricultural Biology	8	1	1	-	1	2	-	2	7	5	-	
	Agricultural Chemistry	8	-	2	-	-	1	1	3	7	6	-	
	Agricultural Economics	7	-	-	-	2	1	1	2	6	4	-	
	Agricultural Engineering	7	-	1	-	1	1	-	3	6	5	-	
	Agronomy	8	-	1	-	1	4	-	1	7	5	-	
	Animal Science	8	-	1	-	-	2	1	2	6	5	-	
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>2</b>	
Arts	Dean's Office	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	
	Media Studies	4	-	1	-	-	-	1	2	4	2	-	
	Translation Studies	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	2	-	
	IT	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	-	
	Christian & Islamic Civilization	Islamic	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Christian		-	1	-	-	2	-	-	3	2	-
	Economics	Economics	15	-	3	-	3	-	2	2	10	1	-
		Home Economics		-	-	-	1	-	1	2	4	1	-
	Education		9	-	-	-	1	2	-	3	6	-	
	Fine Arts	Fine Arts	6	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	4	2	-
	Geography	Geography	14	-	1	-	3	2	1	4	11	2	-
		Planning		-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	2	-
	History	History	10	-	-	1	1	-	-	4	6	2	-
		Archaeology		-	-	-	-	1	-	2	3	2	-
		Cultural Tourism		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
	Law		10	-	-	-	-	2	-	6	8	1	
	ELT		19	-	-	-	6	8	-	3	17	3	6
	Linguistics & English Literature	Linguistics	11	-	1	-	2	2	-	1	6	1	-
		Sinhala		-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
		Eng. Literature		-	-	-	1	1	-	1	3	1	-
	Philosophy	Philosophy	9	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	4	1	-
		Psychology		-	-	-	2	1	-	-	3	1	-
	Political Science		7	-	1	-	-	2	-	2	5	2	
	Sociology	Sociology	8	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	4	2	-
		Anthropology		-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
		Medical Sociology		-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-
	Tamil		9	2	1	-	2	1	-	2	8	1	-
<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>8</b>		
Engineering	Dean's Office	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
	Civil Engineering	18	-	1	-	3	5	-	3	12	11	-	
	Computer Engineering	14	-	-	-	-	3	-	4	7	4	-	
	Electrical and Electronic Engineering	17	-	2	-	2	-	-	6	10	12	-	
	Mechanical Eng.	12	-	-	-	-	1	-	6	7	8	-	
	Interdisciplinary Studies	05	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	3	-	
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>1</b>	
	MS&C	Dean's Office	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3
Accounting		13	1	2	-	4	2	2	2	13	5	-	
Financial Management		12	-	2	-	5	2	-	2	11	5	-	
Human Resource Management		12	-	2	-	4	2	-	-	11	6	-	
Marketing		11	-	2	-	4	1	2	1	10	4	-	
Commerce		9	-	-	-	1	5	2	-	8	5	-	

	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>3</b>
Medicine	Dean's office (PPDS)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	2
	Medical Education	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
	Anatomy	9	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	2	-
	Biochemistry	7	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	3	4	-
	Community Medicine	9	-	2	-	-	3	-	1	6	4	-
	Medicine	9	-	3	-	-	2	1	-	8	2	-
	Obstetrics and Gynaecology	6	-	1	-	2	1	-	-	4	1	-
	Paediatrics	8	-	1	-	-	1	1	1	4	2	-
	Pharmacology	6	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	3	1	-
	Pathology	7	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	3	2	-
	Parasitology	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
	Microbiology	6	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-
	Physiology	7	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	1	-
	Psychiatry	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
	Surgery	12	-	2	-	1	-	3	1	10	3	-
	Nuclear Medicine	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
	Forensic Medicine	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>2</b>	
Science	Botany	12	-	2	1	7	1	-	-	11	8	-
	Chemistry	17	-	6	-	5	1	-	-	15	16	-
	Computer Science	15	-	2	-	5	2	1	3	13	12	2
	Mathematics & Statistics	24	-	2	-	4	5	-	2	13	7	-
			-	-	-	4	1	-	3	8	5	-
	Physics	14	1	1	-	3	3	1	3	12	12	-
	Zoology	13	1	3	-	2	4	1	1	12	13	-
	Fisheries	7		1	-	-	1	1	3	6	9	-
<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>2</b>	
Technology	Dean's office	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Engineering Technology	25	-	-	-	-	2	1	15	18	15	-
	Bio Systems Technology	25	-	-	-	-	-	1	16	17	19	-
	Inter Disciplinary Studies	6	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	4	7	-
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>-</b>
Hindu Studies	Hindu Civilization	7	-	-	-	3	1	-	2	6	1	-
	Saiva Siddhantha	4	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3	1	-
	Sanskrit	4	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	4	1	-
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>
AHS	Dean's office		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Medical Laboratory Sciences	8	-	-	-	-	2	-	7	9	5	-
	Nursing	10	-	-	-	2	1	-	6	9	4	-
	Pharmacy	8	-	-	-		3	-	4	7	-	-
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>-</b>
SPRFPVA	Dean's office		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	Music	11	-	-	-	4	4	1	2	11	2	5
	Instrumental Music	7	-	-	-	2	2	1	2	7	1	2
	Dance	11	-	-	-	5	4	2		11	4	4
	Painting	6	-	-	-	2	-	1	1	4	3	-
	Sculpture	2	-	-	-	1	-		1	2	3	-
	Drama and Theatre Arts	6	-	-	-	2	-		4	6	4	2
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>Other Academic Units</b>												
Sports Science Unit	4	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
Unit of Siddha Medicine	33	-	-	-	6	4	1	6	17	11	1	-
Physical Education Unit	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	-
Computer Unit	4	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	4	13	6	-
Library Services	14	-	-	2	3	2		4	11		1	-
Career Guidance Unit	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Centre for Open & Distance Learning	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>547</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>49</b>	

*Table 2.20: Details of Present Academic and Academic-Support Staff*

## Summary of Academic and Academic-Support Staff

Faculty/Unit	Designation												Total Academic	Total Temporary Demonstrators	Actual Academic Support Staff *
	Senior Professor/Professor		Professor		Associate Professor		Senior Lecturers		Lecturers (Transitional)		Lecturers (Probationary)				
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022			
Agriculture	6	1	4	5	-	-	14	16	1	3	13	13	39	30	02
Arts	11	2	11	10	-	1	85	59	10	7	54	41	120	34	08
Engineering	2	-	2	3	-	-	16	15	-	-	27	22	40	38	01
MS&C	3	1	3	8	-	-	35	30	9	09	6	5	53	26	03
Medicine	11	1	11	11	-	-	26	27	5	06	5	7	52	38	02
Science	12	2	12	17	3	1	51	48	4	04	18	18	90	82	02
Technology	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	02	34	33	39	41	-
Hindu Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	10	-	01	4	2	13	03	-
AHS	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	08	-	-	14	17	25	09	-
Sports Science Unit	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	03	-	-	-	-	03	-	-
SPRFPVA	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	-	05	-	10	41	17	14
USM	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	10	-	01	7	6	1	11	01
Physical Education Unit	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	08
Computer Unit	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	04	-	-	04	-	06
CGU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-
CODL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	01
<b>Total</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>48</b>

Table 2.21: Summary of Academic and Academic-Support Staff

## Library Staff Details (Academic)

Details	Present Academic Support Staff as at 31.12.2022									
	Librarian		Deputy Librarian		Senior Assistant Librarian Grade I		Senior Assistant Librarian Grade II		Assistant Librarian	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Library Staff*	-	-	-	2	5	3	2	2	4	4

\*taken under the Academic Staff Categories – Table no: 2.2.10

Table 2.22: Library Staff Details (Academic)

## Administrative and other Non-academic Staff

Faculty/Branch	No. of Tertiary Level		No. of Secondary Level		No of Primary Level	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
General Administration-Jaffna	09	08	46	43	28	27
Financial Administration-Jaffna	05	08	37	44	02	01
General Admin-Kilinochchi Premises	01	01	08	07	05	04
Financial Administration-Kilinochchi Premises	02	02	05	05	01	01
Internal Audit	01	-	06	05	01	01
CGU	-	-	1	1	1	-
SDC	-	-	1	1	1	1
Security Services	1	1	04	4	38	36
Faculty of Agriculture	2	2	24	25	30	28
Faculty of Arts	1	1	27	28	21	20
Faculty of Engineering	1	2	33	30	17	17
Faculty of MS&C	1	1	13	14	07	7
Faculty of Technology	02	02	18	16	08	09
Faculty of Medicine	03	01	61	60	34	34
Faculty of Hindu Studies	01	01	03	03	-	-
Faculty of AHS	01	01	10	08	07	05
Sport Science Unit	-	-	01	01	01	01
Faculty of Science	01	01	45	43	39	39

Faculty of Graduate Studies	01	1	07	04	01	-
SPRFPVA	01	01	15	11	09	09
USM	03	02	16	14	12	11
Examination Services	01	02	10	10	04	04
Library Services	-	-	27	27	19	17
Health Services	01	01	08	08	13	11
Physical Education	01	01	01	01	10	09
Student & Staff Welfare Services	01	01	07	07	03	03
Maintenance of Lands, Buildings, and Facilities- J&K Premises	02	02	15	16	30	27
Hostels	-	-	08	08	07	07
External Examination Unit	01	01	08	06	01	01
<b>Total</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>330</b>

**Table 2.23: Administrative and other Non-academic Staff**

### Details of Non Academic Staff

Faculty/Unit/Centre/Branch	Senior Staff*		Junior Staff**		Minor Employees	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Faculty of Agriculture	02	02	24	25	30	28
Faculty of Arts	01	01	27	28	21	20
Faculty of Engineering	01	02	33	30	17	17
Faculty of MS&C	01	01	13	14	07	07
Faculty of Technology	02	02	18	16	08	09
Faculty of Medicine	03	01	61	60	34	34
Faculty of Hindu Studies	01	01	03	03	-	-
Faculty of AHS	01	01	10	08	07	05
Faculty of Science	01	01	45	43	39	39
Faculty of Graduate Studies	01	01	07	04	01	-
SPRFPVA	01	01	15	11	09	09
USM	03	02	16	14	12	11
Library Services	-	-	27	27	19	17
Examination Services	01	02	10	10	04	04
Financial Administration –J&K Premises	07	10	42	49	03	02
Admission Branch	-	01	04	04	02	01
Capital Works & Planning	01	01	03	03	01	01
Administration Branch including Transport Services	01	01	07	06	16	15
Internal Audit	01		06	05	01	01
Academic Affairs and Publication Branch	01	01	04	03	01	01
Establishment Academic Branch	04	02	12	11	02	02
Establishment Non Academic Branch	01	-	09	09	02	02
Vice Chancellor's office	-	-	02	02	01	02
Registrar's office	01	01	04	04	02	02
Student & Staff Welfare Services	01	01	07	07	03	03
Ancillary Services(Hostels)	-	-	08	08	07	07
Maintenance of Lands, Buildings, and Facilities- Jaffna & Kilinochchi Premises	02	02	15	16	30	27
Career Guidance	-	-	01	01	01	-
Staff Development Centre	-	-	01	01	01	01
External Examination Unit	01	01	08	06	01	01
Health Service Center	01	01	08	08	13	11
Security Service	01	01	04	04	38	36
Sports Science Unit	-	-	01	01	01	01
Legal & Documentation Unit	-	01	01	01	01	01
General Admin - Kilinochchi	01	01	08	07	05	04
Physical Education	01	01	01	01	10	09
<b>Total</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>330</b>

\* : Senior Non Academic Staff

\*\* : Non Academic Staff other than Minor Employees

\*\*\* : Contract Staff of all categories of Non Academic Staff

**Table 2.24: Details of Non Academic Staff**

## Total Permanent Staff

Type of Staff		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Academic Staff	Senior Professor/ Professor/Associate Professor	32	28	31	28	31	35	48	64
	Senior Lecturers G.I and G.II	209	219	246	269	282	294	301	298
	Lecturer(Probationary)	117	117	117	140	151	145	198	174
Administrative Staff		30	35	29	41	41	43	43	44
Library Staff		11	10	10	10	9	12	11	14
Non-Academic Staff		564	581	641	775	754	744	816	780
Total		963	990	1074	1263	1268	1273	1417	1374

Table 2.25: Total Permanent Staff

## Gender details of Academic Staff and Academic Support Staff

Faculty/Unit/Centre/Branch	No. of Permanent Academic Staff			No. of Permanent Academic Support Staff			No. of Permanent Non-Academic Staff		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Faculty of Agriculture	17	22	39	2	-	2	38	17	55
Faculty of AHS	05	20	25	-	-	-	05	09	14
Faculty of Arts	58	62	120	3	5	8	29	20	49
Faculty of Engineering	28	12	40	-	1	1	34	15	49
Faculty of Graduate Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	02	03	05
Faculty of Hindu studies	08	05	13	-	-	-	02	02	04
Faculty of MS&C	25	28	53	3	-	3	15	07	22
Faculty of Medicine	24	28	52	1	1	2	61	34	95
Faculty of Science	57	33	90	7	1	8	63	13	76
Faculty of Technology	19	20	39	-	-	-	19	08	27
SPRFPAVA	18	23	41	8	6	14	17	04	21
Sports Science Unit	02	01	03	-	-	-	-	-	-
USM	02	15	17	-	2	2	20	07	27
Library(J&K)	05	06	11	1	-	1	26	18	44
Computer Unit	01	03	04	-	-	-	07	-	07
Sport Science Unit	02	01	03	-	-	-	02	-	02
Physical Education Unit	-	-	-	4	4	8	10	01	11
General Administration- Main premises	-	-	-	-	-	-	196	93	289
General Administration- Kilinochchi premises	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	11	27
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>824</b>

Table 2.26: Gender details of Academic Staff and Academic Support Staff

## Cadre Details- Academic and Academic Support Staff

Staff Category	Salary Scale	Approved Cadre as at 31.12.2022	No. of Actual Staff														
			Permanent			Temporary			Contract			Visiting			Assignment		
			M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total
Vice Chancellor	U AC 5	1	1		1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Director	U AC 5	3	2	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Director	U AC 3	1	1		1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Professor Chair	Senior Professor	47	02	01	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Professor		U AC 5(II)	04	03	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senior Professor	U AC 5(I)	649	04		04	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Professor	U AC 5(II)		36	12	48	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Associate Professor	U AC 4		02		02	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senior Lecturer- G.I	U AC 3(I)		67	64	131	-	-	-	01	01	2	147	64	211	03	-	03
Senior Lecturer- G.II	U AC 3(II)		68	57	125	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lecturer	U AC 3(III)		19	23	42	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lecturer(Probationary)	U AC 3(IV)		62	112	174	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Librarian	U AC 5		1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Deputy Librarian	U AC 4	1★	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senior Assistant Librarian	U AC 3	4★	1	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assistant Librarian	U AC 3	8	3	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Temporary Lecturer/Temporary Assistant Lecturer	U AC 2(I)	74	-	-	-	27	92	119	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Temporary Research Assistant	U AC 2	8	-	-	-	01	02	03	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Temporary Demonstrator	U AC 2(II)	143	-	-	-	57	123	180	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Temporary Instructor	U AC 2(II)	72	-	-	-	07	33	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Temporary Scientific Assistant	U AC 1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Instructor in Computer Technology	U AS 2	11	7	3	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Instructor in English	U AS 1&2	6	2	4	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Instructor in Music/Dance/I.M*/D&T**	U AS 1&2	17	7	5	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Instructor in Physical Education	U AS 1&2	9	4	4	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assistant Network Manager	U AS 2	5	5	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Programmer cum system Analyst	U AS 2	4	1	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
System Engineer	U AS 2	2	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scientific Assistant	U AS 1&2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Computer Programmer	U AS 1	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career Advisor	U AS 2	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>		<b>1067</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>601</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>02</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>03</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>03</b>

★ Appointment on Merit Promotion will be made on “Personal-to-the-holder” basis

\* I.M- Instrumental Music

\*\*D&T- Drama and Theatre

**Table 2.27: Cadre Details- Academic and Academic Support Staff**

### Cadre Details– Administrative and Non-Academic staff

Designation	Salary Scale	Services Category	Jaffna and Kilinochchi Primises					
			Approved Cadre 2021	Approved Cadre 2022	Actual		Vacancies	
					2021	2022	2021	2022
Registrar	U-EX 3 (I)	UA&FS	1	1	01	1	0	0
Bursar	U-EX 3	UA&FS	1	1	01	1	0	0
Deputy Registrar/Senior Assistant Registrar	U-EX 2	UA&FS	11	11	11	10	0	1
Deputy Bursar/Senior Assistant Bursar	U-EX 2	UA&FS	6	6	01	1	5	5
Deputy Internal Auditor	U-EX 2	UA&FS	1	1	0	0	1	1
Director of Physical Education	U-EX 2	UA&FS	1	1	1	1	0	0
Chief Marshal	U-EX 2	UA&FS	1	1	0	0	1	1
Deputy Chief Marshal	U-EX 1	UA&FS	1	1	0	0	1	1
Chief Security Officer	U-EX 1	UA&FS	1	1	0	1	1	0
Works Engineer Civil	U-EX 1&2	UA&FS	2	2	2	2	0	0
Assistant Registrar	U-EX 1	Dept.	14	14	14	14	0	0
Assistant Registrar (Library Service)	U-EX 1	Dept.	1	1	0	0	1	1
Assistant Registrar (Legal and Documentation)	U-EX 1	Dept.	1	1	0	1	1	0
Assistant Bursar	U-EX 1	UMS	9	9	8	8	1	1
Assistant Internal Auditor	U-EX 1	UMS	1	1	1	0	0	1
Workshop Engineer	U-EX 1&2	Dept.	2	2	2	2	0	0
Curator Landscape	U-EX 1&2	Dept.	1	1	0	0	1	1
Curator	U-EX 1	Dept.	1	1	0	0	1	1
Chief Medical Officer	U-MO 2	Dept.	1	1	0	0	1	1
Senior Medical Officer/Medical Officer	U-MO 1	Dept.	1	1	1	1	0	0
Project Manager	U-EX 1&2	Dept.	1	1	0	0	1	1
Farm Manager	U-EX 1	Dept.	1	1	1	1	0	0
Technical Officer	U-MT 1	UMAS	127	127	122	118	5	09

Technical Officer (Audio Visual)	U-MT 1	UMAS	5	5	6	5	-1	0
Technical Officer (ICT)	U-MT 1	UMAS	9	9	9	08	0	1
Technical Officer (Mechanical)	U-MT 1	UMAS	1	1	1	1	0	0
Technical Officer (Electronic)	U-MT 1	UMAS	1	1	1	1	0	0
Nursing Officer	U-MT 1	UMAS	7	7	7	6	0	1
Graduate Translator	U-MN 3	UTS	1	1	1	1	0	0
Pharmacist	U-MT 1	UTS	3	3	3	3	0	0
Draughtsman	U-MT 1	UTS	3	3	3	3	0	0
Marshal	U-MN 3	UTS	3	3	3	3	0	0
Management Assistant	U-MN 1	UTS	238	239	216	210	22	29
Management Assistant (Book keeper)	U-MN 1	Dept.	9	9	10	10	-1	-1
Management Assistant (Shroff)	U-MN 1	Dept.	8	8	7	7	1	1
Management Assistant (Store keeper)	U-MN 1	Dept.	5	5	5	4	0	1
Management Assistant (BBM Online Programme)	U-MN 1	UTS	1	1	0	0	1	1
Sub Warden Fulltime	U-MN 3	UTS	14	15	14	13	0	2
Library Information Assistant	U-MN 1	UTS	31	31	28	28	3	3
Assistant Farm Manager	U-MN 3	UTS	1	1	1	1	0	0
Audit Assistant	U-MN 1	UMAS	5	5	5	5	0	0
Field Supervisor	U-MT 1	Dept.	2	2	0	0	2	2
Supervisor Civil	U-MT 1	Dept.	9	9	9	9	0	0
Supervisor Electrical	U-MT 1	Dept.	1	1	1	1	0	0
Supervisor Maintenance	U-MN 1	Dept.	0	0	1	1	-1	-1
Public Health Inspector	U-MT 1	UTS	2	2	2	2	0	0
Security Inspector	U-MN 1	Dept.	4	4	3	4	1	0
Works Superintend Civil	U-MN 2	Dept.	3	3	3	3	0	0
Works Superintend Electrical	U-MN 2	Dept.	1	1	1	1	0	0
Record-keeper	U-MN 1	Dept.	0	0	1	1	-1	-1
Bookbinder	U-PL 3	Dept.	4	4	4	4	0	0
Caretaker	U-PL 2	Dept.	4	4	3	3	1	1
Caretaker Cum Cook	U-PL 2	Dept.	4	4	3	3	1	1
Carpenter	U-PL 3	UWAS	4	4	3	4	1	1
Dairy Assistant Animal Husbandry	U-MT 1	UWAS	1	1	0	0	1	1
Driver	U-PL 3	Dept.	13	13	12	11	1	2
Electrician	U-PL 3	Dept.	9	9	5	5	4	4
Grounds man	U-PL 1	Dept.	2	2	3	2	-1	0
Gymnasium Attendant	U-PL 2	Dept.	2	2	1	1	1	1
Instrument Mechanic	U-PL 3	Dept.	2	2	1	1	1	1
Lab Attendant	U-PL 2	Dept.	125	125	67	66	58	59
Lawnmower Operator	U-PL 1	Dept.	1	1	1	1	0	0
Library Attendant	U-PL 1	Dept.	31	31	20	18	11	13
Mason	U-PL 3	Dept.	5	5	4	3	1	2
Mechanic	U-PL 3	Dept.	4	4	1	1	3	3
Office Machine Operator	U-PL 2	Dept.	3	3	4	4	-1	-1
Painter or Polisher	U-PL 2	Dept.	2	2	1	1	1	1
Plumber	U-PL 3	Dept.	7	7	6	6	1	1
Caretaker Cum Repairer	U-MN 1	UDS	1	1	0	0	1	1
Pump Operator	U-PL 2	Dept.	5	5	4	4	1	1
Store man	U-PL 1	Dept.	3	3	1	1	2	2
Tractor Operator	U-PL 3	Dept.	1	1	1	0	0	1
Vehicle Cleaner	U-PL 1	Dept.	2	2	1	1	1	1
Health Attendant	U-PL 2	Dept.	2	2	2	2	0	0
Health Service Labourer	U-PL 1	Dept.	22	22	17	14	5	8
Post mortem Labourer	U-PL 1	Dept.	3	3	0	0	3	3
Security Guard	U-PL 1	Dept.	56	56	40	36	16	20
Works Aide	U-PL 1	Dept.	212	212	146	139	66	73
Instrument Caretaker Cum Repairer	U-MN 1	Dept.	1	1	1	1	0	0
Gardener	U-PL 1	Dept.	2	2	0	0	2	2
Butcher	U-PL 1	Dept.	1	1	0	0	1	1
<b>Total</b>			<b>1088</b>	<b>1090</b>	<b>859</b>	<b>824</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>266</b>

*Table 2.28: Cadre Details– Administrative and Non-Academic staff*

## Summary of the Approved Cadre and Present Staff

Staff Category	Salary Scale	Approved Cadre As at 31.12.2022	No. of Existing Staff														
			Permanent			Temporary			Contract			Visiting			Assignment		
			M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total
Academic Staff	U-AC 3-5	701	264	272	536	-	-	-	1	1	2	147	64	211	3	-	3
	U-AC 1-2	298	-	-	-	92	250	342	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Library (Professional Staff)	U-AC 5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	U-AC 4	1	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	U-AC 3	12	4	5	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Academic Support Staff	U-AS 2	29	17	12	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	U-AS 1	30	12	8	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Administrative Staff & Financial Staff	U-EX 3	02	02	00	02	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	U-EX 2	20	09	03	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	U-EX 1	36	14	15	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	U-MO 2	01	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	U-MO 1	01	01	00	01	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Technical staff	U-MT 1-3	171	109	48	157	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clerical	U-MN 1-4	326	133	160	293	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Primary Staff	U-PL 1-3	531	294	36	330	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>		<b>2162</b>	<b>860</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>1420</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>

Table 2.29: Summary of the Approved Cadre and Present Staff

## Summary of the Cadre Details- All Staff

Premises	Category of Staff	Approved Cadre		Actual Staff		Vacant	
		2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Jaffna Main Premises	Academic Staff	541	547	422	429	119	118
	Academic Support Staff	58	56	50	46	08	10
	Administrative Executive Staff	35	35	28	27	07	08
	Financial Executive Staff	15	15	07	07	08	08
	Non Academic- Non administrative Staff	821	821	661	634	160	189
Kilinochchi Premises	Academic Staff	171	168	125	118	46	50
	Academic Support Staff	3	3	3	3	0	0
	Administrative Executive Staff	08	08	07	08	01	0
	Financial Executive Staff	02	02	02	02	00	0
	Non Academic- Non Administrative Staff	207	209	154	146	53	63
<b>Total</b>		<b>1861</b>	<b>1864</b>	<b>1459</b>	<b>1420</b>	<b>402</b>	<b>446</b>

Table 2.30: Summary of the Cadre Details- All Staff

## New Recruitment: Academic and Non-Academic Staff (Permanent) 2012-2022

Year	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Academic Staff	25	19	28	23	28	38	59	39	26	110	20
Non-Academic Staff	07	71	82	49	26	90	155	20	12	91	01

Table 2.31: New Recruitment- Academic and Non-Academic Staff (Permanent) 2012-2022

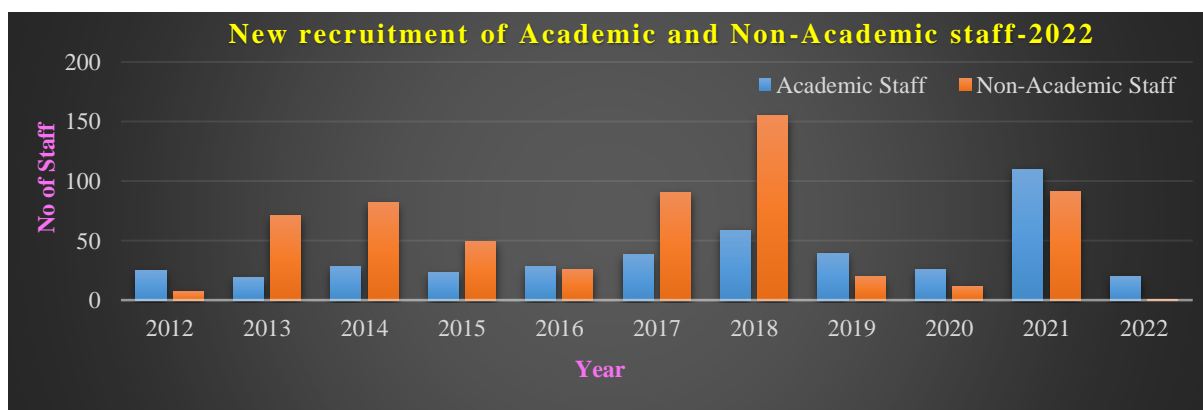


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### 3. Academic Performance and Related Activities

#### 3.1. Academic Performance- Research, Innovations, Publications and Awards

##### Research Conferences

##### Jaffna University International Conference (JUICE)

Jaffna University International Research Conference (JUICE) was a triennial conference organized by the University of Jaffna. In the history of the Sri Lankan Universities, JUICE-2022 was the very first umbrella conference that was the brain child of Prof.Srisatkunrajah, Vice Chancellor. It was noted that the JUICE has been comprised eleven satellite conferences, which were successfully organized by the Faculties, the Library, the Center for Gender Equity and Equality, Unit of Siddha Medicine of the University of Jaffna, Department of Tamil for Kandiah Karthigasu Trust Fund under the patronage and able guidance of Prof.Srisatkunrajah, the Vice Chancellor of the University of Jaffna who functioned as the General Chair. All the details of the satellite conferences are tabulated below:

Organizers/ Faculty	Name of the Satellite Conference	Date	Keynote Speaker & Affiliation	Abstracts/ Papers received	Abstracts/ Papers accepted	No of Participants	Target Group
Faculty of Science and Western Norway University of Applied Science	VINGNANAM Research Conference (VRC)	21.07.2022	Prof. S. Bragadeeswaran Annamalai University, India	63	43		
Engineering	International Conference of Engineering	19.08.2022	Prof. R. Siddharthan, University of Nevada, USA	35	30	100	Students, Engineers from industry and administrators
Medicine	Research Conference of Faculty of Medicine	06.08.2022	Prof. Rifat Atun Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health	59	33		
Arts	1 <sup>st</sup> Maanudam Research Conference	29.07.2022	Prof.Sujit Sivasundaram, University of Cambridge, UK and Dr.K. Indrapala, Former Professor of History, UOJ	57	33	85	Academic Staff
Hindu Studies	1 <sup>st</sup> International Hindu Conference (IHC)- Hindu Darshana	16.06.2022	Dr. Vikrant Singh Tomar Director, UMS India, Global Convener United Consciousness	74	53	54	Researchers and students
MS&C	7 <sup>th</sup> International Conference on Contemporary Management	14.07.2022	Prof. Darshana Sedera, Southern Cross University, Australia	74	43	100	Researchers
Agriculture	8 <sup>th</sup> International Conference on Dry Zone Agriculture (ICDA)- 2022	14.07.2022	Prof. OGATA Kazuo, Kyushu University (In communication)	55	45	300	All the stake holders related to agriculture
AHS	1 <sup>st</sup> International Research Conference on Healthy Delights (ICHD) - Aarokkium - 2022	24.08.2022	Prof.N.R.Samaranayake, Faculty of Allied Health Sciences, University of Sri Jeyawardnenepura.	27	23	144	Students, Researchers and Post graduates

CGEE	1 <sup>st</sup> Research Symposium on Gender Equity and Equality – RSGEE 2022	03.11.2022	Prof. Maithree Wickramasinghe, University of Kelaniya	22	18		
Technology	First conference on Empowering Technological Advances and Innovations	21.10.2022	Prof. Rajith Dissanayake, University of Perdeniya	53	37	400	Researchers and Graduates
Library	Etakam Research Conference-2022	12.08.2022	Prof. Parthasarathi Mukhopadhyay, Professor in Library & Information Science, University of Kalyani, India	30	19		
USM	The 3 <sup>rd</sup> International Research Conference on Siddha Medicine (IRCSM 2022)	27 <sup>th</sup> to 30 <sup>th</sup> January 2022	1. Emeritus Professor R.Sivakanesan, University of Peradeniya. 2. Dr.R.Gowribalan, Retired VOG, Clasical Hatha Yoga Teacher, UK. 3. Mrs. G. Jeyalakshmi, Head Master, Local Government Union Intermediate School, Pabanasam, Thanjavur, Tamilnadu, India. 4. Dr.T.Sathiyaseelan, Deputy Commissioner of Indigenous Medicine, Department of Indigenous Medicine, Northern Province	146	16		
Arts-Department of Tamil,	3 <sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Tamilology	03.08.2022	Dr.S.Sivalingaraja, Former Head, Department of Tamil.	48	39	36	Academic Staff

**Table 3.1:** Details of the Satellite Conferences- Jaffna University International Conference (JUICE)

### University Research Grant

Title of the Research Proposal	Name of the Principal Investigator	Budget Amount
Detection of rice blast resistant genes in local rice cultivars grown in the Northern Province	Mrs.T.Suvanithini	800,000
Preparation and evaluation of anti-bacterial and anti-oxidant activities of poly herbal ointment	Mr.S.Thuvaragan	797,820
Correlation between neutrophil-lymphocyte ratio and platelet-lymphocyte ratio with proteinuria in different stages of chronic kidney disease patients	Dr.R.Karunaitas	800,000
Bridging the gap between BICS (Basic Interpersonal Communication Skills) and CALP (Cognitive Academic Language Proficiency): Exploring the quality of ESL (English as a Second Language) Instruction in the Sri Lankan context with special reference to Jaffna District.	Mrs.Canista Arthie Hensman	155,000
An assessment of water quality on source waters and treated waters of RO plants: A study on the Jaffna premises of the University of Jaffna.	Dr.L.D.Rajasooriyar	800,000
Exploring the Prevalence of Violence among the Undergraduate students: A case study of the University of Jaffna	Mr. N.Sivakaran	350,000
Assessment of environmental factors affecting longevity of structures with a special emphasis on Northern Province of Sri Lanka.	Mr.Balrajh Kiriparan	800,000
Model development and measurement of Soil-water Characteristic curve (SWCC) for the differently characterized soils	Ms.Shanujah Mathuranayagam	790,000

Seroprevalence of anti-SARS-CoV-2 antibodies in women attending Teaching hospital Jaffna for antenatal care: a facility-based surveillance and Comparative analysis of the effectiveness of Real Time RT-PCR Based SARS-COV-2 Detection Kits used in Sri Lanka	Dr.Raj Phriyadharshini	800,000
A study on stone analysis and metabolic evaluation among urolithiasis patients at the urological unit, Teaching Hospital, Jaffna.	Dr.Balasingam Balagobi	1,399,820
The prevalence of respiratory pathogens causing community acquired pneumonia with seasonal variation and its antibiotic sensitivity at tertiary hospital in Northern Sri Lanka.	Dr.Jebanathy Pradeepan	800,000
Maternal socio- cultural, health factors that determine the immediate complications of pregnancy, and neonatal population in Jaffna, Sri Lanka.	Dr.P.A.D.Coonghe	400,000
Clay-Metal-Polymer Nanocomposites for Battery Applications	Prof.K.Velauthamurty	797,000
Photoinduced phase segregation in mixed halide perovskites: influence of a two-dimensional perovskite passivation treatment.	Dr.P.A.Amalraj	800,000
Creating a Sri Lankan Tamil Corpus with part of speech annotations.	Mr.K.Sarveswaran	800,000
Designing Li <sub>2</sub> GeO <sub>3</sub> electrode material for Li-ion batteries	Prof.P.Iyngaran	800,000
Development of new soil improvement technology using calcium phosphate bio-cement derived from bone waste.	Dr.S.Gowthaman	790,000
Fabrication of a bio-compatible paving block using polymer modified urease-based bio-cementation.	Dr. (Eng).T.H.K.Nawarathna	780,000
Determine the best storage period of selected improved rice varieties based on chemical and nutritional properties.	Dr.T.Ketheesan	729,500
The antibacterial activities and the identification of the antibacterial compound/s from the selected Sri Lankan wound healing medicinal plant species.	Prof.(Mrs).S.Sivachandiran	700,000

**Table 3.2:** Details of University Research Grant

### University Research Grants Awarded (2018-2022)

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Number of Research Grants	23	32	NA	30	20
Value (Rs.Mn)	13.17	17.68	NA	17.07	14.88

**Table 3.3:** University Research Grants Awarded (2018-2022)

### Details of Research, Innovations, Publications Awards and Commercialisation

Faculty	Department	Journal Publications		Book Publications	Conference Presentations		
		International	Local		Papers	Abstracts	
<b>Jaffna and Kilinichchi Premises</b>							
Agriculture	Agricultural Biology	-	-	1+4 Book chapters	04	06	
	Agricultural Chemistry	02	02	2 Book chapters	03	17	
	Agricultural Economics	01	-	1 Book chapter	02	02	
	Agricultural Engineering	01	01	-	-	07	
	Agronomy	02	-	-	01	10	
	Animal Science	02	01	-	01	16	
<b>Sub Total</b>		<b>08</b>	<b>04</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>58</b>	
AHS	Medical Laboratory Sciences	02	01	-	-	13	
	Nursing	01	-	-	-	11	
	Pharmacy	-	04	01	-	03	
	Sports Science Unit	01	-	-	-	02	
<b>Sub Total</b>		<b>04</b>	<b>05</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>29</b>	
Arts	Media Studies	01	06	-	08	-	
	Translation Studies	01	03	01	01	04	
	Christian & Islamic Civilization	01	01	02	02	07	
	Economics	Economics	-	04	01	06	10
		Home Economics	03	05	-	-	-
	Fine Arts	-	01	-	01	03	
	Geography	01	01	01	01	16	
	History	History	-	-	-	11	-
		Archaeology	-	-	-	02	-
	Law	-	04	-	-	07	
	Linguistics	-	-	-	03	01	

	Linguistics & English Literature	English Literature	-	-	02 Chapters	04	-
	Political Science		01	01	-	03	-
	Sociology	Sociology	03	02	02	06	08
		Anthropology	-	01	-	-	09
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>11</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>09</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>65</b>
Engineering	Civil Engineering		23	02	04	12	-
	Computer Engineering		03	-	-	03	01
	Electrical and Electronic Engineering		02	-	03	03	01
	Interdisciplinary Studies	Mechanical Eng.	03	-	-	02	01
		Eng. Mathematics	-	-	-	02	-
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>31</b>	<b>02</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>03</b>
Hindu Studies	Hindu civilization		05	02	10	09	16
	Saiva Siddanda		01	01	05	06	01
	Sanskrit		-	-	02	03	05
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>06</b>	<b>03</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>22</b>
MS&C	Accounting		04	01	01	01	08
	Financial Management		-	04	03	01	15
	Human Resource Management		03	08	-	08	02
	Marketing		06	-	-	-	02
	Commerce		05	-	-	01	-
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>18</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>04</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>27</b>
	Anatomy		-	-	01	-	-
	Biochemistry		-	01	-	-	04
	Community Medicine		06	-	-	-	42
	Medicine		08	-	-	-	02
	Obstetrics and Gynecology		-	-	03	-	-
	Pharmacology		-	-	01	-	-
	Surgery		07	03	02	07	03
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>21</b>	<b>04</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>51</b>
Science	Botany		06	03	02	02	19
	Chemistry		07	03	-	-	09
	Computer Science		07	-	-	10	01
	Mathematics & Statistics	Mathematics	09	-	02	-	19
		Statistics					
	Physics		13	-	-	-	21
	Zoology		08	-	-	-	14
Fisheries		01	02	-	03	09	
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>53</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>04</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>92</b>
Technology	Engineering Technology		11	-	-	04	-
	Bio Systems Technology		06	02	01	04	06
	Inter Disciplinary Studies		-	02	-	-	01
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>17</b>	<b>04</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>07</b>
Library			01 (Indexed Journal)	01	01	-	06
USM			03	03	03	21	08
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>04</b>	<b>04</b>	<b>04</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>Grant Total</b>			<b>164</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>338</b>

Table 3.4: Details of Research, Innovations, Publications Awards and Commercialization -2022

### Details of Research Projects and Patents

Faculty	Department	Ongoing Research Projects	Research Project Completed	Patents Applied	Patents Received
<b>Jaffna and Kilinichchi Premises</b>					
Arts	Law	02	-	-	-
<b>Sub Total</b>		<b>02</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
Medicine	Anatomy	-	4	-	-
	Biochemistry	-	7	-	-
	Community Medicine	3	38	-	-
	Medicine	-	27	-	-

	Obstetrics and Gynecology	4	8	-	-
	Pathology	5	10	-	-
	Parasitology	-	2	-	-
	Microbiology	4	3	-	-
	Pediatrics	5	6	-	-
	Pharmacology	-	2	-	-
	Physiology	1	6	-	-
	Psychiatry	1	12	-	-
	Surgery	5	35	-	-
<b>Sub Total</b>		<b>28</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
Science	Botany	01	-	-	-
	Chemistry	01	-	-	-
	Computer Science	01	-	-	-
	Physics	05	-	-	-
	Zoology	03	-	-	-
	Fisheries	03	-	01	01
<b>Sub Total</b>		<b>14</b>		<b>01</b>	<b>01</b>
Engineering	Civil Engineering	03	-	-	-
	Electrical and Electronic Engineering	-	-	01	-
<b>Sub Total</b>		<b>03</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>-</b>
Technology	Engineering Technology	01	-	01	-
<b>Sub Total</b>		<b>01</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>-</b>
Library		-	01	-	-
<b>Grant Total</b>		<b>48</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>

Table 3.5: Details of Research Projects and Patents

### Summary of Research Projects- Patents

Faculty	Research Project (on going)	Research Project (Completed)	Patents (Applied)	Patents (Received)
Engineering	01	01	02	01
Science	14	-	01	01
Technology	01	-	01	-
Library	-	01	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>

Table 3.6: Summary of Research Projects- Patents

### Number of Publications

Faculty	Number of publications in refereed:							
	Indexed		Non-Indexed		Indexed e-journals		Non-Indexed e-journals	
	Local	International	Local	International	Local	International	Local	International
Agriculture	01	06	03	02	-	-	-	-
Arts	09	01	03	01	-	-	-	-
Engineering	-	03	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hindu Studies	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	05
MS&C	-	11	09	-	01	-	03	05
Medicine	-	-	04	05	-	16	-	-
Science	-	53	08	-	-	-	-	-
Library	-	-	01	-	-	01	-	-
USM	-	-	03	03	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>

Table 3.7: Number of Publications

## Presentations and Conference Proceedings

Faculty	Presentations on Conference Proceedings			
	Number of Papers published as full paper		Number of abstract publications	
	Local	International	Local	International
Agriculture	11	-	53	05
Arts	09	07	23	01
Engineering	02	-	01	-
Hindu Studies	-	16	-	28
MS&C	16	02	28	02
Medicine	07	-	-	51
Science	15	-	92	-
Library	-	-	-	05
USM	04	-	24	05
<b>Total</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>97</b>

Table 3.8: Presentations and Conference Proceedings

## Books/Text Books/ Book Chapters published in the area of expertise

Faculty	No. of Book Chapters published		No. of Books/Text Books published in the area of expertise			
	Local	International	By a Publisher		By an author	
			Local	International	Local	International
Agriculture	02	05	01	-	-	-
AHS	01	-	-	-	-	-
Arts	-	02	01	-	-	-
MS&C	-	-	01	-	04	-
Science	-	03	-	-	02	-
USM	03	-	-	-	03	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>-</b>

Table 3.9: Books/Text Books/ Book Chapters published in the area of expertise

## Summary of Research, Innovations & Publications

Faculty	International Journal Publications	Local Journal Publications	Book Publications	Conference		Patent
				Papers	Abstracts	
Agriculture	08	04	08	11	58	-
AHS	4	5	1	-	29	-
Arts	11	29	09	49	65	-
Engineering	31	2	7	22	3	-
Hindu Studies	06	03	17	18	22	-
MS&C	18	13	04	11	27	-
Medicine	21	4	6	7	51	-
Science	53	08	04	15	92	01
Technology	17	02	01	08	06	17
Library	01	01	01	-	06	01
USM	03	03	03	21	08	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>19</b>

Table 3.10: Summary of Research, Innovations & Publications

## 3.2. Accelerating Higher Education Expansion and Development (AHEAD) Operation – World Bank Assisted Project

The main objective of AHEAD project is to expand, diversify and develop the Higher Education Sector in Sri Lanka to drive economic growth through knowledge based industrial and service activity and produce graduates of global quality. The project is funded by International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD)/ International Development Association (IDA) through Operation Monitoring and Support Team (OMST) of the Ministry of Education.

The Programme component of AHEAD supported three strategic results areas:

1. Results Area One- Increasing enrollment in Higher Education in priority disciplines for economy development

2. Results Area Two- Improve the quality of Higher Education
3. Results Area Three- Promoting Research, Development and Innovation

**Summary of Total Grant and the Expenditure- Result Area and Cost Component wise as at 31.12.2022:**

Details of Approved Grant	Total Grant (in millions)	Actual (in millions)	Commitment (in millions)	Actual + Commitment (in millions)	Balance (in millions)	Percentage of Actual	Percentage of Actual + Commitment
<b>Results Area 1</b>							
STEM Grant - Round 1							
Faculty of Engineering	25.00	24.83	-	24.83	0.17	99.31%	99.31%
Faculty of Medicine	30.00	29.43	-	29.43	0.57	98.11%	98.11%
Faculty of Technology	40.00	39.82	-	39.82	0.18	99.56%	99.56%
Sub Total	95.00	94.09	-	94.09	0.91	99.04%	99.04%
STEM Grant - Round -2							
Faculty of Engineering	25.00	24.94	-	24.94	0.06	99.76%	99.76%
Faculty of Technology	60.00	59.82	-	59.82	0.18	99.71%	99.71%
Faculty of Technology Stream(Vavuniya CAMPUS)	40.00	39.63	0.36	40.00	0.002	99.09%	99.99%
Sub Total	125.00	124.40	0.36	124.76	0.24	99.52%	99.81%
STEM Grant - Round -3							
Faculty of Engineering	27.60	27.48	0.10	27.58	0.18	99.58%	99.93%
Department of Civil Engineering	20.00	19.10	-	20.00	0.002	99.99%	99.99%
Faculty of Technology	51.50	51.29	0.18	51.47	0.01	99.63%	99.99%
Faculty of Technology Stream(Vavuniya CAMPUS)	40.00	36.26	-	36.26	3.74	90.65%	90.65%
Sub Total	139.08	135.03	278.09	135.31	3.77	97.09%	97.29%
Sub Total - Equipment	359.08	353.52	0.64	354.16	4.92	98.45%	98.63%
Civil							
Construction of Building for Computer Science	247.70	227.39	20.31	247.70	-	91.80%	100.00%
Construction of Building for Faculty of Technology	645.00	133.07	511.93	645.00	-	20.63%	100.00%
Sub Total Civil	892.70	360.46	532.24	892.70	-	40.38%	100.00%
Additional Intake							
University of Jaffna	165.33	165.33	-	165.33	-	100.00%	100.00%
University of Vavuniya	69.54	69.54	-	69.54	-	100.00%	100.00%
Sub Total	234.87	234.87	-	234.87	-	100.00%	100.00%
<b>Total-Results Area 1 - R1 , R2, R3,Civil &amp; Additional Intake</b>	<b>1,486.65</b>	<b>948.85</b>	<b>532.88</b>	<b>1,481.73</b>	<b>4.92</b>	<b>63.82%</b>	<b>99.67%</b>
<b>Results Area 2</b>							
ELTA ELSE - Faculty Level Development Project							
Faculty of Agriculture	120.00	98.79	2.84	101.63	18.37	82.33%	84.69%
Faculty of Arts	120.00	99.17	7.64	106.81	13.19	82.64%	89.01%
Faculty of Science	120.00	112.71	3.13	115.84	4.16	93.92%	96.53%
Faculty of Applied Science	120.00	100.13	10.71	110.85	9.15	83.44%	92.37%
Sub Total	480.00	410.80	24.32	435.13	44.87	85.58%	90.65%
ELTA ELSE - Department Level Development Project							
Department of Chemistry	18.00	16.55	0.96	17.51	0.50	91.93%	97.25%
Department of Human Resource Management	18.00	17.07	-	17.07	0.93	94.85%	94.85%
Department of Zoology	18.00	16.91	0.14	17.05	0.95	93.94%	94.74%
Department of Bio Science - Vavuniya Campus	18.00	14.95	-	14.95	3.05	83.07%	83.07%
Sub Total	72.00	65.48	1.10	66.58	5.42	90.95%	92.48%
Human Resource Development	182.74	124.84	-	124.84	57.91	68.31%	68.31%
IT ARTS	29.00	21.00	3.19	24.19	4.81	72.43%	83.43%
<b>Total- Results Area 2</b>	<b>763.74</b>	<b>622.13</b>	<b>31.54</b>	<b>653.67</b>	<b>110.07</b>	<b>81.46%</b>	<b>85.59%</b>
<b>Results Area 3</b>							
Development Oriented Research Project (DOR)							
Faculty of Engineering	40.00	37.17	-	37.17	2.83	92.94%	92.94%
Faculty of Science	40.00	32.95	3.39	36.35	3.65	82.38%	90.86%
Faculty of Graduate Studies	10.00	7.47	-	7.47	2.53	74.73%	74.73%
Sub Total	90.00	77.60	3.39	80.99	9.01	86.22%	89.99%
Faculty of Engineering	36.00	27.56	-	27.56	8.44	76.56%	76.56%
Sub Total	36.00	27.56	-	27.56	8.44	76.56%	76.56%
UBL Cell - Jaffna	13.00	7.43	-	7.43	5.57	57.17%	57.17%
UBL Cell - Vavuniya	9.00	2.57	-	2.57	6.43	28.54%	28.54%
Sub Total	22.00	10.00	-	10.00	12.00	45.46%	45.46%
<b>Total- Results Area 3</b>	<b>148.00</b>	<b>115.16</b>	<b>3.39</b>	<b>118.55</b>	<b>29.45</b>	<b>77.81%</b>	<b>80.10%</b>
OTS							
R1	417.80	0.40	-	0.40	0.02	96.00%	96.00%
R2	0.73	0.70	-	0.70	0.03	95.88%	95.88%
Sub Total	1.14	1.10	-	1.10	0.05	95.92%	95.92%
<b>GrandTotal</b>	<b>2,399.54</b>	<b>1,687.23</b>	<b>567.82</b>	<b>2,255.06</b>	<b>144.49</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>93.98%</b>

## 4. Reforms and Developments

### 4.1. Reforms

#### Institutional Structural Reforms

University level		
The transition of University of Vavuniya former Vavuniya Campus of the University of Jaffna was facilitated by the University of Jaffna as requested and directed by the UGC. The affairs of students admitted to the former Vavuniya Campus of the University of Jaffna are regulated by the Senate and the Council of the University of Jaffna with the assistance of respective authorities of University of Vavuniya. Asset transfers, internal auditing, AHEAD project activities are also facilitated by the University of Jaffna in this regard.		
Description	Faculty	Status
Faculty level		
Disciplines of Art and Design, Drama and Theatre, Dance, and Music were aligned and brought into the Sir Ponnambalam Ramanathan Faculty of Performing and Visual Arts	Arts	Created by Gazette number 2293/22 dated 16.08.2022
Inaugural session of the Orientation Program for the 16th batch students (2020/2021) of FAHS.	AHS	Welcoming the new entrants virtually
Department/Unit level		
Department of Information Technology was created.	Arts	Created by extraordinary gazette notification number EOG 04-0034/2 dated 01.04.2022
Genetic Lab.	Medicine	Approved by the Council and waiting for the fund
Expand the Anthropology lab	Medicine	Functioning in the small space
Newly Formed Departments	SPRFPVA	Department of Instrumental Music Department of Music Department of Painting Department of Sculpture Department of Drama & Theatre Department of Dance
Department of Mechanical Engineering	Engineering	Bifurcated from Department of Interdisciplinary Studies (Processed, Gazette notification on 09/08/2022)
Revised/ upgraded the curriculum & structure of the Bachelor of Engineering Technology Degree Program effective from 2020 batch- Department of Engineering Technology	Technology	The revised curriculum was recommended by at the 30th Meeting of the Curriculum and Evaluation committee held on 24th of May 2022, and approved at the 466th meeting of the University Senate held on 31st of May 2022.
Revised/ upgraded the curriculum & structure of the Bachelor of Biosystems Technology Degree Program effective from 2021 batch- Department of Biosystems Technology	Technology	The revised curriculum was placed in the 33rd Faculty Board held on 25th October 2022. The revised curriculum will be sent to the University curriculum committee and then it will be sent to the January 2023 Senate

**Table 4.1: Institutional Structural Reforms**

#### Academic Programmes (New Proposals/Upgrading/Revisions/New degrees)

Description	Faculty	Status
Faculty level		
Proposal for the Department of Human Biological Sciences	AHS	The background report for the Department of Human Biological Sciences was sent to the UGC. Gazette notification is awaited.
Diploma in Tourism and Hospitality Management	MS&C	A concept paper placed to Faculty Board.
Postgraduate Diploma in Siddha Medicine	Graduate Studies	Awaited for the approval of the Standing Committee, UGC

Master of Education in Educational Management	*CDRMC- Curriculum Development, Revision and Monitoring Committee	Developing Curriculum is in progress
Postgraduate Diploma in Educational Management		Developing Curriculum is in progress
Master of Science in Clinical Psychology		The Board of Study of Medical Sciences at its special meeting held on 28/12/2022 recommended the curriculum to the Faculty Board of Graduate Studies.
Master of Science in Water Science		Developing Curriculum is in progress
Master of Science in Valorization of Solid Waste		Developing Curriculum is in progress
Master of Engineering in Water Science and Engineering		Developing Curriculum is in progress
Masters in Peace and Conflict Resolution		CDRMC at its meeting held on 26/08/2022 recommended the curriculum
Master of Sustainable Agriculture		Developing Curriculum is in progress
Master of Science in Applied Entomology		Developing Curriculum is in progress
Master of Gender and Development		Developing Curriculum is almost completed and will be place to the curriculum at the next CDRMC meeting.
Master of Counseling in Psychology		The Curriculum was sent to the Chairperson of CDRMC and it will be placed at the next CDRMC meeting.
Postgraduate Diploma in Counseling		The Curriculum was sent to the Chairperson of CDRMC and it will be placed at the next CDRMC meeting.
Postgraduate Diploma in Sports Science and Management		Developing Curriculum is in progress
<b>Revision of Curriculums</b>		
Master of Education	Graduate Studies	Revised Curriculum approved by the Council (463 <sup>rd</sup> 26/03/2022)
Master of Tamil		Revised Curriculum approved by the Council (472 <sup>nd</sup> 31/12/2022)
Master of Cultural Studies		Revised Curriculum approved by the Council (461 <sup>st</sup> 29/01/2022)
Master of Science in Health Management		Revised Curriculum approved by the Council (462 <sup>nd</sup> 27/02/2022)
Master of Science in Environmental Management		The Curriculum was sent to the Chairperson of CDRMC and it will be placed at the next CDRMC meeting.
Master of Saiva Siddhantha		Revision is in Process
Master of Public Administration		CDRMC at its meeting held on 26/08/2022 recommended the curriculum. The Board of Study of Development Studies at its special meeting held on 05/12/2022 recommended the curriculum.
Master of Regional Planning		CDRMC at its meeting held on 26/08/2022 recommended the curriculum. The Board of Study of Development Studies at its special meeting held on 05/12/2022 recommended the curriculum.
Master of Development Studies		The Board of Study of Development Studies at its special meeting held on 22/12/2022 recommended the curriculum.
Master of Population Development Studies		The Board of Study of Development Studies at its special meeting held on 22/12/2022 recommended the curriculum.
Postgraduate Diploma in Education		The Council at its 462 <sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 27/02/2022 approved the revised Curriculum
Postgraduate Diploma in Library and Information Science		Revision is in Process
Upgraded the curriculum with minor revisions		All Departments of the Engineering

Commencing a new undergraduate degree programme in ICT with two specializations. Software Development Data Management	Department of Inter Disciplinary Studies / Faculty of Technology	Concept Paper was approved start a new degree. Developing a Proposal and Curriculum to be submitted for the Senate Approval.
<b>Department/Unit level</b>		
Higher Diploma in Physical Education	Sports Science Unit	The Sports Science Unit has commenced the academic programme from 3 <sup>rd</sup> March 2021.
Curriculum Revision - Bachelor of Commerce Degree Program specialization in Accounting and Finance and Business Technology Management	MS&C	Forwarded to Senate for final approval
<b>Degree level</b>		
B.A (Hons) in Cultural Tourism	Arts	Sent to UGC
B.A (Hons) in English Language Teaching	Arts	Sent to UGC
Degree programme in Bachelor of Science Honours in Physical Education, Sports Science Unit	AHS	UGC approval has been received.
Amendments for the course of Diet Therapy in the Revised Curriculum For BScHons (Nursing)	AHS	The Senate at its 469 <sup>th</sup> meeting held on 27.09.2022 approved the amendments for the course of Diet Therapy in the revised curriculum For BScHons (Nursing)
Amendments in the evaluation of the 4 <sup>th</sup> Year 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester course of MLSRM 4113: Research Methodology & Medical Statistics and 4 <sup>th</sup> Year 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester course of MLSRP 4217: Research Project	AHS	The Senate at its 469 <sup>th</sup> meeting held on 27.09.2022 approved the amendments in the evaluation from the academic year 2016/2017 in the revised curriculum of BScHons (MLS).
Curriculum Revision - Bachelor of Commerce Degree Program specialization in Accounting and Finance and Business Technology Management	MS&C	Forwarded to Senate for final approval
Diploma in Banking and Finance	MS&C	Orientation program for first batch held on 3 <sup>rd</sup> December 2022

**Table 4.2:** Academic Programmes (New Proposals/Upgrading/Revisions/New degrees)

### Summary of New Courses Started

Faculty	Medium	Duration	No. of Certificate	No. of Diploma	Current Status
Agriculture	Tamil	3 Months	3	-	Vermi Technology Mushroom production and Processing Technology Principles of Micro Irrigation
MS&C	Tamil	1 year	-	01	Diploma in Banking and Finance 1 <sup>st</sup> batch stated on Dec.2022

- Not new intake of existing courses, totally new courses started during the year

**Table 4.3:** Summary of New Courses Started

### Details of Courses Offered

Faculty/ Unit/ Centre	Name of Course	Duration	Medium	SLQF Level
Agriculture	Bachelor of Science Honours in Agriculture	4 Years	English	6
	Certificate Course of Principles of Farm Machinery	3 Months	Tamil	1
	Certificate Course of Livestock and Poultry rearing	3 Months	Tamil	1
	Certificate Course of Vermi Technology	3 Months	Tamil	1
	Certificate Course of Mushroom production and Processing Technology	3 Months	Tamil	1
	Certificate Course of Principles of Micro Irrigation	3 Months	Tamil	1
AHS	Bachelor of Pharmacy Honours	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Nursing	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Medical Laboratory Sciences	4 Years	English	6
	Higher Diploma in Physical Education (Full Time)	2 Years	Tamil	4
	Higher Diploma in Physical Education (Part Time)	2 Years	Tamil	4

Arts	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Archaeology	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Christian Civilization	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Economics	4Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in English Literature	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Art Histry	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Geography	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in History	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Home Economics	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Linguistics	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Media Studies	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Planning	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Philosophy	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Psychology	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Political Science	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Sociology	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Tamil	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Translation Studies	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts	3 Years	Tamil	5
	Bachelor of Laws	4 Years	English	6
	Higher Diploma in Media Studies	2 Years	Tamil	4
Postgraduate Diploma in Education	1 Year	Tamil	7	
Postgraduate Diploma in Education	2 Years	Tamil	7	
Engineering	Bachelor of the Science of Engineering Honours	4 Years	English	7
Graduate Studies	Master of Cultural Studies	1 year	Tamil	9
	Master of Saiva Siddhanda	1 year	Tamil	9
	Master of Tamil	1 year	Tamil	9
	Master of Education	1 year	Tamil	9
	Master of Christian Studies	1 year	Tamil	9
	MSc Environment Management	1 year	English	9
	MSc in Health Management	1 ½ years	English	9
	Master of Clean Energy Technology	1 year	English	9
	MSc in Clean Energy Technology	2 years	English	9
	Post Graduate Diploma in Education	2 years	Tamil	8
	Post Graduate Diploma in Library Information Science	1 year	Tamil	8
	Post Graduate Diploma in Teaching English as a Second Language	2 years	English	8
	Master of Philosophy	2 years (Full Time) 3 Years (Part Time)	English/ Tamil	11
	Doctor of Philosophy	3 years (Full Time) 4 Years (Part Time)	English/ Tamil	12
Hindu Studies	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Hindu Civilization	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Hindu Philosophy	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Sanskrit	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Arts	3 Years	Tamil	5
MS&C	Bachelor of Business Administration Honours in Accounting	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Business Administration Honours in Finacial Management	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Business Administration Honours in Human Resource Management	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Business Administration Honours in Marketing	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Business Administration	3 years	English	5
	Bachelor of Commerce	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Commerce Honours in Accounting &Finance	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Commerce Honours in Bussiness Technology Management	4 Years	English	6
	Diploma in Human Resource Management	1 Year	Tamil	3
	Diploma in Marketing Management	1 Year	Tamil	3
	Diploma in Micro Finance	1 Year	Tamil	3
	Master of Business Administration	2 Years	English	9 (with course

				work)/ 10 (with course work and research)
Medicine	Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery	5 Years	English	6
Science	Bachelor of Science in Computer Science	3 Years	English	5
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Computer Science	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Applied Science	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Botany	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Chemistry	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Fisheries Science	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Mathematics	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Physics	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Statistics	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Zoology	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Science Honours in Science and Education	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Science (General) Degree	3 Years	English	5
SPRFPVA	Bachelor of Arts Honours in Drama & Theatre Arts	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Fine Arts Honours in Dance	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Fine Arts Honours in Music	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Bachelor of Fine Arts Honours in Art & Design	4 Years	Tamil	6
Technology	Bachelor of Engineering Technology Honours	4 Years	English	6
	Bachelor of Bio Systems Technology Honours	4years	English	6
USM	Bachelor of Siddha Medicine and Surgery	5 Years	Tamil	6
CODL	Bachelor of Arts (External)	3 Years	Tamil	5
	Bachelor of Business Management (External)	3 Years	Tamil	5
	Bachelor of Commerce (External)	4 Years	Tamil	6
	Diploma in Banking and Finance(External)	1 Year	Tamil	3
	Diploma in Professional English(External)	1 Year	English	3
	Certificate course in English(External)	3 Months	English	1
	Certificate course in Basic Sinhala for school leavers- Level- I(External)	3 Months	Tamil	1
	Certificate course in Basic ICT Skills(External)	3 Months	Tamil	1
Library	Certificate course in Information Literacy programme	15 Hours	Tamil/ English	-

**Table 4.4:** Details of Courses Offered

#### 4.1.1 Updating the University Website and improving University Ranking

##### University Ranking Committee

Ranking of universities has emerged as a mechanism to measure the performance of universities. A variety of ranking metrics are in place across the world.

The SCImago Institutions Rankings (SIR) is a classification of academic and research- related institutions ranked by a composite indicator that combines three different sets of indicators measured by their web visibility. It is powered by Scopus data.

- In the SCImago ranking of 2022, University of Jaffna secured the first place under innovation category and the third place based on overall assessment within Sri Lanka.
- Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce of the University of Jaffna has become first in Sri Lanka in SCImago Institutions Rankings (SIR) 2021 in the domain of business, management and accounting.
- There are several other ranking systems such as QS, Webometrics etc. with different attributes towards which the University of Jaffna pays adequate attention.
- Faculties, Administrative Departments, and Units are continuously updating the website to improve the University Rank in webometrics ranking.

The need for a committee dedicated to work on uplifting the rank of the University of Jaffna was realized and the **University Ranking Enhancement Committee** was established on the recommendation of the Senate Standing Committee on Quality Assurance.

The Primary objective of the committee is to uplift the ranking of the University of Jaffna by

- promoting awareness among the academic community about various ranking metrics.
- providing motivation and incentives for enhancement of performance.
- promoting the visibility of the academic and related activities of the University of Jaffna.

The workshops and webinars conducted with regard to uplifting the ranking of the University of Jaffna in the faculties are given below:

Topic	Resource Person	Target Group	Date
University Ranking Systems	Mrs T. Janen Senior Assistant Librarian	Academic Staff, Faculty of Medicine	20.07.2022
Global Ranking in Higher Education	Dr C.C. Jayasundara, Librarian University of Kelaniya	Academic Staff of the University	03.09.2022
Publication Ethics	Mrs T. Janen Senior Assistant Librarian	Academic Staff, Faculty of Arts	12.09.2022
Publication Ethics	Mrs T. Janen Senior Assistant Librarian	Academic Staff, SMU	21.09.2022
University Ranking Systems and their need	Dr M. Thanihaichelvan, Senior Lecturer, Dept. of Physics	Academic Staff, Faculty of Arts	12.09.2022
University Ranking Systems and their need	Dr M. Thanihaichelvan, Senior Lecturer, Dept. of Physics	Academic Staff, Faculty of MS&C	22.09.2022
University Ranking systems	Mrs T. Janen Senior Assistant Librarian	Academic Staff, Faculty of Engineering	19.10.2022
University Ranking System	Mrs T. Janen Senior Assistant Librarian	Academic Staff, Faculty of MS&C	24.11.2022

Table 4.5: The workshops and webinars conducted with regard to uplifting the ranking

Web ranking comparison of selected universities under different ranking systems

➤ SCImago Institutional Ranking System.

University	2019	2020	2021	2022
Jaffna	-	-	5 (789)	3 (690)
Peradeniya	2 (731)	3 (758)	3 (767)	6 (694)
Colombo	1 (721)	1 (742)	1 (733)	1 (676)
Ruhuna		4 (775)	4 (771)	7 (727)

Table 4.6: Web ranking comparison of selected universities under SCImago Institutional Ranking System

➤ Web Ranking of University of Jaffna -Sri Lanka

Web Ranking	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
World Rank	4384	4296	3977	3464	3712
Sri Lankan Rank	08	07	07	07	08


Table 4.7: Web Ranking of University of Jaffna -Sri Lanka

## 4.2. Developments and Future Plans- 2022

### 1. Details of the Major Capital Projects and progress


Following construction works were going on in the year 2022:

Name of the Project	<b>Design, Construction and Commissioning of Eight Storied Building for the Clinical Departments, Faculty of Medicine, University of Jaffna</b>	
Total Cost Estimate	700.0 Mn	
Contractor	M/S. Link Engineering (PVT) Ltd	
Contract Amount	649.38 (Including VAT)	
Contract Period	24 Calendar months	
Schedule date of completion/ Extended date of completion	31.12.2022 Council recommended up to 31.03.2023	
Cumulative expenditure up to 31.12.2022	547.12 Mn	
Actual expenditure on 2022	94.99 Mn	
Physical Progress	80%	
Financial Progress	84%	




Name of the Project	<b>Construction of Internal Road Network, Kilinochchi premises</b>
Total Cost Estimate	242.0 Mn
Works were carry out by Road Development Department (RDD) and all payments made by RDD	
Physical Progress	12%, work stopped by RDD due to the Government decision


Name of the Project	<b>Design, Construction and Commissioning of Building and other related Structures for the Department of Computer Science, University of Jaffna at Thirunelvely</b>	
Total Cost Estimate	240.0 Mn	
Contractor	M/S. Sanken Construction (PVT)Ltd	
Contract Amount	247.62 Mn (Including VAT)	
Contract Period	24 Calendar months	
Schedule date of completion/ Extended date of completion	13.12.2021	
Cumulative expenditure up to 31.12.2022	227.38 Mn	
Actual expenditure on 2022	14.25 Mn	
Physical Progress	100%	
Financial Progress	92%	



Name of the Project	<b>Balance Work on the Construction of Lecture Hall Complex for the Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce - Block A (Stage II), University of Jaffna</b>	
Total Cost Estimate	112.41 Mn	
Contractor	M/S. Focus Marketing & Engineering Company (PVT) Ltd	
Consultant	Department of Buildings (Central)	
Contract Amount	83.57 Mn (Including VAT)	
Contract Period	300 days	
Schedule date of completion/ Extended date of completion	31.10.2021	
Cumulative expenditure up to 31.12.2022	75.21 Mn	
Actual expenditure on 2022	0.0 Mn	
Physical Progress	100%	
Financial Progress	90%	



Name of the Project	<b>Design, Construction and Commissioning of Building and other related structures for Engineering Technology and Bio System Technology- Phase I</b>	
Total Cost Estimate	525.0 Mn	
Contractor	M/S Link Engineering (PVT) Ltd	
Contract Amount	488.12 Mn (Including VAT)	
Contract Period	18 Calendar months	
Schedule date of completion/ Extended date of completion	15.01.2022	
Cumulative expenditure up to 31.12.2022	475.0 Mn	
Actual expenditure on 2022	23.0 Mn	
Physical Progress	99%	
Financial Progress	95%	



Name of the Project	<b>Design, Construction and Commissioning of Building and other related structures for Engineering Technology and Bio System Technology Phase II</b>	
Total Cost Estimate	645.0 Mn	
Contractor	M/S. Focus Marketing & Engineering Company (PVT) Ltd	
Consultant	M/S. Arch Triad Consultancy (PVT) Ltd	
Contract Amount	491.85 Mn	
Contract Period	540 Days	
Schedule date of completion/ Extended date of completion	22.06.2023	
Cumulative expenditure up to 31.12.2022	132.52 Mn	
Actual expenditure on 2022	123.82 Mn	
Physical Progress	24%	
Financial Progress	25%	

## 2. The Rehabilitation Projects

Only Rs. 42.0 million was allocated by Treasury for rehabilitation works. It was inadequate to improve the Faculty buildings, hostels, administrative buildings and other infrastructures of the Main premises and Kilinochchi premises.

## 3. Future Infrastructure Development Plans

### Projects approved by the Cabinet of Ministers

The following projects were approved by the Cabinet of Ministers but not commenced due to non release of funds:

Faculty/ Department/ Unit/ etc.	Project	TCE Rs. in million	Present Progress
Faculty of Allied Health Sciences	Construction of Building for Faculty of Allied Health Sciences in 2017	1125.0	Cabinet approved in 2017, but unable to process procurement work due to insufficient funds. UGC requested to include the project for World Bank funding.
Unit of Siddha Medicine	Construction and Completion of the 4th and 5th Floor of the Administration Building	130.0	Due to financial reason this project could not be implemented in the year 2022.
Internal Road, Kilinochchi premises	Construction of Internal Road Network (Phase I)	200.0	The Ministry Procurement Committee met on 23.04.2020, decided to withhold until the adequate fund allocation is assured.

**Table 4.8:** Approved projects by the Cabinet of Ministers but not commenced due to non-release of funds

### New Projects Submitted for Approval

University prepared and forwarded new proposals for the approval of the Cabinet:

Faculty/ Unit/ Section	Project	TCE	Present Status
Medicine	Construction of Four Storied Building for Library and Examination Block	357.00	It is under the negotiation of the ERD and Indian High Commission
	Upgrading the Faculty of Medicine under the Australian Government Assistance	1733.00	Department of National Planning recommended this project under the zero interest rate of soft loan
	Construction of Six Storied Building for Pre & Para Clinical Departments	937.00	Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) signed between Gnanam Foundation and Faculty of Medicine.
	Construction of Six Storied Hostel Complex for Medical Students of Faculty of Medicine, University of Jaffna	307.00	The proposal is at Ministry
MS&C	Construction of Building for Bachelor of Business Administration Honors in Tourism and Hospitality Management Degree Programme with all basic Facilities including Training Kitchen	250.00	Ministry forwarded to Department of National Planning
Science	Construction of Building for Department of Fisheries	410.00	The proposal is at UGC
	Establishment of an Arthropod Containment Level 3 (ACL-3) Laboratory and a Microinjection Facility at the Centre for Research in Entomology of the University of Jaffna	30.0	The proposal is at UGC
Engineering	High Voltage Testing Laboratory	217.35	The proposal has been submitted to the Secretary/ Ministry of Power & Energy and the reply is awaited.
	Establishment of National Incubation Centre	633.80	ERD was in the process of negotiating with the High Commission of India for the financial support
Computer Unit	Construction of Proposed IT and Language Centre	563.10	The proposal is at UGC
SPRFPVA	Construction of Auditorium	395.00	The proposal is at UGC
Hostel	Construction of Sewerage Treatment Plant for New Hostel at Kokkuvil.	42.50	Ministry of Education (Higher Education) has recommended the proposal to Department of National Planning to implement the project from the consolidated fund.
General Administration - Main Premises	Construction of Five Storied Building for Guest House of the University of Jaffna at Thirunelvely	196.00	The proposal is at UGC
	Construction of Five Storied Building and other related structures for the Administrative Complex	530.00	The proposal is at UGC.

	Construction of Four Storied 100 Rooms Hostel Building, University of Jaffna	700.00	The proposal is at UGC
General Administration - Kilinochchi Premises	Construction of Two Storied Building for Canteen & Student's Common Room, at Kilinochchi Premises	60.00	Department of National Planning temporarily suspended this work.
	Construction of Playground at Kilinochchi Premises, University of Jaffna (Phase I)	200.00	On the advice of the Chairman/ UGC, the proposal for the above work was prepared for the TCE of LKR 200.0 Mn. The Proposal was submitted to UGC with the approval of the Council to consider the project under the national programme of 200 public playgrounds development of the rural & schools sports infrastructure improvement by the Ministry of Youth & Sports.
	Construction of Two Storied Building for Canteen & Student's Common Room, at Kilinochchi Premises, University of Jaffna	60.00	Department of National Planning temporarily suspended this work
Hostel	Construction of Four Storied 100 Rooms Hostel Building, at Kilinochchi Premises, University of Jaffna	375.00	The proposal is at UGC.

**Table 4.9:** Details of new projects submitted for approval

## 5. Faculties, Other Degree Awarding Entity and Library Networks

### 5.1. Faculty of Agriculture

#### Introduction

Kilinochchi was identified as the suitable location for the Faculty of Agriculture since it has high potential for agriculture in terms of the availability of fertile land and water. The Faculty was inaugurated on December 3rd 1990 with the vision of “gateway to the future agri-food knowledge”. The faculty consists of six departments namely, Agronomy, Animal science, Agricultural Biology, Agricultural Chemistry, Agricultural Engineering and Agricultural Economics. The faculty has established crop and livestock farms in Ariviyal Nagar, Kilinochchi to provide a sound practical training in Agriculture. To support the academic programmes as well as the outreach activities, the faculty has absorbed an Integrated Farm and Training center located at Parasankulaum, Puliyankulum.



A building complex comprising library, computer unit, students’ complex and an auditorium was established with the generous support of the Government of India. The Government of Japan through its implementing agency, Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) established a state-of-the-art, well equipped research and training building and a training farm to the Faculty as a grant aid. At present, the Faculty of Agriculture is functioning with sufficient facilities for teaching, learning and research. “Project for Research and Education Capacity Improvement in Dry Zone Agriculture” at University of Jaffna (PRECIDA-UOJ) is the new technical cooperation project awarded to the Faculty of Agriculture. This project is funded by the JICA from the Japanese government.

#### Vision

To be a leading centre for knowledge and skills of agricultural technology and agribusiness management”.

#### Mission

“To produce competent graduate in agricultural technology and agribusiness management through quality education, undertake cutting edge research, disseminate knowledge and research outputs and provide extension services in order to achieve the regional, national and global sustainable agricultural development”.

#### Achievements and highlights of the events

##### i. International Conference on Dry Zone Agriculture-2022 (ICDA-2022)

Eighth International Conference on Dry Zone Agriculture-2022 (ICDA-2022) was held on 14th of September 2022 at the Faculty of Agriculture with the theme of “Emerging Appropriate Agro-technologies Towards Food Sustainability”, as a satellite conference of JUICe-2022. Professor Ogata Kazuo from Kyushu University, Japan served as the conference's keynote speaker.



##### ii. Inaugural Prof. Somasundaram Kandiah Memorial Lecture

Faculty of Agriculture, University of Jaffna has conducted Prof. Somasundaram Kandiah Memorial Lecture for the first time to honour the dedicated service of its first Dean Prof. S. Kandiah on 21st September 2022 at the Auditorium of the Faculty of Agriculture in Ariviyal Nagar, Kilinochchi. Prof. Buddhi Marambe, Senior Professor in Crop Science, University of Peradeniya has delivered the memorial lecture titled “Reviving Sri Lanka’s Agriculture- A Herculean Task Ahead”.

##### iii. Product Launch Ceremony- Bael fruit syrup incorporated drinking yoghurt

Staff and students of the Department of Animal Science, Faculty of Agriculture invented a new drinking yoghurt incorporated with Bael fruit syrup. License for producing this yoghurt was given to Mullai milk processing industry, Mullaitivu, Sri Lanka. The newly developed yoghurt was launched for commercialization through University Business Linkage (UBL), University of Jaffna at Kailasapathy auditorium on 12th October 2022. It is notable that this is the first commercialization of research done in University of Jaffna.



#### iv. Signing of licensing agreement for commercialization of super compost

Staff of the Department of Agricultural Biology invented a Super Compost, which is a nutritionally rich and biologically fortified super compost through composting of mushroom industry waste, fish industry waste, and livestock waste using earthworm and beneficial microbes consortia. This invention was licensed to Thampa Plantations, Vavuniya. The Licensing Agreement was signed on the 14<sup>th</sup> October 2022 at the Boardroom of the University of Jaffna.



#### v. Signing of licensing agreement for commercialization of bio plastic

Staff and students of the Department of Agricultural Chemistry, Faculty of Agriculture and Department of Biosystems Technology, Faculty of Technology, University of Jaffna developed a Cellulose Reinforced Biocomposite using Poly Lactic Acid (PLA), and Thermoplastic Starch (TPS) referred to as “Bioplastic” in simple terms. A license agreement for the commercialization of the bioplastic was signed on 25.11.2022 at the University of Jaffna Board Room between the University of Jaffna and MRK Associates (Licensee), a pioneer polymer industry in Sri Lanka, that manufactures, sells, and exports natural polymer products. In addition to the Licensing agreement, an agreement for a sponsored research was signed with the same licensee agreeing to invest in further development of the research.



#### vi. Field day

A field day was organized by the Faculty of Agriculture at Integrated farm and training centre, Parasankulum, Puliyanakulum on 09th February 2022. Vice-Chancellor Prof.S. Srisatkunarajah graced the occasion as the chief guest. Compost developed by the Department of Agricultural Chemistry by using locally available resources from an undergraduate research project was used as the main source of nutrients for this paddy cultivation, without adding any inorganic fertilizers.



#### vii. Awarding ceremony of the certificate courses

The certificate awarding ceremony for the two certificate courses titled “Mushroom Production & Processing Technology”, and “Vermi-Technology” offered by the Department of Agricultural Biology of the Faculty of Agriculture was held on 21st of September 2022 at the Auditorium of the Faculty of Agriculture.

#### viii. Research and higher education collaboration

Dean and senior staff of the Faculty of Agriculture, University of Jaffna along with the JICA PRECIDA-UOJ team led by Prof. Ogata visited Rajarata University on 10.11.2022. Possible collaboration under education, research, outreach, dissemination and student support services were discussed elaborately.



#### ix. Journal of Dry Zone Agriculture- Volume 8

Volume 8 issue 1 of the Journal of Dry Zone Agriculture was released in the Sri Lanka Journal online (SLJOL) platform on 19th of October 2022 and issue 2 was released on 31st December 2022.

#### Staff achievements

- i. Prof.S.Vasantharuba was promoted to the post of Professor in Agricultural Chemistry.
- ii. Dr.(Mrs.) Suvanithini Terenson successfully completed her Ph.D degree at IBMBB, University of Colombo.

#### Student achievements

- i. Ms. Tharushalini Sivathurai (2019/AG/108-31st batch) a third year undergraduate student from the Faculty of Agriculture won “the responsible undergraduate of the year” award in the prestigious new generation award 2022 awarding ceremony held on 29th of October 2022 at the Galadari Hotel, Colombo by the Women in Management New Generation Chapter in collaboration with the Sri Lanka National Youth Services Council.
- ii. First International student of the faculty- Miss.Samikshya Sharma (2017/AG/FS/108) from Nepal successfully completed her Bachelor of Science Honours Degree in Agriculture.



## Student events/ Sports activities/ Other activities

### Agros' night 2022

Student union of the faculty organized their annual Agros' night event on 17.12.2022 in the auditorium of the Faculty of Agriculture.

### Vani Vizha -2022

Agriculture student union organized a Vani Vizha on 14th October 2022.

### Blood donation camp

A blood donation camp was organized by the Agriculture student union on 30.11.2022. Students and staff have actively participated in this camp.

### Career guidance workshop

Agriculture student union organized a career guidance workshop under the theme of "Leadership and Team building" in collaboration with the American Corner, Jaffna on 19th June 2022. Mr.Anbalahan Paul, Personality development and leadership coach and Mr.Danny Dishon, Coordinator, American corner, Jaffna were the resource persons of this workshop. Around 100 students participated in this workshop.



### Freshers Welcome Party -2022

Freshers welcome party of the 33rd batch (Academic year 2020/2021) was held on 21.12.2022 in the auditorium of the Faculty of Agriculture.

### Christmas carol celebration

Students of the Faculty of Agriculture celebrated annual Christmas carol 22.12.2022.

### Clean-up and tree planting program

Students of the Faculty of Agriculture participated in clean-up and tree planting program along with the school students on 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2022.

### Sales outlet for printing, photocopying services and essential stationary items

Agriculture student union started a small sale outlet in the juice canteen on 5<sup>th</sup> December 2022 to provide services like printing, photocopying and essential stationary items needed for the university students.



## Interaction with Local/Foreign Universities and others

### Memorandum of Understanding

Role of the Activity	Whether MOU signed	Collaborative Agency
Research/Training/Consultancy	Yes	Hector Kobbekaduwa Agrarian Research and Training Institute

## Workshops/ Seminars

Programme	National/ International	Organized by	Date & Duration	Target Group	No.of. Participants
Vermitechnology for Organic Agriculture	National	Prof. Sultan Ismail, India	13.01.2022	Farmers	100
Vermitechnology	National	Prof.G.Mikunthan Dr.K.Pakeerathan	14.02.2022	Farmers	50
Mushroom production	National	Prof.G.Mikunthan Dr.K.Pakeerathan	15.02.2022	Farmers	50
Climate Smart Agriculture	National	Dr. N. Kannan, Dr. P.Alvappillai, Mr.S.Sritharan	17.02.2022	Farmers	50
Arboricultural techniques and tree management	National	Prof.T.Sivananthawerl Mr.K.Jeyavanan	18.02.2022	Farmers	50
Quality horticultural planting material production	National	Dr. (Mrs) L.Pradheeban Mr.S.Sritharan	21.02.2022	Farmers	50
Efficient feeding management technologies for milking cows	National	Dr.S.Gowrythilakan, Dr. S. Kajaranjan	07.03.2022	Farmers	50
Soil Fertility and Water Management in Organic Farming	National	Prof. (Mrs). N.Gnanavelrajah,Dr. N. Kannan, Dr. P.Alvappillai	11.03.2022	Farmers	50

Natural Flower Arrangements and dry flower production techniques	National	Prof.(Mrs). S.Sivachandiran, Dr.(Mrs). S.Selvaskanthan	23.03.2022	Farmers	50
Off-season crop production under protected structures	National	Dr. (Mrs). L.Pradheeban, Mr. K.Jeyavanan, Dr. (Mrs).S. Selvaskanthan, and Mr. Sritharan	28.03.2022	Farmers	50
Operation and maintenance of agricultural machinery	National	Dr. N. Kannan, Dr. P.Alvappillai, Mr.M.Prabhakaran	29.06.2022 & 30.06.2022	Students, School of Agriculture, Paranthan	26
Climate Smart Irrigated Agriculture	National	Prof.(Mrs.)N.Gnanavelrajah, Dr.N.Kannan, Dr.K.Pakeerathan	22.07.2022	Officers from the Northern Province Department of Agriculture	60
Governance of Natural Resources	National	Professor Nadarajah Sriskantharajah and Cristian Alarcon Ferrari, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences	25.11.2022	Students specializing in Agricultural Economics and staffs	23
Providing technical support to the students to write project proposals in order to get the financial support from local and international funding agencies	National	Mr. Mariampillai Selvin Ireneuss and Mr. K. Rushangan	02.12.2022	Final year students, Faculty of Agriculture	105
Opportunities and Challenges in current Job Market	National	Mr.V.Vimaladhas	15.12.2022	Final year students, Faculty of Agriculture	105

### Foreign Fellowships/Scholarships/Awards received for Professional Development

Recipient	Designation	Type of the Programme	Date
Mr.S.Anand Kumar	Lecturer (Prob.)	Master (Seoul National University, South Korea)	25.02.2022-25.02.2024
Mrs.S.Sivakanthan	Senior Lecturer	Ph.D. (Queensland University of Technology, Australia)	03.03.2022-31.10.2023
Mr.G.Asharp Sharmec	Lecturer (Prob.)	Ph.D. (Massey University, New Zealand)	16.03.2022-30.11.2023
Miss.R.Sarathadevi	Lecturer (Prob.)	Ph.D. (University of Otago, New Zealand)	21.03.2022-31.12.2023
Mr.N.Thiruchelvan	Lecturer (Prob.)	Ph.D. (Lincoln University, New Zealand)	02.05.2022-30.09.2023
Mrs S.Thiruchenthuran	Lecturer (Prob.)	Ph.D. (Massey University, New Zealand)	27.05.2022-21.05.2024
Mr.S.Sivashanker	Lecturer (Prob.)	Ph.D. (Lincoln University, New Zealand)	29.06.2022-30.09.2023
Mr.K.Jeyavanan	Senior Lecturer	Ph.D. (University of Tokyo, Japan)	01.09.2022-30.11.2025
Dr.K.Sooriyakumar	Senior Lecturer	Short Term Training (Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Sweden)	25.09.2022-14.10.2022
Miss.R.Kamshajini	Lecturer (Prob.)	Short Term Training (Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Sweden)	28.11.2022-18.12.2022

### Outreach activities

#### Going Global Partnership UNICYCLE 2022 programme

Dr. Mrs. T. Suvanthini, Senior Lecturer served as coordinator of the Going Global Partnership-UNICYCLE-2022 programme by the British Council with the aim to strengthen capacity of university students through intercultural dialogue and connections to national and international universities. 12 students from the Faculty of Agriculture were selected for this program and actively participated in a 4 days community delivery workshop followed by a 3 months student project mentored by academic staff. Staff members Dr. Mrs. Loha Pradheeban, and Miss. A. Nirosha served as workshop facilitators and student project mentors.

### **National Virtual Training program for Tamil medium A/L Agriculture teachers**

A National Virtual Training program was organized by the Ministry of Education and Provincial Ministry of Education for the Tamil medium A/L Agriculture teachers in the country. Staff of the Faculty of Agriculture namely, Prof.G.Mikunthan, Prof.Mrs.T.Mikunthan, Prof.Mrs.N.Gnanavelrajah, Dr.K.Pakeerathan, Dr.Mrs.S.Pratheepan participated as resource persons. This program was held on 1, 2, and 5 September, 2022.

### **National Dialogue on Innovations in Agricultural Extension**

Prof.G.Mikunthan participated in “National Dialogue on Innovations in Agricultural Extension: A Way Forward” held on 8-9 April 2022 in New Delhi organized by the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR), National Institute of Agricultural Extension Management, India, and Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers’ Welfare, India.

### **Future plans of the Faculty**

- Revising the curriculum with more practical oriented courses
- Developing curriculum for the following new degree programmes:
  - B.Sc (Hons) in Green Environmental Technology and Management
  - B.Sc (Hons) in Agribusiness Management
  - Master of Sustainable Agriculture
- Collaborative research with national and international universities and institutions
- Strengthening the social engagement and outreach activities with farmers and agro-based industries
- Construction of two lecture halls with capacity for 200 students

## **5.2.Faculty of Allied Health Sciences (AHS)**

### **Introduction**

The Allied Health Sciences degree programmes were commenced on the 7<sup>th</sup> of August, 2006 under the Faculty of Medicine, University of Jaffna. Then a unit of Allied Health Sciences was arranged to function under the Faculty of Medicine in 2011. Since the inception, this unit successfully produced effective health care graduates from three degree programmes, namely, Bachelor of Science Honours in Medical Laboratory Sciences, Bachelor of Science Honours in Nursing and Bachelor of Pharmacy Honours. The Unit of Allied Health Sciences was upgraded as a Faculty of the University of Jaffna in 2019.

The Allied Health Sciences graduates remain as an inevitable resource to the health care world who possess excellent critical and reflective thinking, problem solving ability and social skills. In addition, they showcase skills to address professional, moral and ethical issues. The curriculum of the three degree programmes provide sound scientific and humanistic foundations to enable the students to develop above competencies. The Faculty ensures periodical curriculum revision. A curriculum revision was conducted in 2019 and the revised curricula was implemented from the Academic year 2018/19.

In 2020, Sports Science Unit was attached to the Faculty of Allied Health Sciences. The Sports Science Unit awards the degree of Bachelor of Science Honours in Physical Education. Though the faculty faces immense difficulty to handle the increased student number with limited resources, it still strives hard to lift the standards of the degree programmes.

### **Vision**

“To be the leading centre of excellence in the field of Allied Health Sciences”

### **Mission**

“To provide excellent training in the field of Allied Health Sciences and generate new knowledge through research”



### Student events/ Sports activities/ Other activities

1. Inaugural session of the Orientation Program for the 16th batch students (2020/2021) was held on 09.06.2022 from 9.00 a.m. at the board room of the University of Jaffna (virtual mode).
2. The Oath-taking ceremony (first for the faculty) of the 14<sup>th</sup> Batch (2018/2019) of B.Sc. Nursing undergraduate students of the Department of Nursing, Faculty of Allied Health Sciences was held at the Hoover Auditorium, Faculty of Medicine on 20<sup>th</sup> May, 2022. The oath-ceremony of 15th Batch (2019/2020) of BScHons (Nursing) students was held on 16th December 2022.
3. Sports Science Unit jointly work with Department of Dance to promote physical fitness of the Bharathanatyam dancers to enhance theatre performance: introduced special fitness training for students every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 8.00 am to 10.00 am.
4. Sports:



Student Details	Status/Award
Mr.M. Thinojan	Open Chess Tournament – Provincial 3 <sup>rd</sup> Place
Mr.A. Kajeegan	Priders Premier League 2022 and Inter University Croquet Match 2022
J.Nilakshan	Member of Football team- 2 <sup>nd</sup> runner up, Inter-University Competition – 2022
P.Athikan	Inter-University Competition - 2022 Member of Football team-2 <sup>nd</sup> runner up and Member of Hockey team-1 <sup>st</sup> runner up
T.Nagaraja Taekwondo	Inter-University Competition – 2022, 1 <sup>st</sup> runner up- Road race
M.Kesavan	Inter-University Competition - 2022 Hockey -1 <sup>st</sup> runner up and Road race -1 <sup>st</sup> runner up
M.Thisian	Inter-University Competition - 2022 Wrestling /74 kg category -2 <sup>nd</sup> runner up

### Interaction with Local/Foreign Universities and others

#### Visit of Foreign Delegates to the Faculty

Name of the Person	Foreign University	Period
Dr.Nades Palaniyar, PhD	Senior Scientist, Translational Medicine, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto & Associate Professor, Lab Medicine and Pathobiology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto, Canada	A Guest lecture on “Hints to design experimental research” was organized by Department of Medical laboratory Sciences on 6 <sup>th</sup> December 2022. Dr.Nades Palaniyar was the speaker of this Guest Lecture. Academic staff and students of the Faculty of Allied Health Sciences attended in this Guest Lectures.
Prof. Mahesh Nirmalan Prof. Nirosini Nirmalan	Professor of Medical Education and Consultant in Critical care, Manchester University	

### Workshop/ Seminar

Programme	National/ International	Organized by	Date & Duration	Target Group	No.of. Participants
Career Guidance Webinar	National	Career Guidance Unit in collaboration with Department of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Society, Sri Lanka	30.12.2022 2 hours	BPharm undergraduates	120

### Participation of staff members

Programmes in 2022	Registered/ Attended	Completed	Presentations
No.of Postgraduate Degree Programmes	6	-	3
Other(Seminars and Workshops)	8	-	-
Total	14	-	3

### Foreign Fellowships/Scholarships/Awards received for Professional Development

Recipient	Designation	Type of the Programme	Date
Ms.S.Sathya	Lecturer/ Pharmacy	ITEC scholarship for two-week intensive course on ‘Advanced Analytical Techniques, Basic Principles and Application for Quality Assessment of Drugs and Pharmaceuticals’ sponsored by Government of India, Ministry of External Affairs (TC Division) under ITEC Programs	28.11.2022-09.12.2022

## Outreach activities

1. Dr. K. Ketheeswaran- Served as a resource person and Delivered Speech on Innovative Technology for sustainable development in sports, fitness and healthy life. Organized by Alagappa College of physical education and Sri murugan international research foundation for higher education Alaggapa karaikudi on 25th February to 26th February 2022.
2. Dr. K. Ketheeswaran- Served As a resource person of the Induction programme for Physical fitness for Academic Career on 4th June 2022 organized by Staff Development Centre, University of Jaffna.
3. Dr. K. Ketheeswaran- Served as a visiting lecturer for Nutrition, Diet, and Exercises related to Cosmetology to the students of NVQ Level5-Semester I at University college of Jaffna for the period from 11.07.2022 to 25.11.2022
4. Dr. K. Ketheeswaran- Served as a Guest Lecturer for the Introduction to Yoga for the Yoga and Para Psychology undergraduate Students organized by The Department of indigenous Health Services of the Faculty of indigenous Health Sciences and Technology of the Gampaha Wickerama aarachi University on 8th July 2022.
5. Dr. K. Ketheeswaran- Served as a Visiting Lecturer of Advanced Certificate Course in Yoga Philosophy Programme organized by Department of Sanskrit & Eastern Studies Faculty of Humanities University of Kelaniya.
6. Dr. K. Ketheeswaran- Served as a resource person of the workshop titled how to prevent bad habits through yoga- Adolescents health promotion for psychology graduate workers, on the 22nd December 2022 organized by wellbeing centre, faculty of medicine, university of Jaffna.
7. Mrs. L. Kamalarupan– Served as a resource person for the workshop titled “Workshop on elder care” conducted by the District Secretariat, Jaffna held on 12.12.2022.
8. Mrs. L. Kamalarupan– Served as a resource person for the workshop titled “Psychological Support and Other Basic Nursing Skills” conducted by the District Secretariat, Jaffna held on 12.12.2022.
9. Mrs. L. Kamalarupan– Served as a resource person for the workshop titled “Nursing care for bed ridden patients” conducted by the District Secretariat, Jaffna held on 12.12.2022.
10. Mrs. D. Thabotharan– Served as a resource person for the workshop titled “Workshop on elder care” conducted by the District Secretariat, Jaffna held on 12.12.2022.
11. Mr. S. Sathees– Served as a resource person for the workshop titled “Common health Problems of elderly” held on 13.12.2022.

## 5.3.Faculty of Arts

### Introduction

The Faculty of Arts of the University of Jaffna is involved in the teaching, learning and research processes of the techniques of the art of living. It is one of the largest faculties in the Sri Lankan universities which caters to the goal of university education for those who enter from the ‘Arts stream’. Currently, it consists of seventeen departments which offer General and Honours degrees in 22 study disciplines and offer BA, BFA and LLB Degrees. It caters for the highest student population of the University of Jaffna. Further, it has given birth to the other faculties of the University of Jaffna, viz, the Faculty of



Management Studies and Commerce, the Faculty of Hindu Studies and the Sir Ponnampalam Ramanathan Faculty of Performing and Visual Arts. Unit of Siddha Medicine was also once under the Faculty of Arts.

The faculty is unique in its traditional and cultural background. Its primary objective is to preserve the indigenous patrimony of the region. Most of its study disciplines are grounded on identifying the local needs and empowering the folks through research and innovation. Its long history bears witness to the fact that Faculty of Arts has adopted from the very beginning dynamic policies for quality in education and focuses on a contemporary approach towards teaching, learning and research activities. Thus, it has obtained an international reputation for its scholarship and contribution to the field of Tamil Studies.

The history of Faculty of Arts runs in parallel with the history of university education in Jaffna. The faculty of Humanities, which was the forerunner for Faculty of Arts, and the Faculty of Science were the two faculties of the ‘Jaffna Campus’ of the University of Sri Lanka that was established in Jaffna, on the 6th of October 1974. The Faculty of Humanities occupied the Parameshwara College at Thirunelvely.

Initially, the Faculty of Humanities had four departments, viz, Hindu Civilization, History, Sinhala and Tamil. In 1975 it was renamed as the Faculty of Arts and started to expand continuously in the quantity of study disciplines and activities while maintaining its academic standard and quality.

The Department of Information Technology is the latest addition of the faculty on 01st of April 2022 as per the special gazette notification of the Ministry of Higher Education.

Thus, it is evident that the Faculty of Arts offers a full range of Humanities and Social Science degree programmes. Besides offering undergraduate degree programmes, most of the departments provide academic coordination and supervision for the postgraduate degree programmes leading to Postgraduate Diploma, MA, MPhil and PhD conducted by the Faculty of Graduate Studies of the UOJ.

### Vision

“To be a centre of excellence in Humanities Social Science with the values towards social commitment”

### Mission

“To produce competent graduates with abilities to assess received opinion, making independent decisions and value the power of innovation on serving humankind”.

### Achievements

#### Staff achievements

Department	Name	Award	Date & Venue
History	Mrs. S.Dinosa, Lecturer	“Best paper Presenter” of the track (Technology in life) in the 5 <sup>th</sup> IRS-SVIAS 2022.	08.09.2022 Swamy Vipulananda Institute of Aesthetic Studies, Eastern University, Sri Lanka.

#### Students achievements

##### i. Dept. of Media Studies –

##### • Short Film Competition on Alcohol and Drug Awareness

The Alcohol and Drug Information Center (ADIC) in collaboration with the Department of Media Studies conducted a Short Film Competition among university students in order to create awareness of ‘How do the films making influences the promotion of the usage of alcohol and drug among youth’. The competition was a part of the activities in line with the MOU signed between the Alcohol and Drug Information Center (ADIC) and the Department of Media Studies, University of Jaffna in 2022 followed by 2020. 30 short films were received and the panel of judges selected eight of them as the best productions considering the content and the quality.



##### • ‘Jaffna Pride’ Short Film Competition - 2022

The students of Media Studies won the titles of first and third places in ‘Jaffna Pride’ short film competition conducted by the American Spaces- Sri Lanka, American Corner- Jaffna, Jaffna Transgenders Network (JTN), and Nadi.lk.

The ‘Jaffna Pride’ festival was celebrated on the theme of ‘யாழ் சுயமரியாதை வானவில் பெருமிதம் (Jaffna- Self-respect- Rainbow Pride)’, which highlights the issues and awareness of the transgenders in Jaffna.

The prizegiving event was held on 10th of July 2022.

**Ms. Larshika Manoharan** and **Sankeerthana Arulanantham** won first place for their short film titled ‘அவ்வவள்’ and **Ms. Kanageshwary** won third place for her short film titled ‘மெளனமொழி’, all three are the third-year students of Media Studies.



##### ii. Dept. of Translation Studies- South Asian Iconic Award-2022

Name & Registration No.	Achievement	Date & venue
Mr. S.Yogathas 2017/Ts/024	South Asian Iconic Award-2022	21.08.2022 at BMICH - Colombo



##### iii. Dept. of Translation Studies- International Translation Day- 2022, Annual exhibition awards

Winner	Achievement	Date and venue
Fourth year students	1 <sup>st</sup> place - interpretation process	22.12.2022 at Kailasapathy Auditorium, University of Jaffna
Third year students	1 <sup>st</sup> place - Aurora dictionary making process	
Third year students	3 <sup>rd</sup> place - Dilact documentary	



iv. Department of History

Date	Departments	Name	Award Status
25.12.2022	Cultural Tourism	Miss. Mohanatharani	2 <sup>nd</sup> place- International Debate competition- 2022

**Summary of Awards**

Subject	Total No. of Awards	No. of Academics	No. of Students
Local Awards (University/ other)	10	-	34
National Awards (Presidential/CVCD)	02	-	02
International Awards	05	01	04
<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>40</b>

**Student events/ Sports activities/ Other activities**

i. Dept. of Translation Studies - International Translation Day celebration – 2022 (Exhibition, Magazine and book launch) on 30.09.2022



ii. Dept. of Geography- Student Events

Student Reg.No	Student Name	Name of Activity	Date
2018/A117	Ms. Jeyapalasingam Sivachchithra	Technopreneurship For Social Change Programme	14 <sup>th</sup> , 15 <sup>th</sup> , 17 <sup>th</sup> and 18 <sup>th</sup> November 2022

iii. Dept. of Geography- Student Activities

Assosiation	By whome	Date	Description
Young Planners Club, University of Jaffna	Planning students	25.09.2022	Carried out waste management at Katheeja Mahavidyalaya, Jaffna on the request of the Principal.
		07.10.2022	A program on drug prevention was conducted at Earlalai West Saiva Sanmarka Vidyasalai



**Interaction with Local/Foreign Universities and others**

**Memorandum of Understanding Signed with Local Organizations**

Department	Role of the Activity	Collaborative Agency
Media Studies	The Memorandum of Understanding to promote Media and Information Literacy (MIL) among the students was signed between the <b>Center for Media and Information Literacy (CMIL) and the University of Jaffna</b> on the 19th of July 2022 at the University of Jaffna. The MOU was signed on behalf of respective organizations by Prof. S. Srisatkunarajah, Vice-Chancellor, the University of Jaffna, and Dr. M.A.Y. Arafath, Director, Center for Media and Information Literacy (CMIL).	Center for Media and Information Literacy (CMIL)
Media Studies	The Memorandum of Understanding on Joint Education and Advocacy Programmes on Alcohol, Tobacco and other Drug Prevention and Awareness Collaboration was signed between the <b>Alcohol and Drug Information Center (ADIC) and the University of Jaffna</b> on the 25th of May 2022 at the University of Jaffna. Prof.S.Srisatkunarajah, Vice-Chancellor, University of Jaffna and Mr. Pubudu Sumanasekara, Executive Director, Alcohol and Drug Information Center (ADIC) signed the MoU on behalf of respective organizations.	Alcohol and Drug Information Center (ADIC)
Fine Arts	MOU between the Goethe-Institute Sri Lanka and the Department of Fine Arts, University of Jaffna signed on 29 September 2022. This MOU is to formalize growing partnership and encourage further joint initiatives and collaborative projects between the two entities. The Goethe Institute will continue to bring experts, professionals and recognized artists from Germany and the South-Asian region to Jaffna and the partners agree to share resources, space and expertise for these collaborative projects according to their abilities.	Goethe-Institute Sri Lanka
Fine Arts	MOU between the Museum of Modern and Contemporary Art, Sri Lanka and the Department of Fine Arts, University of Jaffna was signed on 20 October 2022.	Museum of Modern and Contemporary Art, Sri Lanka



### MOUs Signed with International Organizations

Department	Role of the Activity	Country
Law	<p>Two Memorandums of Understanding (MOU) with the International Foundation for Electoral Systems (IFES) were signed on the 11<sup>th</sup> of October 2022.</p> <p>According to the first MOU, the Department of Law of the University of Jaffna, in collaboration with IFES, will develop and offer a certificate course titled 'Democracy: From Theory to Practice'.</p> <p>The second MOU aims to facilitate and strengthen the collaboration between the Department of Law and IFES in developing and implementing a women's leadership programme called 'She Leads'.</p> 	International Foundation for Electoral Systems (IFES) is an independent, INGO providing professional support to electoral democracy has a presence in 145 countries.
Philosophy	<p>Memorandum of Understanding Department of Philosophy, University of Jaffna and USAID/SCORE, Global communities was signed on 11th of October 2022 for</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. establishing a Psycho-Social counselling lab with full facilities</li> <li>2. supporting students who enrol in an internship in the area of psychological counselling</li> <li>3. supporting to start a diploma in counselling</li> <li>4. extending students and for mentoring activities.</li> <li>5. support research activities related to social and mental health issues.</li> </ol> 	USAID/SCORE
Law	<p>Conducting Henry Dunant Memorial Vernacular Moot Court Competition in Tamil was signed on 28.12.2022.</p>	The International Committee of the Red Cross Switzerland

### Visit of Foreign Delegates to the Faculty

Name of the Person	Foreign University	Period
Dept. of Geography		
Prof. Markus Hassler and 30 students	Department of Geography, Philipps University of Marburg, Germany	During his stay from 02 <sup>nd</sup> - 05 <sup>th</sup> March and 30 <sup>th</sup> March - 02 <sup>nd</sup> April 2022, Joint Field Work. He has selected the Northern Province, Sri Lanka to study various issues related to rural development.
Dept. of Fine Arts		
Prof. Ruth Young, University of Leicester, Dr. Gillian Juleff, University of Exeter along with a team	University of Leicester, University of Exeter University of Leicester in Collaboration with the University of Exeter and the Faculty of Arts University of Jaffna conducted a research project on Archaeology and Heritage in Jaffna as part of the Sri Lanka Research network	From 18th to 22nd April 2022



## Workshop/Seminars

Programme	National/ International	Organized by	Date & Duration	Target Group	No. of Participants
<b>Sharing Sessions and Workshops</b>					
Sharing Session on 'Varieties of Vital Aspects in the News Sense and Reporting News on Public Interest' by Mr. P. Sivaramakrishnan, a Former Senior BBC Broadcaster	University Level	Media Studies	13.12.2022	Media studies students	30
Sharing Session on 'Filmmaking in the Local Context' by Mr. Denmark Shan (Shanmuham Subramaniam), a Senior Filmmaker and the Director of the recent popular Tamil film 'Nerunchimul'	University Level	Media Studies	08.12.2022	Media studies students	25
Sharing Session with Mr. Ranjith Joseph, Filmmaker of 'Sinam kol' (சினம் கொள்), a full-length feature film in Tamil	University Level	Media Studies	25.11.2022	Media studies students	100
Sharing Session on 'The New Trends of Global Media and the Scope of Convergent Media in Tamil' with Mr. Nadarajah Kuruparan, Senior Manager of 'Aathavan Media Network', London and 'Tamil FM', Colombo and Former News Director, 'Sooriyan FM', Colombo	University Level	Media Studies	04.10.2022	Media studies students	60
Sharing Session with Emeritus Professor Rohana Luxman Piyadasa, a Pioneer Scholar in the field of Print Media Studies from the University of Kelaniya on 'Political Cartoons'	University Level	Media Studies	03.10.2022	Media studies students	30
Sharing Session on 'Investigative Journalism (IJ)' with Mr. R. Ram, Assistant News Editor, 'Virakesari' Tamil Daily.	University Level	Media Studies	29.06.2022	Media studies students	55
Sharing Session with Mr. MathiSutha, Veteran Filmmaker	University Level	Media Studies	25.03.2022	Media studies students	60
GEOFORUM Series 4:		Geography	29.01.2022	Geography students	
GEOFORUM Series 5:		Geography	15.12.2022	Geography students	
Workshop: by Young planners' Society		Geography	03.11.2022		
Workshop: by Young planners' Society		Geography	02.12.2022		
Online Professional English Network (OPEN) Program	National	DELT	05.04.202- 31.05.2022	Academic staff, UJ	20
Teaching ESL/EFL: Ways and Means	National	DELT	15.11.2022  One day	Academic staff, undergraduates offering ELT course units	50
<b>Webinars</b>					
Webinar Series- 07 Social cohesion & Economic Development – Some observation	National	Economics	01.01.2022	Economics students & public	
Webinar Series- 08 Macroeconomic Stability of Sri Lanka	National	Economics	31.01.2022	Economics students & public	
Webinar Series- 09 Trade Performance of Sri Lanka: Can it be one of the causes of the current economic crisis	National	Economics	25.09.2022	Economics students & public	
Webinar- "Gandhi and Ahimsa"			19.06.2022		
<b>Guest Lectures</b>					
Foreign Exchange Crisis of Sri Lanka	National	Economics	11.02.2022	Economics students	
Developing the sustainable Tourism Destinations and Case Overviews	National	Economics	07.04.2022	Economics students	

The Role of Marxism in Economic Thinking	National	Economics	12.10.2022	Economics students	
Gender in Organizations	National	Economics	14.10.2022	Economics students	
Guest Lecture		Geography	14.12.2022	Geography students	
Guest Lecture “யாழ்ப்பாண இராசதானியின் தோற்றம் தொடர்பான கருத்துக்களை மீளாய்வு செய்யும் புதிய கல்வெட்டு”.		History	22.08.2022		
<b>Awareness Programmes, Public Talks &amp; Seminars</b>					
Awareness Programme: பொருளாதார நெருக்கடி - 2022	National	Economics	20.05.2022	Economic students & public	
Awareness Programme: Prohibited Financial Schemes	National	Economics	26.10.2022	Economic students	
Public Talk - Taxation in Sri Lanka: Issues and Challenges	National	Economics	10.11.2022	Economic students & public	
Awareness Programme: Budget Highlights – 2023 Series - 01	National	Economics	22.11.2022	Economic students & public	
Awareness Programme Budget Highlights – 2023 Series - 02	National	Economics	23.11.2022	Economic students & public	
Workshop- ‘அதிகரித்து செல்லும் செலவுகளும் சமாளிக்கும் வழிகளும்’	National	Economics	30.11.2022	Economic students & public	
Seminar 1: by Geographical Society		Geography	20.12.2022	Geography students	
Seminar: by Young planners’ Society		Geography	10.11.2022	Planning students	
Seminar: by Young planners’ Society		Geography	16.12.2022	Planning students	
An outreach seminar to create awareness among school students about the subject English offered as a main subject at the G. C. E. A/L examinations	National	Linguistics and English	18.06.2022	School students	

### Students’ Participation in Workshops/ Seminars/ Training

Description	Organizers and Resource Persons	Participants	Date
Workshop on ‘Creative Art Therapy for Stress Management’	Helvetas Sri Lanka under the InSPIRE project	Media Studies Students	17.12.2022
Workshop on ‘Crisis and Investigative Reporting’	Award-winning Investigative Journalist Mr. Shihar Aneez conducted the workshop with interesting practical activities that the participants were actively engaged in. The workshop is a part of Project Inspire, which is being implemented by SDJF with the partner organization Helvetas and the funding support of the EU.	The Provincial Journalists in Jaffna and Media Studies Students	10.12.2022 11.12.2022
Refresher Training on ‘Theoretical Aspects on Freedom of Expression, Right to Information, Digital Citizenship and, Women in New Media’	Organized by Helvetas Sri Lanka under the InSPIRE Project, The program was facilitated by Isbahan Sarfdeen.	Media Studies Students	05.12.2022
Workshop on ‘Film for Equality (F4E)’ aims to advocate for human rights of women and young girls through Mobile Short Films.	Center for Media and Information Literacy (CMIL), Dr. Indika Ferdinando, a national and international award-winning Sri Lankan Theatre Practitioner and Guest Trainer and Ms. Ayesha Chathurangi, Lecturer at the University of the Visual and Performing Arts conducted workshop	Media Studies Students	25.11.2022 26.11.2022 27.12.2022
Training on ‘Content Production and Marketing of ‘YouTube Channels’ conducted as a part of the coordination of ‘Alumni of Media Studies’ in providing avenues to the internal students on getting professional exposure.	The graduates of Media Studies who are successfully involved in the ‘Jaffna Gallery’ YouTube Channel	Media Studies Students	13.10.2022
Discussion with Right to Information (RTI) Commissioners at University of Jaffna	The discussion was organized by the Department of Media Studies at the invitation of the RTI Commission and AFRIAL Youth Network. It was held along with the visit of	Media Studies and Law Students	28.09.2022

	Commissioners to Jaffna aligned with the International Information Day and the Public Event of 'Information Act to the Village'.		
Residential training on 'Enhancing Leadership and Short Film Making for Conflict Sensitive Communication'	The training was organized at the Retreat Center in Pandaitharippu, Jaffna under the guidance of Rev. Fr. Saverian Eugene Francis, Director, HUDEC - Caritas Jaffna.	Media Studies Students	
Workshop on 'Understanding Gender Equity and Equality'	Organized by JAFFNA PRIDE, the workshop was facilitated by Kasro Ponnuthurai, Thisa Thiruchelvam, Angel Queentus, and Gowthaman Ranganathan	Media Studies Students	24.06.2022
Workshop on Mobile Journalism (MoJo) contained a theoretical foundation in film grammar, practical sessions, application of learned skills, and discussion for further enhancement.	Sri Lanka Development Journalists Forum (SDJF) Mr. Mohammedu Aswer, Mobile Journalism (MoJo) Trainer conducted the workshop	Media Studies Students	31.03.2022 01.04.2022
Series of the practical training programmes for the Media Studies students of the University of Jaffna, as individual sessions and collaborative sessions with the University of Peradeniya, University of Sri Jayewardenepura and South Eastern University under the theme, 'An Exploration of Creative Minds for Future Media'	The training programmes were organized by the Sri Lanka Development Journalists Forum (SDJF) as a part of the Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) signed between the Helvetas Intercooperation gGmbH and the University of Jaffna.	Media Studies Students	26.02.2022 27.02.2022 28.02.2022
Workshop on 'Reporting in Pandemic and Media Ethics'	Organized by the Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs Ministry with the collaboration of the Governor's Secretariat of Northern Province	Media Studies Students and Working Journalists of Jaffna District	05.01.2022
2nd Undergraduate Research Symposium	Faculty of Arts	Faculty of Arts Students - 114	10.11.2022

### Participation of staff members of the University

Programmes in 2022	Registered/Attend	Completed	Presentations
No.of Postgraduate Degree Programmes	02	04	-
No.of Postgraduate Diploma Programmes	01	-	-
No.of Certificate Programmes	01	01	-
Other (Seminars and Workshops)	63	10	03
Total	67	15	03

### Local Fellowships/Scholarships/Awards received for Professional Development

Recipient	Designation	Type of the Programme	Duration
Ms.S.Poongulaly	Lecturer	Short term training on 'Cyber Security for Women' conducted by Inter-News under the 'Safe Sisters' Project	04 days
Ms.G.Anutharsi	Lecturer (Prob.)		

### Foreign Fellowships/Scholarships/Awards received for Professional Development

Recipient	Designation	Type of the Programme	Date
Mrs. S.Ajiththa	Lecturer (Probationary)	Fullbright Grant - Master	08.12.2022 – 05.06.2022

### Outreach activities

#### 1. Documentary Film Festival- 2022

Fourteen documentary films produced by the Media Studies students on different themes were screened on the 22nd of November 2022 at the Kailasapathy Auditorium, University of Jaffna for the students and public audiences.

The documentary films were produced in a systematic way as an outcome of the course unit 'Film and Television Production Technologies' at the third year of studies.

‘கடல்விளை அமுதம்’: The present condition of Elephant Pass saltern, ‘மைதானம்’: Need of the playground in a village in upcountry, ‘வாழைக்குலைச் சங்கம்’: Activities of the association of plantain cultivators in Jaffna, ‘மிதியுந்து’: The increasing usage of cycles during the fuel shortage, ‘உளி தொடாக்கலை’: The evaporation of traditional sculpture making, ‘அழிவடைந்து போன பழமை’: The search for the traditional water-pumping system in Northern Peninsula, ‘செம்மலையின் கண்ணீர்’: The danger of deep sea swimming and the pathetic story of the three brothers who lost their lives at the Sea in Semmalai, ‘வன்னியின் ஆவுடையூர்’: The traditional homeland of livestock in Vanni, ‘வானவில்’: Batik industry in Jaffna, ‘நந்திக்கடல் மீன்பிடி’: Fishing at the Mullaithivu Coast- Nanthikadal, ‘அம்மா’: The one-day life journey of the women of the upcountry, ‘மறைந்திருக்கும் தொன்மம்’: The myth of the cave at Keerimalai, ‘இருளொளி’: The laudable efforts of the visually challenged musician, ‘தூய மரச்செக்கு எண்ணெய்’: The traditional way of oil production were screened.



## 2. Media Studies Students Served as Resource Persons in School-based Prevention Programmes on Alcohol and Drugs

The students along with ADIC officials successfully conducted an alcohol and drugs prevention programmes on the 3rd, 4th and 9th of November 2022, in Jaffna Hindu Collage, Periyapulam Maha Vidyalayam and Sathana Vidyalayam.



## 3. Discussion with Postgraduate Institute of Agriculture (PGIA) Students

The students following MSc in Development Communication at the Postgraduate Institute of Agriculture (PGIA) visited Media Studies and discussed with the students on development communication issues in Northern Province on the 30th of September 2022.

## 4. Spot Survey on Alcohol and Drug Usage in Jaffna and Killinochchi Districts

Alcohol and Drug Information Center (ADIC) conducted annual SPOT survey together with the students of the Department of Media Studies in order to find out the trend of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs usage in Jaffna and Killinochchi districts on the 6th and 7th of September 2022, in line with the MOU between ADIC and the University of Jaffna. This programme was supervised by Professor. S. Raguram, Head, Media Studies with the facilitation of the Department staff. Mr. A.C. Raheem, Senior Programme Officer, Ms. Nidarshana Selladurai, Programme Officer and Mr. A. Kodeswaran, Coordinator from Alcohol and Drug Information Centre (ADIC) participated as resource persons.

## Any other Activities

- Ms. Ajiththa Suganthan, Lecturer in Archaeology worked on a metal rehousing project at the Southeastern Archaeological Center in the United States from September to November 2022 and contributed as one of the curators for the exhibition “Life Framed: Everyday Objects and Still Life” at Florida State University in April 2022.

## 5.4. Faculty of Engineering

### Introduction

The Faculty of Engineering was established with gazette notification dated 05<sup>th</sup> December 2012. The faculty has already graduated 193 Engineers from its first four batches. The total number of students admitted, has increased dramatically. The faculty has grown up with taking 10<sup>th</sup> batch with 184 students.



The desk review on the SER submitted by the Bachelor of the Science of Engineering degree programs of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Computer Engineering, Electrical and Electronic Engineering and Mechanical and Process Engineering at the Faculty of Engineering, University of Jaffna was carried out and subsequently, the site visit was conducted for a period of two days of 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> August 2022.

The Bachelor of the Science of Engineering Degree Programmes at Faculty of Engineering earned an “A” grade with an overall score of 87.9%, an accomplishment of excellence for a relatively new faculty.

### Vision

The Vision of the Faculty of Engineering is to become a preeminent center for discernment in Engineering education, research and services nationally and globally.

## Mission

The Mission of the Faculty of Engineering is to foster and promote engineering nationally and globally by producing competent Engineers with social, economic and ethical values, and environmental consciousness, who contribute to sustainable development.

## Achievements

### Student achievements

- i. Award winner of the “student/academia category IEEE SA Telehealth Solutions Virtual Pitch Competition”:** The IEEE SA Transforming the Telehealth Paradigm Industry Connections Program in collaboration with the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) SA Healthcare and Life Sciences Practice held its first annual IEEE SA Telehealth Solutions Virtual Pitch Competition titled “Rethink the "Machine: Transforming RPM to a Patient-Centered Care System”. The theme of the competition focused on Remote Patient Monitoring (RPM), a subset of telehealth, enabling physicians to better monitor and care for patients in real-time in a remote location.

The Final Year Research Project “Multi-Purpose Health Monitoring Bracelet” (MHMB) of the Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, University of Jaffna was selected among the 9 global finalists of the competition.

It was the only team among the finalists representing an Asian Country. The Project MHMB was placed first in the category of Student/Academia at the IEEE SA Telehealth Solutions Virtual Pitch Competition. The research project also won the Professor S. Mahalingam Memorial Innovative Project Proposal Award 2020 presented by the Faculty of Engineering, University of Jaffna.

The research project was carried out by the students **Nilojkanth Loganathan** and **Pramuka Sooriyapatabandige** under the supervision and guidance of **Mr R. Valluvan** (Lecturer, Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, University of Jaffna), **Prof. R. Surenthirakumaran** (Faculty of Medicine, University of Jaffna) and **Dr S. Sivasothy** (Founder, Dotshook, France).



- ii. Patents were obtained** for an undergraduate project carried out by **Meegaswatta S.M.U, Prabhashana W.H.S.C** and supervised by **Dr. Kanagasundaram Ahilan, and Mr. Ragupathyraj Valluvan** with the support of UBL-Jaffna and AHEAD project. Faculty is seeking commercial partners for this. The project is highlighted at different international industry forum to facilitate commercialization through the AHEAD project.

**International Patent:** “System and Method for Automobile Emission Measurement”-WIPO PCT WO 2022 /185119 A1, Date of the Patent: Sept 09, 2022.

**National Patent with NIPO:** “An Internet of things (IoT) based low-cost portable emission measurement system“, Patent No: 21650 (Sep 01, 2022).



- iii. Best Award for the Innovative Product/ Project – University Category – Northern Province at the SLASSCOM National Ingenuity Awards 2022:** The project was among the finalists for national level winners, which was supervised by **Mr. R. Valluvan**. Students **Mr. Nilojkanth Loganathan** and **Mr. Pramuka Sooriyapatabandige** participated in the final awarding ceremony SLASSCOM National Ingenuity Awards 2022 held for the fourth successive year in May 2022.

- iv.** A competition organized by the Annual Award for the Most Outstanding Undergraduate Energy Research 2022 by Sri Lanka Energy Managers Association as a co-event of ‘SLEMA Annual Sessions 2022’ short listed the undergraduate research “Electrical Load/Demand Forecasting in Sri Lanka Using Deep Learning Techniques” for ‘**Top 12 outstanding research projects**’ by students **Mr. A.A.K.U. Abeysingha & Ms. S.A. Sritharan** and supervised by **Mr. R. Valluvan**.

- v. Student project selected for the final evaluation on the IEEE Innovation Nation Sri Lanka 2022:** The final year project on “Design and Implementation of a floating solar PV plant project” carried out by students **Mr. Mohottala G.H.M.K.M. and Mr. Perera W.C.M.**, supervised by **Professor A. Atputharajah** (Professor in Electrical and Electronic Engineering), **Mr. B. Kiriparan** (Lecturer in Civil Engineering), **Mr. Ifthaz** (Lecturer in Mechanical Engineering) was selected for the above.



- vi. **First Place in the Annual Spaghetti Bridge Competition 2022:** Five final year undergraduate students from the Department of Civil Engineering secured the **first place in the annual spaghetti bridge competition (BRIDGEFEST'22)** organized by Engineering Research and Innovation Club (ERIC) of SLIIT in collaboration with Highway Engineering Society (HES) on 3rd of December 2022.



### Student events/ Sports activities/ Other activities

- Sudheera Nimala Sri (2020/E/021) participated for the Call of Duty Mobile (CODM) solo event and won the gold medal, in the Inter University Esports Championship (IUEC), in which all the university teams and individuals take part.

Programme	Organized by	Date	Target group	Participants
Career guidance session by Zone24x7	Computer Engineering Society	16/06/2022 1 hour	Computer Engineering and Electrical and Electronic Engineering specialization students	50
Technical talk on “Getting started with Git and Github”	Computer Engineering Society	04/11/2022 1 hour	E19 Computer Engineering specialization students	29
Introductory session in competitive programming	Computer Engineering Society	27/12/2022 1 hour	E19 Computer Engineering specialization students	20

### Interaction with Local/Foreign Universities and others

#### Memorandums of Understanding

Role of the Activity	Whether MOU signed	Collaborative Agency
To train and provide formal education on electrical wiring through a certificate course in Tamil medium to local electricians who do not have proper technical education	Yes	Kelani Cables PLC
I. To promote the safety, protection, and economy of the consumer. II. To facilitate the Electricians and Solar Technicians (herein after sometimes referred to as Technicians) engaged in the Electrical and Solar System Installation and Maintenance Work to be accredited/ acknowledged as “Licensed Electrician and Solar System Technician” under Sri Lanka Electricity Act No 20 of 2009 as amended through the empowerment of skills and qualifications in their respective field. III. To ensure that all work related to electrical and solar system installations are undertaken by suitably qualified persons possessing requisite skill and competence. IV. To uplift the qualifications and status of the Technicians in par with international standards in electrical wiring and solar system technology and enabling them to enter into job market in abroad.	Yes	Public Utilities Commission of Sri Lanka (PUCSL), Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission (TVEC) and Sri Lanka Sustainable Energy Authority (SEA)

### Workshops/ Seminars

Programme	National/ International	Organized by	Date & Duration	Target Group	Participants
Solar PV: Key considerations in assessing feasibility	International	Mechanical Engineering Society and THREE-Lanka project	13.01.2022	General public, professional, students	60
Internet of Thing for Sustainable Community Development	International	Mechanical Engineering Society and THREE-Lanka project	19.01.2022	General public, professional, students	50
Deep Learning Basics and Its Applications for Renewable Energy	International	Mechanical Engineering Society and THREE-Lanka project	25.02.2022	General public, professional, students	50
Fundamentals and Latest techniques in designing an electrical powertrain	National	Mechanical Engineering Society	17.08.2022	Engineering students	225

The science of Oil Exploration	National	Mechanical Engineering Society	09.09.2022	Mechanical Engineering students and staff	25
SolidWorks Workshop	National	Mechanical Engineering Society	22.10.2022 23.10.2022	Mechanical Engineering students	21
Seminar on "Technology evolution and market trends with Entrepreneurship". Resource person: Ruban Kanapathippillai, Charter Member at TiE Silicon Valley.	National	Career Guidance Cell of the faculty of Engineering	30.04.2022 1.5 hours	Engineering Students	71
Technical Talk on Data structures and algorithms conducted by resource persons from Synopsys Lanka (Pvt) Ltd.	National	Career Guidance Cell of the faculty of Engineering	24.06.2022 1 hour	Computer Engineering/ Electrical Electronic Engineering specialization students	60
Seminar on Career development in IT industry Resource Person: Mr. Jayaraj Sayanthan (Chief Information Officer at David Pieris Group	National	Career Guidance Cell of the faculty of Engineering	01.07.2022 1 hour 20 minutes	Engineering Students	40

### Participation of staff members of the University

Programmes in 2022	Registered/Attended	Completed	Presentations
Seminars and Workshops	02	-	01

### Foreign Fellowships/Scholarships/Awards received for Professional Development

Recipient	Designation	Type of the Programme	Duration
Mr. S.H.I. Hameed	Lecturer(Prob.)	Short term Training	3 months
Mr. U. Anuraj	Lecturer(Prob.)	Short term Training	3 months

## 5.5.Faculty of Graduate Studies

### Introduction

The Faculty of Graduate Studies offers taught courses as well as research degrees. Master of Philosophy and Doctor of Philosophy are the research degrees offered by this faculty both in full time and part time modes.

### Vision

To be the centre of excellence in postgraduate teaching, learning and research

### Mission

To be a facilitator in producing professionally competent and capable postgraduates by providing quality teaching, learning, and carrying out research

### Achievements

#### Student achievements

Certificates for University Prize for the Best Performance of the Examination were issued to the candidates at the Faculty Board of Graduate Studies held on 05/09/2022.

- Master of Environmental Management (Batch II)- Mrs.Senkamalachelvi Senthuran (FGS/MSc/EM/2017/14)
- Master of Arts in Saiva Siddhantha (Batch VI)  
Ms.Sobana Kalijukavarathan (FGS/MASS/2018/19/23)



#### Student events / Sports activities / Other activities

1. 06/08/2022– Suntharamoorthy Nayanar Guru Pooja (conducted by Master of Saiva Siddhantha (Batch VII) Students)- Via Zoom
2. 16/10/2022– Study tour to Mannar (Master of Science in Health Management (Batch II) Students)

3. 26/10/2022– “Meikandaar Vizha” for celebrating the “Meikadaar Guru Poosai – Iaippasi Swathy” (Conducted by the Department of Saiva Siddhanta and Master of Saiva Siddhantha (Batch VII) Students) at the Kailasapathy Auditorium
4. 25/09/2022 - Study Tour to Thirukketheechcharam (Master of Saiva Siddhantha (Batch VII) Students
5. 18/12/2022– Ozhi Vizha (Conducted by Master of Christian Studies (Batch I) Students

### Interaction with Local/ Foreign Universities and Others

#### Visit of Foreign Delegates to the Faculty

Name of the Person	Foreign University	Period
Julie J. Chung	US Ambassador of Sri Lanka and Maldives	Visit of her Excellency on 27/04/2022 to University of Jaffna for In-kind Grant Agreement between Faculty of Graduate Studies and Global Communities, Sri Lanka under USAID Social Cohesion and Reconciliation Activity for Master of Peace and Conflict Resolution
Prof.N.Sriskandarajah	Department of Urban and Rural Development Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Uppsala, Sweden.	During his stay from 1 <sup>st</sup> September 2022, he supported to develop the syllabus of MSc in Water Science course. Further, he conducted lectures to the students of Master of Cultural Studies (Batch IV) on 18/09/2022 as guest lecturer.
Prof.Peter Schalk	Uppsala University Sweden	He conducted lectures to the students of Master of Christian Studies (Batch I) on 26/11/2022 as guest lecturer
Dr.R.Lambotharan	Saiva Siddhanta Peedam, Canada	He conducted lectures to the students of Master of Saiva Siddhantha (Batch VII) on 18/12/2022 as guest lecturer
Dr.T.Balachander	Assistant Professor, Annamalai University	He conducted lectures to the students of Master of Saiva Siddhantha (Batch VII) on 24/12/2022 as guest lecturer

#### Workshops/ Seminars

Programme	National/ International	Organized by	Date & Duration	Target Group	Participants
WASPAR Midway Symposium and Northern Water Dialogue Forum	National	Water Security in Northern Province Project, Faculty of Graduate Studies	21.11.2022 22.11.2022	Water Professionals, Researchers, Multi Stake-holders	150
Establishment and Operation of Multi-actor forum and platforms	National	Water Security in Northern Province Project, Faculty of Graduate Studies	Monthly (Maximum 10 workshops)	Water Professionals, Researchers, Multi Stake-holders	30

## 5.6.Faculty of Hindu Studies

### Introduction

The Faculty of Hindu Studies of the University of Jaffna was established on 06.06.2019. It was the first Hindu faculty opened in the country. The establishment of the faculty fulfilled the aspirations of the masses and intellectuals of the Hindu Community.

Three Departments undertake the Academic activities of the faculty viz: Department of Hindu Civilization, Department of Sanskrit, and Department of Saiva Siddhanta. Under the restructuring process, revised curriculum of the faculty was approved by the UGC on 15.02.2022. 149 Research publications of the academics were deposited in the Research Repository of the University. The Orientation programme for the first batch of students (2020/21) of the faculty of Hindu Studies was held at the Kailasapathy auditorium from 11.07.2022 to 15.07.2022.

The Faculty of Hindu Studies hosted its flagship event of the First International Hindu Conference (IHC-2022)- Hindu Darshana on 16.09.2022 under the umbrella of Jaffna University International Conference JUICE, the first ever research conference conducted under the auspices of the Faculty of Hindu Studies. The Keynote address was delivered by Dr. Vikrath Singh Thomar, (Director, Global Convener, United Consciousness, Madhya Pradesh, India) via virtual mode.



### Vision

The vision of the Faculty of Hindu Studies is to be a Centre of Excellence in Sri Lanka devoted to empower the prospective intellectuals to foster and promote Hindu Studies with emphasis on Hindu Culture, Saiva Siddhanta and Sanskrit Literature.

## Mission

Our mission is to produce competent graduates who excel in disseminating and preserving the multi-disciplinary aspects of Hindu Heritage by providing excellent teaching and learning environment and undertaking research and scholarship.

## Workshops/ Seminars

Programme	National/ International	Organized by	Date
<b>Seminar</b> Psychology for Joyful Learning	National	Saiva Siddhanta	12.10.2022
Sociology Perspectives in Religious View	National	Saiva Siddhanta	01.12.2022
<b>Webinar</b> Maraignana sampanthar guru pooja day	National	Saiva Siddhanta	29.08.2022
Arunanthi sivachcharyar guru pooja day	National	Saiva Siddhanta	24.09.2022
Sankara pandithar guru pooja day	National	Saiva Siddhanta	27.09.2022
Thirumoolar guru pooja day	National	Saiva Siddhanta	07.11.2022

## Participation of staff members of the University

Details	Registered/Attend in 2022	Completed in 2022	Presentations in 2022
No.of Postgraduate Degree Programmes	-	01	-

## Future plan

- Publishing Darisana: Refereed Journal at Faculty level to disseminate new research findings of scholars.
- Publishing Faculty Newsletter on quarterly basis to improve the visibility of the academic, Teaching & Learning and Community oriented activities.
- Organizing workshop on learner centered teaching & learning method, research culture and academic or professional writing for academic staff.
- Signing MOUs with local, national and international institutions including regional universities at the department level for creating collaboration in research and staff exchange.
- Uploading all academic publications into Research Repository of the University of Jaffna to enhance dissemination of research and development of the faculty.
- Identifying new avenues to establish new endowments to develop awards and scholarships for students.
- Exploring foreign donor funding for construction of faculty building and acquiring land.

## 5.7.Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce

### Introduction

The Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce was created in July 1999 from the disciplines of Commerce and Management Studies of the Faculty of Arts. The academic programs of the Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce were restructured to enrich the management curricula and give a professional orientation to enhance the employability of the graduates. Under the restructuring programme in 2010, four departments viz Department of Accounting, Department of Financial Management, Department of Human Resource Management and Department of Marketing were established and decided to offer a single degree programme, Bachelor of Business Administration, with avenues for specialisation under each department. Later, Bachelor of Commerce degree programme was also recommenced in 2012 considering the popular requests and demand. MBA programme has been offered by the faculty from 2014.



### Vision

To be a leading centre of excellence in teaching, learning, research and scholarship in Management and Commerce.

### Mission

To transform the lives of students by developing their academic potential, creativity, employability, global insight and ethical awareness to outperform in a challenging business environment and to make a real difference in the world as an entrepreneur, as an investor, as a manager, and strategic planner.

## Achievements and highlights of the events

### i. SCImago Institutions Rankings (SIR) 2021

Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce became the FIRST in Sri Lanka in SCImago Institutions Rankings (SIR) 2021 in the domain of business, management and accounting. The SCImago Institutions Rankings (SIR) is a classification of academic and research-related institutions ranked by a composite indicator that combines three different sets of indicators measured by their web visibility which is powered by Scopus data.



ii. 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Contemporary Management was held on 14.07.2022.

iii. International Accounting Day– 2022 was held on 10.11.2022 organized by Department of Accounting, with theme Accounting in 2022 and beyond.

### iv. BOC Award Signing

The Signing ceremony of Constitution of the BOC Award was held on 15th of December, 2022 in the Auditorium of the Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce. The Constitution of the “BOC Award” defines a rewarding mechanism for two best performers each from Bachelor of Business Administration and Bachelor of Commerce degree programmes of the Faculty at the General Convocation.



v. Career Fair- 2022 was conducted on 14.12.2022 for final year students. Many Private organizations participated in this.

### vi. We-Be Cell -Management Studies and Commerce

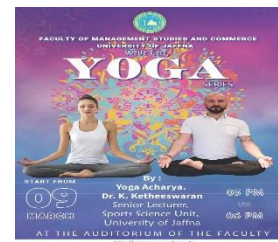
A Workshop was organized by WeBe Cell of the Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce, on the title of “Menstrual Problems and Hygienic Practice” via Zoom to students and staff of the faculty on 28.01.2022 at 8.30 PM. Resource Persons: Dr.S.Raguraman Consultant Obstetrician and Gynecologist, Faculty of Medicine.



### vii. YOGA Series

WeBe cell organized a YOGA Series from 9th March 2022 to 29<sup>th</sup> March 2022 at Auditorium of Faculty of MS&C.

Series day	Held on
First day	9th of March 2022
Second Day	10th of March 2022
Third day	15th of March 2022
Fourth Day	16th of March 2022
Fifth Day	29th of March 2022



### Staff achievements

- Mrs.K.Litharsini, Department of Accounting: Obtained membership from the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka as Associate Chartered Accountant on August 2022.
- Prof.N.Kengatharan, Department of Human Resource Management received Certificate of Excellence in Peer Review 2021 and an International Award by South Asian Journal of Human Resource Management: Sage Publisher.
- Ms.G.H.Hensman received Best Research Paper Award - ICBI 2022, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka.
- Mrs.S.Balagobei received second Best Research Paper Award - Faculty of Business Studies and Finance, Wayamba University of Sri Lanka in 2022.
- Mrs.D.Sangarathas, Dept. of Marketing awarded Doctor of Philosophy
- Dr.N.Kengatharan and Dr.J.Robinson Dept. of Human Resource Management, Dr.(Ms)L.Kengatharan, Dept. of Financial Management, Dr.(Ms)S.Shanmugathas and Dr.S.Sivesan of Dept. of Marketing, Dr.P.Pratheepkanth, Dept. of Accounting were promoted as Professors.

### Students achievements

- A gold medal and a full scholarship to pursue the Postgraduate Diploma in Marketing Management was awarded to Mr. Piumal Herath at the Department on 04.10.2022 from the MOU with SLIM.
- Miss.Lucksia Thayanithy was awarded Gold Medal by Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka for outstanding performance in “Financial Accounting” specializing in Accounting.



iii. Mr. Warnakalasaruya Mecioas Ollinka Fernando was awarded Gold Medal by Institute of Certified Management Accountants of Sri Lanka for most outstanding performance in Accounting Examination.

### Details of Awards

Departments	Name	Award Status
Human Resource Mangement	Prof.N.Kengatharan	Certificate of Excellence in Peer Review 2021 and an International Award by South Asian Journal of Human Resource Management: Sage Publisher
Marketing	Ms.G.H.Hensman	Best Research Paper Award - ICBI 2022
Financial Management	Mrs.S.Balagobei	2 <sup>nd</sup> Best Research Paper Award - Faculty of Business Studies and Finance, Wayamba University of Sri Lanka in 2022
Marketing	Mr. Piumal Herath	A gold medal and a full scholarship to pursue the Graduate Diploma and Postgraduate Diploma Levels of the Postgraduate Diploma in Marketing Management
Accounting	Miss.Lucksia Thayanithy	Gold Medal from Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka for outstanding performance in "Financial Accounting" in specializing Accounting.
Accounting	Mr.Warnakalasaruya Mecioas Ollinka Fernando	Gold Medal from Institute of Certified Management Accountants of Sri Lanka for most outstanding performance in Accounting Examination

### Summary of Awards

Subject	Total No. of Awards	No. of Academics	No. of Students
Local Awards (University and other..)	03		03
National Awards (Presidential/CVCD)	02	02	-
International Awards	01	01	-



### Student events/ Sports activities/ Other activities

- Department of Financial Management Students won 4<sup>th</sup> place in an "Inter University Debate Competition" organized by the Department of Finance of the University of Colombo in association with MAGNATE 2022.
- CFA society invited Department of Financial Management to participate in CFA research challenge competition for the period of 2022-2023. After pre-screening based on a given case study, five member group of students got fully trained by industrial experts in August 2022. They are currently building the financial model.
- Department of Human Resource Management, Faculty of Management, University of Jaffna organized an Inter University academic exchange program with University of Kelaniya on 8th of November 2022.



### Interaction with Local/Foreign Universities and others

#### Memorandums of Understanding

Role of the Activity	Whether MOU signed	Collaborative Agency
Training, Awards to Students 	Yes	CA, Sri Lanka
Training, Awards to Students 	Yes	Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA)
To provide guest lecturers, to provide career mentorship to selected students, facilitate participation of Capital Market industry experts to review curriculum of FMG, to award prizes for the best performers and etc. Further, FMG department is to provide opportunities to conduct awareness sessions about the CFA qualification and scholarships among the students. 	Yes, on 28.06.2022	CFA society Sri Lanka (CFASL)

IBSL will grant awards or cash prizes to the top performing Financial Management students in the Third and Fourth examinations in Business Administration, providing exemptions to undergraduates and graduates of Financial Management as per IBSL rules, assisting in obtaining practical training and internship opportunities in banking and finance related organizations and making arrangements for IBSL staff and resource personnel to be involved in the curriculum revisions of the academic programmes etc.	Yes, on 28.06.2022	Institute of Bankers of Sri Lanka (IBSL)
<p>A. The CSE will bear an annual cost up to Two Hundred Thousand (Rs. 200,000.00) for the capital market related events which organize by the FMG and CSE.</p> <p>B. The CSE will grant an award for the student who obtained the highest value in the Grade Point Average (“GPA”) in the Financial Management Honours degree programme</p> <p>C. The CSE will make all efforts to provide internship opportunities for the selected students based on availability of the vacancies.</p> <p>D. The FMG will designate a member of the University Business Linkage Cell to work with the CSE to help in coordinating with all the activities between the CSE and FMG.</p> <p>E. The FMG will encourage the capital market education at the FMG by advertising and promoting the Advanced Diploma in Financial Markets (ADFM) conducted by the CSE.</p> <p>F. The FMG will invite the CSE to collaborate the capital market education to the students and academia.</p> <p>G. The parties will collaborate on capital market research at the discretion of the parties.</p>	Yes, on 12.11.2022	Colombo Stock Exchange (CSE)
<p>1. CIPM and DHRM of the FMSC enhance the professional recognition of the study programmes conducted by two institutions.</p> <p>2. CIPM and DHRM of the FMSC will periodically review the exemptions scheme and make modifications as needed.</p> <p>3. CIPM and DHRM of the FMSC will undertake collaborative research work relating to the Human Resource Management discipline aiming for national development.</p>	22.10.2022	Chartered Institute Of Personnel Management (CIPM) Sri Lanka



### Workshops/ Seminars

Programme	National/ International	Organized by	Date	Target Group	Participants
Webinar on Model United Nations	International	Career Guidance Cell	19.08.2022	Students	-
International Accounting Day	National	Dept. of Accounting	10.11.2022	Students	150
Guest Lecture on Financial Statement Analysis from a Practitioner		Department of Financial Management	16.11.2022	Third and Final Year Students, Department of Financial Management	160
Workshop on “Mindfulness”		Department of Human Resource Management	28.01.2022	Academic Staff	60
A Webinar on Menstrual Problems and Hygienic Practices		WEBE Cell	28.01.2022	Students and Staff	-
Webinar on “ Model United Nations”		Career Guidance Cell	19.08.2022	Students	-
Webinar Series		Seminar Series on Business Research (SSBR)	01.10.2022	Final Year Students	-
Workshop “Soft Skill Development”		Dept. of Human Resource Management	11.10.2022 12.10.2022	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year and final Year Students	60
Workshop on ‘Entrepreneurial experience sharing’		Dept. of Human Resource Management	14.10.2022	Final year Students	60
Workshop on Women Empowerment		Business Incubation Cell	12.10.2022	Women Entrepreneurs	37
Webinar series “ Learn From Leaders”		Industrial Liason Cell	17.10.2022	Students	-

Webinar on Research Dialog Forum		Research and Higher Degree Committee	16.11.2022	Academic Staff and Final Year Students	30
Webinar Series		Seminar Series on Industrial Dialogue (SSID)	12.12.2022 - 22.12.2022	Students	-
Workshop on "Building Your Academic Brand"		CQA	09.12.2022	Students	24
Workshop on "CV writing and Facing Interview"		Faculty	08.12.2022	"	-
Workshop on "Back to Nature Based on Medicinal Plants"		We Be Cell	30.11.2022	Students and Staff	43
Webinar "Learn from Leaders"		Industrial Liason Cell	29.11.2022	Students	-
Workshop on "Current Tax System"		Human Resource Development Committee	24.11.2022	Staff	35

### Participation of staff members of the University

Programmes in 2022	Registered/Attended	Completed	Presentations
No.of Postgraduate Degree Programmes	03	-	01

### Foreign Fellowships/Scholarships/Awards received for Professional Development

Recipient	Designation	Type of the Programme	Duration of the Programme
Miss.R.Niruja	Lecturer, Dept. of Accounting	Ph.D	4

### Outreach activities

- Third year students in Human resource Management organized a workshop as an outreach activity under AHEAD project on 23.11.2022 at Kokuvil Hindu College, Jaffna on nutritional food habits to grade 10 and 11 students.
- Third year students in Human resource Management organized a workshop on soft skill development as an outreach activity under AHEAD project on 23.11.2022 at Jaffna Hindu College for grade 10 and 11 students.
- Final year students in Human resource Management organized a workshop on prevention of drugs to grade 10 and 11 students as an outreach activity under AHEAD project on 01.12.2022 at Kolumputhurai Maha Vidyalayam Jaffna.
- Students of the Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce participated enthusiastically in a variety of extracurricular and academic activities: training camps, blood drives, providing rewards for school students etc.



### Future plan

No	Description	Responsibility
<b>1. Administration</b>		
1.1	Centralize and digitalize students records and results	Coordinator/BBM
<b>2. Infrastructure</b>		
2.1	Setup recording room for online session with sufficient smart classroom facilities	Office of the Dean and Coordinator/BBM
2.2	Establish a building for tourism and hospitality	Coordinor/Tourism and Hospitality
<b>3. Staff Development</b>		
3.1	Establish a Research Centre	Office of the Dean
3.2	Setup the Staff Welfare Society	
3.3	Develop the relationship among other universities, private educational institutes and professional institutions	Head/Dep. of Commerce
3.4	Promote research culture among staff	
3.5	Initiate National and International Linkages	
3.6	Conduct continuous seminar/ workshop for Staff	Head/Dep. of HRM
3.7	Invite International scholars to conduct seminar/workshops for the staff	
3.8	Organize international HR conferences	
3.9	Create awareness programmes for finding placement and funding opportunities for their higher degree such as PhD/MPhil	

3.10	Motivate the HR lecturers to obtain the Professional qualifications.	
3.11	Train the staff on student centered learning methods	
3.12	Workshops on TBL for staff	
3.13	Train for SME's regarding New technologies to get more knowledge on interactive session and content creating	Coordinator/BBM
3.14	Conduct workshop for staff	
<b>4. Student Development</b>		
4.1	Establish the Centre for Social Integration and Cultural Development (CSICD)	Office of the Dean
4.2	Arrange Field Trip for FMG Students	Head/Dep.of FMG
4.3	Arrange Guest Lectures	
4.4	Create the strong basement for under graduates' internship i.e. signing MOUs and obtain confirmed internship placements from various entities.	Head/Dep. of Commerce
4.5	Organize series of seminars, workshops and skill development programs	
4.6	Promote research culture in the department	
4.7	Improve and extend learning facilities by giving special attention on information system	
4.8	Develop the full-fledged Web Site and LMS for the Department of Commerce	
4.9	Introduce Academic Counselling Sessions	
4.10	Introduce crystal clear Students' Feedback System	
4.11	Initiate University Exchange Programme	
4.12	Conduct workshops for improving English skills	
4.13	Organize Industry Visits	
4.15	Organize Outbound training	
4.16	Establish CHRD	
4.17	Establish language lab	
4.18	Strengthen HR Club	
4.19	Sign MOUs	
4.20	Conduct seminar sessions for students	
4.21	Enhance the social responsibility of the students	
4.22	Conduct career guidance program and career fair	
4.23	Initiate Interuniversity Students' exchange program.	
4.24	Formulate mentor system for students	
4.25	Organize cultural programmes	
4.26	Promote Green Environment	
4.27	Organize CSR Activities by the students	
4.28	Provide best student research award	
<b>5.Course Development</b>		
5.1	Revise curriculum BCom, Bcom(External), BBA and MBA	Dean, Respective Heads and coordinators
5.2	Implement new curriculum from Batch 11 of BBM	Coordinator/BBM
5.3	Monitor all the course materials and make sure the updating	
5.4	Add video materials via dedicated channels	
5.5	Improve interactive Teaching methods and materials	
5.6	Develop Code of ethics for Assignments	
5.7	Develop FAQ for entire BBM Course procedures for Student	
<b>6. Short Courses</b>		
6.1	Extension courses	Head/Dep. of Commerce
6.2	Data Analysis with SPSS	Head/Dep. of HRM
6.3	Career Guidance and Counselling	
6.4	Business Plan for Start up businesses	
6.5	E- Network Marketing (03 Months)	Head/Dep. of Marketing
6.6	Green Marketing Related Courses	
6.7	Academic Writing	Chairman/ Career Guidance Cell
6.8	Event Management	Coordinator / Tourism and Hospitality Management
6.9	Hotel Management	
<b>7. Diploma Programmes</b>		
7.1	Introduce Diploma courses	Head/Dep. of Commerce
7.2	Diploma in Banking and Finance (Online)	Head /Dep. of FMG
7.2	Diploma in Entrepreneurial Finance (Online)	
7.3	Diploma in Information Technology for Business (Online)	

7.4	Diploma in Business Finance (Online)	
7.5	Diploma in Public Finance (Online)	
7.6	Diploma in Office Management	Head/Dep. of HRM
7.7	Tourism Management	Coordinator / Tourism and Hospitality Management
7.8	Post graduate Diploma in Tourism Management	
<b>8. New Degree Programmes</b>		
8.1	Bachelor of Commerce Honours Degree	Head/Dep. of Commerce
8.2	Bachelor of Commerce Honours Degree in Applied Accounting	
8.3	Bachelor of Commerce Honours Degree in Business Information Technology and System	
8.4	Bachelor of Commerce Honours Degree in Business Economics and Finance	
8.5	Bachelor of Commerce Honours Degree in Banking and Financial Services	
8.6	Bachelor of Commerce Honours Degree in Entrepreneurship and Innovation	
8.7	Bachelor of Commerce Honours Degree in Public Management and Policy	
8.8	Bachelor of Business Administration Honours in Banking and Finance	Head/Dep. of FMG
8.9	Bachelor of Business Administration Honours in Financial Engineering	
8.1	Bachelor of Business Administration Honours in Entrepreneurial Finance	
8.11	Bachelor of Business Administration Honours in Information Technology Management	
8.12	BBA Hons in Entrepreneurship	Head/Dep. of HRM
8.13	BBA Hons in Organizational Studies	
<b>9. External Degree Programmes</b>		
9.1	Introduce more external degree programmes	Head/Dep. of Commerce
9.2	Bachelor of Small Medium Enterprises Marketing & Entrepreneurship	Head/Dep. of Marketing
9.3	Bachelor of Business Administration in Banking and Finance (Online)	Head/Dep. of FMG
9.4	Bachelor of Business Finance (Online)	
9.5	Bachelor of Tourism and Regional Development	Coordinator / Tourism and Hospitality Management

## 5.8. Faculty of Medicine

### Introduction

The history of Western Medical Education in Sri Lanka can be traced back to 1848 when the first medical school was founded that year in the village of Manipay in the Jaffna peninsula by Dr. Samuel Fiske Green, an American missionary doctor. The doctors trained by Green in this medical school went on to serve not only just the people of Jaffna but also the people of other parts of the country. The Faculty of Medicine of the University of Jaffna was established on 07.08.1978.

The faculty has produced around 3000 doctors. Many of them serve with distinction both in this country and abroad. Most of the specialists and medical officers

currently serving in the Teaching Hospital, Jaffna and many in the Northern Provincial Health Ministry hospitals are alumni of the faculty, thus underscoring the value of the faculty to the region. The Faculty consists of 14 departments and two units, namely Anatomy, Biochemistry, Physiology, Community and Family Medicine, Forensic Medicine, Pathology, Microbiology, Parasitology, Pharmacology, Surgery, Medicine, Obstetrics and Gynecology, Pediatrics, Psychiatry, Medical Education Unit and Nuclear Medicine Unit.



### Vision

To be a leading centre of excellence in teaching learning, research and scholarship in the field of medicine.

### Mission

To be a leading center of excellence which produces intellectual, competent, compassionate and dedicated health care professionals to meet the emerging needs of the local, national and international community.

## Achievements and highlights of the events in 2022

### i. AMASICON 2022

Prof.S.Rajendra, Professor in Surgery and Dr.S.Gobishangar, Head and Senior Lecturer in Surgery were invited from the Department of Surgery, Faculty of Medicine, University of Jaffna to attend the 17<sup>th</sup> International Conference of the Association of Minimal Access Surgeons of India held on 18<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> November 2022. This was a great opportunity to update the knowledge and teach and train the undergraduate and postgraduate students on the recent advances in minimal access surgery.



### ii. Fertility Awareness Day and Book Launch

Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology and the Department of Surgery collaboratively conducted the subfertility awareness program and launched a book on 02.12.2022. A book titled “Subfertility explanations and solutions” by the faculty was launched. This book provides essential information in detail and is easy to understand for ordinary couples about the challenges, medical issues, and existing treatment options for subfertility.

### iii. தாயாகிய தனித்துவம் Book launching ceremony

Book launching ceremony of ‘தாயாகிய தனித்துவம்’ (Individuality of Motherhood) by Dr.K.Guruparan in tamil was held on 07.12.2022 in the Nurses Training college, Jaffna Teaching Hospital. Dr.(Mrs.)J.Ganesamoorthy (Former Senior lecturer in Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, UOJ) launched the book.



### iv. International virtual conference themed: ‘Dignified Menstruation for Ending Child Marriages’

The fourth International Day of Dignified Menstruation falling on the 8<sup>th</sup> of December was celebrated by Viluthu in collaboration with the Global South Coalition for Dignified Menstruation (GSCDM) with a one-day international virtual conference themed ‘Dignified Menstruation for Ending Child Marriages’ in Colombo, Sri Lanka. Prof. R. Surenthirakumaran, Dean of the Faculty of Medicine graced the conference as the chief guest and highlighted the need to eliminate all forms of violence and discrimination stemming from menstruation.

### v. Diabetes awareness programme

A Diabetes awareness programme was held on 16.11.2022 at the College of Education, Kopay. Prof.R.Surenthirakumaran, Professor in Community Medicine (Dean, Faculty of Medicine) provided valuable information to the Training Teachers of the College of Education.



### vi. Public Awareness for Body Donation

Dr.Mrs.S.Udayakumar, Head & Senior Lecturer, Department of Anatomy, Faculty of Medicine was interviewed by IBC Tamil in which she explained about the necessity, the requirements and the process of the body donation. <https://www.med.jfn.ac.lk/2022/11/14/interview-on-awareness-for-body-donation/>

### vii. கற்கள் தோன்றும் அபாயம் (The Risk of Kidney stone formation)

Dr.B.Balagobi, Senior Lecturer, Department of Surgery, Faculty of Medicine was interviewed by Niththilam TV. He provided awareness to the public titled “கற்கள் தோன்றும் அபாயம்”. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YoBBV1Y8Z0>



### viii. Jaffna Medical Faculty Overseas Alumni- Canada

presented the award of great appreciation to Prof. Gitanjali Sathiadas, Chair Professor of Paediatrics, Faculty of Medicine, University of Jaffna, recognizing her 15 years of dedicated service and ongoing commitment to the Faculty of Medicine University of Jaffna. This award was handed over by the Jaffna Medical Faculty Overseas Alumni- Canada Secretary, Dr.P.Thamilvaanan and Dr.(Mrs) Shanthi Thamilvaanan at the AGM & Medico’s nite on 04.11.2022.

ix. The Department of Surgery conducted a programme on Essentials in Vascular Surgery for Students and launched a book related to it in March 2022. Vascular surgery is an important component in the surgery curriculum. The book will be helpful to the students reading this interesting field.

x. Dr.S.Raguraman, Faculty of Medicine won the 2022- SAFOG- Young Gynaecologist Award.



- xi. Dr.B.Balagobi, Faculty of Medicine was invited as a speaker for 19th Urological Association of Asia Congress. Title of speech: ‘Role of Biomarkers in follow up and Prognostication of Bladder Cancer’



- xii. Following faculty staff were promoted as Professors in 2022

Name	Department	With effect from
<b>(Chair professorship)- open advertisement</b>		
Prof.M.G.Sathiadas	Paediatrics	25.06.2022
Prof.B.Kumarendran	Community and Family Medicine	25.06.2022
Prof.T.Kumanan	Medicine	25.06.2022
<b>Professorship- merit promotion</b>		
Prof.B.Kumarendran	Community and Family Medicine	04.12.2020
Prof.R.Surenthirakumaran	Community and Family Medicine	27.01.2021

- i. Inauguration Program 2020/ 2021 (44<sup>th</sup> Batch) was held on 24.01.2022.



- ii. A Mentor workshop was held on 09.03.2022.

- iii. **The 5<sup>th</sup> Undergraduate Research Symposium (URS2022)** of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Jaffna, was held on 05.12.2022 under the theme “Wisdom through Research.”

Prof. Krishnarajah Nirantharakumar, Professor in Health Data Science and Public Health at the Institute of Applied Health Research, University of Birmingham, was the Chief Guest. The Vice Chancellor, the Dean, Faculty of Medicine and several health administrators in the Jaffna district and consultants at the Teaching Hospital Jaffna graced the occasion.

40th, 41st and 42nd Batches of medical students participated at the symposium. Thirty (30) abstracts were presented by students of the 40th Batch. A panel of evaluators comprising Faculty and Teaching Hospital staff evaluated the presentations.

First place (tie):

“Antibiotic sensitivity pattern of uropathogens, among inpatients with a positive urine culture at Teaching Hospital Jaffna”- K.Thilukshikka, P.A.N.Anuruddha, M.V.Spelman Croos, R.Erandi, S.Pravina, R.Kumar, B.Balagobi, R.Rajanthi and

“Prevalence of overweight and obesity, associated factors and weight reduction methods adopted by medical students of Faculty of Medicine, University of Jaffna”- H.K.P.S.Anuththara, K.Thanusiya, S.Vejayashanth, H.W.R.S.Gunathilake, R.Bhanuka, V.Murali, S.Kumaran



Second Place:

Lung metastases in patients with head and neck cancers in Northern Sri Lanka: A retrospective analysis  
S.Sohana, J.Athithya, N.Thulasihan, E.M.T.W.P.D.K Ekanayaka, K.H.S.N.R.Fernando, R.Kumar, C.Rajasooriyar

Third Place:

Knowledge of substance use and the association of socio-economic factors among Advanced Level students in Jaffna Hindu College and Vembady Girls’ High School  
R.Sivalaxan, D.M.K.G.S.M.Dissanayaka, S.S.M.Seneviratnae, J.Nitharsana, K.Thanusha, R.Surenthirakumaran, S.Sivakanthan, S.Sivathas

- iv. **Research Conference of Faculty of Medicine, Jaffna 2022 (RCFMJ 2022)**

Research Conference of Faculty of Medicine, Jaffna 2022 was held by the Faculty of Medicine, under the theme of “Shaping the medical sciences in the new normal” as a part of the 4<sup>th</sup> Jaffna University International Conference (JUICE).

National and International Stakeholders such as SingHealth (Singapore), WHO country office Sri Lanka, Global Research Group in Atrial Fibrillation at University of Birmingham, UK and FAIMED foundation contributed to hold the conference events.

Oral presentation

First place: Automated COVID-19 detection system using deep learning- Kumarawadu.P, Pradeepa.S

Second place: How patients who refused radiotherapy in Northern Sri Lanka understand radiation as a treatment modality for cancer- Jeyasuthan.M, Ramalingam.A, Shobikgha.S, Kumar.R, Rajasooriyar.C

Third place: Trends in the incidence of oesophageal cancer in Northern Sri Lanka and the distribution of socio-demographic and tumor-related factors- Rajasooriyar.C, Vasanthan.A, Murugathas.T, Indranath.K, Vithanage.C.V, Paramasivam.S, Surenthirakumaran.R

Poster presentation: Best poster: Community preparedness for a multi-hazard scenario amidst the pandemic: A simulation-based training in Jaffna district- Kodituwakku.KALC, Kamalrathne.T, Amaratunga.D, Jayasekara.JHPRU, Siriwardana.C, Fernando.N, Samaraweera.DSD, Jayasinghe.KDNK, Hetti.NP, Abeysekera.I, Ariff.N, Sangarappillai.R, Sivakanthan.S, Herath.HDB, Ranaweera.P, Ariyaratne.V.

#### v. Workshop on Cost Effective Healthy Diet

The clinical group 08 students of 41<sup>st</sup> batch arranged a workshop on cost-effective healthy diet under the guidance of Dr.S.Kumaran (Consultant family physician). Prof.R.Surendrakumaran (Dean, Faculty of Medicine University of Jaffna), Mr.Sundareswaran (Senior Executive at HNB and Former student of Faculty of Agriculture, University of Jaffna), farmers, home gardeners and sponsors were present.



#### Details of Awards received by students

Date	Name	Award
21.11.2022	Inter Faculty Quiz competition for World Antimicrobial Awareness Week (WAAW)	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place

#### Summary of the Awards received by students

Subject	No. of Awards	No. of Academics	No. of Students
International Awards (Obstetrics and Gynaecology- Young Gynaecologist award to SLCOG 2022) Dr.S.Raguraman	01	01	-



#### Student events/ Sports activities/ Other activities

1. The Vesak festival was organized on 16.05.2022.
2. Karthigai Vilakettu festival was organized on 07.12.2022.
3. Olivizha- 2022 (UT CAELUM)- Christmas program “UT CAELUM” was held on 08.12.2022.
4. The Medicos Night 2022 programme was held on 18.09.2022.

#### Wellbeing Centre of the Faculty of Medicine- University of Jaffna

##### i. Inauguration of Students’ Wellbeing Centre

Student Wellbeing Centre, a focal point to provide remedial action to reduce the mental stress among medical students and facilitate their learning activities was inaugurated by the Vice Chancellor, University of Jaffna on 14.03.2022.



ii. A novel methodology was developed by Dr S.Kumaran (Clinical Coordinator, University student wellbeing Centre) Dr.B.Balagobi (Coordinator, Faculty Student Wellbeing Centre) that consists of three major concepts such as effective resource management, integration of available services and participatory action from medical students and local community. Personal Professional Development Stream (PPDS), Mentoring, Family Medicine Clinical Appointment and Community Medicine field work activities were integrated and following were streamlined:

1. Study Area Facilities for self-study and group discussion
2. Teaching-learning Supportive sessions
3. Mentoring and Counseling sessions
4. Personal Professional Development Stream (PPDS) portfolio supervisor- supervisee discussions
5. Leisure time activities
6. Movie night (on 29.05.2022)
7. Reading Room
8. Indoor games Arena
9. Healthy Diet Programme for Medical Students
  - i. Vegetable Gardening



- ii. Harvesting Ceremony of the Wellbeing Centre (on 30.08.2022)
- iii. Providing meals at an affordable price for Medical students in canteen
- iii. The following events were held by the wellbeing centre with the integration of PPDS and others as above:

1. A Quiz competition on preclinical studies (anatomy, biochemistry and physiology) organized by Personal Professional Development Stream (PPDS) and Students' Well-being Centre for 44<sup>th</sup> batch was held on 28.03.2022.
2. Workshop for cost effective healthy diet programme on 22.07.2022 (organized by Family Medicine clinical appointment students).
3. A Friendly debate on "Virtual teaching is an effective mode of medical education in Sri Lanka, Agree/Disagree?" was held on 30.09.2022
4. Symposium on "Defeating Drugs- Break free from addiction on 07.10.2022  
Dr.S.Pranavan, Consultant Judicial Medical Officer, Teaching Hospital Jaffna graced this occasion as Chief Guest.
5. Symposium on Drug abuse and Wellbeing Multilevel perspective & multilevel responses on 09.12.2022



**Interaction with Local/Foreign Universities and others**

**Memorandums of Understanding Signed with Local Organizations**

Role of the Activity	Whether MOU signed	Collaborative Agency/ Country
On the implementation of capacity development of local governments'- UNDP serves as implementing partner	Yes	United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)

**Memorandums of Understanding Signed with International Organizations**

Role of the Activity	Whether MOU signed	Collaborative Agency/ Country
Orthopaedic related activities, training, and research	Yes	Singapore Health Services Pte.Ltd
To run the Core Skills in Laparoscopic Surgery Course.	Yes	Royal College of Surgeons
Student Exchange Programme	Yes	South East Asia Regional Association for Medical Education (SEARAME)
Integrating mental health into primary care for conflict – affected Internal forced migrants in Northern Sri Lanka	Yes	Anglia Ruskin University
Develop Closer working relationships in respect of research education and the application of Scientific Knowledge in areas of common interest.	Yes	The University of Bristol
NIHR Global Health Research Group on Atrial Fibrillation Management.	Yes	University of Birmingham
Developing postgraduate courses and research study in Transfusion Medicine	Yes	Erasmus plus EU grant
Transdisciplinary, Multi-Stakeholder Approach for Water Security in Northern Province, Sri Lanka: Through Participatory Action Research	Yes	World Bank: AHEAD:DOR
Symposium on Non communicable disease to solicit support of the non-health sectors to the Healthy city programme in Jaffna	Yes	World health organization
Student, researchers & Knowledge exchanging program.	Yes	James Cook University, Australia
Partnership for sustainable health and development	Yes	Manchester Global Foundation United Kingdom
Community Socio Demography and Health Survey in Jaffna University Project Area Nallur Medical Officer Health Area	Yes	World Health Organization
Exchange of ideas, provide high quality education and training of postgraduate health professionals and work together to conduct short courses that will improve the health and social wellbeing of Sri Lankan communities.	No	Mayo Foundation for Medical Education and Research
Research collaborations; and any other collaborations agreed between the parties.	No	London South Bank University

Explore the development of academic, administrative, research and students related types of activities.	No	International Institute of Health Management Research (IIHMR), New Delhi, India.
The Parties will study the possibilities of cooperation in the fields of medical services, training and research on the basis of equality and mutual benefits, in accordance with the provisions of this MOU	No	Singapore Health Services Pte Ltd. and

### Visits of Foreign Delegates to the Faculty

Name of the Person	Foreign University	Details
Professor Dr.Suresh Kumar P.Govind from University of Malaya (22.01.2022)	Department of Parasitology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Malaya	to support a youth empowerment program which is a similar kind of one implemented at the University of Malaya and to obtain views and opinions of the academics in this regard. The Vice-Chancellor, of the University of Jaffna, the Deans of the Faculties, and the academic staff of the University of Jaffna participated in this discussion.
Meeting with representatives from the Singapore Health Services Pvt.Ltd. (15.11.2022)	Representatives from the Singapore Health Services Pte.Ltd. and academic staff of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Jaffna	to discuss about research activities and establish a research centre and expand the collaboration with Singapore Health Services. Dean/Faculty of Medicine, Director/Teaching Hospital, Jaffna, Dr.Niruba Umasankar, Head/Paediatrics, Prof.S.Sivayokan, Consultant Psychiatrist, Teaching Hospital, Jaffna, Dr.P.A.D.Coonghe, Head/Community and Family Medicine attended the above discussion.

### Workshop/Seminars

Programme	National/ International	Date	Target Group	Participants
Third workshop on Curriculum Revision-Faculty of Medicine, University of Jaffna	Faculty Level	09.12.2022	Academic Staff of the Faculty of Medicine, Consultants from Teaching Hospital, Jaffna	
University of Birmingham Certificate Course on Leadership and Management	International	02.11.2022	Healthcare providers	35
One-day University of Birmingham Certificate Course on Leadership and Management for Healthcare providers	Faculty Level	02.11.2022	Staff of the Faculty of Medicine	34
Workshop on Programme Review -2023 of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Jaffna	Faculty Level	18.10.2022	Staff of the Faculty of Medicine	
Workshop on Curriculum Evaluation For MBBS Programme	Faculty Level	05.09.2022	Academic Staff of the Faculty of Medicine, Consultants from Teaching Hospital, Jaffna	35

### Local Fellowships/Scholarships/Awards received for Professional Development

Recipient	Designation	Programme	Duration
Dr.(Mrs).Y.Guruparan	Lecturer (Probationary), Department of Pharmacology.	M.Phil	03.02.2020 - 02.02.2022
Dr.(Mrs.).J.Mario Maznet Theepan	Lecturer (Probationary), Department of Pharmacology.	MD	01.02.2020 - 17.03.2022
Dr.S.Lukshiga	Lecturer (Probationary), Department of Paediatrics	MD	22.10.2022 - 23.12.2022

### Foreign Fellowships/Scholarships/Awards received for Professional Development

Recipient	Designation	Programme	Duration
Dr.K.Kandeepan	Senior Lecturer, Department of Biochemistry	Ph.D	26.08.2019 - 25.05.2023
Dr.B.Sayanthan,	Lecturer, Department of Surgery	MD	15.10.2022 - 31.01.2024
Dr.(Mrs).B.Senthuran	Lecturer (Unconfirmed), Department of Surgery	MD	09.09.2021 - 08.09.2023

### Outreach activities

#### Community & Family Medicine- Field Health Programme

Date	Particulars	Target Groups/ Participants
12.01.2022	Zero Plastic School - Conducted Menstrual Health and Hygiene	Vembadi Girls" High School teachers and students.
24.01.2022	Community based nutrition programs, Mother's club – Nutritious food delivery services	Neurodevelopment clinic, Green Memorial Hospital, Manipay

31.03.2022	Creating awareness on menstrual health	School going children.
31.03.2022	Awareness and alternatives ways to implement zero plastic usage	Schools
31.03.2022	Train health care assistants to treat simple wounds in divisional hospital Kondavil and to identify complicated wounds early and refer them to surgeon.	
31.03.2022	Health care promotion to reduce the usage of polythene and promote healthy diet during meetings and functions	Jaffna University Community
31.03.2022	Health promotion to improve the mental health	Medical students of University of Jaffna.
31.03.2022	Promoting food hygienic practices	Workers of restaurants and street vendors under the Jaffna Municipal Council.
31.03.2022	Creating awareness on lifestyle changes	couples with subfertility.
31.03.2022	Improving adolescent health by minimizing harm from substance abuse	Aryalai PHI area.
31.03.2022	Health promotion programme to prevent fatty liver by lifestyle modification.	Public
01.08.2022	Cycling Awareness Programme	600 participants.
12.08.2022	TOT Session on plastic Zero Workshop	25 Volunteers participated
13.08.2022	Advocacy Meeting to Promote Bicycle with Safety Environment	Jaffna District Secretariat with the participation of RDA, RDD, MC (Mayor), Police, UDA, Nallur DS and volunteers
06.11.2022	Revisited the Menstrual Health and Hygiene activities	3 schools
14.11.2022	Developing a guide on Menstrual Health and Hygiene	School-going girls
14.11.2022	Monitoring and evaluation of outcome of the implemented Zero plastic usage	Schools
14.11.2022	Healthy promotion project to improve Proper disposal of sanitary napkins	Faculty of Medicine, Faculty of Management, Faculty of Science, University of Jaffna.
14.11.2022	Guidance for skill development	Theppilalai Union College students to create a good society
14.11.2022	Make the perimenopausal period healthy improving the health of perimenopausal women	Nallur MOH area
14.11.2022	Promoting healthy foods	School students.
14.11.2022	Documentation for public awareness on prevention, early detection and palliative care Services for Breast and Oral cancer Investigators.	
14.11.2022	Promote School Gardening to increase nutritious food intake and physical activity	School community.
14.11.2022	Creating awareness of substance use	Grade 10 to GCE A/L students in selected schools in Nallur educational division, Jaffna.

### Future plan

1. to introduce the modular-based curriculum and introduce more student-centered teaching-learning activities
2. to improve the facilities in the hostel and the canteens and ensure the supply of healthy food
3. to introduce two new postgraduate courses and two short courses
4. to internationalize the faculty and develop units and centres of excellence in research and service delivery by collaborative activities through MOUs.
5. to introduce the concept of a green environment and slowly move to a paperless environment
6. to launch the faculty journal and newsletter regularly
7. to improve the Faculty website
8. to complete the work of the eight-story clinical block and start the work of paraclinical, new hospital, and examination block.
9. to set up the finance sub office, students' seminar room, conference hall and movie theatre at the Faculty
10. to initiate eco-friendly environment project
11. to draft substance abuse prevention policy

### Any other Activities

1. **The Senior Common Room** of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Jaffna located near the Deans' Office was opened on 07th September 2022.

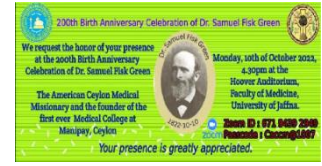
2. **Department of Surgery- ICS Membership Application - Procedure for forming a new section in Sri Lanka.** The International College of Surgeons (ICS) requires a minimum of ten (10) or more completed membership applications from surgeons living and practicing in Sri Lanka to form an ICS national section. 5 completed membership applications were submitted from surgeons for the requirement of ICS Membership and the faculty is progressing in the direction.

3. **Capacity-building workshops** for supportive staff of the Faculty of Medicine

4. **Improving Physical activities in the school:** Faculty initiated the cycling promotion in the schools of surrounding area in the period August- September 2022.



5. **Commemoration of the 200<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of Dr. Samuel Fisk Green-** The Faculty joined with Central American Common Market (CACM) to commemorate the 200<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of Dr. Samuel Fisk Green, Pioneer in Medical Education in Sri Lanka on 10.10.2022 at the Hoover Auditorium, Faculty of Medicine.

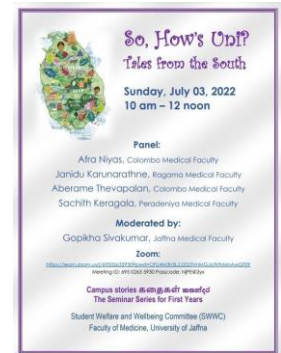


6. **Campus Stories, the Seminar Series for the First Year Students**

Campus Stories, The Seminar Series for First Years students organized by Student Welfare and Wellbeing Committee of the Faculty of Medicine was held on 22.11.2022. Dr.S.P.Athithan, Consultant Neurosurgeon, Teaching Hospital, Jaffna shared his memories and experiences with the medical students of the University of Jaffna.

7. **Second Seminar of the Campus Stories கதைகள் கதைத்தீர series organized by Student Welfare and Well Being Committee of the Faculty of Medicine.**

The 2<sup>nd</sup> seminar of the Campus Stories Series (So How's Uni? Tales from the South) for the 44<sup>th</sup> Batch was conducted on Sunday July 03, 2022 by a panel of 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> year medical students from other state medical faculties: Afra Niyas (Colombo Medical Faculty), Janidu Karunaratne (Ragama Medical Faculty), Aberame Thevapalan (Colombo Medical Faculty) and Sachith Keragala (Peradeniya Medical Faculty). The panel shared their experiences and offered motivating advice. The session was moderated by Gopikha Sivakumar of the 41<sup>st</sup> Batch of the Jaffna Medical Faculty.



### **Ethics Review Committee (ERC) of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Jaffna**

1. Workshop, conference, seminars, meetings were attended by the ERC members.
2. SOP workshop for new members was conducted on 21.04.2022 and 27.10.2022 at the board room of the Faculty of Medicine.
3. A total of 20 non-degree research proposals were reviewed by the ERC.
4. A total of 06 non-degree proposals were extended by the ERC.
5. A total of 04 non-degree proposals were dropped by the ERC.

### **Undergraduate Research Proposals**

#### **1. Faculty of Medicine**

##### **Department of Community and Family Medicine**

- 28 proposals submitted by the 41<sup>st</sup> batch were reviewed by the ERC and approved on 04.05.2022.
- 30 proposals submitted by the 42<sup>nd</sup> batch were reviewed by the ERC and approved on 24.11.2022.

#### **2. Faculty of Allied Health Sciences**

##### **Department of Medical Laboratory Sciences**

- 20 proposals submitted by the 12<sup>th</sup> batch were reviewed by the ERC and approved on 26.06.2022.

##### **Department of Pharmacy**

- 19 proposals submitted by the 12<sup>th</sup> batch were reviewed by the ERC and approved on 27.10.2022.

##### **Department of Nursing**

- 27 proposals submitted by the 12<sup>th</sup> batch were reviewed by the ERC.

#### **3. Unit of Siddha Medicne**

- 05 proposals submitted by the 35<sup>th</sup> batch were reviewed by the ERC and approved on 24.11.2022.

The Total income generated by the ERC was Rs.66,500.00

## 5.9. Faculty of Science

### Introduction

The Faculty of Science is proud to be one of the prestigious and oldest Science Faculties in the country with an outstanding reputation for excellence in producing competent undergraduates and postgraduates.

The faculty maintains standards that are acceptable internationally by having external examiners from leading universities abroad to monitor the quality of its examination processes.

The faculty has a good track record of producing competent and skilful graduates and offer programmes leading to Bachelor of Science degrees of three-year and four-year durations, which provide knowledge on both pure and applied sciences, together with comprehensive skill development components. Graduates of the faculty exhibit scholarship with versatile skills, meeting the emerging needs of the local and international job market.

The Faculty of Science was established in 1974 at Vaddukoddai in the premises taken over from the undergraduates' section of the Jaffna College and then shifted to the Main Campus on completion of construction work of faculty buildings in 1978.

The annual intake of students to the Faculty had increased to 500 over the years and it was about 250 in the mid-eighties. Since 2009, the Faculty has flourished with the intake of students from all parts of the Island representing all ethnicities which added a conducive multicultural environment in the Faculty to foster and promote social harmony. Under the President's scholarship scheme, a few international students have also been admitted to the Faculty since 2016. The current student population at the Faculty is over 1250. Details of the courses offered can be found at [www.sci.jfn.ac.lk/index.php/handbooks](http://www.sci.jfn.ac.lk/index.php/handbooks).



### Vision

To be a leading centre of excellence in teaching, learning research and scholarship.

### Mission

To produce competent graduates who excel in learning and research in basic sciences and who could contribute to the development of the nation.

### Achievement

#### Staff achievement

- Following faculty staff were promoted as Professors in 2022

Name	Department	With effect from
Prof.P.Sevvel	Botany	12 December 2019
Dr.R.Srikaran	Chemistry	10 December 2019
Dr.P.Abiman	Chemistry	07 November 2019
Dr.A.Ramanan	Computer Science	07 March 2022
Dr.M.Siyamalan	Computer Science	07 March 2022
Prof.R.Vigneswaran	Mathematics & Statistics	12 February 2021
Dr.T.Eswaramohan	Zoology	13 December 2019

- Mr.K.Sarveswaran- completed PhD degree in Computer Science, University of Moratuwa with effect from 30.09.2022.
- Dr.T.Pathmathas- Senior Associate of the International Centre for Theoretical Physics (ICTP) from January 2023 to December 2028.
- Prof.Mrs.S.Kuganathan- one month research stay at the University of Tromso, Norway under the NOR-LANKA BLUE Project (NORPART Project)
- Mrs. S.Sathyaruban- obtained PhD student mobility scholarship/ fellowship at the faculty of the Norwegian College of Fishery Science, The Arctic University of Norway for three months (from August to November 2022) under the NOR-LANKA BLUE Project (NORPART Project) to pursue a part of the PhD degree programme.
- Prof.A.Ramanan, Counselor of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers- Students Branch- University of Jaffna (IEEE-SB-UOJ) received the Award for Outstanding Branch Counsellor award at the "IEEE Sri Lanka Section Awards"- The Annual Awards ceremony of IEEE Sri Lanka Section held on 27.01.2022.
- Prof.M.Siyamalan received the "Computer Society of Sri Lanka (CSSL) ICT Researcher of the Year 2021 Award" at the 40th National IT Conference held at Shangri-La, Colombo on 12 October 2022.

- Best Paper Award was won by Anparasy, S., Priyadarshani, A.H.R., Kokul, T., and Ramanan, A.: “Underwater Image Enhancement Using Dual Convolutional Neural Network with Skip Connections”, in International Conference on Advanced Research in Computing (ICARC’22).
- Best oral presentation award (first runner up)- awarded to Mrs. S.Sathyaruban for the presentation titled “Extraction of carotenoids from palmyrah fruit pulp, shrimp shells, and red seaweed: A characteristic analysis using LC-MS” at the Virtual 13th Asian Fisheries and Aquaculture Forum (AFAF) held on 02.06.2022.
- A National patent awarded for Smart Faucet and international patent classification: Mr. Khalingarajah Harichandra, Technical Officer in the Department of Fisheries (Patent No. 21588)- by the National Intellectual Property Office of Sri Lanka on 21.06.2022 and an International Patent Classification (IPC): E 03C1/05, F16K 31/02.



### Student Achievements

- IEEE-student branch of University of Jaffna received the award “**Special Recognition for Membership Recruitment and Retention**” at the “IEEE Sri Lanka Section Awards” - The Annual Awards ceremony of IEEE Sri Lanka Section held on 27 January 2022
- The IEEE-student branch of University of Jaffna received the “**Special recognition IEEE R10 Outstanding Student Branch Award**” at Student, Young Professionals, Women-In-Engineering and Life Member (SYWL) Congress 2022 held on 11-14 of August 2022 in South Korea.

- A team from the Department of Chemistry, won the Championship in the Inter-University Quiz Competition- 2022 organized by the Sri Lanka Association for the Advancement of Science (SLAAS). Students participated in the Chemistry Quiz: Mr.Sathiyamoorthy Mathushan (Captain), Mr.Sudesh Lasantha Bandara, Ms.Thilini Madhushanika, Ms.Pirunthini Maheswaran, Mr.M.A.I.P.Wijayawardhana



- A team of Chemistry undergraduates won the championship title in the Inter University Chemistry Debate Competition for the year 2022, organized by Institute of Chemistry, Ceylon.



- The following research students pursued their research work at the Department of Physics under the joint supervision of the faculty staff and Western University of Applied Sciences under HRNCET and CBERC projects (<https://project.jfn.ac.lk/hrncet/>) completed MPhil degree in 2022. They have published twenty research articles in high impact factor Science Citation Indexed journals, <https://project.jfn.ac.lk/hrncet/index.php/researchers/>.

MPhil degree holders underwent at least one year of research work at the Western Norway University of Applied Sciences by accessing high-end equipment.



- The first batch of students of the Master Degree in Clean Energy Technologies successfully completed the degree under HRNCET projects. The staff from Faculties of Science and Engineering and a few academics from USA, Norway and India served as resource persons for the degree programmes.

- The University Award for Master of Clean Energy Technologies was awarded to Ms.T.Suthajini for the best performance in the Examinations for the Master degree programme. Both Dr. A.K.Ahilan, Faculty of Engineering and Dr. T.Pathmathas, Faculty of Science served as Coordinators for the Master degree programme conducted under the CBERC project.



### Details of Awards

Date & Venue	Departments	Name	Award Status
Virtual 13 <sup>th</sup> AFAF	Fisheries	Mrs.S.Sathyaruban	Best oral presentation award – first runner up
UiT, Norway under NORPART Project	Fisheries	Mrs.S.Sathyaruban	PhD mobility training fellowship
UiT, Norway under NORPART Project	Fisheries	Prof.Mrs.S.Kuganathan	Staff mobility fellowship
International Centre for Theoretical Physics (ICTP)	Physics	Dr. T.Pathmathas	ICTP Senior Associateship
Outstanding Branch Counsellor award at the “IEEE Sri Lanka Section Awards”	Computer Science	Prof.A.Ramanan	IEEE Student Branch Counsellor Award

“Computer Society of Sri Lanka (CSSL) ICT Researcher of the Year 2021 Award” at the 40th National IT Conference	Computer Science	Prof.M.Siyamalan	CSSL ICT Researcher
International Conference on Advanced Research in Computing (ICARC’22)	Computer Science	Prof.A.Ramanan T.Kokul	Best Paper Award
A National patent awarded for Smart Faucet	Fisheries	Mr. Khalingarajah Harichandra	National patent (Patent No. 21588) for Smart Faucet

### Summary of the Awards received

Subject	Total No. of Awards
Local Awards (University and other..)	04
International Awards	04
<b>Total</b>	<b>08</b>

### Interaction with Local/Foreign Universities and others

#### Memorandums of Understanding Signed with Local Organizations

Role of the Activity	Whether MOU signed	Collaborative Agency
To define the basis for collaboration between the parties in areas of research and consultancy.	Yes	Sivananthan Laboratories Inc.
In order to cater the rapidly increasing needs of the technological world, and to enhance the teaching, learning, and research activities in the globally hottest area.	Yes	Information and Communication Technology Agency of Sri Lanka (ICTA) Dialog Axiata PLC Computer Society of Sri Lanka (CSSL)

#### Memorandums of Understanding Signed with International Organizations

Role of the Activity	Whether MOU signed	With whom
to enable talented and motivated graduates / academic staff of UOJ, who could not otherwise afford to study in Norway to gain knowledge and skills required for sustainable development in the field of Science, Engineering and Technology.	Yes	University of Bergen
to develop and carry out collaborative activities within areas of common interest	Yes	Western Norway University
to set-forth mutual understanding and agreement with respect to direct contact and the development of potential cooperative programs	Yet to be signed	University of Konstanz, Germany

#### Visit of Foreign Delegates to the Faculty

Name	Foreign University	Period
Dr.Shaik Abdul Hussain	ICAR, Dairy Research Institute, Karnal, India	During his stay from 26 <sup>th</sup> January to 2 <sup>nd</sup> February 2020, he supported to revise the syllabus of Animal products and technology and dairy products technology courses. Further, he conducted lectures to all the batches on advanced technologies applied in dairy industry and gave suggestions to improve dairy products laboratory.

#### Details of the Workshops/ Seminars by the Department of Computer Science at national level

Programme	Date	Target Group	Participants
Northern Information Technology and Business Process Management Career fair	18.11.2022	Students	500
Supporting Professional Career Training with CISCO Education	12.01.2022		100
Inception for Google Cloud Platform	16.01.2022		
Personal Development	17.01.2022		
Startup Journey with Teamwork	18.01.2022		
An awareness session on IoT and Robotics	26.02.2022		
Google Code Jam Awareness Session	28.03.2022		
Software Quality Assurance to Quality Engineering	28.06.2022		
Neural Network Learning Paradigms” was conducted in a hybrid-mode	28.06.2022		
Practical Approach to Innovation Agility with DevSecOps	09.08.2022		
Deep Learning and Its Applications	09.08.2022		
Coverage Path Planning for Reconfigurable Floor Cleaning Robots	16.08.2022		
Enterprise AI using IBM POWER Systems	19.08.2022		
GlanceUp - Look into Industry	26.08.2022		
IT global demands/trends and the skill-sets required	29.11.2022		

### Participation of staff members of the Faculty

Programmes in 2022	Registered/Attended	Completed	Presentations
No. of Postgraduate Degree Programmes	15	12	-

### Local Fellowships/Scholarships/Awards received for Professional Development

Recipient	Designation	Type of the Programmes	Duration of the Programme
Mr. K. Sarveswaran	Lecturer	PhD	01.10.2017-30.09.2022

### Foreign Fellowships/Scholarships/Awards received for Professional Development

Name of the Recipient	Designation	Type of the Programme	Duration
Dr. M. Thanahaichelvan	Senior Lecturer in Physics	UNESCO-CSIR_TWAS fellowship	03 Months
Dr. P.A. Amalraj	Senior Lecturer in Physics	Research fellowship at the Centre for Advanced Photovoltaics, Czech Technical University in Prague	02 Months
Mrs. S. Sathyaruban	Senior Lecturer in Fisheries	PhD Mobility Training fellowship under NORPART	01 Month
Ms. K.H.D.D. Kumari	Lecturer in Physics	MSc leading to PhD studentship from the School of Physics and Applied Physics, Southern Illinois University Carbondale, USA	03 Years
Ms. S. Praveena	Lecturer in Physics	MSc leading to PhD studentship from the School of Physics and Applied Physics, Southern Illinois University Carbondale, USA	03 Years
Mr. S. Arthiyan	Lecturer in Zoology	Split-site PhD studentship from Nation Science Foundation, Switzerland	03 Months

### Outreach Activities

#### Workshops on organic farming at Urumpirai and field work centre, Thondaimanaru

A workshop on organic farming at Thayakam, Urumpirai north, Urumpirai was held on 03.09.2022. Neem solution, five leaves solutions, 3G solution, earthworm liquid, and vermicomposting were used as organic pesticides and fertilizers. These grow-bags with organic pesticides and fertilizers were provided by the Thirunavukkarasu Model Farm at Maviddapuram, (this farm won the first prize for model organic farm in Jaffna district). There were participants including home garden growers, students, agricultural instructors, and workshop assistants. A similar programme was conducted at fieldwork centre, Thondaimanru on 18.09.2022 too.



These programmes created awareness on organic farming and motivated the students and public to grow organic vegetables and provides chemical free organic vegetables to the market. The programmes was financially supported by the Activity-5 of the AHEAD ELTA ELSE Faculty DP, Faculty of Science (AHEAD/RA2/ELTAELSE/UOJ/SCI/OVAA/14) and coordinated by Dr.(Ms).N.Krishnapillai.

#### Going Global Partnerships (GGP) UNICYCLE 2022 by British Council

Community delivery workshop of the Going Global Partnerships UNICYCLE 2022 programme for the 50 students from the Faculties of Arts, Agriculture, Science and Technology was held on 29th of March 2022 at the Thinnai Organic farm, Chunnakam where they have developed the social action projects. There were seven social action projects implemented on the themes: food security, gender equity and equality, sexual and gender-based violence, the environment and climate change.

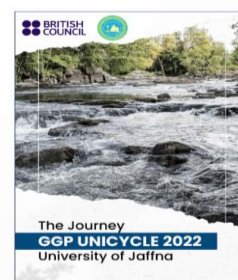
<https://www.jfn.ac.lk/gallery/5th-day-community-delivery-programme-ggp-unicycle-2022/>



Students worked on social action projects targeting the reduction of plastic waste, and gender equity, with the communities in Jaffna and Kilinochchi.

<https://www.jfn.ac.lk/ggp-unicycle-booklet/>

A booklet titled: “The Journey – GGP UNICYCLE University of Jaffna” was released to mark the completion of the British Council’s Going Global Partnerships (GGP) UNICYCLE programme implemented by the University of Jaffna on 20.08.2022.



## Competition on clean Energy technologies based Innovative prototype model development- 2022

Centre for Science Education, Faculty of Science, University of Jaffna, conducted competition on Clean Energy Technologies based Innovative Prototype Development- 2022 under the Capacity Building and Establishment of a Research Consortium (CBERC) project to enrich innovative ideas and creativity among the school children from Northern Province, Sri Lanka. The invitation was sent out to all the schools from the Northern Provincial Department of Education on 14.10.2022. Competition was on individual and group basis, and a total of 46 models were received from 77 students. Total of 12 models (6 from individuals and 6 from groups) were selected for the finals.



The final event was held on 28.11.2022 in the Faculty of Science, University of Jaffna, and all 12 models were displayed. A panel of three judges namely, Prof.R.Srikanan, Prof.K.Vignarooban, and Dr.E.Y.Charles evaluated the models.

### Highly commented models (received cash prize with certificates)

Name of model	Type (Individual / Group)	Name of Student(s)	School
Non-CFC and pure energy refrigerator	Individual	S. Lacksana	J/Kokuvil Hindu College
Solar panel railway track		A. Apirhaam	J/Uduppidy AMTMS
Scarecrow operated by solar panel		A. Shatuyan	J/Skandavarodaya College
Simple fly wheel	Group	S. Tharaniya K. Surrabi	J/Vembadi Girls' High School
Electricity from sea water		B. Pakeerathan P. Praveenan P. Akarajuthan G. Kithursan S. Abilash	J/Skandavarodaya College
		N. Rukshanthan P. Neusiyan C. Thenuyan P. Kirushanth A. Branavan	J/Skandavarodaya College

## Preparatory sessions for Science and Technology stream students who sit GCE A/L examinations 2022

Centre for Science Education (CSE), Faculty of Science and Jaffna Science Association (JSA) jointly organized series of preparatory sessions to the GCE A/L 2022 Science stream students from Northern, Eastern and Central Provinces with assistance of the respective Provincial Department of Education under the financial aid of the Royal Norwegian Embassy, Sri Lanka through CBERC Project. The cofunder for this is Royal Society of Sri Lankan Chapter for Popularization of Chemistry.

Place	Date	Participants
Jaffna	23.12.2022	650
Kilinochchi	17.10.2022	110
Mannar	21.11.2022	133
Mullaitivu	17.10.2022	136
Batticaloa	29.12.2022	150
Nuwara Eliya	29.11.2022	150

Senior academics of the Faculty of Science, University of Jaffna of all disciplines served as resource persons through CSE of the University of Jaffna.

**ANNUAL POPULARIZATION OF CHEMISTRY PROGRAM 2022 IN NUWARA ELIYA**  
Project by Royal Society of Chemistry - Sri Lanka Section

**SUMMARY**  
Royal Society of Chemistry (RSC) and the Centre for Science Education, Faculty of Science, University of Jaffna jointly conducted RSC's Annual Popularization of Chemistry Program 2022 in Nuwara Eliya on the 29th of November 2022.

3 Key events took place:  
1. Workshop for students  
2. Workshop for teachers  
3. Chemistry quiz competition

Speakers present for the Workshop are as follows:  
Prof. (Mrs) M. Gunatilakachandani  
Dr. (Mrs) S. Wele  
Dr. (Mrs) J. Palaggar  
Prof. C. Subramaniam  
Dr. P. Anandaraman  
Dr. C. Kalanidhi  
Dr. P. Anandaraman  
Prof. M. M. S. Srinivasan  
Mr. Gunatilak  
Mr. Samarathilake

The event was a massive success with 200+ students.

Schools that participated in the Nuwara Eliya Quiz event:

**Tamil Medium**

- Galleon College
- Kottegoda Tamil Maha Vidyalaya
- Kottegoda Tamil Maha Vidyalaya
- Hala-Tiraiy College
- Kottegoda Tamil Maha Vidyalaya
- Sri: Pundarikaya Tamil Maha Vidyalaya

**Sinhala Medium**

- Hettiaratchi College
- Galleon College

Acknowledgement: Royal Society of Chemistry and International Institute in Colombo under CBERC project for financial assistance.

## Progress of the Alumni

### List of recent graduates who were offered higher education opportunities in 2022

Name	Honours degree in	Name of the University, Country	MS/PhD
Mr S Anuluxan	Chemistry	Iowa State University, US	MS (leading to PhD)
Mr. S. Sivanujan	Chemistry	Illinois Institute of Technology, US	MS (leading to PhD)
Ms. Sumudu Nimasha	Chemistry	Wayne State University, US	MS (leading to PhD)
Ms. Udeshika Weeraratna	Chemistry	Wayne State University, US	MS (leading to PhD)
Ms. Danusiya	Chemistry	Nottingham Trent University, UK	MSc
Ms. S. Raveena	Chemistry	University of Monash, Australia	PhD
Ms. R. Praveena	Chemistry	University of Canterbury, New Zealand	PhD
Ms Dulanjali Sooriyage	Chemistry	New Mexico State University	MS (leading to PhD)
Ms. K.H.D.D. Kumari	Physics	Southern Illinois University, USA	MS (leading to PhD)
Ms. S.Praveena	Physics	Southern Illinois University, USA	MS (leading to PhD)
Mr. S. Paranthaman	Physics	Cleveland State University, USA	MS (leading to PhD)
Ms. H.Keppetiyawa	Physics	Brock University, Canada	MS (leading to PhD)
Mr. Nadika Dinesh Abeyaweera	Zoology	University of Bonn, Germany	MS in "Organismic biology, Evolutionary biology and Paleobiology"

## Contribution of the Alumni

The Department of Computer Science building has been brought into its full operation with the equipment and amenities worth over three million rupees donated by the alumni of the department.

## Revising and Revamping the Curriculum

### Revised Syllabi for BSc and BSc Hons. Degree Programmes

The Faculty of Science periodically revises the structure and syllabi. The last major curriculum revision for BSc and BSc Hons. degree programmes was initiated in 2018 and was completed in 2022. Under the new curriculum and structure, the first batch of BSc and BSc Hons. degree students completed their degree programme in 2021 and 2022, respectively. The revised syllabi of all four levels (year of study) have been approved by the Senate.

### Revamping the Curriculum of BScHons.(ScienceEdu)

The Faculty Board of Science at its 184<sup>th</sup> meeting decided to revamp the approved Bachelor of Science Honours in Science and Education curriculum in line with the existing degree structure of the Faculty and SLQF framework. A one-day stakeholders' discussion in relation to revamp the Bachelor of Science Honours in Science and Education [BScHons.(ScienceEdu)] was held on October 31, 2022 at the Library Auditorium, University of Jaffna. The Centre for Science Education (CSE) of the Faculty of Science in collaboration with the Department of Education, Faculty of Arts conducted the workshop with the financial assistance from the Norwegian Embassy.

About one hundred and thirty participants represented in the form of Educational Administrators (25), Teachers and Principals (66) and Academics (40) from the Departments of Botany, Chemistry, Education, Mathematics & Statistics, Physics and Zoology. Dr.K.Sarveswaran, Dept. of Computer Science and Mr.K.Piratheepan, Dept. of Education coordinated this stakeholders' workshop.

### Site visit of the Review Team for BSc Hons. (Computer Science) Study Programme

Site visit of the programme reviewers for the BSc Hons. (Computer Science) study programme, (Professor Prasad M. Jayaweera (University of Sri Jayewardenepura) Professor Sriyani Wickramasinghe (Rajaratna University of Sri Lanka) and Dr. M.B.M. Irshad (South Eastern University of Sri Lanka)) was held on November 8 & 9, 2022.



### Site visit of the Review team for Bachelor of Science Degree Programme

The programme review for the Bachelor of Science degree programme of the Faculty of Science, University of Jaffna commenced in the early part of 2020 by preparing a thorough self-evaluation report (SER) in order to promote a culture of analysis and evidenced-based programme improvement. The faculty submitted the SER on June 30, 2020 to the QAC of the UGC for evaluation. Subsequently, a team of external reviewers appointed by the UGC started to evaluate the SER from a broader perspective. Due to the prolonged pandemic in the country, the evaluation process was suspended and then resumed by mid-2022.

The evaluation process was preceded by screening a video documentary of the Faculty of Science (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VpAx6EZqo7g&t=11s>). Later the panel members had a discussion with academic staff. In the final debriefing and wrap-up session, the reviewers discussed the strengths and weaknesses of the degree programme in detail with the Dean/Science, Director/CQA, Coordinator/IQAC of the faculty, HoDs and all other staff of the Faculty.



## Research and Development

### Research Conference/Symposium

#### VINGNANAM Research Conference- 2022 (VRC 2022)

The VINGNANAM Research Conference- 2022 (VRC2022) was successfully conducted in hybrid mode (enabling physical and online participation) on 21.07.2022 as one of the satellite conferences of Jaffna University International Research Conference- 2022 (JUICe-2022). Over 200 participants attended the inaugural session. This second VINGNANAM international conference at the faculty was organized by the Faculty of Science, University of Jaffna in collaboration with Western Norway University of Applied Sciences, Norway under the theme of 'Bringing Research and Innovation to the Forefront in the New Normal'. The conference was fully sponsored by Norwegian Directorate for Higher Education, Skills, and Norwegian Embassy in Colombo through the collaborative research grant of Prof. V. Dhayalan and Prof. P. Ravirajan.



## The Second Research Symposium for Biological Science Students

The 2nd research symposium for Biological Science students was conducted by the Zoological Students' Association (ZSA) of the Department of Zoology on 17th March 2022. The conference proceedings and the Newsletter of the Department of Zoology-2021 were released by the editorial team of ZSA which were received by the Vice- chancellor and Dean, Faculty of Science. Awards were given for best abstract and best presenters. All the presenters were awarded with certificates. 41 participants attended the symposium. The symposium was financially supported by the AHEAD grant of the Department of Zoology (AHEAD/RA2/ELTAELSE/JFN/SCI/ZOO/OVAA/12).




### Ongoing research/development grant

Project coordinator/ Deputy Director/ PI	Activity Coordinator(s)/ Deputy Director/CoI	Funding Agency	Rs. (in million)	Name of the projects
Dr. K.Thabotharan (2019-2022)	Prof. K. Velauthamurty Dr. T. Pathmathas Dr. (Mrs.) W. S. Thulasitha Dr. (Ms.) K. Namagal	AHEAD operation	120.0	AHEAD ELTA-ELSE Faculty-level Development project
Prof. P.Ravirajan & Prof. V. Dhayalan (2017-2022)	Prof. (Mrs.) Meena Senthilnathanan	Norwegian Directorate for Higher Education and Skills	97.0	Higher Edu. and Research collaboration on Nanomaterials for Clean Energy Technologies
Prof. P.Ravirajan (2017-2022)	Prof.MAKL Dissanayake Dr. B. Dassanayake (UoP) Prof. S. De Silva (UOK)	Ministry of Research and Innovation	68.0	Project on Edu-training towards manufacturing of prototype Solar Panels
Prof. K.Vignarooban (2019-2022)	Prof. K. Velauthamurty Prof. G. Sashikesh Mr. S. Senthuran Dr. H.W.M.A.C Wijayasinghe (NIFS)	AHEAD operation	40 .0	AHEAD Development Oriented Research (Physics & Chemistry)
Prof. S.N.Surendran Prof. Andre Hemphil (University of Bern) (2021-2023)	-	Swiss National Science Foundation	34.0	Molecular and structural studies on brackish water dengue vectors
Prof. (Mrs.) M. Senthilnathanan (2020-2022)	Prof. G. Sashikesh Dr. (Mrs.) Y. Yohi	AHEAD operation	18.0	AHEAD ELTA-ELSE Dept.level (Chemistry)
Dr. (Mrs.) S.Abyerami (2020-2022)	Dr. K. Gajapathy Mrs. S. Pratheepa	AHEAD operation	18.0	AHEAD ELTA-ELSE Dept.level (Zoology)
Prof.K.Vignarooban (2018-2022)	Mr.S.Senthuran	NSF & PSF	6.0	Novel materials for secondary sodium-ion batteries and proton exchange membrane fuel cells
Prof. Mrs. S. Kuganathan (PI), Prof. Jorge Santos (Coordinator, UiT), Prof. Mrs.G.Suneetha (Co-ordinator, UoR) (2019-2024)	–	Norwegian Agency for International Cooperation and Quality enhancement in Higher Education	5.0	NOR-LANKA BLUE: Innovative research and education network in fisheries, aquaculture and aquatic sciences.
Mrs. S.Sathyaruban (2021-2023)	–	UGC	3.0	Effect of formulated diet incorporated with local products on colouration, immunity, and growth of ornamental fish"

Dr.E.C. Jeyaseelan	investigator-driven grant – 2020 (Grant No. 20-012).	National Research Council		Identification and characterization of major pathogens in grape cultivation and improving grape production by managing major diseases through eco-friendly control measures.
Mrs. S.Sathyaruban	-	UGC	2.8	2022 financial assistance by UGC for PhD studies
Prof. P.Ravirajan & Prof. V. Dhayalan (2022-2027)	Prof. (Mrs.) Meena Senthilnathanan	Norwegian Directorate for Higher Education and Skills	200.0	PhD Research work mostly at the university of Applied Sciences to five MPhil graduates Higher Edu. and Research collaboration on Nanomaterials for Clean Energy Technologies
Prof.S.N.Surendran (RG/HS/2019/02)	-	National Science Foundation(RG/HS/2019/02)	3.1	Effectiveness of gravid female traps in reducing dengue transmission in Jaffna municipality

### Other Activities

- “Northern Information Technology (IT) and Business Process Management (BPM) Career Fair”**  
 The Department of Computer Science and SLASSCOM jointly organized a career fair titled “Northern Information Technology (IT) and Business Process Management (BPM) Career Fair” on 18.11.2022 at the University of Jaffna in order to build regional capacity to support the growth of the industry in the northern province and help the students to improve their employability in the leading IT industries. About 500 students benefited from this career fair in which 11 leading IT companies of Sri Lanka participated. A Business Process Management session was also held in the afternoon at the Kailasapathy auditorium.
 
- The IEEE Student Branch of the University of Jaffna (IEEE-SB-UOJ), the Computer Society of the University of Jaffna and the IEEE Women in Engineering Affinity Group of the University of Jaffna (WIE) organized several workshops, seminars, and tech-talks:

Date	Particulars
12.01.2022	"Supporting Professional Career Training with CISCO Education". via Zoom, and Mr. Ananda J. Goonewardene (Senior Project Manager at GSK) served as the resource person.
16.01.2022	“Inception for Google Cloud Platform” by Mr. Chaminda Bandara (Software Engineer at WaveNet International)
17.01.2022	“Personal Development”, a mentoring session to support our young generation to develop themselves to be a better version of themselves and achieve a bright future by Mr. Samisa Abeysinghe (Technology Consultant at Virtusa).
18.01.2022	"Startup Journey with Teamwork" Mr. Mano Kulasingam (Founder & Managing Partner of Flair Venture, Co-founder & CEO at Digiflare) served as the resource person.
26.02.2022	"An awareness session on IoT and Robotics"
28.03.2022	“Google Code Jam Awareness Session” by Mr. Indrajith Ekanayake, Lecturer (Contract), Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Faculty of Engineering Technology, The Open University of Sri Lanka. (via Zoom).
21 <sup>st</sup> ,23 <sup>rd</sup> & 30 <sup>th</sup> .06.2022 02.07.2022	“Software Quality Assurance to Quality Engineering”. Four sessions (two hours each) were conducted.
28.06.2022	“Neural Network Learning Paradigms” was conducted in a hybrid-mode.
09.08.2022	"Practical Approach to Innovation Agility with DevSecOps" Mr. Thulaseetharan Shanmugaratnam (Solutions Specialist USA for Large Enterprises at Microsoft) was the resource person.
09.08.2022	“Deep Learning and its Applications” Dr. (Mrs.) Subha Fernando (Senior Lecturer, Department of Computational Mathematics, University of Moratuwa) was the resource person.
16.08.2022	“Coverage Path Planning for Reconfigurable Floor Cleaning Robots” Ms. Bhagya Samarakoon (Secretary of IEEE WIE Singapore Section, PhD Candidate in SUTD, Singapore) was the resource person.
19.08.2022	“Enterprise AI using IBM POWER Systems” Mr. Ganesan Narayanasamy (IBM Global Leader for AI and Cloud Enablement and Ecosystem), Mr. Madan Katheesan (Technical Leader for Object Automation Systems Solutions, India), and

	Mrs. BragathaLakshmi Bharani (Operational Director, Object Automation Systems Solutions, India.) were resource persons.
26.08.2022	“GlanceUp - Look into Industry”
29.11.2022	“IT global demands/trends and the skill-sets required” Mr. Shantha Ruban (Group CEO at Programus Limited UK) was the resource person.

- **Workshop on Biosafety awareness to laboratory staff and temporary demonstrators**

The Biosafety committee of the Faculty of Science and the AHEAD ELTA ELSE faculty DP (activity -5) of the Faculty of Science jointly organized a workshop for laboratory staff and demonstrators of the Faculty of Science that was held on 10.06.2022.

## 5.10.Sir Ponnambalam Ramanathan Faculty of Performing and Visual Arts (SPRFPVA)

### Introduction

Sir Ponnambalam Ramanathan Faculty of Performing and Visual Arts (formerly Ramanathan Academy of Fine Arts) was inaugurated by the late Mr. S. Nadesapillai in memory of his father-in-law, Sir Ponnambalam Ramanathan on 06.10.1960.

Ramanathan Music Academy was taken over by the Government in April 1974 and renamed as “Ramanathan Government Fine Arts College”. Then, it was taken over by the Jaffna Campus of the University of Sri Lanka with effect from 1st of December 1975 renaming it as “Ramanathan Academy of Fine Arts” (RAFA), as a unit under the Department of Fine Arts until it was upgraded as a separate department of study, namely “Performing Arts” in the Faculty of Arts in 1992.

Degree Programmes in Carnatic Music and Bharathanatiyam commenced in 1993. In 1996, the Department of Performing Arts was bifurcated into the Department of Dance and Department of Music. The subject of Art and Design was introduced as a discipline in 1999 at RAFA and placed under the Head, Department of Dance. RAFA was upgraded into a faculty named “Sir Ponnambalam Ramanathan Faculty of Performing and Visual Arts” with the special gazette notification released on 16th of August 2022. The faculty consists of six departments namely Music, Instrumental Music, Dance, Painting, Sculpture and Drama & Theatre Arts.

The First Faculty Board meeting was held on 25.11.2022 in the Board Room of the University of Jaffna.



### Vision

To be a leading center in the field of Aesthetic studies, towards teaching, learning, research, and dissemination of the system.

### Mission

To produce competent graduates with sound knowledge and skills in performing and visual arts and innovation in performing and visual arts with special emphasis on the social and spiritual development based on cultural heritage.

### Highlights of events

#### Music Repertoires Staged by the Department of Music -2022

##### Thiyagarajah Aaradhana Isai Utsavam 2022 Annual Ceremony

Sri Thiyagarajah Aaradhana, an annual ceremony of adoration of Sri Thiyagarajah was observed on pushya bahula Panchami day on which he attended Samadhi. The Aaradhana was celebrated on 14.02.2022 in Nadesar arangam, SPRFPVA. All Academic Staff, professional musicians in Jaffna and students took part in this occasion.



##### Sri Sivayanappillayar Temple Utsavam Uduvil

4<sup>th</sup> year students, Vocal Musician and Accompanists: Mr.N.Paranthaman, Ms.P.Kanesakampar, Ms.Mathuranky Sriskantharasah, Ms.S.Santhirika presented Pancharathna Aaradhana on 15.07.2022



**Thiruketheeswara Maka Kumpapishekam Isai kacheri, Mannar on 07.06.2022**



**Theiveeka Isayarangu to mark Nallur Temple Festival- Choreography Vocal Musician and Accompanists:**

Miss.K.Parameswary,Mr.N.Paranthaman,Mr.P.Sivamynthan,  
Dr.A.Suhanya,Mr.K.Vargikan,Ms.S.Santhirika,Ms.L.Jeevanthini, Mr.A.Amirthasinthujan- on 18.08.2022



**Navarathiri Kalai Vilha in SPRFPVA celebrated from 26.09.2022 to 05.10.2022 with Musical programme by all academic staff of the Department of Music.**



**Sri Vithyakanapathi Temple Kumpapishekam of Faculty of Management studies of University of Jaffna:**

- Musical programme by Mr.S.Sivamynthan, Instructor, Department of Music, University of Jaffna- on 24.08.2022.



- 30 students presented Panchap Puraana Aadal. Choreography: Dr.Miss.S.Kumarasamy &Mrs.T.Thirunanthan, Nattuvangam:Mrs.T.Thirunanthan Vocal Musician and Accompanists: Mr.A.Amirthasinthujan-Vocalist, Mrs.J.Senthuran-Violinist,Mr.K.Kajan-Miruthangam on 28.12.2022

**Dance Repertoires Staged by the Department of Dance -2022**

Department of Dance had the privilege of presenting several dance pieces including traditional Bharathanatyam pieces and theme based new creations for the themes of the events or conferences on invitation. Most of the dance items presented were well appreciated for creativity and innovation in dance within the traditional styles of Bharathanatyam.

**Sri Paarvathi Paramesvarar Kumpapishekam Ceremoney at the university of Jaffna**

Pushpanjali Gowthuvam was presented by 108 students on 22.06.2022.

Mr.A.Amirthasinthujan -Vocalist  
Mr.S.Gobithas-Violinist  
Mr.K.Kajen-Miruthangam  
Choreography and Nattuvangam-  
Dr.A.Kirupairajah



**Indian High Commission Cultural Hall Opening on 27.03.2022**

Kaavadi Chinthu was presented by 10 Students on 27.03.2022

Mr.A.Amirthasinthujan -Vocalist  
Mrs.J.Senthuran-Violinist  
Mr.M.Logendran-Miruthangam  
Choreography and Nattuvangam- Dr.A.Kirupairajah



**International Tamil Conference**

Srilankan Folk Dance was presented by 08 students on 03.08.2022

Group of Annaviyar -  
Vocalist  
Miruthangam  
Coordinator-  
Dr.A.Kirupairajah



**Library Research Conference**

Welcome dance was presented by 14 students on 12.08.2022

Mr.A.Amirthasinthujan-  
Vocalist  
Mr.S.Gobithas-Violinist  
Mr.K.Kajen-  
Miruthangam  
Coordinator-  
Dr.A.Kirupairajah



## Margazhi Isai Vizha 2022

(Organized by Consulate of India in Jaffna, Chamber of Commerce Jaffna and Nallur Saiva Thamil Panpaaddu Kalaik Koodal at the Kailasapathy Auditorium of the University of Jaffna on 27.12.2022-29.12.2022).

The Department of Dance was invited by the organizers to present several dance repertoires daily at the Margazi Isaivaizha 2022 held in grand scale along with other outside dancing institutions and local musicians and Indian Artists. The Dance department presented different types of dance on each day. On the 1<sup>st</sup> day only traditional pieces of Bharathanatyam were presented; on the second day the signature production of Dance Department named “Pancha Puraana Aadal” (பஞ்ச புராண ஆடல்) was presented; and on the third day a dance drama entitled “Nirai Valluvam” (நிறை வள்ளுவம்) was staged. In all these items of dance, lots of students had the opportunity to present their talents on the stage. All the dance items were appreciated well by the audience.

Day	Dance Items Presented	Dance Choreography and Nattvangam by	Student Dancers	Vocalist and Accompanists
27.12.2022	Pushpanjali and Invocation	Mrs.S.Gaenthiran	08	Miss.M.Sriskantharajah -Vocalist Miss.H. Jegatheeswarasarma-Violinist Mr.K.Kajan-Miruthangam
	Alaarippu	Dr.Mrs.S.Jeyakumar	09	Mr.A.Amirthasinthujan – Vocalist Miss.H. Jegatheeswarasarma-Violinist Mr.M.logenthiran -Miruthangam
	Kumaara Kavuthuvam	Mrs.D.Sugunan	08	Mr.MThushyanthan- Vocalist Miss.H. Jegatheeswarasarma-Violinist Mr.K.Kajan-Miruthangam
	Keerththanam	Mrs.R.Ragavan	08	Mr.A.Amirthasinthujan – Vocalist Miss.H. Jegatheeswarasarma-Violinist Mr.M.logenthiran –Miruthangam
	Thillana	Dr.Miss. A.Shanmuganathan	08	Miss.M.Sriskantharajah- Vocalist Miss.H. Jegatheeswarasarma-Violinist Mr.M.logenthiran –Miruthangam



Day	Dance Items Presented	Dance Choreography and Nattvangam by	Dancers	Vocal Musician and Accompanists
28.12.2022	Panchap Puraana Aadal	Choreography : Dr.Miss.S.Kumarasamy & Mrs.T.Thirunanthan Nattuvangam: Mrs.T.Thirunanthan	30 Students	Mr.A.Amirthasinthujan -Vocalist Mrs.J.Senthuran-Violinist Mr.K.Kajan-Miruthangam



Day	Dance Items Presented	Dance Choreography and Nattvangam by	Dancers	Vocal Musician and Accompanists
29.12.2022	Nirai Valluvam	Choreography : Dr.Miss.S.Kumarasamy & Mrs.T.Thirunanthan Nattuvangam: Dr.Miss.S.Kumarasamy	57 Students + 1 lecturer	Mr.A.Amirthasinthujan -Vocalist Mr.S.Gobithas -Violinist Mr.K.Kajan-Miruthangam



### Visit of Foreign Delegates to the Faculty

- **Workshop and Musical Programme of Mysore Brothers.**

A Workshop was held on 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> December, 2022 to the students of Department of Instrumental Music by Indian Artist Mysore Brothers- Mysoor Dr.Manjunath- Nagaraj brothers.



- **Workshop on Bharathanatya Nritta and its approach to Abinaya**

The Apsara Arts Singapore conducted

1. Workshop for 25 students of Department of Dance- on 28.03.2022- 29.03.2022.
2. Performance with 25 students- on 30.03.2022

Coordinator- Dr.A.Kirupairajah

Choreography- Mr.Mohanapiriyam Thavarajah

Costume Designer- Dr.A.Kirupairajah



## 5.11.Faculty of Technology

### Introduction

The Faculty of Technology is a relatively new faculty of the University of Jaffna established with the gazette notification on 29.03.2016.

### Vision

To be a leading center of fostering and promoting Technological studies and research.

### Mission

To produce knowledgeable and skillful technocrats who excel in innovative application of technological skills and expertise for the progress of technology in the country.



### Achievements and highlight of the events

The year 2022 is a remarkable year for Faculty of Technology as the achievements are manifold. The faculty had been functioning in a temporary building for longer time and moved to new building in the year with a milk boiling ceremony on 17.01.2022. The first batch of students graduated in March 2022.



**The ceremonial opening of the new building of the Faculty of Technology** was held on 18.08.2022 at Ariviyal Nagar, Kilinochchi. Hon. Minister of Fisheries Douglas Devananda, the Secretary to the Ministry of Higher Education- Mr.Nihal Ranasingha and the Chairman of the University Grants Commission- Professor Sampath Amaratunge graced the occasion.

**Foundation Stone Laying for Stage II Building** was held on 17.01.2022.



## A Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with SULECO (PVT) LTD.

A Memorandum of Understanding on establishing a Continuously Operating Reference Station (CORS) at the Faculty of Technology was signed with SULECO (PVT.) LTD. on 21.05.2022 for the undergraduates of the Faculty of Technology to enhance the knowledge and technological skill development on the use of CORS Network.



**Tree planting ceremony around the premises of the Faculty of Technology** under Assisted Natural Regeneration Project in collaboration with the Green Layer Environmental Organization was held on 29<sup>th</sup> November 2022.

## Staff achievements

1. Dr. T.H.Nawarathna, Senior Lecturer, Department of Engineering Technology was awarded Rs.1.974 million NRC research grant for the project titled “Slope surface stabilization by using polymer modified microbial induced carbonate precipitation method- Ecofriendly and sustainable alternative approach for the conventional cement grouting”. This is one of the five applications selected out of 132 applications under Engineering and Technology Stream 2022. Duration of the project is 30 months.
2. Eng. N. Sakthivelnathan, Senior Lecturer, was the winner of the Poster Competition conducted by Electric Energy Society of Australia (EESA).



## Students’ achievements

- The undergraduate research project, titled “Smart Charging Method for Domestic Electric Vehicle Chargers”, was recognized and listed in “top 12 outstanding research projects” in the Annual Awards for the Most Outstanding Undergraduate Energy Research 2022- SLEMA. The competition of the annual award was organized by Sri Lanka Energy Managers Association (SLEMA) as a co-event of SLEMA Annual Session 2022 on 29.07.2022.

The project was carried out at the Department of Engineering Technology by two electro specialization students (Mr. H.M.N.S.L.Bandara & Mr.R.M.P.P.Rajanayake) under the supervision of Eng.D.H.G.A.E.Jayasinghe.

- Audience’s Choice Award was won by Mr.J.P.Roshan (2017/ET/090) for the pitch sharing on “Bio-cementation of Demolition waste and recycled aggregates for sustainable pavement construction” in International Workshop on Bio-Geotechnics 2022 organized by AGERP on 26.02.2022.



- Ms. A.A.I.S.Adhikari (2021/ BST/003) won 3<sup>rd</sup> place in below 61Kg category in the Inter University Karate championship held at University of Colombo on 04.12.2022.

- S.Nirmal (2017/ BST/066), the captain of the road race team of University of Jaffna won 3<sup>rd</sup> place in inter university road race and 3<sup>rd</sup> place in 5000 M at the inter university athletic meet held at the Sabragamuwa University of Sri Lanka on 06.12.2022.



- Mr.P.K.V.Nethsara (2017/ ET/071) won 2<sup>nd</sup> place at the inter university wrestling held at the University of Kelaniya on 19.12.2022.

- The faculty students representing University of Jaffna won first place at the New Dawn Inter University Debating Competition 2022- Tamil. Mr.M.Harikaran, Ms.V.Nilakshiny and Mr. S.Ajithkumar (3rd Year Bio Systems Technology) and Ms.M.Pushpakala (4th Year Bio Systems Technology) were the members of the debate team . Mr.M Harikaran won the “Best Debater” award.



## Details of Awards

Departments	Name	Award
Interdisciplinary studies	Mr.S.Kajanthan	International Postgraduate Tuition Award (IPTA)  University Postgraduate Award (UPA), University of Wollongong, Australia 2022
Engineering Technology	Eng. N. Sakthivelnathan	Poster competition award
Engineering Technology	Mr. J. P. Roshan	Audience’s Choice Award by AGERP

Engineering Technology	Mr. H.M.N.S.L. Bandara Mr. R.M.P.P. Rajanayake	Most Outstanding Undergraduate Energy Research- 2022
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### Summary of Awards

Subject	Total No. of Awards	No. of Academics	No. of Students
Local Awards (University and other..)	2	1	2
International Awards	2	2	-
Total	4	3	2

### Student events

- Surveying Camp - 2022 for the students (Academic year 2017/18) specializing in Construction Technology was successfully conducted by the Department of Engineering Technology from 28.11.2022 – 06.12.2022 at Uva Management Development Institute (UMDI), Badulla
- A blood donation campaign by the students' union of the Faculty of Technology; University of Jaffna was held in the faculty on 25/11/2022.
- FARVER 2022, Holi festival organized by students of the Faculty of Technology, University of Jaffna was held on 28.10.2022
- Staff and students of the faculty together celebrated Saraswathy Pooja on 04.10.2022.
- Technology students celebrated Christmas function on 14.12.2022
- The Water Rocket function (NERKETA) organized by 1<sup>st</sup> year students of Faculty of Technology was held on 19.10.2022.



### Interaction with Local/Foreign Universities and others

#### Memorandum of Understanding

Role of the Activity	Whether MOU signed	Collaborative Agency
Training on the use of CORS network	Yes	SULECO (PVT) LTD

### Workshops/ Seminars

Programme	Organized by Dept./ Committee/ Cell	Date	Target Group	Participants
Automobile diagnostic with scanners	Engineering Technology	03.02.2022 5 hours	students & staffs	120
Fulfilling the gaps between the academic program & industrial expectations.	Engineering Technology	21.02.2022 1 hour	2 <sup>nd</sup> year students	110
Make your work productive with excel automation using Macro/VBA	Engineering Technology	29.09.2022 5 hours	3 <sup>rd</sup> year students	110
Why I'm changing in research?	Faculty Research committee	30.03.2022 1 hour	Academic staff	40
The future of mariculture: a regional approach for responsible development in the Northern Province, Sri Lanka	Biosystems Technology	23.03.2022 1 hour	Academic staff & Students	150
Workshop on predatory academic practices	IQAC	17.03.2022	Academic staff	40

### Participation of staff members

Programme in 2022	Registered/Attended	Completed	Presentations
No.of Postgraduate Degree Programmes	5	-	-

### Foreign Fellowships/Scholarships/Awards received for Professional Development

Name of the Recipient	Designation	Type of the Programmes	Duration
Mr.S.Kajanthan	Senior Lecturer, Grade II	PhD	3 years
Ms. V. Raveenthira	Lecturer (Prob)	PhD	3 years
Eng. B. Banujan	Lecturer (Prob)	PhD	3 years
Ms. S..Surendran	Lecturer (Prob)	PhD	3 years
Eng. R. Athavan	Lecturer (Prob)	MSc	3 years

### Future plan

- Increasing the Staff capacity to strengthen the Academic activities
- Establishment of new canteen to cater the increased number of students

- Commencement of ICT degree programme
- Increasing the number of students from the academic year 2021/2022.
- Planting trees at surrounding areas and developing an Agriculture farm
- Establishment of Automobile workshop to service and repair the university vehicles and private vehicles

### Any other Activities

- a. Inauguration and orientation for 6<sup>th</sup> batch of students (Academic year 2020/21) was held on 18.07.2022 via virtual mode.
- b. Students' welfare shop having facilities for photo-copying, printing and stationary was opened at the third floor of the faculty new building. This shop is operated by the Technology Students' Union.



## 5.12. Unit of Siddha Medicine

### Introduction

Siddha Medicine is one of the oldest and revealed system of the traditional medical system of Tamils and one of the recognized traditional indigenous medical system in Sri Lanka. A book titled “*Nayana Vithi Gunamum Marunthum*” (Agasthiya Mamunivar Pararajasekaram) was published in 1932, found to be the oldest book in print published in Jaffna, apart from ola palmleaf manuscripts preserved. The Siddha section of the Institute of Indigenous Medicine, which was affiliated to the University of Colombo was transferred to the University of Jaffna on 02.07.1984 and placed as a unit under the Faculty of Arts. The Unit of Siddha Medicine has been functioning as a separate unit directly under the the Vice Chancellor since 01.10.1993.



### Vision

To be a leading center of excellence in teaching, learning, research and scholarship in Siddha Medicine.

### Mission

To produce competent graduates with sound knowledge and skills in Siddha Medicine and Surgery who could serve in the National Health Care System and engage in research and innovation in Siddha Medicine with special emphasis on the social, economic and spiritual development to foster and promote the cultural heritage.

**Head of the Unit:** Dr.Mrs.Vivian Sathyaseelan

### Details of Awards

Dr.(Ms.)S.Krishna and Dr.(Ms.)R.Sujeevan awarded scholarship for MD (Siddha) AYUSH Scholarship scheme of India for the session 2018-19 (BIMSTEC).

### Activities of Unit

#### a. 3<sup>rd</sup> International research Conference on Siddha Medicine (3<sup>rd</sup> IRCSM 2022)

- The 3<sup>rd</sup> International Research Conference on Siddha Medicine (IRCSM 2022) including pre-conference workshop was organized by the Unit of Siddha Medicine, University of Jaffna under the Umbrella of Jaffna University International Research Conference (JUICE)- 2022. It was conducted from 27<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> January 2022 via hybrid mode under the theme of “Enhance Immunity for Healthy Life through Siddha Medicine”.
  - Two days conference workshop was held on 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> of January 2022. It focused on the current knowledge and skills of the medical and surgical aspects of siddha medicine and how to enhance immunity through traditional medicine.
  - A COVID 19 management session was held on 28.01.2022 from 3.30pm to 6.00pm via online.
  - Sixteen research papers were presented via online on 29.01.2022. 37 popularization articles and 9 case study reports were presented on 30.01.2022.
- b. The draft subject benchmark on Indigenous Medicine was prepared by the committee appointed by the UGC in which Academic staff of the unit served.
  - c. A Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) was signed with Palmyrah Research Institute (PRI) on 31.03.2022 to conduct laboratory research work on natural products including Palm products and conducting workshops and seminars.



- d. Inauguration ceremony of Internship of Academic year 2014/2015 was held on 09.02.2022 for Ayurveda, Siddha and Unani Medicine of Institute of Indigenous Medicine, Colombo.
- e. Unit of Siddha Medicine, University of Jaffna organized a Workshop on “Preparation of MCQs” to all permanent Academic Staff of Unit via zoom on 14.02.2022. Prof.Gominda Ponnampuruma, Medical Education, University of Colombo was the resource person.
- f. First Siddha Medicine Alumni Association meeting was held on 29.03.2022 via zoom.
- g. A tree planting ceremony of medicinal trees was held on 18.02.2022 at the Unit of Siddha Medicine.
- h. Siddha Medicine Unit conducted a seminar series titled “Presentation and Discussion on Herbs” every month via zoom. 20 seminars have been conducted so far.

### Student events/ Sports activities/ Other activities

1. Student Magazine of Siddha Medicine Unit was released on 02.02.2022 by 2017/ 2018 batch.
2. Pathanjali Siddhar Gurupoojah and Yogar Swami Gurupoojah were held on 25.03.2022.

### Interaction with Local/ Foreign Universities and Others

#### Memorandum of Understanding

Role of the Activity	Whether MOU signed	Collaborative Agency
Research Project	Yes	Palmyrah Development Board
Staff Exchange & Training	No	Government Siddha Teaching Hospital, Kaithady

### Details of the Work Shop/Seminars

Programme	Local/ National/	Organized by	Date	Target Group	Participants
Workshop on “Preparation of MCQs”	Local	Unit of Siddha Medicine	14.02.2022 01 Day	Academic Staff of USM	17
Seminar on R-Repository	Local	Unit of Siddha Medicine	21.09.2022	Academic Staff of USM	17
Training for Technical Officer at Drug Manufacturing unit Atchuvely	Local	Unit of Siddha Medicine	08.11.2022 09.11.2022	Technical Officer	01
Traditional Medicine™ policy formulation of the Indigenous Sector in Sri Lanka	National	Hector Kobekaduvva Agrarian Research and Training Institute	18.11.2022	Lecturers	13
Workshop on Time Management & Personality Development	Local	Unit of Siddha Medicine	30.12.2022	All the BSMS Students	360
Workshop on “Principles underlying testing for antibacterial activity of Traditional Medicine”	Local	Faculty of Graduate Studies- Dr.(Ms.)R.Sujeevan	14.12.2022	Students	58
Workshop on “Back to Nature - Based on Medicinal Plant”		Well-Being cell of the faculty of MS&C	09.12.2022	Students	43
Workshop on the Role of the Trainers	National	PGIIM	February 2022	Staff	

### Outreach activities

1. Programme on Medicinal plants and their uses in DAN TV since January 2015- Dr.(Ms.)V.Sathiyaseelan.
2. Written articles continuously in “VALAMPURI” Daily newspaper under the title of “Vaaram oru Yalpanathu Mooligai” (A Herb of Jaffna every week) since 2008- Dr.(Ms.)V.Sathiyaseelan.
3. Unit of Siddha Medicine conducted சித்தர்களும் அறிவியலும்- 03 (Siddhas and Science) programme with Department of Hindu Civilization of Faculty of Hindu Studies on 17.01.2022 at 09.00am via zoom at Unit of Siddha Medicine. Dr.T.Thayalini, Head, Unit of Siddha Medicine chaired this programme. Dr. (Ms.)S.Srimuralitharan, Dean, Faculty of Hindu Studies was invited as the chief guest. Mr.R.Ramanarajah from Faculty of Hindu Studies was invited as the moderator. Dr.R.Gowribalan delivered a speech on “Basic Yoga Concepts”. Two undergraduate students and one Assistant Lecturer delivered presentations regarding *Agasthiyar*.



4. A Medical Camp was conducted on 29.4.2022 at Public Hall, Murugandi by the Alumni Association of the Siddha Medicine, under the auspices of Olumadu, Oddisuttan Free Siddha Dispensaries in Puthukudiyiruppu, Pradeshiya Sabha area.
5. Kuzhanthai & Mahalir Maruthuvam Division of Unit of Siddha Medicine scheduled monthly medical camps and awareness programme for children at Thenmarachchi area, in collaboration with Siddha Teaching hospital, Kaithady. First programme was conducted at “Parasakthi day-care center”, Kaithady on 14.09.2022.
6. Kuzhanthai & Mahalir Maruthuvam division of Unit of Siddha Medicine conducted second “Mantha Posakkai Ethirkollvom” (Encountering malnutrition) awareness programme at “Sivasakthi Preschool”, Ketpali, Kodikamam on 12.10.2022.
7. Kuzhanthai & Mahalir Maruthuvam Division of Unit of Siddha Medicine celebrated international Children’s day on 03.10.2022 at “Sethukavalar Vidyalayam”, Kaithady in collaboration with Siddha Teaching hospital, Kaithady.
8. A blood donation Camp was conducted on 10.11.2022 by Siddha Medicine students with the assistance of Blood Bank, Teaching Hospital, Jaffna.
9. 3<sup>rd</sup> year BSMS students had an industrial visit to Drug Manufacturing Unit at Achuhaveli on 17th & 18th of October, 2022.
10. A live demonstration of use of medicinal plants for the 2nd BSMS students was held on 16.11.2022 at the Siddha Teaching Hospital, Kaithady on World diabetic day. Dr.T.Vijayakumar coordinated the programme.
11. Consultation service was provided for establishing a herbal garden at Sivathondan elders home at Mugamalai by Dr.T.Vijayakumar.



## 5.13. Library

### Introduction

University of Jaffna has a main library and seven branch libraries, and the library network is named Vithiananthan Library. The Main Library is located at the main campus at Thirunelvely and its branches namely the Medical Library at Kokuvil, Siddha Medicine Library at Kaithady, Agriculture, Engineering and Technology Libraries at Kilinochchi, Ramanathan Academy of Fine Arts Library at Maruthanarmadam, and Management Library at Kalasalai Road, Thirunelvely. Mr.S.Ketheeswaren, Deputy Librarian attended to the duties of Librarian in the year 2022.

The library is committed to facilitate planning and empowering the academic and research activities of the University community by providing quick and timely access to relevant, up-to-date and quality information resources. In the year 2022, access to printed resources has increased compared to 2021. The library provided services for 15,076 readers registered in the Main and Branch Libraries. As of December 2022, the library collection comprised books (260,414 copies), scholarly journals and magazines (1,400 titles), newspapers (65 titles), pamphlets (11,770 copies), electronic resources (e-books and e-journals), audiovisual materials, palm-leaf manuscripts (284), and a few microfiles.

The Library was involved in three different project activities namely, Preservation and Digitization of Tamilology Collection, Library of Tamilology and Library of Musicology, all the three funded by Kandiah Karthigaesan Trust Fund. Tamil Library established for this purpose, enhanced its service through providing access to the digital contents of subscribed e-resources, University Research Publications, e-books, and past examination papers.

Beyond the general library services, the library involved in conducting *Information literacy programs* to improve the information-handling skills of the students.

### Vision

To become a centre of excellence in collecting organizing and providing access to information resources.

## Mission

To acquire, organize, preserve and make accessible to information resources and services, in support of academic teaching, learning, and research needs of the university community and advancement of knowledge in society.

## Achievements

### Staff achievements

- Mr.R.Thananchayan (Library Information Assistant) was awarded a memento/certificate for his contribution to the short film titled “Yogaswami Documentary film 2020 (ஈழத்துச் சித்தர் தவத்திரு யோகர் சுவாமிகள் ஆவணப்படம்) by the Cultural Council of the Jaffna District Secretaria. Regional Cultural Festival held on 29<sup>th</sup> April 2022.
- Assistant Librarians (Probationary) attached to the Library, Mr.P.Poologanathan, Mr.Y.Kesavan, Mr.K.Sajanthan and Ms.L.Balukumaran completed the Induction program for the academic staff conducted by the Staff Development Center.

### Faculty-wise distribution of Library books procured in 2022

Faculty	Amount(LKR)	No.of Books
Agriculture	425,825.27	18
Arts	469,133.55	21
Engineering	261,127.25	4
Hindu Studies	404,526.25	228
Management	512,962.02	17
Medicine	80,252.75	10
Science	142,050.56	6
Siddha medicine	58,878.77	14
Technology	126,338.81	4
Sub Total	2,481,095.23	<b>322</b>
General Readings	187,233.20	45
Library	115,078.00	122
Sub Total	302,311.20	<b>167</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,783,406.43</b>	<b>489</b>

### Branch-wise Usage of the Library in the Year 2022

User Category	No of Users			
Total Registered Undergraduate Students	Main Library		5633	
	Medical Library		1863	
	Kilinochchi Premises	Engineering		912
		Agriculture		495
		Technology		1008
	Siddha Library		444	
	FMSC		1901	
SPRFPVA		918		
Total Registered Postgraduate Students			543	
Total Registered Academic Staff	Main Library		440	
	Medical Library		79	
	Kilinochchi Premises	Engineering		46
		Agriculture		46
		Technology		28
	Siddha Library		28	
	FMSC		36	
SPRFPVA		54		
Total Registered Non-Academic Staff	Main Library		505	
	Medical Library		27	
	Kilinochchi Premises	Engineering		18
		Agriculture		12
		Technology		12
	Siddha Library		10	
	FMSC		5	
SPRFPVA		13		
<b>Total</b>			<b>15076</b>	

## Month-wise Usage of the library, in the Year 2022

Month	Lending Section			Permanent Reference Section Usage	E-Document Delivery Service Usage	Reading Section Usage	Total Usage
	Student Usage	Postgraduate Students	Academic Staff Usage				
January	2300		835	645	1640	11028	16448
February	2364		675	743	1139	10209	15130
March	2997		770	875	1820	14220	20682
April	1410		621	677	807	9346	12861
May	179		9	275	1176	10029	11668
June	11		258	536	1543	10420	12768
July	47		-	917	1334	10673	12971
August	520		8	1001	1331	13617	16477
September	378		61	150	1642	13193	15424
October	50		47	992	13016	10975	25080
November	4574		685	1278	2545	29518	38600
December	1348		397	735	2545	13021	18046

## Seminars & Workshops organized by the Main Library

Theme	Organized by	Dates held	Duration	Participants
Introduction to Bibliometric Research tool and Research Mapping Tools: Vos viewer and Bibloshiny	Library IQAC	07.03.2022	10.00 am- 1.00 pm	Library staff
Drupal as a content management system	Library IQAC	07.03.2022	2.00 pm- 4.00 pm	Library staff
DSpace as a digital Library Software: Basic and Functional components.	Library IQAC	08.03.2022	10.00 am- 1.00 pm	Library staff
DSpace : Installation and Customization	Library IQAC	08.03.2022	2.00 pm- 4.00 pm	Library staff
DSpace : Installation and Customization	Library IQAC	09.03.2022	10.00 am- 1.00 pm	Library staff
Reference Tools	Library IQAC	09.03.2022	2.00 pm- 4.00 pm	Library staff
Data Visualization Tools for Research	Library IQAC	10.03.2022	10.00 am- 1.00 pm	Library staff
Freemind, Edraw, and Xmind for mind mapping applications (Newsletter template designing, Flyers designing)	Library IQAC	10.03.2022	2.00 pm- 4.00 pm	Library staff
VIVO as a Profile Management System: Basics and Functional Components	Library IQAC	11.03.2022	10.00 am- 1.00 pm	Library staff
Statistical tools and techniques	Library IQAC	11.03.2022	2.00 pm- 4.00 pm	Library staff
Publication authenticity	Library IQAC	13 & 15 <sup>th</sup> .09.2022	1.30 hours	All Staff
Equipment usage	KKTF Project	11.10.2022	3.30 hours	All Staff

## Postgraduate Enrolments/Continuation of Academic Staff

Name	Degree	Place	Status
Mrs Latha Umashankar	PhD	University of Colombo	Reading
Mr P.Poologanathan	PhD	University of Peradeniya	Reading

## Conferences

- **The first International Research Conference by the Library, University of Jaffna**

The first International Research Conference-2022 organized by the Library, University of Jaffna under the sphere of the *Jaffna University International Research Conference (JUICE 2022)* was held on the 12<sup>th</sup> of August 2022 with the



theme of *Enhancing library system to best engage with global change*. The conference is formally named *Etakam Research Conference (ERC 2022)*. The name *Etakam* denotes *bookhouse* in Tamil (ஏடகம்). The

General Chair of the *Jaffna University International Research Conference (JUICE 2022)* was Professor S.Srisatkunarajah, the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Jaffna. The Conference Chair was Mr.S.Ketheeswaran, Acting Librarian. The keynote address titled *AI/ML Applications for Knowledge Organization in Libraries: Designing a Semi-Automated Subject Indexing System based on LCSH* was delivered by Prof.Parthasarathi Mukhopadhyay, the Professor in Library & Information Science, University of Kalyani, West Bengal, India. The invited speakers were Dr.V.Vimal Kumar, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kerala, India, Dr.N.Suraweera, Department of Library and Information Science, University of Kelaniya, and Dr.M.M.Mashroofa, South Eastern University of Sri Lanka. The conference proceedings consisted of full papers of the keynote address and three invited talks, and nineteen research abstracts presented at the conferences.

### Any other Activities

#### Celebration of Cultural events at the Library

Thai Pongal, one of the most important festivals of Tamils celebrated by the Library staff at the main library University of Jaffna on 15.01.2022.



#### Documentary on Hundred Years of Parameswara

Documentary about the Centenary of Parameswara College prepared by Mrs.M.Visakaruban, Senior Assistant Librarian with others was released by the Library on 11.11.2022 at the Launching of the Centenary Souvenir of the Parameshwara College.



### Outreach activities

On a request from the Eastern University, Sri Lanka to conduct a workshop on "Preserving and Scanning Palm Leaf Manuscripts" for the staff attached to the Department of Languages, Faculty of Arts and Culture, EUSL, Mr R.Kupeshan (Senior Assistant Librarian, Conservation and Preservation) with his team (Mr.T.Liyasuthan (Book Binder) and Mr S.Sivasarman (Book Binder)) visited EUSL and conducted three days of hands-on sessions for the staff attached to the Department of Languages, EUSL.



The content of the session included: Cleaning methods of Ola leaves, Treatment methods for Ola leave, Conservation methods for Ola leave, and Restoration methods of Ola leave. Nearly fifteen staff participated and 30 bundles of Ola leaves were cleaned and treated during three days of hands-on session.

### Future Plan

- The renovation works on the library front face using Library Development Fund.
- Setting up a separate library branch named "Library of Tamilology" and building a good number of reference collections.
- Refurbishing the branch library at the Sir Pon Ramanathan Faculty of Visual and Performing Arts.
- Introducing Electronic Alert Services to the readers on library transactions and updates.
- Enhancing the digitized access to the rare and demand materials of the library to ensure multiple and safe access to the materials.
- Building a collection of antiques and collectibles which would showcase the evolution of regional heritage and culture. Establishing a Jaffna Collection/ Conner (யாழ்ப்பாணக் கருவூலம்) consisting of newspaper clippings, and Jaffna-related books.

## 5.i Memorial Lectures

Name of the Memorial Lecture	Title	Resource Person	Date	Faculty
Prof.Kailasanathakurukkal Memorial Lecture	இந்துநாகரிகத்தை வளம்படுத்துவதில் இலங்கைப் பெண்களின் வகிபங்கு	Dr.(Mrs.).V.Pavanesan, University of Jaffna.	23.02.2022	Hindu Studies
Dr.Nadarajah Sivarajah Memorial Lecture	Some ethical tenets of public health policy	Dr.Palitha Abeykoon	26.02.2022	Medicine
Dr.Arunasalam Sivapathasundaram Memorial Lecture	Curing incurable : Development of Genetic - based therapies for thalassaemia	Prof.Sachith Mettananda, University of Kelaniya	21.03.2022	Medicine
Sivayoga Swami Memorial Lecture	யாழ்ப்பாணத்து சிவயோக சுவாமிகளும் சர்வதேசத்தில் அவரது சிந்தனைப் பரவலாக்கமும்	Rishi Thondunathan Swami, USA.	25.03.2022	Hindu Studies
Prof.C.Sivagnanasundaram Memorial Lecture	Community based Medical Education: Prospects and Challenges	Prof.R.Surenthirakumaran, University of Jaffna	30.03.2022	Medicine
Prof.S.Maheswaran Memorial Lecture	A Journey through the Fascinating World of Endolichenic Fungi: Bioactivity & Secondary Metabolites	Senior Prof.Priyani A. Paranagama, University of Kelaniya	30.05.2022	Science
Prof.S.Kailasapathy Memorial Lecture	தமிழ்த் திரையிசைப் பாடல்களில் சங்க இலக்கியச் செல்வாக்கு	Dr.Pandit.Chelliah Thirunavukkarasu, Teachers' Training College, Kopy.	10.06.2022	Arts
Prof.Somasundaram Kandiah Memorial Lecture	Reviving Sri Lanka's Agriculture- A Herculean Task Ahead	Prof.Buddi Marambe, University of Peradeniya.	21.09.2022	Agriculture
Sir Pon Ramanathan Memorial Lecture	Yoga Psychology and Human Life	Prof.N.Gnanakumaran, University of Jaffna	10.10.2022	Arts
Lady Leelawathy Ramanathan Memorial Lecture	சுதேசிய சமுதக உருவாக்கம் பத்திரிகைகளின் பங்களிப்பு குறித்த ஓர் உடாவுல்	Prof.M.A.M.Rameez, South Eastern University of Sri Lanka.	10.10.2022	Arts
Prof.Kailasanathakurukkal Memorial Lecture	Sanskrit: Language for Hindu Worship a Sri Lankan Perspective	Dr.M.Balakailasanathasarma, University of Jaffna	15.11.2022	Hindu Studies
Dr.A.Somasundarampillai Memorial Lecture	Role of financial literacy in achieving women's financial inclusion and the strategies to improve financial inclusion among women	Prof.(Mrs) R.Yogendrarajah, University of Jaffna	16.11.2022	MS&C
Prof.S.Vithyanathan Memorial Lecture	நாவில்லா உபதேசிகள்: காலனிய யாழ்ப்பாணத்தில் சிறுபுத்தகக் கலாசாரமும் சமயக் கருத்தாடலும்	Dr.S.Sutharsan, University of Peradeniya.	17.11.2022	Arts
Dr.M.Ganesharatnam Memorial Lecture	Surgery Beyond the Scalpel	Dr.Satish Kumar Goonesinghe, The College of Surgeons of Sri Lanka	05.12.2022	Medicine

Table 5.1: Memorial Lectures

## 5.ii Overall Summary of Academic Events in the Faculties/ Other Degree Awarding Entities

Faculty/ Other Degree Awarding Entity	Conferences	URS	Sharing Sessions	Magazines	Journal Published	Orientalions	Webinar	Workshops/ Seminars	Online Discussion	Outreach activities	Guest Lectures	Memorial Lectures	MOU
Agriculture	01	-	-	-	01	01	-	15	-	-	-	01	01
AHS	01	-	-	-	01	01	-	01	-	06	-	-	-
Arts	02	01	07	01	-	02	04	08	01	-	08	04	07
Engineering	01	-	-	-	-	01	-	01	-	-	-	-	03
Hindu Studies	01	-	-	-	-	01	04	02	-	-	-	03	-
MS&C	01	-	-	-	29	03	08	10	01	04	01	01	06
Medicine	01	01	-	-	-	01	-	05	-	25	-	04	01
Science	03	02	-	01	-	01	-	15	-	05	7	01	05
USM	01	-	-	-	-	-	-	08	-	-	-	-	01

Table 5.2: Overall Summary of Academic Events in the Faculties/ Other Degree Awarding Entity

## 5.iii Faculty Needs, Proposals and Utilization of Infrastructure Facilities

### Faculty of AHS

#### 1. Five story building for FAHS

Five story building worth of approximately 1125 million rupees was approved by the Cabinet of Ministry in 2017. The University requested the University Grants Commission as well as the Treasury to allocate at least Rs. 200 Mn to commence the construction of the building. But, due to the country's current economic crisis the money was not released.

#### 2. Four story building for FAHS

The UGC instructed the Universities to plan semi permanent buildings for the Faculties who received additional student intake in 2021. Faculty of Allied Health Sciences proposed a semi permanent building under this project. The above project was later amended to construct a four story building and the construction work was awarded to the Department of Buildings (National). The final architectural plan for the construction of the four story building was finalized.

#### 3. Space for Pharmacy Lab

Department of Pharmacy utilized the laboratory of the Department of Pharmacology, Faculty of Medicine. Due to the increased student number the laboratory was not adequate to conduct practicals for all four batches of B.Pharm students. Therefore, it was decided to allocate the Second floor of the new building of Centre for Open and Distance Learning (CODL), which was nearing completion, to develop a laboratory for the Department of Pharmacy as a temporary measure. The lab will be ready for use by January 2023.

### Faculty of Arts

#### 4. Establishment of Seminar Hall

Faculty of Arts set up a Seminar Hall with the financial assistance of AHEAD project and ceremonially opened on 22.01.2022.

#### 5. Establishment of a Support Centre for Differently abled students

The number of differently-abled students is high at the Faculty of Arts compared to other Faculties. The Faculty of Arts established a support centre for differently abled students under AHEAD project and the Vice Chancellor ceremonially opened it on 12.09.2022.



#### 6. Launch of the 'Integrated Newsroom' at Media Studies

The 'Integrated Newsroom', a novel idea to provide exposure and training to the Media Studies students on print, electronic and new media under one umbrella at the University of Jaffna, was officially launched on the 6th of December 2022.

The Newsroom was established as per the MOU signed between the HELVETAS Intercooperation gGmbH Sri Lanka and the University of Jaffna in order to provide the 'Incubator Space' as a platform for generating creative thoughts.

The project 'Incubator Space for Promoting Information Right and Freedom of Expression' (InSPIRE) is funded by the European Union and jointly implemented by HELVETAS Intercooperation gGmbH Sri Lanka and Sri Lanka Development Journalist Forum.



### Faculty of Engineering

#### 7. Major renovation of Environmental laboratory

A full-fledged environmental laboratory was established through the funds received from various grants. The whole laboratory was partitioned into three sections 1) Laboratory area for undergraduate teaching, 2) Wet laboratory for undergraduate/ postgraduate students and 3) Equipment area. In addition, air-conditioning for special equipment, installation of safety devices, fabrication and commissioning of special type laboratory furniture and flooring were completed.

#### 8. Computer Aided Design (CAD) Laboratory

A new CAD laboratory was established within the department to cater the needs of several core and technical electives that include application of new software and computer programs.

#### 9. Light structure and Materials testing laboratory

Substantial addition of major equipment and facilities were made to Light Structure and Materials Testing Laboratories to enhance the teaching, research, and technical consultancy requirements of the Department of Civil Engineering, funded by World Bank through AHEAD program.

## Faculty of Science

### 10. Opening of the Four-story Building for Department of Computer Science

The construction work of the first three floors of the four-story building of the Department of Computer Science was completed at a cost of about 247.7 million rupees with the financial assistance of the World Bank. The building was ceremonially opened on 01.06.2022 by the Vice-Chancellor. It caters to more than 400 students, houses two laboratories with 100 computers each, a lecture hall cum Auditorium with 160 seating capacity, an IoT laboratory for about 40 students, a conference room, a discussion room and many other facilities required for academic activities.



### 11. Establishing a Research Laboratory at the Department of Physics under AHEAD-DOR project

As part of the ongoing AHEAD-DOR (Development Oriented Research) project funded by the World Bank and administered by the Ministry of Higher Education and Laboratory for Energy Conversion and Storage (LECS) at the Department of Physics is going to be extended. The foundation stone was laid by the Vice Chancellor on 09.06.2022 for the construction of the two-story building for extending the laboratory space in Physics.

## Library

### 12. Preservation and Digitization of Sri Lankan Tamilology Collection- Project 1 (funded by KKTF)

Estimated budget was, initially, **LKR 39,945,000.00**. Subsequently, due to the economic crisis and escalation of prices, additional funds of **LKR 36,216,780.11** was approved. The total estimated budget (amended) of the project is LKR 76,161,780.11

- **Procurement of Goods (Equipment & Furniture)-** LKR 12,262,507.15

#### **Refurbishment works**

Refurbishment work related to the Preservation & Conservation Laboratory, Digitization laboratory, Capturing unit and Archives of the Library progressed with an estimated cost of LKR 32,726,050.00.

- **Ongoing Actions of the Project**

- **MOU with reputed institutions:** Initiatives were taken to sign MOU with *Saraswathi Mahal Library, Thanjavur, Tamil Nadu, India* for resource sharing, necessary training and consultancy. Preparation of the MOU document is in progress.
- **E-repository on ‘Sri Lankan Tamilology collection’:** The Dspace software required for the establishment of e-repository was installed and customized. Selection and scanning of rare materials, based on the scope of the project were in progress.
- **Content extraction and publication of ola-leaf manuscripts:** Content extraction from Ola palm-leaf manuscripts related to the Siddha medicine discipline identified in the Archives collection was in progress. It was envisaged to bring this work as a publication of the Library of the University of Jaffna.
- **Documentation of ‘Kurukulam- Establishment and activities in Jaffna’:** To capture and document the lifestyles and traditions of Sri Lankan Tamils, steps were taken towards preparing a documentary on ‘*Kurukulam activities in Jaffna*’.

### 13. Library of Tamilology (Project 2)- (funded by KKTF)

This library will hold Tamilology collections available at local, national and international levels. 3015 books including 69 pamphlets were procured. Compiling the Elakesari (erstwhile Tamil newspaper) Annual Illustrated Supplement Articles from 1935 to 1956, with the exception of 1939 was in progress and the publication was planned to be released with the opening of the library of Tamilology. The Library of Tamilology planned to host selected photographs of wellknown writers and tamil poets on a digital platform and display selected photographs with a brief biography on a suitable open-source repository platform through a demonstration to reach the public.

### 14. Musicology Library (Project 3)- (funded by KKTF)

**Phase-I-** The total estimated cost of the Project is LKR 6.0 Million.

**Phase-II-** The total estimated cost of the Project is LKR 6,370,000.00 (6.37Million).

## 6. AFFILIATED UNITS

### 6.1. Career Guidance Unit (CGU)

#### Introduction

Career Guidance Unit helps undergraduates to develop their skills and abilities of self-assessment, information seeking and decision making required for coping with the needs of complex world of work and to develop lifelong learning ambitions. Success in Career Guidance depends on providing up-to-date information on training and employment opportunities and having a good knowledge of available opportunities in the local and international training market.

Career Guidance Unit, University of Jaffna currently provides this Career Guidance and Counselling services in an effective manner along with creating awareness on available career development paths.

#### Vision

To be a leading center of excellence in facilitating to produce highly employable graduates who can fit into diverse sectors.

#### Mission

Transform students into zealous professionals by designing and supporting the undergraduates in their efforts to make right career choices and successfully manage their academic, personal and social life.

**Director:** Dr.K.Thabotharan

Services provided by the CGU includes guidance for career path, guidance classes for competitive examinations, skill development programme, English conversation hour, entrepreneurship programme & opportunities, job placements and motivational seminars.

#### Workshops / Seminars/ Training Programmes for Students

Programme	Faculties/ Units	Organized by	Date	Target Group	Participants
"Competitive Exams Preparation - Zoom Lecture Series."		CGU	05.01.2022		45
			12.01.2022		35
			19.01.2022		34
			26.01.2022		47
			02.02.2022		68
			09.02.2022		47
"Competitive Exams Preparation Lecture Series."	Arts & Science	CGU	02.03.2022	1 <sup>st</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> year	07
			09.03.2022		12
			16.03.2022		12
			23.03.2022		17
			30.03.2022		17
			27.07.2022		27
			03.08.2022		58
			10.08.2022		49
			17.08.2022		47
			24.08.2022		29
			31.08.2022		33
			07.09.2022		29
			14.09.2022		20
			21.09.2022		26
			28.09.2022		17
			05.10.2022		15
			05.10.2022		14
			19.10.2022		18
			16.11.2022		119
			23.11.2022		68
31.11.2022	56				
"Communication skill, Leadership and Soft skill Development Session"	Arts	Toastmasters Club	05.01.2022	1 <sup>st</sup> year	122
"Career Investment to the students"	Arts	Colombo Stock Exchange.	27.01.2022	1 <sup>st</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> year	67
"Happy Learning"	Arts	Department Political Science	31.01.2022	1 <sup>st</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> year	68
What's Next	Arts	CGU	31.03.2022	4 <sup>th</sup> year	143
Effective usage of Social Media	Arts & Science	SOND	18.05.2022	1 <sup>st</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> year	50

Orientation for Bachelor Degree Programme in Physical Education	Sports Science Unit	CGU	18.05.2022	1 <sup>st</sup> year	40
Human Resource Development Authority's Career Guidance Program – You are the Miracle	Arts	HRDA	09.06.2022	1 <sup>st</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> year	42
Orientation for Faculty of Arts.	Arts	CGU	20.06.2022	1 <sup>st</sup> year	583
Orientation for Faculty of Hindu Studies.	Hindu Studies	CGU	28.07.2022	1 <sup>st</sup> year	45
Career Guidance Workshop	Arts & Science	CGU	31.08.2022	1 <sup>st</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> year	33
Job Placement program for pass out Students.	Arts & Science	ARPICO Insurance	22.09.2022	1 <sup>st</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> year	29
Human Resource Development Authority's Career Guidance Program – You are the Miracle	Arts	HRDA	05.10.2022	1 <sup>st</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> year	40
“Leadership Program for Aspiring Youth Leaders”	Arts	VISIONS Global Empowerment	8-11 & 16.11.2022	1 <sup>st</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> year	37
Human Resource Development Authority's Career Guidance Program – You are the Miracle	Arts	HRDA	29.11.2022	4 <sup>th</sup> year	45
“How to be Successful in IELTS	Arts	CGU	29& 30.12. 2022	1 <sup>st</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> year	25

## 6.2. Computer Unit

### Introduction

The Computer Unit was established in 1985 under the Dean/Science according to the UGC regulations. The Computer Unit provides computer literacy programmes to all the students of the university.

### Vision

To be a unit of excellence in provision of computer literacy, IT skills and other IT related services to the university and the society.

### Mission

To produce undergraduates with sound knowledge in computer literacy and high standard IT skills and enhance IT skills of the staff from various disciplines.

**Head:** Mr. K. Ananthkrishnan

### Activities

#### Laboratories

At present, the Computer Unit has 6 labs, each accommodates 30-50 computers, out of which 5 laboratories are for conducting practical and one for Internet access for staff and students. The Computer Unit provides laboratories to conducting computer aided course units on request of the respective faculties. It makes laboratory provision for self-finance courses or specially arranged workshops, charging a nominal fee per a computer per an hour basis.

Services provided by the Computer Unit includes: Providing Lab Facilities, Troubleshooting and Maintenance of ICT Equipments, Installation of Software and Providing Security Software, Preparing Specifications and Technical Evaluations reports, Conducts IT related Special Training Programs for University Staff, Assisting the University Staff for their ICT Requirements, Advisory Services & Technical Support for Students, Network Operating Centre (NOC) Maintenance, Maintenance of Campus-Wide network, Development and Maintenance of the Wi-Fi Network, Overseeing the Installation, Operation and Maintenance of the Intercom System, Preparing Specifications and estimate for Networking, LMS Administration, Web development and maintenance, Providing university mail accounts, Cloud services (Google and Microsoft) and Zoom accounts.

### Courses Conducted by Computer Unit for Degree Programmes in 2022

Faculty/ Unit	Course	Unit Code	Credit	Hours	No of Students
Arts	Computer Literacy	CLA 11022	2	45	590
Law	Computer Literacy	ALCLA 11022	2	45	98
Hindu Studies	Computer Literacy	HCLA 12012	2	45	50
SPRPVA	Computer Literacy	ACLA	2	45	180
Siddha	IT	-	2	55	100
AHS	Basic Computer Literacy	AHSBCL 1120	2	55	165
Sports Science Unit	Computer Literacy	PECL2123	2	45	38

Science	Computer Literacy	COL 100	-	35	398
	Software tools for scientific calculations	ITE 301G2	2	60	52
	Computational and Scientific Programming using Python	ITE 302G2	2	60	52
	Web Development Technologies	ITE 303G2	2	60	52
Medicine	Introductory Programme	-	-	15	175
External (BA) Level I	IT	EX. AITF 12013	3	75	458
External (BA) Level II	IT	EX. AITF 22013	3	75	-
External (BA) Level III	IT	EX. AITF 32013	3	75	-
Post Graduate (MEd)	IT	MED 11062	2	45	200

### **IT, Web and LMS survey**

These surveys were done by Computer Unit by obtaining data from entities, visiting the sitemap of the main LMS system of the university and each and every web page in the university site. Faculty of Agriculture, Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce and Centre for Open and Distance Learning have separate Moodle LMS systems. Faculty of Engineering has LMS in Microsoft Teams. The data were collected from them accordingly.

### **Discussion of Proposals on the ICT in the Institute under the Ministry of Education**

A report was submitted to UGC on 17.10.2022 regarding the capacity building in ICT and Digital education, providing details on current status of the capacity of ICT and new proposals to improve the ICT usage. Dr. E. Y. A. Charles (Senior Lecturer, Department of Computer Science) and Mr. K. Ananthakrishnan (Head / Computer Unit) drafted the report.

### **An Investigation towards Digital-transformation of the Higher Education System in Sri Lanka**

Vice chancellor appointed Head / Computer Unit as the focal point of University of Jaffna to the survey which is being conducted by National Education Commission (NEC) in collaboration with Lanka Education and Research Network (LEARN). This survey is to assess the current status in relation to digital infrastructure and the extent of adopting ICT-based tools and applications by the State Universities in academic, research and general administration matters. The findings of this study will facilitate the NEC to formulate a policy proposal and strategic activities to promote the digital transformation of higher education along with a roadmap for building the ICT capacity in the National University System.

### **Serving as Resource Persons in various programmes**

- Mr. K. Ananthakrishnan
  1. Induction program 2022- Managing Large Documents using Ms Word (12.08.2022)
  2. Induction program 2022- Making effective PPT Presentation (09.09.2022)
  3. Capacity Building programme to the Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service Officials of Kilinochchi Zone – Teaching and Learning via Video conferencing.
  4. Workshop for MAs by SDC -Word processing and Documentation using MS Word (02.03.2022).
  5. LMS training for Master of Education for MED 2021/2022
  6. LMS training for B.A External on 06.03.2022
- Mrs. P. Balendren
  1. Capacity Building programme to the Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service Officials (ZDE, DDEs and ADEs)- Results Analysis using Excel.
  2. Workshop for Management Assistants- Microsoft Excel. (09.03.2022)
- Mrs. V. Surendranathan- LMS training for B.A External on 06.03.2022
- Mrs. S. Aravinthan- LMS training for B.A External on 06.03.2022
- Mr. S. Sivaraj
  1. LMS training for MA Christian Studies - 2022/2023 batch
  2. LMS training for Master of Education for MED- 2021/2022 batch
  3. LMS training for B.A External on 06.03.2022
  4. Training programme in Google Workspace for Management Assistants (23.03.2022)
- Mr. R. Sanjeevan- LMS training for Master of Education for MED 2021/2022 batch
- Mrs. K. S. Niroshan- Management Information System Development team (MISD) of the UOJ.
- Mr. A. Jeyakanth, Mr. A. Kokulan and Mr. M. Nadanathevan
  1. Workshop for Management Assistants- Troubleshooting for PCs, Laptops, Network and other IT equipment. (30.03.2022)
  2. Capacity Building programme to the Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service Officials of Kilinochchi Zone - Troubleshooting for PCs, Laptops, Network and other IT equipment.

### 6.3. Physical Education Unit

#### Introduction

The sports activities were very satisfactory in 2022. Students were able to take part in the District, Inter University and National level competitions and emerged as Champions, Runner-ups and 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner-ups and got individual places as well. Moreover, athletes of University of Jaffna represented the Sri Lanka National University Teams.

The orientation programmes for the 1<sup>st</sup> year students of different faculties were facilitated by the unit. Necessary assistance and arrangements were provided to conduct the Bachelor of Science (Honours in Physical Education) and Diploma Course in Physical Education by the Sports Science Unit. Sports activities at special week Programmes of the students of every faculty, the Inter Faculty Championships, Individual Open Tournaments and Team Selection were conducted by the Unit.



#### Vision

To become a centre of excellence in guiding undergraduates to develop a balanced personality through sports.

#### Mission

To provide opportunities to undergraduates to engage in indoor and outdoor games and thus acquire physical fitness and mental comfort.

Physical Education Unit involves in the preparation and organizing the sports activities for students namely National Championships, Inter University Championships, District Championships, Inter Faculty Championships, Individual University Open Tournaments, Team Selection and Intra Faculty Week Programmes.

**Director:** Mr. K. Ganeshanathan

#### Activities/Achievements

##### • Inter University Championship – 2022

29 Teams of University of Jaffna took part in 18 games/ sports in the Inter University Championship- 2022 held at various universities from 04.11.2022 to 08.01.2023 and won several places. 16 State Universities participated in this championship.

Basketball women team of University of Jaffna became the champion. Hockey men and Road Race teams secured Runner-up. Football and Volleyball men teams became 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner-up. Members from Road Race, Weightlifting (men), Taekwondo (men & women), Wrestling (men), Track & Field (Men), Karate (women) teams received medals. Cricket team entered the Semi Final.

##### • Sri Lanka National University Basketball Team Representation

The following players of University of Jaffna represented the Sri Lanka National University Basketball & Hockey teams: Ms. P. Keerthana (Basketball- women), Ms. B. Banu (Basketball- women), Ms. K. Tamilarasi (Basketball- women), Mr. S. Pavithiran (Basketball- men), Mr. J.B. Ajay Staphan (Basketball- men), Mr. R. Shangeevan (Hockey- men)



##### • Colours Nite

Colours Nite- 2019 sports awarding ceremony was celebrated on 12.03.2022 on a grand scale. Prof.S. Srisatkunarajah, Vice-Chancellor, University of Jaffna graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.



##### • Vice-Chancellor's Trophy - Cricket Encounter

The University of Jaffna organized the University Cricket League- VC TROPHY- 2022 tournament for staff teams that was held on 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2022 at the University of Jaffna with coordination and facilitation of Physical Education Unit.



#### Future plan

- Purchasing sports and sports related equipment.
- Purchasing books, magazines related to sports/ physical education, e-journals & e-books on our website.
- Staff Development and cadre expansion.

- Improving office with conference room.
- Improving and enriching newly built indoor stadium with necessary amenities and equipment.

### **Failures and Justification**

Due to economic crisis of the country regular physical education activities in the early part of the year were not held and funds for Physical Education activities were not received.

## **6.4. Strategic Planning and Management Information System Unit (SP&MIS)**

### **Introduction**

The unit engages with the preparation of strategic plan and action plan of the university and design and development of student and staff portal for the University Management Information System.

**Director:** Dr. (Mrs.) S.Mahenthiran Aloysius

### **Strategic Plan and Action Plan**

A new format of strategic plan was developed with five major goals to achieve vision of the university. Vision and mission statements, goals, and core strategies were modified and business level strategies and core values were developed. A committee consisting of the Vice Chancellor, all Deans, Director CQA, Director/ SP & MIS unit and the faculty representatives met six times to finalize SWOT analysis.

### **Management Information System- MyUoJ**

Management information systems have become an integral part of any organization to obtain a better outcome towards an all-inclusive system with a coordinated and sustainable approach.

The Computer Unit of the University of Jaffna has been providing ICT related services to the University community. Due to the limited number of staff, the Computer Unit was not able to fulfill the need of an MIS for the University, hence an initiative taken by the Vice chancellor by selecting capable staff members throughout the university and create a team for MIS development and house software development team considering operational and economic advantages. The members of the system development team are as follows:

- Consultant: Dhananjeyan Balaretnaraja (Software Architect at TIQRI)
- Team lead: Dr. E. Y. A. Charles (Senior lecturer, Department of Computer Science)
- Developers:
  1. Mr. Yogarajah Kesavan (Assistant Librarian)
  2. Mr. Veerasingam Visithan (Programmer, Department of Computer Science)
  3. Mr. Yogarajah Achchuthan (Instructor in Computer Technology, Faculty of MS& C)
  4. Mr. Vallipuram Sasikumar (Instructor in Computer Technology, Faculty of Arts)
  5. Ms. S. N. Keerthiha (System Analyst, Computer Unit)
  6. Ms. Nijani Niroshan (System Analyst, Center for Open and Distance Learning)
  7. Ms. Ann Anobiya Alstan (System Analyst, Faculty of Medicine)
  8. Ms. Elilmatha Illankumaran (Instructor in Computer Technology, Unit of Siddha Medicine)

The system named and styled as MyUoJ intends to automate the student registration process, welfare services, and part of the examination process in the first phase. The registration process was completed and the system is under test run. Other components are being developed. The system is being developed using the current technologies and incorporating the standard industry practices.

## **6.5. University Business Linkage Unit (UBL)**

### **Introduction**

The University Business Linkage Unit of the University of Jaffna is established in accordance with University Grant Commission's Circular No. 10/2016, dated 25.07.2016. UBL conducted several workshops, webinars and sessions to educate the academics from different faculties. UBL also provided immense support through its Technology Innovation Support Centre (TISC) in terms of Intellectual Property values.

### **Vision**

To achieve sustainable growth for Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME)s in the regional economy through tacit collaboration of the university with public/private enterprises.

### **Mission**

To create tangible and intangible value to boost the economic activity of the region's MSMEs through mentoring, knowledge sharing, new and novel approaches, innovations and technology transfer.

**Director:** Mr.T.Eswaramohan

## Achievements

### 1. The First Patent owned by University of Jaffna- Smart Faucet

The patent titled “An automated faucet with an integral liquid washing dispenser for regulated handwashing” was awarded to University of Jaffna.

### 2. The Second Patent owned by the University of Jaffna- PEMS

The patent titled “An Internet of things (IoT) based low-cost portable emission measurement system (PEMS)” was awarded to the University of Jaffna.

### 3. The First Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) of University of Jaffna

PCT titled “system and method for automobile emission measurement” was published under the Patent Cooperation Treaty dated 09.09.2022.

### 4. The First Product Launch Ceremony

Bael syrup incorporating drinking yogurt was invented by the Department of Animal Science, Faculty of Agriculture and launched to the market by Mullai Dairy Products under a MOU with university.

### 5. Signing of Second Licencing Agreement

Super Compost, which is a nutritionally rich and biologically fortified compost through composting of Mushroom Industry waste + Fish Industry waste + Livestock waste using exotic earthworm and beneficial microbe’s consortia. This invention was licensed to Thampa Plantations, Vavuniya.

### 6. Signing of Third Licencing Agreement and First Sponsored Research Agreement

The research titled ‘Cellulose Reinforced Bio-composite using Poly Lactic Acid (PLA), and Thermoplastic Starch (TPS)’ referred to as “Bioplastic” in simple terms was developed at the Department of Agricultural Chemistry, Faculty of Agriculture and Department of Biosystems Technology, Faculty of Technology, University of Jaffna.

## Staff achievements

The U.S. Department of Commerce, Commercial Law Development Program (CLDP), invited the Director and Manager of UBL-Jaffna to participate in the sixth installment of the Sri Lanka Technology Transfer series, “Value Sharing Through Licensing” that took place from September 26-28, 2022, in Kathmandu, Nepal. This workshop was a continuation of the multi-series hybrid program that consisted of prerecorded webinars, and virtual sessions. It focused on exercises and mock negotiations to tie-in the major elements identified and discussed in the earlier sessions.



## Details of the Workshops/ Seminars

Programme Theme	National/ International	Organized by	Date	Target Group	Participants
Innovation	National	SDC	02.07.2022	Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service Officials	25
UBL-Jaffna and regional economic Development	National	Small Enterprise Development Division of Jaffna District	27.10.2022	Development officers	25
Intellectual Property Rights	National	Faculty of MS&C and UBL	01.12.2022	Second year Management students	100

## Outreach Activities

Meeting government heads, industrial officers, manufacturers and entrepreneurs.

## Future Plan

- Completing phase 4 action of World Bank AHEAD
- Setting up consultation and analytics services
- Innovation and startup ecosystem development for students and staff

## 7. CENTRES

### 7.1. Centre for Open and Distance Learning (CODL)

#### Introduction

CODL was established in 1991 and currently student population who follow under the open and distance mode is approximately 2500. The prime objective of the CODL is to provide educational opportunities for those who are eligible for university entrance but not registered with any universities under UGC admission mechanism.

**Director:** Prof.(Mrs.) R.Yogendrarajah

#### Award of Degree:

Degree Name	General Convocation	
	35 <sup>th</sup> (Part II)	36 <sup>th</sup> (Part I)
Bachelor of Business Management	62	83
Bachelor of Commerce degree programme	-	63
<b>Total</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>146</b>

#### Student Enrolment:

Name of the courses	Intake 2022	Intake 2022		Number of Students/ Persons			
		M	F	1 <sup>st</sup> year	2 <sup>nd</sup> year	3 <sup>rd</sup> year	4 <sup>th</sup> Year
Bachelor of Arts	532	185	347	527	371	355	-
Bachelor of Commerce	-			138	113	119	58
Bachelor Business Management	175	88	87	229	115	115	-

#### Details of Resources and Students

The following table shows the number of students following courses in 2022.

Course	Total Number of Students	Number of Resource Persons
B.A	1253	122
B.Com	428	45
B.B.M	459	30

#### Activities by Centre for Open and Distance Learning

Various activities conducted by Centre for Open and Distance Learning, University of Jaffna. Please refer: <http://www.codl.jfn.ac.lk/>.

### 7.2. Centre for Quality Assurance (CQA)

#### Introduction

The University of Jaffna has developed its Internal Quality Enhancement System (IQES) to institutionalize enhancement and sustenance of quality in all key areas of delivery. Under this system, the CQA at University level and Internal Quality Assurance Cells (IQACs) at Faculty level have been established to enhance quality, and ensure and sustain academic standards.

**Director-** Prof.(Mrs.)M.Senthilnathan

Name of the Coordinator	Academic Entity
Prof. (Mrs.) N. Gnanavelrajah (up to August 2022) Dr. R. Eeswaran (since August 2022)	Faculty of Agriculture
Dr. (Mrs.) S. Sivasinthujah Mrs. K. Mathan	Faculty of Allied Health Sciences Faculty of Arts
Dr. K. Ahilan (up to August 2022) Dr. B. Janarathan (since August 2022)	Faculty of Engineering
Prof. S. Raguram (up to 22.09.2022) Prof. K. Velauthamurthy (since 03.10.2022)	Faculty of Graduate Studies
Dr. M. Balakailasanathasharma (up to 13.10.2022) Mr. S. Navaneethakrishnan (since 14.10.2022)	Faculty of Hindu Studies
Dr. (Mrs.) S. Vaikunthavasan Dr. K. Guruparan	Faculty of Management Studies & Commerce Faculty of Medicine
Prof. S. N. Surendran Dr. T. Ketheesan	Faculty of Science Faculty of Technology
Dr. (Mrs.) K. Sounthararajan (up to April 2022) Dr. (Mrs.) V. Sathiyaseelan (since April 2022)	Unit of Siddha Medicine
Dr. (Mrs.) S. Jeyakumar	Sir Ponnambalam Ramanathan Faculty of Performing & Visual Arts

Dr. S. Sabaanath (up to May 2022) Dr. K. Ketheswaran (since May 2022)	Sports Science Unit
Dr. V. Sritharan	Centre for Open & Distance Learning
Mrs T. Janen	Library

## Reforms

### • Policies and By-laws of University of Jaffna

In view of enhancing the governance and management of University of Jaffna, the following documents were developed and approved by the University Council on the recommendation of the Senate in the year 2022.

Document Type	Date recommended by Senate	Date approved by Council	Title of the Document
Updated	23.11.2021	29.01.2022	Sub-Committees of the Council and the Senate and Management of the University
Ammended	26.02.2022	26.03.2022	Vision, Mission and Core Values of the University
New	22.03.2022	26.03.2022	Policy on Indexing Codes, Policies and By-Laws
New	22.08.2022	27.08.2022	Response Management System at University of Jaffna

### • Proposals for New Degree Programmes

It is mandatory to obtain the clearance from the Quality Assurance Council (QAC) of the UGC for proposals for new Degree Programmes, Departments and Faculties of the University. During 2022, a proposal for the undergraduate degree programme namely BA Honours in English Language Teaching by the Department of English Language Teaching (DELT) was submitted.

QAC Evaluation Status: Proposal was received by QAC, UGC on 30.11.2022, QAC proposal evaluation report was received by CQA on 19.12.2022 and proposal was being revised by the DELT based on the evaluation report.

### • Meetings of the Senate Standing Committee on Quality Assurance

The Senate Standing Committee on Quality Assurance, consisted of 45 members, met 12 times during the year 2022 (on monthly basis) and had discussions on matters related to enhancing the quality of education at the university.

The Coordinators of Faculty level IQACs reported the progress of the respective IQACs in each quarter through scorecards. Also, Directors of Centres and Heads of Units reported the progress of the respective Centres and Units regularly to the Committee. Further, the Committee closely monitored the progress in development of documentaries by the faculties, preparation of SERs for external programme reviews, action plans for the reviewed study programmes and implementation of the said action plans. Notably, the Director of QAC of UGC, Prof Tilak P D Gamage, visited the University of Jaffna on 23.09.2022 and reviewed the progress of the CQA and the IQACs of University of Jaffna with respect to QA activities.

### • Workshops/Training Programmes

The following QA related workshops/training programmes were conducted in collaboration with the SDC, UOJ during the year under review:

Date	Topic	Resource Person(s)	Participants	Organized by
25.02.2022	Peer Evaluation	Mr. S. Athitharan	73	IQAC/Arts (SDC)
13.08.2022	Curriculum Development Policy, UOJ	Prof. S. N. Surendran	72	SDC
12.09.2022	Publication Ethics & University Ranking	Mrs. T. Janen & Dr. M. Thanishaichelvan	68	IQAC/Arts & CQA (SDC)
22.09.2022	University Ranking	Dr. M. Thanishaichelvan	42	IQAC/ Management Studies & Commerce
23.09.2022	Research Repository, UOJ	Mrs. T. Janen	20	IQAC/Siddha Medicine
24.09.2022 (Induction Programme)	QA for HEIs, Institutional Review, and Student Engagement	Prof. G. Mikunthan	77	SDC
	QA Process & Management of Study Programmes	Prof. (Ms). V. Arasaratnam	79	
	Programme Monitoring & Review	Prof. (Mrs.) M. Senthilnathanan	82	
	QA Standards for T-L in HEIs & Scoring System for PR	Dr. R. Vijayakumaran	77	
14.10.2022	Evidence Collection for SER	Prof. (Mrs.) M. Senthilnathanan	22	IQAC/ Management Studies & Commerce

18.10.2022	Lessons Learnt from 2019 PR & Preparing for 2023 PR	Prof. (Ms.) V. Arasaratnam & Prof. (Mrs.) M. G. Sathiathas		IQAC/Medicine (SDC)
21.10.2022	Internal Programme Review	Prof. G. Mikunthan	70	IQAC/Arts & CQA (SDC)
24.11.2022	International Ranking System & UOJ Research Publications	Mrs. T. Janen	37	IQAC/ Management Studies & Commerce
30.11.2022	Electronic Staff Appraisal Form	Dr. K. Thabotharan & Mr. Y. Kesavan	17	IQAC/Engineering & CQA

## Programme Reviews

### • External Programme Reviews

The external reviews of the Science and Engineering study programmes, which were not conducted in 2021 due to the prevailed Covid-19 pandemic situation, were rescheduled for 2022.

The status of the said external programme reviews are given below:

Faculty	Phase I / II	Name of the Study Programme	Review Panel	Status
Engineering	Phase I	BSc in Engineering (Civil Engineering, Electrical & Electronic Engineering, Mechanical & Process Engineering, and Computer Engineering)	Prof. Sudhira de Silva (RC) Prof. Prasadini Gamage Dr. KAC Udayakumar Prof. RARC Gopura	Site visit of the review panel was held from 26-27 August 2022. Draft PR report was received on 08.11.2022 stating the overall score of 87.9% and <b>A Grade</b> .
Science	Phase I	BSc Hons (Computer Science)	Prof. P M Jayaweera (RC) Dr. M B M Irshad Prof Sriyani Wickramasinghe	Site visit of the review panel held from 8-9 November 2022. Draft PR report was awaited.
	Phase I	BSc	Prof Prasad Sethunga (RC) Dr. T Mathiventhan Dr. S Arasaratnam	Site visit of the review panel held on 19.12.2022. Draft PR report was awaited.
	Phase II Cluster A	BScHons. (Botany, Chemistry, Zoology and Fisheries Science)	Prof. Dinesh Jayasena (RC) Prof. D. P. Dissanayake Prof Sriyani Wickramasinghe Prof. K. D. Prasanna Priyanth Gunathilake	Documentary evidence uploading was in progress.
	Phase II Cluster B	BScHons (Mathematics, Physics, Statistics, Applied Science and Computer Science)	Prof. N. W. B. Balasooriya (RC) Dr. J. M. W. Jayasinghe Dr. V. Sivakumar Dr. M. I. S. Safeena	Documentary evidence uploading was in progress.

The status of external review of the external study programme is given below:

Centre	Name of the Study Programme	Review Panel	Status
CODL	Bachelor of Business Management (external) study programme	Prof. M. H. Thowfeek (RC) Prof. D. A. M. De Silva Dr. Pratheesh Pretheeba	Documentary evidence were uploaded. Stakeholder meetings were completed.

### • Internal Programme Reviews

A Sub-committee, appointed under the chairmanship of Prof. G. Mikunthan in February 2021, continued discussions regarding preparation of a *Manual on Quality Assurance Reviews* during the year under review. Internal review process of BA study programmes was initiated in September 2022.

### • Implementation of Action Plans of reviewed Study Programmes and Institution

The Faculty level IQACs are assigned the task of reporting the progress in implementation of Action Plans of the respective study programmes while the CQA of the University undertakes the duty of reporting the progress in implementation of the approved Institutional Action Plan.

The status on submission of progress reports on the implementation of action plans of the reviewed study programmes is given below:

Year of PR	Faculty/ Institution	Study Programme reviewed	Date of Senate approval for Action Plan	No. of Submissions of Progress Reports on Implementation of Action Plans
2017	Hindu Studies	Hindu Civilization	23.03.2021	00
		Hindu Philosophy		
		Sanskrit		
	Arts	General Degree	23.03.2021	01
		Languages		
		Social Sciences II		
		Social Sciences I		
Religious and Culture				
	Humanities			
2018	Arts	Bachelor of Laws	22.06.2021	01
		Cluster (BFA)		
	MS&C	B.Com Honors	31.07.2019	01
		BBA Honors		
2019	Medicine	MBBS	23.03.2021	01
	AHS	Bachelor of Pharmacy	23.03.2021	03
		BSc in Nursing		03
		BSc in MLS		03
	Agriculture	BSc in Agriculture	20.04.2021	03
	USM	Bachelor of Siddha Medicine and Surgery	16.02.2021	04

### Revision of Strategic Plan

The Strategic Plan of the University for 2023- 2027 was revised by setting the following goals:

- Goal 1: Promoting and sustaining quality of teaching and learning
- Goal 2: Strengthening Research and Innovation
- Goal 3: Strengthening the governance of the University
- Goal 4: Developing Human and Physical Capitals
- Goal 5: Expanding Service Coverage Within and Outside the University

### Establishment of University Ranking Enhancement Committee

A University Ranking Enhancement Committee was established to improve the institutional ranking of University of Jaffna, mainly through enhancing scholarly research publications.

### University Research Repository

The status of scholarly publications uploaded in the University R-Repository was regularly reported by the IQAC Coordinator of Library to the Senate Standing Committee on QA.

The number of publications uploaded in the University R-Repository up to 30.11.2022 is given below:

Entity	No. of uploaded Publications
Faculty of Agriculture	473
Faculty of Arts	701
Faculty of Allied Health Sciences	128
Faculty of Engineering	437
Faculty of Graduate Studies	70
Faculty of Hindu Studies	149
Library	143
Faculty of Management Studies & Commerce	405
Faculty of Medicine	1237
Faculty of Science	490
Faculty of Technology	151
Unit of Siddha Medicine	131
SPRFPVA	17
Sports Science Unit	88
UOJ Publications	2373
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6993</b>

### Electronic Staff Appraisal Form

A Sub-committee, appointed in November 2020 under the leadership of Dr. K. Thabotharan, submitted the initial draft of the electronic staff appraisal form in July 2022 and the said document was circulated among the IQAC Coordinators, Director of CODL, Deans of Faculties and Heads of Academic Units for their observations. Comments were received from nine academic entities during the year under review.

### 7.3. Staff Development Centre (SDC)

#### Introduction

The main objectives of the SDC are to engage in continuous improvement of the human resources capacity of the University of Jaffna and thereby promote allegiance of the staff to the University's vision and core values; introduce modern and innovative technologies and tools into the business of the University, and thereby improve the relevant knowledge and competencies and attitudes of all the categories of staff at all levels to provide the best learning experience to the students. In the pursuit of the above objectives, the SDC conducts various training workshops/webinars for the staff of the University of Jaffna and the other HEIs and the community.

**Director:** Dr.R.Vijayakumaran

#### Interaction with Local/ Foreign Universities and others

##### Memorandum of Understanding

The SDC signed an MOU with the Provincial Department of Education, Northern Province to conduct a Capacity Building Programme for the Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service Officials (ZDE, DDEs and ADEs) on online teaching and learning skills, administrative and psycho social skills in collaboration with the Provincial Department of Education, Northern Province under the Koica- Unicef project.

#### Workshops/ Seminars/ Training Programmes conducted by the University

##### i. Induction programme for probationary staff

SDC conducts induction programme for an augmented curriculum specified in the training manual on induction programme for academic staff of Sri Lankan Universities. The curriculum incorporated many new topics such as quality assurance, gender equity and equality (GEE), gender based violence (GBV), leadership skills, mindfulness etc.

The SDC successfully conducted certificate awarding ceremony for the participants of the Induction Programme in 2021 and successfully completed Induction programme for probationary staff-2022 in which more than 75 workshops were conducted in various and wide ranging topics with the resource persons of high caliber of academic quality and professionalism. Participation in workshops in 2022 ranged from 75 to 95.

##### ii. Continuous Professional Development (CPD) Workshops

The SDC conducted following workshops/webinars for the professional development of the staff of the University of Jaffna during the year 2022.

Date	Topics	Resource Persons	Staff	No of Staff
19.01.2022	Emotional Intelligence and Empathy	Dr. (Mrs). Nithya Tharmaseelan, Monash University, Australia	Academic and non-academic staff	26
20.01.2022	Let's Read Free- Digital Library for Children	Mrs. Dinesha de Silva Wikramayake Dr. (Mrs) K. Chandrasekaram Mr. Anton Satkunam Mr. Joel Jeyanathan, Ms. Shalini Amarasekera	Academic and non-academic staff	45
25.01.2022	Peer Evaluation	Dr. S. Athirathan, University of Colombo	Academic staff	50
10.08.2022	Global Ranking in Higher Education	Dr. C.C. Jayasundara, Librarian, University of Kelaniya	Academic and administrative staff	45
25.01.2022	Publication Ethics	Senior Prof. L.P.Jayatissa, University of Ruhuna	Academic staff	28
12.11.2022	Filling Income Tax return and Inland Revenue Amendment	Mrs.Sivananthini Theivaseela (Deputy Commissioner, Inland Revenue Department)	Academic and non-academic staff	58
30.11.2022	Publishing Research in Index Journals	Prof. Jayantha Dewasiri, Sabaragamuwa University of Sri Lanka	Academic staff	52
09.12.2022	Supervisory Relationship in Higher Degree by Research	Dr. Rob Watson, Graduate Research School Coordinator, Graduate Research School,	Academic staff	40

##### iii. Training workshop for Technical Officers and Management Assistants- 2022

Date	Topics	Resource Persons	No of staff
<b>Computer skills for Management Assitants- 2022</b>			
09.03.2022	Word processing and Documentation using MS Word	Mr. K. Ananthakrishnan, Head, Computer Unit	39

16.03.2022	Handling Electronic Spreadsheet using MS Excel	Mrs.P.Balendran, Lecturer, Computer Unit	36
23.03.2022	Google Workspace	Mr.S.Sivaraj, Instructor in Computer Technology, Computer Unit	35
30.03.2022	Maintaining Website using Word Press	Mr.Y.Achchuthan, Instructor in Copmputer Technology, Faculty of Management Studies and Commerce	32
06.04.2022	Troubleshooting for PCs, Laptops, Network and other IT equipments	Mr.A.Jeyakanth, Mr.A.Kokulan, Mr.M.Nadanathevan, Technical Officers, Computer Unit.	19
27.04.2022	Word Press for Management Assistants and Technical Officers of the Faculty of Arts	Mr. N. Thileepan, Management Assistant/Dept. of Computer Science	20

#### 4. Outreach activities

The Staff Development Centre of the University of Jaffna conducted a Capacity Building Programme for the Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service Officials (ZDE, DDEs and ADEs) on online teaching and learning skills and administrative and psycho social skills in collaboration with the Provincial Department of Education, Northern Province under the Koica- Unicef project from 01.07.2022 to 23.09.2022. SDC earned LKR 474,470.00 from the above programme.

#### 5. Future plan

##### Academic staff

1. Developing new modules for the CPD training Programmes and conduct workshops on Academic Administration, Academic Mentoring, Student Mentoring, GEE, Internet of Things (IOT), Role-play on Academics ethics.
2. Revising the curriculum of the Induction programme for academic probationary staff.
3. Conducting a short course in English (preparing for IELTS)
4. Conducting more workshops on research skills, scholarship opportunities, admission producedures in order to increase the number of enrolment to PhD programmes.

##### Administrative and non-academic staff

1. Conducting training workshops for **technical officers** on first aid procedures in the workplace and lab safety, procurement procedures, 5S system.
2. Providing hands-on training workshops for **management assistants** on Website maintenance- Word Press and other softwares and communications.
3. Conducting training workshops for **Works Aides**.
4. Conducting training workshops for **administrative staff and other non-academic staff** on 5S system and soft skills.

##### Outreach activities

1. Conducting professional development workshops for school teachers
2. Conducting a short course on Gender Equity and Equality (GEE) with CGEE.
3. Conducting a training programme on Internet of Things (IOT)

#### 7.4. Centre for Gender Equity and Equality (CGEE)

University of Jaffna is the first among the Sri Lankan Universities to take initiative to establish GEE Cell with the intention of instituting a socially and gender-sensitive University sub-culture and an environment of freedom and security that allows students and all university staff to pursue their study and work without discrimination and oppression.

The Goal of the Centre is to promote Gender Equity and Equality in the University of Jaffna by facilitating the establishment of gender sensitive university cultures and university environments which allow students and university staff (academic/ administrative/ support) to pursue their work without oppression and discrimination.

**Director:** Dr.(Mrs.) S.Shanmugathas

#### Symposium/Workshops/Discussion Forum/Lectures

Date	Particulars	Target Group	Participants
14.02.2022	Centre for Gender Equity and Equality, University of Jaffna joined the collective global campaign One Billion Rising this year and it's celebrated as an artistic uprising	CGEE members	10

02.03.2022	Discussion forum titled" Exploring Gender: A dialogue in English and Tamil"	Staff and Students	65
08.03.2022	International women's day was celebrated in collaboration with UNHCR, JSAC and the District Secretariate Kilinochchi	Members of the CGEE, University of Jaffna, Staff of the District Secretariat, Killinochchi, women development officers, Community Based organizations, JSAC representatives, UNHCR representatives, and the public participated in this event	150
30.03.2022	An orientation session on 'Gender-based violence and gender equality	Law Department students	30
25.04.2022	An awareness session for the freshers at the Physical science units was conducted on	Freshers of the physical science unit	40
27.04.2022	Webinar on the title 'Gender Equality as one of the sustainable development goals	2nd-year students of the Faculty of MS& C	85
03.06.2022	Orientation lecture on 'Gender Equity and Equality,	for the freshers of the Faculty of MS& C	400
09.06.2022	Steps toward change social action programme under active citizen project and CGEE have jointly scheduled an awareness session on SGBV at Navatkuli Mahavithyalayam	Students and teachers	65
13.06.2022	Steps toward change social action programme under active citizen project and CGEE have jointly scheduled an awareness session on SGBV at Navatkuli Mahavithyalayam	Students, Teachers and Parents	85
05.06.2022-20.07.2022.	Learning Gender 'Pre-semester' 15 hours course	freshers of the Faculty of MS& C	410
29.07.2022	Introduction to CGEE and Learning gender	Faculty of Science first-year Students of the faculty of science	150
25.07.2022-29.09.2022	Learning Gender 'Pre-semester' 15 hours course	freshers of the Faculty of Allied Health Science	80
10.10.2022-18.11.2022	Learning Gender 'Pre-semester' 15 hours course	freshers of the Faculty of Hindu Studies	49
22.07.2022	Prize giving and awareness workshop for parents under the Steps toward change social action programme under the active citizen project	Students, Staff, and parents of Navatkuli Mahavithyalayam, CGEE members	60
29.09.2022-19.10.2022	Learning Gender 'Pre-semester' 15 hours course	freshers of the Faculty Arts	600
22.09.2022	Follow-up of International women's Day celebration- 'networking the Donors and women in need'. In this programme CGEE team has linked the Donors and the women who need help to continue, start, empower their livelihoods, and fulfil their ambitions in fine Arts	10 women in need, 11 donors, CGEE members	35
28.09.2022	1 <sup>st</sup> research symposium on gender Equity and equality was conducted by the CGEE in collaboration with UNDP, JSAC. The first lady Prof. Maithree Wickramasinghe chaired the conference and addressed a keynote on the theme "Sustainable Development through Gender Equity and Equality in the New Normal- An Ontological Perspective".	Academic, non-academic, and academic support staff, CGEE's present members, former members, council members, staff of UNDP, JSAC, OFERR Ceylon, Women counsellors, women development officers, local governance authorities, and students participated in this symposium	450
03.10.2022	Workshops on 'learning gender'	freshers of the faculty of science	100
14.12.2022	Gender Matters -Gender dialogues series 2-women and economics	Staff and Students	65
21.12.2022	'Reproductive well-being' awareness dialogue	Staff and Students	80
June/ July	Faculty and Unit level gender cells established	Faculty Staff and Students	
September/ December	'Drawing competition on the title gendered impact of the Economic crisis of Sri Lanka	Whole Sri Lankan people	

### Summary of Activities

Meetings	47
Awareness sessions	5
'Learning gender' conducted in faculties	4
Posters	5
Banners	2
Gender Dialogues series	2
Collaborative works with GOs/NGOs/INGOs	4
Research Symposium	1
Competition	1
Faculty /unit level cells established	3
Community outreach activities	4
Awards	1

### Committees & Meetings of CGEE

Committee	No. of Meetings	No. of Members
First Committee of GEE	06	28
Working Committee	08	06
Monitoring and Evaluation Committee	02	10
Education and Research Committee	12	10
Resource Mobilization Committee	02	10
Grievance Committee	10	05
RSGEE- Organizing committee	07	14

## 7.5. Well-Being Centre

### Introduction

Well-being centre is a novel concept originated in University of Jaffna to address to the issues of psychological as well as other aspects of well-being of students and staff. It mainly focuses on issues related to mental stress and remedial action related to it. A proposal to formally establish the centre was approved by the Council of the University.

**Director:** Prof.G.Mikunthan

Counselling service were provided at the wellbeing centre and 90 students on average in a month received counselling for the first four months of the year from various faculties.

There were 27 webinar programs conducted during the year 2022.

Mr.N.Sivakaran, We-Be Coordinator wrote and won a project of “in-kind” grant with an estimated Fair Market Value of USD 34,840.00 to establish a counselling Lab with full facilities. The MOU was signed on 11.10.2022 with USAID for the following objectives:

- a) Supporting students who enroll in internship in the area of psychological counselling
- b) Support to start Diploma in Counselling
- c) Extending students' service to communities, especially capacity building of school students and for mentoring activities
- d) Support to research activities related to mental health issues

This Global Communities In-Kind Grant- USAID Social Cohesion and Reconciliation Activity (SCORE) will help to refurbish the Well-Being Centre and enhance its activities provided to the university community.

The Well-Being cells of the faculties had their diverse programs during the year 2022 and are reported in the respective sections of the faculties in this annual report.

## 8. Auxiliary Services

### 8.1. Alumni Association

#### Objectives:

An alumni officer organizes and supports events and programmes of alumni associations through the alumni office.

#### Activities:

- Encouraged and advised the Alumni Association, Jaffna to formalize the constitution.
- Created email ID for the Alumni: alumni@univ.jfn.ac.lk
- Designed the online registration form for Alumni.
- Designing the website for Alumni.
- Designing online form to register the Alumni Association chapters worldwide.

### 8.2. Health Centre

Health Centre offers medical facilities and services for both students and staff of the University of Jaffna. It offers treatment, advice, counselling, referral (Teaching Hospital Jaffna) and laboratory investigations.

#### Hospital Referrals (Teaching Hospital, Jaffna)

MO /OPD	20 per Month on average
NT Clinic	3 per Month on average
Orthopaedic Clinic	2 per Month on average
Gyn. and Obs. Clinic	2 per Month on average
Medical Clinic	5 per Month on average

#### Consultation

Student	180 per day on average
Staff	30 per day on average
Laboratory Investigation	10 per day on average

#### Other activities of the Health Centre

During the Covid- 19 period,

- assisted to conduct examination for the Covid- 19 infected students and isolated students.
- maintained a separate examination hall for the above purpose and we organized a secure transport arrangement for the above students.
- organized vaccination program with the help of MOH Office for the students and staff.

#### Future plan

- Establishment of Dental Unit.
- Computerization of the Health Centre Record Maintenance System.

#### Failures and Justification

- Severe shortage of medicine supply: steady and adequate stream of supply of Medicines should be ensured.
- Pigeon dropping in the building: several actions were proposed and maintenance division was requested to take necessary action.

### 8.3. Student Welfare Services

The following facilities/services were managed by the Welfare Services Branch:

1. Hostel Facilities
2. Canteen Facilities
3. Financial Assistances for the Students
4. Student Relationship
5. Student Centre

#### 1. Hostel Facilities

According to the existing hostel rules and regulations, hostel facilities were given only for outstation students who were reading in the first and final year of studies. But, considering their lectures and appointments in the teaching hospital, the hostel facilities were given to all the batches of medical students on the recommendation of the Dean/Medicine. In addition, under humanitarian grounds disabled students were accommodated in the hostels, notwithstanding their year of study and hometown.

##### ➤ Hostel Accommodation for Undergraduates

Hostels	Warden	Sub Warden	No. of Students accommodated
Anandacoomarrasamy Girls' Hostel	Mrs. M. Sivakaran	Mrs.R.Subani	180
Anandacoomarrasamy Boys' Hostel	-	Mr.K.Satheeskumar	100
Balasingam Boys' Hostel	Dr.A.Saravanabavan,	Mr.K.Satheeskumar	110
Medical Students' Hostel (Boys)	Dr.S.Gobishangar	Mr.V.Kugatharsan	180

Medical Students' Hostel(Girls)	Dr.J.A.Pradeepan,	Mrs.G.Jatheesan	180
RAFA Girls' Hostel	Dr.Mrs.S.Aravinthon	Mrs.V.Paskaralingam	120
Siddha Medicine Boys' Hostel	Dr.T.Vijayakumar	-	45
Siddha Medicine Girls' Hostel	Ms.N.Rajakulanajagam	Ms.L.Murugesu	45
Kokuvil (Female) New Hostel-I	Mrs.T.Sivakaran	Miss.T.Lavanya	375
Kokuvil (Female) New Hostel-II	Mrs.T.Sivakaran	Ms.G.Gasthoori	375
Kondavil Hostel (Female)	Mrs.J.Thevananth	Ms.S.Vigetha	375
Kondavil Hostel (Male)	Dr.P.Pratheepkanth	Mr.S.Saarangan	375
Ariviyal Nagar Male Hostel - I	Dr. S. Thananjeyan	Mr.K.Kabilan	60
Ariviyal Nagar Male Hostel - II	Dr. S. Thananjeyan	Mr.K.Kabilan	384
Ariviyal Nagar Male Hostel - III	Dr.S.Gowthaman	Mr.K.Kabilan	384
Ariviyal Nagar Female Hostel - I	Prof(Mrs).Gnanavelrajah	Ms.S.Jeyavathani	96
Ariviyal Nagar Female Hostel - II	Prof(Mrs).Gnanavelrajah	Ms.S.Jeyavathani	384
Ariviyal Nagar Female Hostel - III	Prof(Mrs).Gnanavelrajah	Ms.A.Pathmapriya	384
<b>Total</b>			<b>4152</b>

**Table 8.1: Hostel Accommodation for Undergraduates**

➤ **Hostel Accommodation- Gender wise**

Faculty	Number of Students				
	Male	Female	Total	Total Students	% of Total
Agriculture	55	137	192	628	30%
Arts	96	490	586	2780	21%
Engineering	140	44	184	736	25%
MS&C	163	324	487	1870	26%
Medicine	155	201	356	842	42%
Science	180	186	366	1845	19%
AHS	85	182	267	739	36%
USM	38	50	88	451	19%
Technology	244	185	429	1051	40%
SPRFPVA	--	130	130	1074	12%
Hindu Studies	3	37	40	52	76%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1159</b>	<b>1966</b>	<b>3125</b>	<b>12068</b>	<b>30%</b>

**Table 8.2: Hostel Accommodation- Genderwise**

➤ **Details of University owned Hostels**

Hostel Name	Location	Capacity			Fee per Student per year
		Male	Female	Total	
Anandacoomarrasamy Girls' Hostel	Thirunelvely		180	180	Rs.2400/=
Anandacoomarrasamy Boys' Hostel	Thirunelvely	100		100	Rs.2400/=
Balasingam Boys' Hostel	Thirunelvely	110		110	Rs.2400/=
Medical Students' Hostel (Boys)	Thirunelvely	180		180	Rs.2400/=
Medical Students' Hostel (Girls)	Thirunelvely		180	180	Rs.2400/=
RAFA Girls' Hostel	Maruthanamadam		120	120	Rs.2400/=
Siddha Medicine Boys' Hostel	Kaithady	45		45	Rs.2400/=
Siddha Medicine Girls' Hostel	Kaithady		45	45	Rs.2400/=
New Hostel-I	Kokuvil		375	375	Rs.2400/=
New Hostel-II	Kokuvil		375	375	Rs.2400/=
Kondavil Hostel (Female)	Kondavil		375	375	Rs.2400/=
Kondavil Hostel (Male)	Kondavil	375		375	Rs.2400/=
Ariviyal Nagar Male Hostel - I	Kilinochchi	60		60	Rs.2400/=
Ariviyal Nagar Male Hostel - II	Kilinochchi	384		384	Rs.2400/=
Ariviyal Nagar Male Hostel - III	Kilinochchi	384		384	Rs.2400/=
Ariviyal Nagar Female Hostel - I	Kilinochchi		96	96	Rs.2400/=
Ariviyal Nagar Female Hostel - II	Kilinochchi		384	384	Rs.2400/=
Ariviyal Nagar Female Hostel - III	Kilinochchi		384	384	Rs.2400/=
<b>Total</b>		<b>1638</b>	<b>2514</b>	<b>4152</b>	<b>9,964,800</b>

**Table 8.3: Details of University owned Hostels**

**2. Details of Canteen Facilities available**

1. Students Centre (Main Premises)
  - a. Main Canteen- I
  - b. Main Canteen-II
2. Anandacoomarasamy Hall

3. Faculty of Medicine
4. RAFA, Maruthanarmadam
5. Siddha Medicine, Kaithady
6. Kanagasundaram Hostel, Jaffna
7. Faculty of Management Studies & Commerce, Kondavil
8. Faculty of Agriculture, Kilinochchi
9. Faculty of Engineering, Kilinochchi
10. Ammachchi Canteen facilitated by Provincial Department of Agriculture

### 3. Financial Assistance for students- 2022

#### a. Mahapola & Bursary

Faculty / Unit	Year of Intake	Year of Study	No. of Recipients		Number of Students	% of total Students
			Mahapola	Bursary		
Agriculture	2020/2021	1 <sup>st</sup> Year	--	Under Processing	--	--
	2019/2020	2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	20	49	69	41%
	2018/2019	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	15	43	58	44%
	2017/2018	4 <sup>th</sup> Year	12	53	65	57%
Arts	2020/2021	1 <sup>st</sup> Year	--	Under Processing	--	--
	2019/2020	1 <sup>st</sup> Year	216	337	553	74%
	2018/2019	2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	335	238	573	86%
	2017/2018	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	358	206	564	86%
	2016/2017	4 <sup>th</sup> Year	410	105	515	69%
Engineering	2020/2021	1 <sup>st</sup> Year	--	Under Processing	--	--
	2019/2020	2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	97	03	100	46%
	2018/2019	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	88	02	90	52%
	2017/2018	4 <sup>th</sup> Year	70	02	72	47%
MS&C	2020/2021	1 <sup>st</sup> Year	--	Under Processing	--	--
	2019/2020	2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	79	270	349	65%
	2018/2019	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	194	117	311	77%
	2017/2018	4 <sup>th</sup> Year	225	90	315	78%
Medicine	2020/2021	1 <sup>st</sup> Year	--	Under Processing	--	--
	2019/2020	2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	85	1	86	44%
	2018/2019	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	70	6	76	50%
	2017/2018	4 <sup>th</sup> Year	84	7	91	59%
	2016/2017	5 <sup>th</sup> Year	61	5	66	44%
Science	2020/2021	1 <sup>st</sup> Year	--	Under Processing	--	--
	2019/2020	2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	119	79	198	41%
	2018/2019	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	58	189	247	59%
	2017/2018	4 <sup>th</sup> Year	62	73	135	34%
AHS	2020/2021	1 <sup>st</sup> Year	--	Under Processing	--	--
	2019/2020	2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	78	27	105	54%
	2018/2019	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	55	39	94	59%
	2017/2018	4 <sup>th</sup> Year	62	40	102	64%
USM	2020/2021	1 <sup>st</sup> Year	--	Under Processing	--	--
	2019/2020	2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	31	37	68	57%
	2018/2019	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	12	27	39	52%
	2017/2018	4 <sup>th</sup> Year	11	25	36	53%
	2016/2017	5 <sup>th</sup> year	06	37	43	64%
Technology	2020/2021	1 <sup>st</sup> Year	--	Under Processing	--	--
	2019/2020	2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	131	77	208	65%
	2018/2019	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	91	98	189	89%
	2017/2018	4 <sup>th</sup> Year	104	05	109	51%
SPRFPVA	2020/2021	1 <sup>st</sup> Year	--	Under Processing	--	--
	2019/2020	1 <sup>st</sup> Year	13	154	167	68%
	2018/2019	2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	34	122	156	80%
	2017/2018	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	41	17	58	29%
2016/2017	4 <sup>th</sup> Year	130	21	151	76%	
<b>Total</b>			<b>3457</b>	<b>2601</b>	<b>6058</b>	

**Table 8.4:** Financial Assistance for students- 2022 (Mahapola and Bursary)

- Mahapola Scholarship is made up of a combined contribution of Mahapola Trust Fund Rs.2600.00(Merit) or Rs.2550.00(Ordinary) plus University Grants Commission's contribution Rs.2450.00 per installment. Thus, a student receives in total, a sum of Rs.5050.00 merit scholarship per installment and Rs.5000.00 for ordinary scholarship per installment (paid in 10 installments per academic year).

- Under Bursary scholarship students are paid Rs.4000.00. Selection process for the Bursary Scholarship is carried out by the University and the fund is released by University Grants Commission (paid in 10 installments per academic year.)

#### b. Vice Chancellor's Welfare Fund & Student Scholarship

Contributions from well-wishers were received for this fund from abroad and locally in order to provide financial assistance to deserving students.

Details of Payments made through Vice Chancellor's Welfare Fund and other Donors to the students during the year 2022:

Name of the Scholarship	Faculty	Recipients
Tamil Engineers Foundation	Engineering	10
AKO Scholarship	All Faculties	50
Blossom Trust- UK	All Faculties	50
Unifund- Australia	All Faculties	12
Mahalingam Memorial Studentship	Engineering	04
Australian Medical Aid Foundation Ltd.	Medicine	20
Ambikaipakan Studentship	AHS	01
Nanthi Studentship	AHS	01
Sivamayuran Studentship	AHS	01
Bursary from the Alumni of the 74/75 Batch	Science	02
Appaiah Sritharan Memorial Bursary	Science	04
Sivasithamparam Sritharan Memorial Bursary	All Faculties	02
Bursary from the Alumni of the 85/86 Batch	Science	03
Eng.Markandu Ramanathan Studentship	Engineering	01
Engineering Studentship 1	Engineering	10
Engineering Studentship 2	Engineering	04
Maheswary Jayanthi Memorial Studentship	Engineering	02
Mr. Edwin Manoraj Studentship	Engineering	02
Prof. S. Mahalingam Memorial Studentship	Engineering	04
Prof. Rasaratnam Logendran Studentship	Engineering	04
Siva- Thaya- Thaya- Ramesh Memorial Studentship	Engineering	01
UK League Studentship	Engineering	06

*Table 8.5: Details of Payments made through Vice Chancellor's Welfare Fund and other Donors to the students during the year 2022*

- Applications were called from the students for the scholarships through the University website and notice boards of each Faculty. Deserving students were selected as per the criteria applicable to scholarships for 2022. Scholarships from the contribution received from the wellwishers/ donors were as follows:

Name of the Scholarship	Faculty	Receipients
Late.S.Vaithialingam Fund	Arts	02
Mylvaganam Thirugnanasambanthar Memorial Scholarship	Science	02
Dr.K.K.Arumugam (SCOT) Memorial Scholarship	All Faculties	10
Jaffna University Kilinochchi District Students Union Scholarship	All Faculties	05
Naguleswary Sinnaiah Memorial Fund	All Faculties	05
Rasaiah Rasammah Scholarship	All Faculties	03
Sydney University Tamil Society fund	All Faculties	06
Jaffna Rotary Scholarship (Arts & Science)	All Faculties	05
A.J.Mylvaganam Memorial Scholarship)	All Faculties	02
Sornammah Chellaiah Scholarship (J/Kokuvil Hindu College	All Faculties	01
University Entrance Bursary (J/Central College)	All Faculties	03
Appapillai Sivakkolunthu Memorial Fund	Arts	03
Dr.P.Thillainathan Memorial Fund	Science	01
Kotahena Varatharajavinayam Fund	All Faculties	08
Saiva Paripalana Sabai Fund	Arts	01
Thanthai Selva Memorial Fund	All Faculties	01
Seenithamby Yoganathan Memorial Fund	USM	02
Kanthaiah Satkunam Memorial Fund	Science	01
Sanmugam Pathmasani Memorial Fund	All Faculties	15
Chandrasegaram Balachandran Memorial Fund	All Faculties	04

*Table 8.6: Scholarships from the contribution received from the well-wishers/donors*

#### 4. Student Relations

During the year under review, University Student Union and Faculty Student Unions functioned satisfactorily.

## **5. Student Centre**

The Proctor's Office, Marshal Office, University Students Union Office, Career Guidance Office, Alumni Office, Welfare Services Branch, University Sub- Post Office, Bank of Ceylon sub office and the Main Canteen (I, II) were functioning at this building complex for students. Meditation Hall, Muslim Majils (Prayer Room), Badminton Court and a Board Room were also located in this building for the use of the students. Newly established UBL office is functioning from 2021.

### **8.4. Marshals' Division**

The main objective of the division is to contribute to maintain the discipline and dignity of the University students by keeping the environment peaceful and ensuring harmony among students.

#### **Achievements**

Division involved in the factfinding process of the complaints against 40 students for the involvement of raging. The Division helped the Proctor, Deputy Proctors, Deans of respective Faculties and Student Counsellors of respective Faculties in conducting inquiries and disciplinary processes.

#### **Failure and Justification**

It is very difficult to manage around 11,200 students in different locations situated in two different districts with only 3 Marshals. No female Marshal was available although 70% of students were female.

#### **Future Plans**

- to take action to increase the number of cadres for Marshals to 10 including 2 female Marshals.
- to conduct awareness programmes with the collaboration of Proctors and Student Counsellors on importance and procedures of disciplinary system for students.

### **8.5. Security**

Security Department had carried out security services in respect of the University activities satisfactorily during 2022. Although there is a severe shortage of security guards, alternative arrangements were made among the available staff in order to carry out the services efficiently.

- Additional 04 Security Inspectors and 38 Security Guards is necessary to man all the points and premises. Kilinochchi premises has a land area of 568 Acres and providing security services for the vast area was very difficult without any cadre provision to this up to date.
- University has many sections in different locations in Jaffna and security service had difficulty in providing a continuous round the clock services due to severe shortage of staff.

## 9. Internal Audit Division

Internal Auditing is an independent and objective assurance and consulting activity guided by a philosophy of adding value to improve the operations of the University of Jaffna in compliance with the Internal Audit Plan & Programme 2022, Internal Audit Charter and the rules & regulations.

### Progress during the year 2022

As per the Internal Audit Plan & Programme 2022, Internal Audit division carried out the audit observations in order to strengthen the internal control systems in the University. 38 internal audit queries were raised and brought to the management as follows:

1. Performance Audit on Health centre
2. Non-submission of Annual reports
3. Performance Audit on Centre for Gender Equity & Equality
4. Payment of Acting allowance
5. Endowment Funds
6. Performance Audit on Physical education unit
7. Tender Deposit
8. Analyzing lead time of purchased items-2021
9. Vehicle Management
10. Lapses in Board of Survey-Agriculture
11. EPF & ETF benefit to employees on assignment basis
12. Duty leave
13. Rectification of Salary anomalies
14. Performance audit on Urelu Student's Hostel
15. Delay in releasing examination results-RAFA
16. Ownership of land and disclosures in Financial Statements
17. Mayillapulam Land- Ammachi Land
18. Construction of semi-permanent building for canteen at Kondavil Hostel
19. Lapses in returning library books (Students)
20. Lapses in returning library books (Staff)
21. Board of Survey- Students Union
22. Stores Management
23. Performance audit on CODL
24. Way findings and Directional signage
25. Performance audit on Kondavil students hostel
26. Private security services
27. Idle assets at students' hostel
28. Leave during vacation
29. Attendance register- Marshal office
30. Release of examination results - Dept of Philosophy
31. Assessment of TEC reports
32. Delay in issuing Academic transcripts- Exam branch
33. Release of examination results- Geography
34. Leave- Academic staff for the year of 2021
35. Performance audit on RAFA
36. Books and periodicals advance
37. Research grant
38. Attendance register- Examination branch

### National Audit Queries

Year	No. of Audit Queries	Answered	No. of queries unanswered
2018	33	33	0
2019	39	39	0
2020	12	12	0
2021	21	21	0
2022	19	16	*3

(\*issued in December 2022)

### Pre-Audit

The pre-audit was carried out in following areas in order to ensure accuracy of payment in the University.

Criteria	University of Jaffna
UPF	240
Gratuity	25
Pension	20
Bond & Agreement	41
Final Payment for contract works	06

### Future Plans

The Internal Audit division is planning to further extend its objectives to review the systems and controls and make its recommendations to strengthen the internal control systems for upgrading the financial, academic and administrative procedures of the University of Jaffna.

### Audit Committee

#### Audit Committee Charter

Audit Committee operates as a subcommittee of the Council in terms of the mandate given in the Audit Committee Charter to examine the matters relating to the financial affairs, overseeing the governance, risk management, internal controls and financial regulating practices of the University.

## Role of Committee

The Audit Committee assist the Council in discharging the responsibilities by providing independent advisory and guidance regarding the University' governance, risk management, internal control practices, compliance with rules & regulations and statutes. It reviews the performance of Internal Audit, Internal Control Systems, integrity of Financial Statements and the Auditor General's Report.

## Composition of Committee

The Audit Committee consists of at least three members, the majority of whom shall be independent of the University of Jaffna. The members should collectively possess sufficient knowledge of audit, finance, specific system knowledge, law, governance, risk and control.

The Composition of the Audit Committee of University of Jaffna:

- I. Three non-executive (non ex-officio) (UGC appointed) members of the Council, chaired preferably by a Treasury Representative or person possessing financial management skills.
- II. A representative from the Auditor General's Department as an observer
- III. Registrar and Bursar on invitation
- IV. Chief Internal Auditor of the UGC or his nominee as an observer
- V. Head, Internal Audit Division of the University functioning as Convener (Secretary)
- VI. Members of the Committee are appointed by the Council of the University.

## Meetings

During the year, the Audit Committee met five times. The attendance of the members at these meetings were as follows:

*Mr.V.Kanagasabapathy	- Chairman	7/7
Mr.T.Vignaraja	- Member	3/7
Mr.Aru Thirumurugan	- Member	7/7
Mr.M.Thiruvathavooran	- Member	6/7

*\* (Mr.V.Kanagasabapathy is a fellow member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka, President of the Association of Public Finance Accountants and holds a Master Degree in Public Administration from Harvard University. He has over forty years of experience in the public sector in several senior capacities and retired as the Director-General of Public Enterprise.)*

On the invitation of the Committee the Registrar, Bursar, representative of Auditor General attended the meetings. Further, members of the management of the University were invited to participate in the meeting as and when the necessary arose.

Quarter	Meetings	Held On	Purpose
First	Special	12.01.2022	Review of Detailed Management Report of the Auditor Generals on the affairs of the University of Jaffna including the Financial Statements for the year ended 31.12.2020.
	Special	25.02.2022	Review of drafted Financial Statements 2021
Second	70 <sup>th</sup>	22.04.2022	Review of preliminary assessment report 2022 and annual internal audit report 2021
	Special	25.04.2022	Review on the Draft Report of Auditor General on the Financial Statements and other legal and regulatory requirements of the University of Jaffna for the year ended 31.12.2021 and Management Response on the report
Third	Special	15.07.2022	Management response for Report of the Auditor Generals on the affairs of the University of Jaffna including the Financial Statements for the year ended 31.12.2021
	71 <sup>st</sup>	22.09.2022	Review of internal audit of 1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> quarters 2022 and comprehensive report on loss of articles.
Fourth	72 <sup>nd</sup>	05.12.2022	Review of Internal Audit Plan & Programme 2023 & 3 <sup>rd</sup> quarter Internal audit report.

## Financial Reporting and Audit

The Committee reviewed and discussed with the management, the un-audited Financial Statements prior to rendering to Auditor General verifying the University's compliance with the financial reporting requirements and the compliance with requirements of the Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standards, in particular. The Committee also reviewed Auditor General' report. The Committee recommended remedial actions required, where necessary.

## Internal Control and Audit

The Committee reviewed and approved the internal audit plan and internal audit programme for the year and supervised the performance.

## 10. Legal and Documentation Cases in 2022

Case Category	Total No. of cases		Cases filed against the University		Cases filed by the University		Present positions of the cases			
	A*	B**	A*	B**	A*	B**	Cases pending		Cases concluded	
							A*	B**	A*	B**
Labour Tribunals/ Workman Compensation Court	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
USAB	8	5	8	5	0	0	7	3	1	2
District Court	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Court of Appeal and Civil Appeals High Court	0	6	0	6	0	0	0	6	0	0
Supreme Court (FR)	0	4	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	0
Magistrate Court	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0

**Note: A\*:** Cases filed by/against during the period specified above

**B\*\*:** Cases filed by/against in a previous year, still pending

1. Out of the Cases concluded in 2022
  - a. No of cases won by the University: Nil
  - b. No of cases lost by the University: 02
  - c. No of cases settled/ withdrawn: 01 (Withdrawn)
2. Out of the total no. of cases (25)
  - a. No. of cases handled by the Attorney General's Department: 25
3. No. of cases before Magistrate Court: 02
4. No. of Bond violation incidents handled at District Court: Nil

## 11. Financial Report

### 11.1 Financial Performance

Subject	2018(Rs.)	2019(Rs.)	2020(Rs.)	2021(Rs.)	2022(Rs.)
Personal Emoluments	2,202,140,836	2,887,788,657	3,202,589,988	3,342,146,756	3,358,226,769
Travelling Expenses	9,139,915	10,209,393	2,612,842	2,950,070	4,455,781
Supplies	109,202,844	89,069,898	63,255,903	79,046,666	90,348,113
Maintenance Expenses	45,824,294	48,302,550	26,823,410	25,358,455	30,807,093
Contractual Services	296,564,415	345,449,492	302,262,094	278,805,595	299,743,014
Others Recurrent Expenses	99,544,316	128,201,937	75,569,786	94,954,551	88,432,579
Financial Assistance to Student	242,691,150	172,091,800	92,936,000	128,516,000	96,352,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,005,107,769</b>	<b>3,681,113,727</b>	<b>3,766,050,023</b>	<b>3,951,778,093</b>	<b>3,968,365,348</b>

(Including Mahapola & Bursary expenditure and excluding Depreciations)

*Table 11.1: Actual Recurrent Expenditure*

### 11.2 Details of Capital Expenditure-2018-2022

Vote Particulars	2018(Rs.)	2019(Rs.)	2020(Rs.)	2021(Rs.)	2022(Rs.)
Rehabilitation & Improvement of Capital Assets	236,630,016	213,581,784	158,109,515	229,939,547	58,889,404
Acquisition of Fixed Assets	289,533,910	178,381,292	97,716,660	177,097,156	117,650,482
Construction Projects	802,724,425	436,739,050	276,626,186	320,781,537	114,502,602
Strengthening Research	24,385,985	15,336,368	10,468,961	5,934,085	8,140,964
<b>Grant Total</b>	<b>1,353,274,336</b>	<b>844,038,494</b>	<b>542,921,322</b>	<b>733,752,325</b>	<b>299,183,452</b>

*Table 11.2: Actual Capital Expenditure*

### 11.3 Detail of Projects (Local)

Faculty	Project Details	Funding Agency	Loan/Grant 2021/2022
Science	National Science Foundation-Research	NSF	2,249,250
Science & Arts	Research Grant	UGC	2,038,632

*Table 11.3: Projects (Local)*

### 11.4 Detail of Projects (Foreign Funded)

Faculty	Project Details	Funding Agency	Year	Loan/Grant 2021/2022
Science	HRNCET-NORTPART	Western Norway University of Applied Science		4,936,956
Science	Capacity Building and Establishment of a Research Consortium in Nano materials for Clean Energy Technologies	Western Norway University of Applied Science		12,853,218
Arts	US Ambassador's Fund for Cultural Preservation	American Embassy	2018-2019	10,752,000
	Well-Being Center		2018-2022	146,000
Science	Nor Lanka Blue	Norwegian Agency for International Cooperation and Quality Enhancement in Higher Education	2019-2023	600,000
Medicine	Est. and functions of the Jaffna Health City Coordinating committee	World health organization		1,119,038
Medicine	NIHR AF Project	University of Birimingham	2020-2023	82,919,156
Science	Split – site Research	Swiss National Science foundation	2020-2023	4,734,242
Engineering	ERASMUS- Plus Solid Waste Mgt. Project	University of South Eastern Norway		6,238,655
Medicine	LOA Between UNDP and UOJ	World Bank		15,135,000
Medicine	TIPH Global Grant Program	Public health Global USA	2021-2022	928,327
Arts	AHRC Partnership program			5,091,073
Science	Going Global Partnership Grant		2022	1,406,610

*Table 11.4: Projects (Foreign Funded)*

### 11.5 Details of Projects Expenditure (Local/Foreign Funded)

Project Details	Faculty	Exp in Rs		Cumulative Exp. As at	
		2021	2022	31.12.2021	31.12.2022
National Science Foundation- Research	Science	2,260,663	1,892,498	2,260,663	4,153,160
Research Grant -UGC	Science & Arts	2,365,100	1,848,367	2,365,100	4,213,467
Norad Waso Project	Engineering	14,500		14,500	
Kelani Saviya Programm	Engineering	179,620	389,500	179,620	569,120
HRNCET-NORTPART Project	Science	1,547,681	1,176,253	1,547,681	2,723,933
Capacity Building and Establishment of a Research Consortium in Nanomaterial for Clean Energy Technologies	Science	2,563,756	7,316,159	2,563,756	9,879,916
US Ambassador's Fund for Cultural Preservation	Arts	10,042,810	5,647,786	10,042,810	15,690,597
Well-Being Center	Unit	765,000	-	765,000	765,000
Nor Lanka Blue	Science	25,175	404,800	25,175	429,975
Video and audio based health promotional activity for COVID-19	Medicine	487,965		487,965	487,965
Est. and functions of the Jaffna Health City Coordinating committee	Medicine	388,635	1,274,888	388,635	1,663,523
Social Baseline Study and Consultation & Disclosure	Agriculture	745,000		745,000	745,000
NIHR AF Project	Medicine	15,297,995	36,827,530	15,297,995	52,125,525
Split – site Research	Science	2,820,324	6,303,745	2,820,324	9,124,069
ERASMUS- Plus Solid Waste Mgt. Project	Engineering		11,466,688		11,466,688
LOA Between UNDP and UOJ	Medicine	1,516,470	12,497,071	1,516,470	14,013,541
TIPH Global Grant Program	Medicine	379,500	375,590	379,500	755,090
Three Lanka Project	Engineering		8,402,657		8,402,657
AHRC Partnership program	Arts		122,132,		122,132
Going Global Partnership Grant	Science		1,406,609		1,406,609

Table 11.5: Projects Expenditure (Local/Foreign Funded)

### 11.6 Details of Financial Progress (Expenditure)

Subject	Provision Rs		Expenditure Rs		Savings (Excess) Rs.	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Recurrent Except Project	3,879,000,000	3,709,000,000	3,823,262,093	3,872,013,349	55,737,907	(163,013,349)
Capital Except Project	449,350,000	215,000,000	443,644,764	215,000,000	5,705,236	-
Project - Local Fund	331,079,651	136,129,763	331,079,651	136,129,763	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,659,429,651</b>	<b>4,060,129,763</b>	<b>4,597,986,508</b>	<b>4,223,143,112</b>	<b>61,443,143</b>	<b>(163,013,349)</b>

Table 11.6: Financial Progress (Expenditure)

### 11.7 Details of Financial Progress (Generated Income)

Source of Revenue	Provision Rs.		Collection Rs.		Surplus/ Deficit (Variation) Rs.	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Undergraduate Studies	13,050,000	15,588,000	18,735,986	28,527,466	(5,685,986)	(12,939,466)
External Degree Programmes			74,325,844	110,504,381		
Postgraduate Studies(Research)	2,600,000	1,287,000	45,096,180	112,560,003	(42,496,180)	(111,273,003)
Diploma Courses			899,700	1,848,300		
Certificate Course	-	-	96,000	460,000		
Consultancies/Training Programme			4,997,788	2,646,910		
Other	27,350,000	44,150,000	34,538,636	26,920,046	(7,188,636)	17,229,954
<b>Total</b>	<b>43,000,000</b>	<b>61,025,000</b>	<b>178,690,134</b>	<b>170,962,725</b>		

Table 11.7: Financial Progress (Generated Income)

### 11.8 Financial Performance Analysis-Faculty wise -2022

Faculty	Recurrent Expenditure per Student (RE)	Capital Expenditure per Student (CE)	Total
Agriculture	586,133	24,604	610,737
Arts	196,094	24,604	220,698
Science	568,745	24,604	593,349
Engineering	438,356	24,604	462,960
Technology	242,777	24,604	267,381
AHS	228,053	24,604	252,657
MS& C	251,982	24,604	276,586
Medicine	599,494	24,604	624,098
Hindu Studies	1,425,152	24,604	1,449,756
SPRFPVA	56,027	24,604	80,631
Graduate Studies	105,261	24,604	129,865
USM	28,013	24,604	52,617

Table 11.8: Financial Performance Analysis

### 11.9 Summary of the Financial Performance Analysis -2022

Subject	Formula	Expenditure Per Student Rs.	
		2021	2022
Recurrent Expenditure per Student (RE)	RE/No of student strength	352,472	346,354
Capital Expenditure per Student (RE)	CE/No of student strength	71,423	24,604
<b>Total</b>	-	<b>423,895</b>	<b>370,958</b>

Table 11.9: Financial Performance Analysis

### 11.10 Details of Infrastructure Facilities

Project	Location	Expenditure (Rs. in million)		Physical Progress (percentage or amount)	
		2021	2022	2021	2022
Faculty of Medicine	Thirunelvelly	95,858,086	94,998,520	52.5%	80%
Faculty of Agriculture	Ariviyal Nagar	1,433,735		96%	96%
Faculty of Technology	Ariviyal Nagar	66,000,000	23,000,000	93%	99%
Faculty of MS& C	Kalasalai Rd	37,351,000		100%	
Killinochchi Staff Quarters	Ariviyal Nagar	1,000,000		20%	25%
Three storied Building Library-Vavuniya	Vavuniya	83,613,820			
IT Building Vavuniya	Vavuniya	28,286,087			
<b>Total</b>		<b>313,542,728</b>	<b>107,969,220</b>		

Table 11.10: Details of Infrastructure Facilities

### 11.11 Fund Allocation, Utilization and Management-Government Grants received for the year 2022 as follows

Type of Grant	Allocation ((Mn)	Received and Utilized (Mn)
Capital Grants	225,000,000.00	215,000,000.00
Recurrent Grants	3,764,00,000.00	3,709,000,000.00

Table 11.11: Fund Allocation, Utilization and Management-Government Grants received for the year 2022

## 12. Financial Statements and Audit Report- 2022

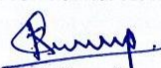
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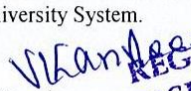
#### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31<sup>st</sup> DECEMBER 2022

Descriptions	Notes	31st December 2022		31st December 2021	
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Assets</b>					
<b>Current Assets</b>					
Cash and Cash equivalents	04	28,460,476.57		49,714,802.89	
Trade & Other Receivables	05	493,049,472.86		501,462,788.03	
Inventories/Stocks	06	28,149,690.80		35,374,539.52	
Short Term Investments	07	1,015,062,102.90		924,405,730.27	
<b>Total Current Assets</b>			<b>1,564,721,743.13</b>		<b>1,510,957,860.71</b>
<b>Non Current Assets</b>					
Long Term Investments	08	476,042,749.17		459,185,592.04	
Property, Plant & Equipment	09	10,878,597,535.03		12,882,393,923.84	
Livestock	09A	4,351,368.00			
Work in Progress	10	1,209,381,473.09		1,094,655,281.82	
<b>Total Non Current Assets</b>			<b>12,568,373,125.29</b>		<b>14,436,234,797.70</b>
<b>Total Assets</b>			<b>14,133,094,868.42</b>		<b>15,947,192,658.41</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>					
<b>Current Liabilities</b>					
Payables	11	157,726,985.70		231,192,677.78	
Accrued Expenses	12	110,331,925.01		40,422,264.05	
Self financing courses & Projects	13	342,741,051.41		303,704,994.84	
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>			<b>610,799,962.12</b>		<b>575,319,936.67</b>
<b>Non Current Liabilities</b>					
Payables	14	9,650,909.64		10,338,258.33	
Provisions for Gratuity	14A	1,048,027,039.77		1,068,211,918.28	
Restricted Fund	15	791,225,197.58		1,228,948,056.70	
<b>Total Non Current Liabilities</b>			<b>1,848,903,146.99</b>		<b>2,307,498,233.31</b>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>			<b>2,459,703,109.11</b>		<b>2,882,818,169.98</b>
<b>Total Net Assets/Equity</b>			<b>11,673,391,759.31</b>		<b>13,064,374,488.43</b>
<b>Assets/Equity</b>					
Accumulated Fund(Capital Grant)	16	13,549,027,771.84		13,198,553,047.33	
Accumulated Surplus / Deficit	16A	(1,707,204,557.63)		(1,077,823,927.04)	
<b>Total Assets/Equity</b>			<b>11,841,823,214.21</b>		<b>12,120,729,120.29</b>
<b>Reserve</b>					
General Reserve	17	(2,576,712,838.39)		(1,283,056,705.43)	
Bond Obligation Reserve	18	288,351,974.85		225,073,053.40	
Net Revaluation - Reserve	18A	2,119,871,548.64		2,001,571,160.17	
Capital Reserve		57,860.00		57,860.00	
<b>Total Reserve</b>			<b>(168,431,454.90)</b>		<b>943,645,368.14</b>
<b>Total Net Assets/Equity</b>			<b>11,673,391,759.31</b>		<b>13,064,374,488.43</b>


The Accounting policies and notes on page 09 to 27 form an integral part of the Financial Statements.

These Financial statements have been prepared and presented in compliance with the University Act No. 16 of 1978, applicable Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standards (SLPSAS), and other rules and regulations prevailing in the University System.

  
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 Bursar  
 University of Jaffna  
 Thirunelvely, Jaffna.  
 Sri Lanka

  
**Mr. V. Kandeepan**  
 Registrar  
 UNIVERSITY OF JAFFNA  
 SRI LANKA

The Members of the Council is responsible for the preparation and presentation of these Financial Statements. These Financial Statements approved by me with the pending approval of the Council.

  
**Prof. S. Srisatkunarajah**  
 Accounting Officer  
 Vice Chancellor  
 27.02.2023

**Prof. S. Srisatkunarajah**  
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\*The Council at its Special Meeting held on 06.03.2023 approved the Financial Statements.

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**UNIVERSITY OF JAFFNA**

**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> DECEMBER 2022**

Descriptions	Note	Year ended 31 st Dec. 2022	Year ended 31 st Dec. 2021
		Rs.	Rs.
<b>Revenue</b>			
<b>Revenue from Non Exchange Transaction - Current</b>			
Government Grant for Recurrent Expenditures	19	3,709,000,000.00	3,879,000,000.00
UGC Grants for Student Bursaries	22	96,352,000.00	128,516,000.00
<b>Total Revenue from Non Exchange Transaction - Current</b>		<b>3,805,352,000.00</b>	<b>4,007,516,000.00</b>
<b>Revenue from Exchange Transaction - Current</b>			
Other Income	21	55,447,511.59	54,040,722.40
Net Income / (Expenses) from other Activities (Restricted Fund)	20	9,965,714.73	77,986,561.41
University Development Fund - Recurrent	20A	60,000,000.00	-
<b>Total Revenue from Exchange Transaction - Current</b>		<b>125,413,226.32</b>	<b>132,027,283.81</b>
<b>Total Revenue - Current</b>		<b>3,930,765,226.32</b>	<b>4,139,543,283.81</b>
<b>Revenue from Non Exchange Transaction - Capital</b>			
Government Grant for Capital Expenditures	19A	273,363,823.00	739,457,561.09
Gift & Donations	19B	95,839,442.50	2,432,681,594.22
Other Grant	19C	51,765,940.16	
University Development Fund - Capital	20A	26,000,000.00	
<b>Total Revenue from Non Exchange Transaction - Capital</b>		<b>446,969,205.66</b>	<b>3,172,139,155.31</b>
<b>Total Revenue</b>		<b>4,377,734,431.98</b>	<b>7,311,682,439.12</b>
<b>Operating Expenses - Current</b>			
Personnel Emoluments	23	3,358,226,768.99	3,342,146,756.05
Travelling	23	4,455,781.25	2,950,070.24
Supplies and Consumables	23	90,348,112.52	79,046,665.94
Repair & Maintenance	23	30,807,092.73	25,358,454.59
Contractual Services	23	299,743,014.14	278,805,595.27
Other Operating Expenses	23	88,432,578.53	94,954,550.98
Financial Assistance to Student Bursaries	24	96,352,000.00	128,516,000.00
Net Losses and Write off	25	852,413.05	498,336.50
Depreciation	23	943,123,932.22	1,065,410,855.92
Provision for Gratuity	23	78,967,254.63	43,966,568.35
<b>Total Operating Expenses</b>		<b>4,991,308,948.06</b>	<b>5,061,653,853.84</b>
<b>Non Operating Expenses</b>			
Research for National Development	25A	5,840,399.78	-
<b>Total Non Operating Expenses</b>		<b>5,840,399.78</b>	-
<b>Total Expenses</b>		<b>4,997,149,347.84</b>	<b>5,061,653,853.84</b>
<b>Total Surplus/(Deficit) for the year</b>		<b>(619,414,915.86)</b>	<b>2,250,028,585.28</b>
<b>Surplus / (Deficit) from Operating Activities - Current</b>		<b>(1,060,543,721.74)</b>	<b>(922,110,570.03)</b>
<b>Surplus / (Deficit) from Operating Activities - Capital</b>		<b>441,128,805.88</b>	<b>3,172,139,155.31</b>

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**UNIVERSITY OF JAFFNA**

**CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> DECEMBER 2022**

<b>Descriptions</b>	<b>Notes</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2021</b>
<b><u>CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</u></b>		<b>Rs.</b>	<b>Rs.</b>
Surplus/(Deficit) for the Period		<b>(619,414,916)</b>	<b>2,250,028,585</b>
<b><u>Adjustment for the Non Cash Items</u></b>			
Depreciation	9	943,123,932	1,065,410,856
Gift & Donation	19 B	(95,839,443)	(2,432,681,594)
Provision for Gratuity	23	78,967,255	43,966,568
Fair Value Change Liveslock	09A	(2,446,152)	
Prior Period Adjustment	17	(22,325,895)	(23,159,976)
Net Losses and Write off	25	852,413	
Transfer to Restricted Fund	20	(9,965,715)	(77,986,561)
(Increase)/Decrease in Stock	06	7,224,849	3,571,941
(Increase)/Decrease in Receivables	05	8,413,315	58,606,318
Increase/(Decrease) in Payables	11,12	(3,556,031)	(63,803,007)
Increase / (Decrease) in Refundable Deposit	14	(687,349)	(5,781,104)
<b>Net Cash Flows from Operating Activities</b>		<b>284,346,264</b>	<b>818,172,024</b>
<b><u>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</u></b>			
Addition of Plant and Equipment	09	(182,888,249)	(368,335,455)
Addition of Livestock	09A	(19,500)	
(Increase)/Decrease in work in progress	10	(699,259,258)	(421,195,232)
Investments	07, 08	(107,513,530)	(226,967,587)
<b>Net Cash Flows from Investing Activities</b>		<b>(989,680,537)</b>	<b>(1,016,498,274)</b>
<b><u>CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</u></b>			
Government Grant for Capital Expenditures		1,019,487,828	40,972,090
Restricted Funds	15	(437,722,859)	71,671,320
Self Financing Courses & Projects	13	39,036,057	57,429,296
Bond Obligation Fund	18	63,278,921	14,709,018
<b>Net Cash Flows from Financing Activities</b>		<b>684,079,947</b>	<b>184,781,724</b>
Increase/(Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalent		(21,254,326)	(13,544,525)
Cash and Cash Equivalent at the beginning of the year	4	49,714,803	63,259,328
<b>Cash and Cash Equivalent at the end of the Period</b>	4	<b>28,460,477</b>	<b>49,714,803</b>

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UNIVERSITY OF JAFFNA  
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> DECEMBER 2022

Amount in Sri Lankan Rupees

Descriptions	Capital Grant	Accumulated Surplus / Deficit	General Reserve	Revaluation Reserve	Bond Obligation Reserve	Capital Reserve	Total
Balance as at 31 st December 2020	13,157,580,957	(3,268,503,046)	(1,259,896,730)	2,001,571,160	210,364,035	57,860	10,841,174,238
Surplus / (Deficit) (Note 26)		2,250,028,585					2,250,028,585.00
Transfer from Restricted Fund		(77,986,561)					(77,986,561)
Prior Year Adjustments			(23,159,976)				(23,159,976)
Prior Year Provision for Depreciation adjustment		18,637,095					18,637,095
Bond Obligation/Increase in Other Reserve					14,709,018		14,709,018
Capital Grant Received	40,972,090						40,972,090
Balance as at 31 st December 2021	13,198,553,047	(1,077,823,927)	(1,283,056,706)	2,001,571,160	225,073,053	57,860	13,064,374,490
Surplus / (Deficit) (Note 16 A)		(619,414,916)					(619,414,916)
Transfer from Restricted Fund		(9,965,715)					(9,965,715)
Prior Year Adjustments			(22,325,895)				(22,325,895)
Bond Obligation/Increase in Other Reserve					63,278,921		63,278,921
Revaluation Adjustment During the Period				2,946,151			2,946,151
Transfer to University of Vavuniya			(1,271,330,238)	115,354,237			(1,155,976,001)
Capital Grant Received	350,474,725						350,474,725
Balance as at 31 st December 2022	13,549,027,772	(1,707,204,558)	(2,576,712,839)	2,119,871,547	288,351,974	57,860	11,673,391,759

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**University of Jaffna**  
**Statement of Comparison of Budget & Actual Amounts for the year Ended 31<sup>st</sup>**  
**December 2022**

Descriptions	Budget	Actual
<b>Revenue</b>		
Government Grant for Recurrent Expenditure	3,764,000,000	3,709,000,000
Internal Income	61,025,000	55,447,512
University Development Fund	60,000,000	60,000,000
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>3,885,025,000</b>	<b>3,824,447,512</b>
<b>Operating Expenses</b>		
Personal Emoluments	3,358,000,000	3,358,226,769
Travelling	4,500,000	4,455,781
Suppliers & Consumables	91,000,000	90,348,113
Maintenance	31,000,000	30,807,093
Contractual Service	300,000,000	299,743,014
Other Recurrent Expenses	87,514,000	88,432,579
<b>Total Operating Expenses before Depreciation</b>	<b>3,872,014,000</b>	<b>3,872,013,348</b>

## UNIVERSITY OF JAFFNA

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> DECEMBER 2022

#### 1. General Information

##### 1.1 Legal and Domicile Form

University of Jaffna is a State University which was established under the Universities Act No 16 of 1978 and located at Thirunelvely, Jaffna, Sri Lanka. Currently University has 11 Faculties three of which normally the Faculty of Engineering, Faculty of Agriculture and Faculty of Technology are located in Ariviyal Nagar, Kilinochchi premises.

##### 1.2 Principal Activities and Nature of Operations

The principal activities of the University of Jaffna are promote and develop higher education teaching, learning and research activities in keeping with the National Policy by providing higher learning facilities for students.

##### 1.3 Vavuniya Campus

The Northern Province Affiliated University College operating in Vavuniya was amalgamated with University of Jaffna with effect from 01.04.1997 by Gazette notification number 968/6 of 26.03.1997 as a Campus of this University. The Financial Management of the Vavuniya Campus was under the purview of the University of Jaffna. Monthly Imprest was released for Recurrent and Capital Expenditure by the University of Jaffna. Reasonable extent of Financial Powers had been delegated to the Vavuniya Campus which was managed by the Campus Board headed by the Rector. The financial transactions of the Vavuniya Campus was incorporated in the accounts of the University of Jaffna.

As per the Government Gazettes number 2231/5-2021 dated 08.06.2021 Vavuniya Campus was announced as a separate University with effect from 01.08.2021 under the Name of University of Vavuniya. Accordingly Vavuniya Campus has become a separate entity. However overall financial management and the fund allocation continued in the same way as before since University of Vavuniya has separated in mid of the Year. University of Jaffna by its letter reference number UJ/F/BK2/CF/01/2021 dated 06<sup>th</sup> August 2021 requested University Grants Commission to clarify the Financial Procedures to be followed between University of Jaffna and University of Vavuniya from 1<sup>st</sup> August 2021 onwards. UGC has replied to Vice Chancellor University of Jaffna by their letter reference UGC/SAA-BF/FO/JFN/2021 dated 4<sup>th</sup> October 2021 requested the Cash Forecast for the period from August to December 2021 should be submitted by University of Jaffna including requirement of University of Vavuniya. The expenditure on University of Vavuniya were to be incurred and accounted by the University of Jaffna subject to the pre-determined budgetary provision. Further University of Jaffna to prepare Annual Financial Statement as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2021 for the University of Jaffna including the financial operation of the University of Vavuniya and take necessary action to transfer assets and liability with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2022 to the University of Vavuniya.

Based on the above letter expenses of the University of Vavuniya along with the Assets and Liabilities continued to be included in the Financial Statements of the University of Jaffna for the financial year 31<sup>st</sup> December 2021.

Assets, Liabilities and other balances related to the University of Vavuniya as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2021 were transferred to University of Vavuniya as on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2022 as approval given by

the 468<sup>th</sup> Council of the University of Jaffna. Assets Liabilities and Other Balances transferred to University of Vavuniya has properly taken over by the University of Vavuniya. University Grants Commission and the Auditor General were updated accordingly. Total Assets and Liabilities being transferred to University of Vavuniya is Rs.2,645,114,603.

#### **1.4 Basis of Preparations**

The Financial Statements of the University of Jaffna, Sri Lanka are prepared in conformity with the Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standards (SLPSAS) and are applied consistently on a historical cost basis, subject to fixed assets being bought into books on revaluation with computerizing fixed assets register. The Financial Statements for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022 are presented in the formats that were specified by University Grants Commission in accordance with complying Sri Lankan Public Sector Accounting Standard (SLPSAS).

#### **1.5 Financial Period**

The Financial period of the University of Jaffna represent twelve months from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2022 to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022.

#### **1.6 Date of Authorization for Issue**

The Financial statement for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022 of the University of Jaffna was approved and authorized to issue by the Accounting Officer Vice chancellor pending approvals of the University Council since the tenor of the existing Council expired on 15<sup>th</sup> January 2023 and the new Council is yet to be appointed.

### **2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

#### **2.1 Accounting for Student Fees**

The Student Registration Fees, Tuition Fees and Medical Fees are accounted on cash basis and all other incomes are on accrual basis and this practice was adopted by the University since inception.

#### **2.2 Grant for Bursary**

The Grant for Bursary is shown as an income under the Recurrent Grant and the payment of Bursary is shown as Expenditure of the Welfare Services as directed by the University Grants Commission by its letter No UGC/F/BUR/87 dated 14/10/1987 and classified as a separate item as Financial Assistance to students in the statement of Financial Performance. The Mahapola is fully handled by University Grants Commission and Mahapola Scholarship Trust Board.

#### **2.3 Provision for Gratuity**

Provision for Gratuity is made in terms of payment of the Gratuity Act No 12 of 1983. The Provision for Gratuity is not represented by the investment since the Treasury does not provide financial allocation to make investment externally. As per the University Grants Commission Circular number 05/2019 dated 4<sup>th</sup> 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 number 12 of 1983 with effect from 01<sup>st</sup> June 2019.

## **2.4 Inventories**

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value after making due adjustment based on First in First out (FIFO) method. The cost includes expenditure incurred in acquiring the inventories and bring them to the existing location and condition. The Inventories of the University includes stationeries, consumables, chemicals, maintenance and medical items.

## **2.5 Live Stock**

Livestock consist of living animals held for the agriculture activity managed by the Farm of the Agriculture Faculty. Livestock 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 the National Livestock Department Board (NLBD) and prevailing market prices of the similar Assets.

## **2.6 Expenditure of Capital Nature**

Expenditure incurred for the purpose of extending or improving assets of the permanent nature of this University is treated as Capital Expenditure.

## **2.7 Revenue Recognition**

Revenue comprise gross inflows of economic benefits or services potential received and receivable by University during the year and represent an increase in net assets/equity. University recognition revenue following the establish criteria of SLPSAS 10 (Revenue for exchange transactions) and SLPSAS 11 (Revenue for non-exchange transitions). The Income and Expenditure of Self Financing courses have been shown on cash basis. The net Income from other activities has been shown in the statement of Financial Performance and the balances have been added to the opening balance of the respective activities and shown under current liabilities as self-financing courses.

## **2.8 Expenditure Recognition**

The expenditure has been analysed by a Programme/Project/Object wise and analysis was classified under different expenditure heading based on UGC guide line to comply with the Common reporting format during the period of which they are incurred. All expenses incurred in respect of under graduate education have been recognized on accrual basis and charged to the Statement of Financial Performance.

## **2.9 Statement of Cash Flows**

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

## **2.10 Receivables**

Receivables of Hostel rental from students has been stated at the amount estimated to realise as income for the financial year 2022.

## 2.11 Depreciation

Depreciation is recognised in the Statement of Financial Performance on a Straight line basis over the estimated useful life of the Property. Plant and Equipment items from the date of that they were purchased. Lands are not depreciated. Depreciation is provided at the following rates as per the University Grants Commission Circular No 649 of 05/10/95 and 09/2022 of 05/05/2022.

Buildings	5%
Office Furniture	10%
Office Equipment	20%
Sports Goods	25%
Lab & Teaching Equipment	20%
Books and Periodicals	20%
Vehicles	20%
Cloaks	20%
Telephone	20%
Plant and Machinery	10%

## 2.12 Liabilities and Provisions

All known liabilities as at the reporting date are included in the Financial Statements and adequate provisions are made for liabilities which are known to exist other than the amount of which cannot be determined accurately.

## 3. OTHER NOTES RELATED TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### 3.1 Depreciation and Provision for Gratuity

The Net Deficit from Operating Activities – Current for the year 2022 is Rs.1,060,543,722/= includes the non-cash item of Gratuity and Depreciation amounting of Rs.1,022,091,187/=. Therefore the Operating Deficit - Current is Rs.38,452,535/=.

The Net Surplus from Operating Activities – Capital for the year 2022 is Rs.441,128,806/= includes Research for National Development Non Capital nature Rs.5,840,400/=

### 3.2 Losses & Write off

The following losses were written off with the approval of the Council during the year 2022 and reflected in the accounts

Losses & Write off	Rs.852,413/=
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### 3.3 Excess Income over Expenditure

The Income over Expenditure is (Rs.619,414,916 /=-) occurred due to the inclusion of the following non-cash items.

1) Depreciation for Non-Current Assets	943,123,932
2) Provision for Gratuity	<u>78,967,254</u>
	<u><b>1,022,091,186</b></u>

### 3.4 Assets and basis of their valuation

All assets categories other than Books & Periodicals and provision for depreciation as at 31.12.2022 had been adjusted based on verification and revaluation on assets made by M/S Carter De Costa Corporate Services (Pvt) Ltd who was assigned with preparation of Fixed Assets Register. Verification and revaluation of the Assets at 31.12.2014 and additions during the year 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022 had been taken in to accounts.

### 3.5 Gift & Donations for the Financial Year 2022

Assets donated from different donors details are shown below.

Donors	Amount Rs.
The Alumini Faculty of Medicine	16,639,000
Donation from AHEAD	79,200,442
<b>Total</b>	<b>95,839,442</b>

### 3.6 Ownership of Lands

Followings Lands were shown as assets under the property plant and equipment in the Statement of Financial position of the University of Jaffna. However ownership of these Lands have not yet transferred to University of Jaffna. Action has already been taken to transfer these ownership to the name of University of Jaffna by providing the application to the respective Divisional Secretariat and Kachcheri.

Name of Land	Location of Land	Land Registry Location
Main Land (Administration with 02 Faculties)	Ramanathan Road, Thirunelvely.	Nallur Pradeshiya Sabha
Hostel Land	Ramanathan Road, Thirunelvely	Nallur Pradeshiya Sabha
Siddha Medicine Land – 02 Academic Building	Kaviyawarrai, A9 Road, Kaithady.	Chavakacheri Pradeshiya Sabha
RAFA Land – 01	Maruthanarmadam	Valikamam South Pradeshiya Sabha
Ariviyalnagar Land	Ariviyalnagar, Killinochchi.	Karaichchi Pradeshiya Sabha
Ponnagar Land	Ponnagar, Killinichchi.	Karaichchi Pradeshiya Sabha

### 3.7 Department of Computer Science (AHEAD Building)

The Department of Computer Science has been shifted to the new Building constructed under the AHEAD grant with the direct funding by the AHEAD under the supervision of OMST. The estimated cost for this building was RS.247,626,651.52 and the Building was officially opened on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2022. However final bill of this building has not yet been settled by the OMST to

the contractor. Therefore, the official handing over of the Building from OMST to University of Jaffna is yet to happen. Due to this Building has not been taken to the property plant and Equipment of the University of Jaffna at the time of preparation of 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022 Financial position of the University of Jaffna.

### **3.8 Lease Agreement of Mayilappulam Land**

A land belongs to University of Jaffna called MAYILAPPULAM, in the extent of 3 Lachchms varagu culture (3 lms V.C ), situated at Thirunelvely in the parish of Nallur in the Division of Jaffna. As per the 431<sup>st</sup> University of Jaffna Council approval this Land has been given to Provincial Department of Agriculture of the Northern Province on long term lease of 30 years free of charge from 2018 to establish the traditional and nutritive food preparation and sales centre call “Ammachchi” in order to develop the traditional food habit among the University students and community.

### **3.9 Adaption of Revaluation policy for Property, Plant and Equipment**

It was highlighted that University of Jaffna has not carried out any revaluation for its property plant and equipment after 2014. The fact remains that,

1. The fair value of the assets differs from the carrying value of the assets.
2. The review of useful life of the assets is not carried out as per the standard
3. Fully depreciated assets are being used by the University continuously than useful life.

Also it has been pointed out that there are assets which have been fully depreciated and showing with zero value in the books of account without any revaluation. The University of Jaffna has done one-time revaluation of its assets in 2014 in order to computerise its fixed assets register. This revaluation exercise has costed more than 5 million and taken more than 3 years to complete. Since we have charged depreciation on straight line method as per the UGC circular without reviewing the useful life annually, some assets ended up with zero value.

As a large Government institution University of Jaffna has 10 categories of assets and 2.5 million individual items in those categories. The expenditure and time associated to determine the fair value and regular review of useful life of large value assets are exorbitantly high and not practical. Also, revaluation of these assets will not bring any significant impact on the financial statement of the University. However, the General Audit has highlighted this matter in the report as noncompliance with SLPSAS. Therefore, this matter has been discussed in detail at the Audit Committee taking into account of cost and benefit in purview of Auditor General and suggested the following adoptions.

As per the University of Jaffna at its 472nd Council meeting held on 31st December 2022, approved the revaluation policy for the property plant and equipment as follow.

1. Consider carrying value of the assets as at 31st December 2022 as deemed cost and depreciate them on reducing balance method except for “0” value assets adopting the cost method
2. “0” value assets to be revalued at nominal value to be recommended by Council appointed revaluation committee and depreciate them too at the reducing balance method

The adoption of the above policy with adequate disclosure resolve the revaluation problems of the property plant and equipment of the University of Jaffna. The above policy document has been sent to University Grants Commission and Association of Public Finance Accountant, Chartered Institute, Sri Lanka with coping to Auditor General on 17<sup>th</sup> February 2023. Once the approval received from the above bodies University will adept this policy with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2023 and it will resolve the problems of revaluation of Assets & review of useful life and Assets with zero value.

### 3.10 Events after the Reporting date

There are no material events subsequent to the financial year which require additional disclosure in the Financial Statements.

#### Notes to the Financial Position

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 04 Cash and Cash Equivalents</b>		
Bank Balance - Restricted Fund	28,229,296.34	49,665,211.61
Bank Balance - Treasury Fund	134,100.23	43,873.24
Imprest Kilinochchi, Franking Machine and Stamps in hand	97,080.00	5,718.04
	<b>28,460,476.57</b>	<b>49,714,802.89</b>
	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 05 Trade and Other Receivable</b>		
Bond Obligation - Receivable	130,105,033.52	64,804,584.42
Loans and Advances / Staff	128,077,623.52	145,338,773.08
Advance to Supplies and Services	45,709,209.08	96,424,224.94
Advance to Buildings	63,000,000.00	81,526,170.67
Others	126,157,606.74	113,369,034.92
	<b>493,049,472.86</b>	<b>501,462,788.03</b>
	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 06 Inventories / Stocks</b>		
Inventories Main Stores	14,102,078.73	22,417,498.63
Inventories in Department	14,047,612.07	12,957,040.89
	<b>28,149,690.80</b>	<b>35,374,539.52</b>
	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 07 Short Term Investments</b>		
Special Deposit for Library Books	269,980.48	261,478.14
Faculty of Science Research Development	3,031,780.32	2,945,341.62
Vingnanam Journal Investment	91,900.26	91,900.26
Medical Faculty Development Fund Investment	934,197.78	929,971.63
Investment A/C - Restricted Fund	1,000,000,000.00	910,000,000.00
Vice Chancellor's Welfare Fund Savings A/C	796,725.14	571,099.98
Science Fac. Equipment Fund - Investment	9,937,518.92	9,605,938.64
	<b>1,015,062,102.90</b>	<b>924,405,730.27</b>
<b>Increase/(Decrease) for the year</b>	<b>(90,656,372.63)</b>	<b>(190,357,847.27)</b>
	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 08 Long Term Investments</b>		
Endowment Fund Investment	377,620,769.99	354,932,503.04
Security Deposit	740,328.60	977,366.67
Sundry Investment	92,578,260.03	98,022,331.78
Vice Chancellor's Welfare Fund	5,103,390.55	5,253,390.55
	<b>476,042,749.17</b>	<b>459,185,592.04</b>
<b>Increase/(Decrease) for the year</b>	<b>(16,857,157.13)</b>	<b>(36,609,739.97)</b>

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**PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT**  
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Note 09 Property, Plant & Equipment

Cost of the Property, Plant & Equipment

Assets	Opening Balance as at 01.01.2022	Addition	Gift & Donations	Addition from Work in Progress	Adjustments/ Transferred to University of Vavuniya	Closing Balance as at 31.12.2022
Lands	2,005,333,280.43		16,639,000.00		(85,000,000.00)	1,936,972,280.43
Buildings	11,139,121,380.52	2,792,837.89		321,727,907.01	(1,631,096,934.08)	9,832,545,191.34
Sports Equipment	36,146,369.25	1,527,300.00			(3,230,366.25)	34,443,303.00
Office Furniture	653,811,825.80	34,295,240.44	6,500,029.75		(64,306,004.74)	630,301,091.25
Office Equipment	389,230,777.24	49,450,480.87	511,232.43		(98,680,393.14)	340,512,097.40
Lab & Teaching Equipment	2,262,556,714.21	76,585,251.42	63,707,307.54		(222,658,211.70)	2,180,191,061.47
Plant & Machinery	200,553,500.28	3,048,319.63			(21,235,450.00)	182,366,369.91
Books & Periodicals	443,311,541.85	11,956,018.46	62,687.78		(28,051,668.46)	427,278,579.63
Motor vehicles	141,034,178.22	24,300.00			(26,235,509.98)	114,822,968.24
Cloaks	14,515,500.00	3,185,000.00			(154,750.00)	17,545,750.00
Telephone	3,426,150.00	23,500.00			(397,730.00)	3,051,920.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>17,289,041,217.80</b>	<b>182,888,248.71</b>	<b>87,420,257.50</b>	<b>321,727,907.01</b>	<b>(2,181,047,018.35)</b>	<b>15,700,030,612.67</b>

Accumulated Depreciation of Property, Plant & Equipment

Assets	Opening Balance as at 01.01.2022	Addition	Adjustments/ Transferred to University of Vavuniya	Closing Balance as at 31.12.2022
Lands	-			-
Buildings	2,046,833,310.02	476,484,475.16	(274,080,639.05)	2,249,237,146.13
Sports Equipment	28,642,553.27	3,635,921.89	(2,516,764.78)	29,761,710.38
Office Furniture	258,177,931.93	68,502,093.15	(25,811,487.98)	300,868,537.10
Office Equipment	225,327,635.11	47,059,143.09	(52,667,590.72)	219,719,187.48
Lab & Teaching Equipment	1,274,127,592.75	302,703,495.26	(120,059,895.91)	1,456,771,192.10
Plant & Machinery	41,301,677.13	18,044,292.36	(9,461,646.94)	49,884,322.55
Books & Periodicals	408,065,620.17	13,833,520.75	(21,946,803.34)	399,952,337.58
Motor vehicles	112,381,681.90	11,013,870.00	(23,962,649.07)	99,432,902.83
Cloaks	11,447,153.82	1,643,983.53	(20,181.09)	13,070,956.26
Telephone	2,883,587.86	203,137.03	(351,939.66)	2,734,785.23
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,409,188,743.96</b>	<b>943,123,932.22</b>	<b>(530,879,598.54)</b>	<b>4,821,433,077.64</b>

Net Book Value of Property, Plant & Equipment

Assets	Opening Balance as at 01.01.2022	Closing Balance as at 31.12.2022
Lands	2,005,333,280.43	1,936,972,280.43
Buildings	9,092,288,070.50	7,583,308,045.21
Sports Equipment	7,503,815.98	4,681,592.62
Office Furniture	395,633,893.87	329,432,554.15
Office Equipment	163,903,142.13	120,792,909.92
Lab & Teaching Equipment	988,429,121.46	723,419,869.37
Plant & Machinery	159,251,823.15	132,482,047.36
Books & Periodicals	35,245,921.68	27,326,242.05
Motor vehicles	28,652,496.32	15,390,065.41
Cloaks	3,068,346.18	4,474,793.74
Telephone	542,562.14	317,134.77
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,879,852,473.84</b>	<b>10,878,597,535.03</b>

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NOTE 09A- Livestock

COST

Description	Balance as at 01.01.2022	Additions				Balance as at 31.12.2022
		Additions During the year	Fair value Changes	Donation	Adjustments	
Live Stock	2,541,450.00	19,500.00	2,446,151.50	-	(655,733.50)	4,351,368.00
	2,541,450.00	19,500.00	2,446,151.50	-	(655,733.50)	4,351,368.00

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 10 Work in Progress</b>		
Opening Balance	1,094,655,281.82	1,372,214,601.21
Additions during the year	699,259,258.32	421,195,232.16
Transfer during the year (Building)	(321,727,907.01)	(713,668,483.31)
Transferred to University of Vavuniya	(271,224,345.04)	-
Donation from AHEAD	8,419,185.00	14,913,931.76
	<b>1,209,381,473.09</b>	<b>1,094,655,281.82</b>

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 11 Payables</b>		
Sundry Creditors	46,055,044.63	97,207,593.77
Others	111,671,941.07	133,985,084.01
	<b>157,726,985.70</b>	<b>231,192,677.78</b>

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 12 Accrued Expenses</b>		
Accrued Expenses	110,331,925.01	40,422,264.05
	<b>110,331,925.01</b>	<b>40,422,264.05</b>

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 13 Self Financing Courses &amp; Projects (Payable)</b>		
Diploma in Physical Education	3,060.96	6,660.96
Master of Education	36,823,953.15	17,176,014.35
Certificate Course in English Lang. Teaching for Non Eng. Teachers	-	367,083.00
Income from External Exam Unspent	460,325.78	3,677,024.52
Post Graduate Dip.in Education - Part time	1,306,012.39	2,117,454.82
Diploma in Journalism	1,048,989.42	1,048,989.42
M.A in Tamil	7,587,529.70	3,618,785.43
M.A in Saiva Siddhanta	2,596,451.54	1,630,029.34
BBM Online Degree Programme	91,820,382.55	87,173,827.72
MSc in Envirometal Management	2,612,066.27	3,679,862.35
MSc in Health Management	3,817,759.32	1,585,187.10
M.A in Cultural Studies	1,399,896.29	166,722.05
MA in Public Administration Batch-III	122,326.50	-
Master of Christian Studies Batch I	1,613,948.00	-
Master of Regional Planning Batch-III	23,875.00	-
Post Grad. Dip. In English as Second Language	885,385.16	934,149.16
Post graduate Dip. In Library Information Science	19,518.96	179,919.46
Diploma in Human Resources	498,811.63	498,811.63
Diploma in Management & Marketing	778,465.84	778,465.84
Diploma in Micro Finance	2,628,145.63	1,371,585.74
Master of Business Administration	53,979,520.16	67,979,449.68
Bachelor of Commerce(External)	53,182,774.72	45,308,855.45
B.A External	30,373,006.84	34,259,488.71
ICDA	1,993,228.07	2,017,844.65
ICCM	609,522.75	1,090,949.75
ICE Engineering Faculty	866,899.45	-
Intergrated Farm & Trainning Centre F/Agriculture	9,157,376.09	9,768,829.68
Certificate Couse in Molecular Biology	18,834.00	18,834.00
JUICE 2018	371.41	371.41
Higher Diploma in Physical Education B I	3,174,366.98	3,232,778.46
BA in Translation Studies	1,823,246.30	1,942,182.02
B.FA in Music	580,149.97	-
B.FA in Dance	357,669.97	-
B.FA in Art & Design	1,119,744.96	-
Certificate Course of Poultry Mgt.	224,000.00	88,000.00
Master in Clean Energy Technologies B I	1,752,169.77	2,654,120.37
B.Sc in Physical Education	508,840.32	-
Recorp Fish Project University of Amsterdam	1,245,323.00	1,591,323.00
Diploma in Professional English	2,064,769.32	2,223,252.00

Diploma in Banking and Finance -B I	3,045,000.00	-
Short Course in Basic ICT Skills	74,780.00	-
Certificate Course in Principals of Micro-Irrigation	37,395.00	-
Certificate Course in Principals of Farm Machinery	97,395.00	-
Certificate course in Earthwarm Technology	115,030.00	96,000.00
Certificate course in Mushroom Manufacture and Training Technology	118,184.00	88,000.00
High Dip. In Media Studies Batch -I	1,093,693.00	1,372,843.00
PGD in Education(Part time) 2020/2021 Jaffna	1,710,323.27	215,652.50
PGD in Education 2021/2021 Jaffna	2,106,692.00	-
PGD in Education(Part time) 2020/2022 Jaffna	2,245,555.76	-
English Language Teaching Centre Unspent	-	3,008,589.65
Induction Programme SDC	-	22,000.00
Testing of Mechanical Properties of concrete cubes, cylinder	168,584.10	-
CODL Mercy Chance old syllabus exam payments	1,590,720.00	-
Capacity Building Programme to the Srilanka Education Admini	62,000.00	-
Phd	1,098,552.94	368,952.18
M.Phill	3,652,841.57	140,105.44
Basic Sinhala Level - 1	313,675.00	12,500.00
English Language for Officers	554,035.35	13,500.00
Tein Co-operation Centre	112,935.27	-
UBL Research Project Bio Plastic	80,000.00	-
UBL Research Project Drinking Yogut	100,000.00	-
VC-Media	135,000.00	-
AHRC Partnership Programme	4,968,940.98	-
Short Course in Web Design & Web Development Batch 1	181,000.00	180,000.00
	<b>342,741,051.41</b>	<b>303,704,994.84</b>
<b>Inrease/(Decrease) for the Year</b>	<b>39,036,056.57</b>	<b>57,429,295.77</b>

#### Note 14 Payable

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Refundable Deposit</b>		
Security Deposit Payable - Staff	740,328.60	703,023.57
Security Deposit Payable - Others	398,000.00	345,447.60
Science Deposit Post Graduate	440,000.00	440,000.00
Hall Deposit	1,508,050.00	1,312,650.00
Cloak Deposit	187,250.00	277,250.00
Tender Deposit	201,131.04	386,131.04
Library Deposit	2,545,750.00	2,455,750.00
Library Hall Deposit	76,500.00	66,500.00
Science Deposit Under Graduate	3,553,900.00	2,019,800.00
Science Deposit Under Graduate V.C.	-	1,458,000.00
Rental Deposit	-	30,500.00
Security Deposit - V.C	-	279,993.10
Performance Bond U/J	-	443,213.02
Canteen Deposit V/C	-	120,000.00
	<b>9,650,909.64</b>	<b>10,338,258.33</b>

#### Note 14A Provisions for Gratuity

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
Provisions for Gratuity	1,048,027,039.77	1,068,211,918.28
	<b>1,048,027,039.77</b>	<b>1,068,211,918.28</b>

	2022 Rs.	2021 Rs.
<b>Note 15 Restricted Fund and Specific Fund</b>		
Endowment Fund	444,716,287.99	432,935,695.09
Memorial Lectures	1,450,822.33	1,599,131.75
Development Fund	162,314,985.18	94,579,788.98
Special Grant	100,000.00	100,000.00
Research Grant	7,516,697.33	9,532,397.00
Gifts and Donations	32,535,745.46	462,973,165.72
Vice Chancellor's Welfare Fund	8,618,231.00	9,220,275.47
Rector's Welfare Fund	-	534,578.37
Vice Chancellor's Fund	6,211,515.16	-
Computer Development Reserve	110,028.41	110,028.41
Grant for Management Faculty Development Fund	50,975.00	50,975.00
Balance from restricted fund Spent	-	21,528,417.86
Balance from restricted fund	17,967,200.03	17,967,200.03
University Development Fund V/C	-	1,584,347.33
University Development Fund	70,598,290.66	13,767,204.46
University Development Fund Spent	-	35,289,653.39
Lee Kong Chain Endowment	3,999,000.00	3,899,000.00
Interest from Swept A/C	-	1,112,366.06
Interest from Restricted Fund-Spent A/C	-	54,317,538.67
Interest from Restricted Fund	35,035,419.03	67,846,293.11
	<b>791,225,197.58</b>	<b>1,228,948,056.70</b>
<b>Increase/(Decrease) for the year</b>	<b>(437,722,859.12)</b>	<b>71,671,319.73</b>

	2022 Rs.	2021 Rs.
<b>Note 16 Accumulated Fund(Capital Grant)</b>		
Capital Grant Spent	8,069,855,838.95	8,630,014,183.20
Unspent Capital Grant	12,543,664.50	12,261,779.62
Contribution to Capital Outlay	132,920,346.36	141,176,780.69
Contri. to Assets taken from other Institutions		
UJ	16,843,764.54	-
VC	-	42,584,205.35
Computer Development Reserve Spent	398,960.00	398,960.00
Capital Receipts	5,316,465,197.49	4,372,117,138.47
	<b>13,549,027,771.84</b>	<b>13,198,553,047.33</b>

	2022 Rs.	2021 Rs.
<b>16A Accumulated Surplus /( Deficit)</b>		
Opening Balance	(1,077,823,927.04)	(3,268,503,046.22)
Current Year Balance	(619,414,915.86)	2,250,028,585.28
Prior year Provision for Depreciation adjustment	-	18,637,095.31
Transferred to Restricted Fund	(9,965,714.73)	(77,986,561.41)
	<b>(1,707,204,557.63)</b>	<b>(1,077,823,927.04)</b>

	2022 Rs.	2021 Rs.
<b>Note 17 General Reserve</b>		
Opening Balance	(1,283,056,705.43)	(1,259,896,729.64)
Prior year adjustments	(22,325,895.29)	(23,159,975.79)
Transferred to University of Vavuniya	(1,271,330,237.67)	-
<b>Closing Balance</b>	<b>(2,576,712,838.39)</b>	<b>(1,283,056,705.43)</b>

	2022 Rs.	2021 Rs.
<b>Note 18A Revaluation - Reserve</b>		
Revaluation Surplus Opening	2,001,571,160.17	2,001,571,160.17
Transferred to University of Vavuniya	115,354,236.97	-
Live Stock Revaluation (Birth & O/B Change)	2,446,151.50	-
Revaluation Land	500,000.00	-
	<b>2,119,871,548.64</b>	<b>2,001,571,160.17</b>

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 18A Revaluation - Reserve</b>		
Revaluation Surplus Opening	2,001,571,160.17	2,001,571,160.17
Transferred to University of Vavuniya	115,354,236.97	-
Live Stock Revaluation (Birth & O/B Change)	2,446,151.50	-
Revaluation Land	500,000.00	-
	<b>2,119,871,548.64</b>	<b>2,001,571,160.17</b>

## **Notes to the Statement of Financial Performance**

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 19 - Recurrent Grant</b>		
Grant from Treasury	3,709,000,000.00	3,879,000,000.00
	<b>3,709,000,000.00</b>	<b>3,879,000,000.00</b>

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 19 A - Capital Grant</b>		
Construction of Staff Quarters	-	1,000,000.00
Tsunami Grant	-	37,821,474.09
Grant for Est. Technology	23,000,000.00	66,000,000.00
Grant of Strengthening state	-	28,286,087.00
Fund for the IT Infrastructure	-	20,000,000.00
Additional Student intake	33,363,823.00	137,000,000.00
Inter University Championship-2022	2,000,000.00	-
Capital Grant	215,000,000.00	449,350,000.00
	<b>273,363,823.00</b>	<b>739,457,561.09</b>

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 19 B - Donation</b>		
Donation from AHEAD	79,200,442.50	250,368,910.10
Donation from Dr.K.Thapotharan	-	2,000.00
Donation from Dr.K.Umasuki	-	146,500.00
Donation from Dr.Kathiravetpillai & Mr.Kapilan	-	141,000.00
Donation from Commercial Bank	-	62,990.00
Donation from National Research Council	-	158,900.00
Donation from Techno Solutions Pvt Ltd	-	140,000.00
Donation from Welfare Society	-	17,000.00
Donation from Mr.Arumukanathan	-	525,000.00
Donation from Mr.B.Sureshkumar	-	184,990.00
Donation from Mrs.S.Ravichandran	-	3,200.00
Donation from the Alumini Faculty of Medicine 7th Batch	-	144,300.00
Donation - The Alumini Faculty of Medicine	16,639,000.00	-
JICA Project	-	2,171,267,711.00
Welfare Society	-	41,800.00
Current Solar AS	-	9,477,293.12
	<b>95,839,442.50</b>	<b>2,432,681,594.22</b>

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 19 C - Other Grant</b>		
Three Lanka Project Equipment Spent A/C	4,253,319.63	-
IRCESM Spent A/C	69,020.00	-
Integrated Farm Spent A/C	24,150.00	-
B. Com Spent A/C	2,415,485.00	-
BBM Online Spent	4,486,852.50	-
B.A Spent A/C	754,000.00	-
Diploma in Professional English Spent A/C	6,472.00	-
Split Site Research Project Equipment Spent A/C	1,300,903.00	-
BE in Engineering-Spend A/C	375,000.00	-
Capacity Bulding and Est. of a Research Consortium Spent	57,500.00	-
US Ambassador's Equipment Spent	4,848,086.13	-
Medica Faculty Development Fund Equipment Spent	710,000.00	-
Income from External Exam U/J Spent	7,704,717.64	-
Kandiah Karthigesan Spent	12,246,354.14	-
Higher Dip. In Phy. Education Equipment Spent	257,250.00	-
Research for National Development Equipment Spent	2,294,444.12	-
MBA Spent A/C	4,614,300.00	-
Slae of Produce Spent	9,500.00	-
NSF Grant Equipment Spent A/C	147,906.00	-
NIHR-AF Equipment Spent	1,867,580.00	-
Faculty Development Fund Graduate Studies Spent	1,330,000.00	-
ERASMUS Plus Solid Waste Mgt Project Spent A/C	1,993,100.00	-
	<b>51,765,940.16</b>	<b>-</b>

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 20 - Net Income/(Expenses) from other Activities</b>		
Diploma in Physical Education	(3,600.00)	(11,850.86)
Master of Education	19,647,938.80	(11,850.86)
External Exam	-	(129,226.07)
Post Graduate Dip.in Education(Part time)	(811,442.43)	12,390.00
Post Graduate Diploma in Library Information Studies	(160,400.50)	(258,367.83)
Diploma in Journalism	-	(70,863.80)
Master of Business Administration	(13,999,929.52)	22,134,164.75
M.A in Tamil	3,968,744.27	19,000.00
M.A in Saiva Siddhanta	966,422.20	307,385.26
BBM Online Degree Programme	(6,623,748.17)	30,192,973.37
M.Sc in Evironmental Management	(1,067,796.08)	1,373,275.00
M.Sc in Health Management	2,232,572.22	(79,060.00)
Diploma in Micro Finance	1,256,559.89	726,695.00
PGD in teaching English as Second Language	(48,764.00)	29,000.00
Bachelor of Commerce (External)	7,873,919.27	16,452,230.47
Bachelor of Arts (External)	(3,886,481.87)	7,537,409.44
Integrated Farm & Training Centre	(611,453.59)	1,102,775.10
MA in Cultural Studies	1,233,174.24	(1,339,517.56)
	<b>9,965,714.73</b>	<b>77,986,561.41</b>

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 20 A - University Development Fund</b>		
Recurrent	60,000,000.00	-
Capital	26,000,000.00	-
	<b>86,000,000.00</b>	<b>-</b>

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 21- Other Income</b>		
Interest from Investment	-	85.00
Interest from Loan	5,160,962.63	6,015,333.49
Rent from Property	3,972,233.28	3,976,734.12
Sale of old Stores	7,850.00	2,448.00
Sale of produce	1,086,590.25	2,106,336.50
Misc Receipts	13,032,677.97	20,805,292.50
Registration Fees - Undergraduate	1,851,475.00	1,999,450.00
Registration Fees - Postgraduate	-	165,100.00
Convocation Income	11,528,305.80	5,013,350.00
Tuition Fees - Postgraduate	-	597,000.00
Examination Fees - Undergraduate	4,260,600.00	4,084,390.00
Examination Fees - Postgraduate	-	4,000.00
Library Fine	19,910.00	5,045.00
Medical Fees	1,329,405.00	1,558,280.00
Discount Received	120.00	165,391.80
Departmental charges	393,112.00	-
Bid security for failed Income	300,000.00	-
Performance Bond for failed Income	1,017,323.40	-
Income from other Activities	928,347.86	1,430,589.99
Rent Hostel	9,537,770.00	6,075,471.00
Income & Expenditure Live Stock	(172,129.00)	-
Recovery Visiting Income	1,192,957.40	36,425.00
	<b>55,447,511.59</b>	<b>54,040,722.40</b>

		2022	2021
		Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 22 Grant for Financial Assistance to Students</b>			
Bursary	22.1	96,352,000.00	128,516,000.00
		<b>96,352,000.00</b>	<b>128,516,000.00</b>

		2022	2021
		Rs.	Rs.
<b>22.1 Bursary</b>			
Jaffna		96,352,000.00	99,316,000.00
Vavuniya		-	29,200,000.00
		<b>96,352,000.00</b>	<b>128,516,000.00</b>

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 23 Operating Expenses (Details Shown in 23A)</b>		
Personnel Emoluments	3,358,226,768.99	3,342,146,756.05
Travelling	4,455,781.25	2,950,070.24
Supplies	90,348,112.52	79,046,665.94
Maintenance	30,807,092.73	25,358,454.59
Contractual Services	299,743,014.14	278,805,595.27
Depreciation	943,123,932.22	1,065,410,855.92
Provision for Gratuity	78,967,254.63	43,966,568.35
Other Operating Expenses	88,432,578.53	94,954,550.98
	<b>4,894,104,535.01</b>	<b>4,932,639,517.34</b>

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 24 Payment of Financial Assistance to Students</b>		
Bursary	96,352,000.00	128,516,000.00
	<b>96,352,000.00</b>	<b>128,516,000.00</b>

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 25 Losses and Write off</b>		
Losses & write off	852,413.05	498,336.50
	<b>852,413.05</b>	<b>498,336.50</b>

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 25 A Research for National Development</b>		
Research for National Development	5,840,399.78	-
	<b>5,840,399.78</b>	<b>-</b>

	2022	2021
	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Note 26 Surplus/(Deficit)</b>		
Surplus/(Deficit)	(966,484,639.72)	2,250,028,585.28
Transfer to Restricted Fund	996,5714.73	77,986,561.41
	<b>(956,518,924.99)</b>	<b>2,328,015,146.69</b>

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ACTUAL EXPENDITURE BY OBJECTS - 2022

Note : 23 A

Object	Code	Object Title	Actual Expenditure 2022	Actual Expenditure 2021
<b>01</b>	<b>PERSONAL EMOLUMENTS</b>		<b>3,358,226,768.99</b>	<b>3,342,146,756.05</b>
	1101-1	Salaries	1,165,652,936.32	1,216,792,675.02
	1101-2	Pension	146,980,953.59	148,601,039.60
	1101-3	U.P.F.	199,150,970.68	207,115,630.66
	1101-4	E.T.F.	69,337,586.44	71,438,729.46
	1101-5	Gratuities	42,148,360.80	58,135,575.23
	1102	Overtime & Holiday Pay	31,819,144.88	27,943,369.96
	1106	Visiting Lecture Fees Including Travelling & Subsistence to Visiting Lecturers	10,169,415.80	11,076,089.70
	1108	Monthly Compensative Allowance (MCA)	184,106,373.53	195,515,024.35
	1109-1	Other Allowance (Dean's Allow. Heads of Dept. etc.)	5,400,778.31	5,153,079.46
	1109-2	Entertainment Allowance	335,937.50	1,247,375.20
	1109-3	Acting Allowance	87,653.22	794,084.90
	1111	Language Allowance	-	-
	1112-1	Cost of Living Allowance	160,360,035.60	169,910,984.04
	1112-2	Income Tax	-	-
	1115	Academic Allowance	839,573,587.05	836,409,189.46
	1116	Equalisation Allowance	1,799.03	1,800.00
	1117	Research Allowance	191,403,589.78	174,648,704.40
	1122	Special Allowance	241.50	363,413.41
	1123	20% Additional Allowance	197,200,940.69	202,231,038.96
	1125	Interiam Allowance	-	-
	1126	Monthly Allowance (5000/-)	102,546,045.39	-
	1128	Transport Allowance	4,708,333.33	8,235,482.02
	1129	Fuel Allowance	4,292,731.66	2,005,367.00
	1130	Adjusted Allowance	67,353.07	6,817.17
	1131	Communication Allowance	2,882,000.82	4,521,286.05
<b>02</b>	<b>TRAVELLING EXPENSES</b>		<b>4,455,781.25</b>	<b>2,950,070.24</b>
	1201	Travelling Expenses (Local)	2,037,343.25	896,754.34
	1202	Travelling Expenses (Foreign)	2,418,438.00	2,053,315.90
<b>03</b>	<b>SUPPLIES</b>		<b>90,348,112.52</b>	<b>79,046,665.94</b>
	1301	Stationery & Office requisites	36,239,684.21	29,540,080.17
	1302	Fuel & Lubricants	16,872,913.72	7,206,021.22
	1303	Uniforms including tailoring charges	7,788,654.61	2,868,844.25
	1304-1	Mechanical & Electrical goods,	598,438.00	3,879,265.92
	1304-2	Chemical & Glassware	8,366,001.62	17,598,428.50
	1305	Medical Supplies	4,685,920.87	2,779,890.06
	1309	Other Supplies	15,796,499.49	15,174,135.82

<b>04</b>	<b>MINOR REPAIRS &amp; MAINTENANCE</b>		<b>30,807,092.73</b>	<b>25,358,454.59</b>
	1401-1	Vehicles	9,607,935.59	7,359,086.17
	1401-2	Plant & Machinery	9,179,980.36	8,261,270.57
	1402-1	Buildings & Structure	8,725,650.46	7,801,174.65
	1402-2	Furniture	213,970.00	773,967.67
	1402-3	Other Services	3,079,556.32	1,162,955.53
<b>05</b>	<b>CONTRACTUAL SERVICES</b>		<b>299,743,014.14</b>	<b>278,805,595.27</b>
	1501	Transport	282,405.00	304,268.50
	1502-1	Telecommunication	37,249,503.44	41,724,801.18
	1502-2	Postage	1,687,159.23	1,806,988.45
	1503-1	Electricity	69,991,811.42	58,859,981.08
	1503-2	Water	5,014,570.25	1,609,493.91
	1504-1	Rent	5,936,000.00	8,521,100.00
	1504-2	Hiring Charges	6,068,419.57	2,596,735.28
	1505	Rates, Taxes and Insurance	1,057,712.54	2,069,032.61
	1506-1	Printing	5,210,742.50	3,639,980.72
	1506-2	Advertisement	1,631,445.00	5,266,143.50
	1507-1	Security Services	41,560,995.37	57,196,496.44
	1507-2	Cleaning Services	69,678,257.32	66,634,669.02
	1507-3	Other Services	54,373,992.50	28,575,904.58

Object	Code	Object Title	Actual Expenditure 2022	Actual Expenditure 2021
<b>06</b>	<b>OTHER RECURRENT EXPENSES</b>		<b>88,432,578.53</b>	<b>94,954,550.98</b>
	1601	Subscriptions, Contributions and Membership Fees - Local	139,513.00	412,880.35
	1602	Subscriptions, Contributions and Membership Fees - Foreign	1,038,395.66	1,818,135.72
	1607	Academic Research & Publication	-	-
	1608	Work Shop Seminar	1,890,103.56	652,165.60
	1609	Grant to Other Organisation	-	800,000.00
	1610	Awards & Indemnities	90,000.00	100,000.00
	1611	Losses and write-offs	-	-
	1612	Holiday Warrants, Season Tickets	2,272,565.00	99,040.00
	1613-1	Audit Fees	1,149,280.00	1,173,408.00
	1613-2	Council Members' Fees etc.	1,751,625.00	3,020,500.00
	1614	Convocation	18,000,059.67	10,342,791.30
	1615	Entertainment Expenses	3,701,878.68	3,390,618.05
	1616-1	Other Recurrent Expenses	8,290,167.41	10,308,986.95
	1616-2	Bank Charges	901.60	450.00
	1617	Examination Expenses	43,673,763.04	55,865,345.21
	1618	Post Graduate Research & Schlorships	-	-
	1619	Course Materials for Students & Learning Quality improvements	-	-
	1620	Industry internship, practicals & carer guidance	-	-
	1621	Training for teachers, Administrators & Other Employees	732,002.00	384,660.12
	1622	Students Development initiatives & community	-	-
	1623	Universities Sports activities	952,145.00	1,028,750.00
	1624	Students Welfare, Employee Welfare, Student Council & Social harmony	-	-
	1625	Corporative planing, governance & outreach	-	-
	1626	Interest subsidy on property loan	4,750,178.91	5,556,819.68
<b>Total Operating Expenses</b>			<b>3,968,365,348.16</b>	<b>3,951,778,093.07</b>

<b>07</b>	<b>FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO STUDENTS</b>		<b>96,352,000.00</b>	<b>128,516,000.00</b>
		Endowed Scholarship	-	-
	1704-1	Treasury Component	-	-
	1704-2	Donors Component	-	-
	1705	Bursaries	96,352,000.00	128,516,000.00
		Mahapola	-	-
	1706-1	Treasury Component	-	-
	1706-2	Mahapola Trust Component	-	-

<b>08</b>	<b>Depreciation of Fixed Assets</b>		<b>943,123,932.22</b>	<b>1,065,410,855.92</b>
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<b>09</b>	<b>Provision for Gratuity</b>		<b>78,967,254.63</b>	<b>43,966,568.35</b>
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	<b>4,990,456,535.01</b>	<b>5,061,155,517.34</b>
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31 May 2023

Vice chancellor,  
University of Jaffna.

### Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements and Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements of the University of Jaffna for the year ended 31 December 2022 in terms of Section 12 of the National Audit Act, No. 19 of 2018.

#### 1. Financial Statements

##### 1.1 Qualified Opinion

The audit of the financial statements of the University of Jaffna ("University") for the year ended 31 December 2022 comprising the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2022 and the statement of financial performance, statement of changes in net assets and cash flow statement for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, 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 provisions of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018 and Finance Act No.38 of 1971. My report to Parliament in pursuance of provisions in Article 154(6) of the Constitution will be tabled in due course.

In my opinion, except for the effects of the matters described in the basis for Qualified Opinion section of my report, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the University as at 31 December 2022, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standards.



## 1.2 **Basis for Qualified Opinion**

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- (a) Donations amounted to Rs. 1,280,240 received during the year under review had not been identified and measured in the financial statements in accordance with Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standard 11.
- (b) The useful life time of the non-current assets should be reviewed annually in terms of Paragraph 65 of the Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standard 07. However the Property, Plant and Equipment amounting Rs.48, 516,123 which had been fully depreciated but still being used by the end of the year under review, had not been reviewed and action had not been taken to revise the said estimated error in the financial statements in terms of Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standard 03.
- (c) The income amounting to Rs.2,374,180 received by auctioning the Fixed Assets in the year under review had been identified as an income without adjusting through an Assets Disposal Account in terms of Paragraphs 80 and 81 of the Sri Lanka Public Sector Accounting Standard 7. Moreover, action had not been taken to remove the cost and the accumulated depreciation of the auctioned assets.

I conducted my audit in accordance with Sri Lanka Auditing Standards (SLAuSs). My responsibilities, under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of my report. I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my qualified opinion.

## 1.3 **Other information included in the University's 2021 Annual Report.**

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The other information comprises the information included in the University's 2022 Annual Report but does not include the financial statements and my auditor's report thereon, which I have obtained prior to the date of this auditor's report. Management is responsible for the other information.

My opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and I do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with my audit of the financial statements, my responsibility is to read the other information identified above and, in doing so, consider whether the other information

is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or my knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If based on the work I have performed on the other information that I have obtained prior to the date of this auditor's report, I conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, I am required to report that fact. I have nothing to report in this regard.

#### **1.4 Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements**

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

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the University's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the University or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the University's financial reporting process.

As per Section 16(1) of the National Audit Act No. 19 of 2018, the University is required to maintain proper books and records of all its income, expenditure, assets and liabilities, to enable annual and periodic financial statements to be prepared of the University.

#### **1.5 Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

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My objective is to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes my opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Sri Lanka Auditing 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.

As part of an audit in accordance with Sri Lanka Auditing Standards, I exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. I also,

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my 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.
- Obtain 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.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the management's 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 auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify my opinion. My conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of my auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the University to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate 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 communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that I identify during my audit.

## **2. Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

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- 2.1 National Audit Act, No. 19 of 2018 and Universities Act No.16 of 1978 includes specific provisions for following requirements.
- 2.1.1 Except for the effects of the matters described in the basis for Qualified Opinion section of my report, I have obtained all the information and explanation that required for the audit and as far as appears from my examination, proper accounting records have been kept by the University as per the requirement of section 12 (a) of the National Audit Act, No. 19 of 2018.
- 2.1.2 The financial statements presented is consistent with the preceding year as per the requirement of section 6(1)(d)(iii) of the National Audit Act, No. 19 of 2018.
- 2.1.3 The financial statements presented includes all the recommendations made by me in the previous year except the audit matters described in the basis for Qualified Opinion section of my report as per the requirement of section 6(1)(d) (iv) of the National Audit Act, No. 19 of 2018.
- 2.2 Based on the procedures performed and evidence obtained were limited to matters that are material, nothing has come to my attention;
- 2.2.1 To state that any member of the governing body of the University has any direct or indirect interest in any contract entered into by the University which are out of the normal cause of business as per the requirement of section 12(d) of the National Audit Act, No. 19 of 2018.
- 2.2.2 To state that the University has not complied with any applicable written law, general and special directions issued by the governing body of the University as per the requirement of section 12(f) of the National Audit Act, No. 19 of 2018 except for the following observations.

<b>Reference to Rules and Regulation</b>	<b>Description</b>
<p>(a) Financial Regulation of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka</p> <hr/> <p>Financial Regulation 371(2) and Public Finance circular No. 03/2015 dated on 14 July 2015.</p>	<p>(i) Even though the Advances obtained should be settled immediately after the completion of the relevant function, Imprests totalling Rs.2,706,567 provided in 68 instances had been settled after a period of delay ranging from 12 days to 89 days.</p> <p>(ii) Advances totalling Rs.3,724,669 in 25 instances had been provided exceeding the maximum limit of which the Sub- Imprests could be provided amounting to Rs.100,000 , without obtaining the approval of the Treasury through the Chief Accounting Officer.</p>
<p>(b) Section 03(X) of National Budget Circular No. 03/2022</p>	<p>Suspension should be made to grant loan facilities to staff grade officers until 31 December 2022. However, A sum of Rs 5,500,000 had been granted to staff grade officers as distress loan in 22 instances.</p>
<p>(c) Section 3 of chapter XX of Establishment Code of the University Grants Commission and Higher Educational Institutions.</p>	<p>(i) Salaries and Allowances amounting to Rs.2,295,150,010 had been paid in the year under review without confirming the Attendance and the Departure of the Academic Staff.</p> <p>(ii) A sum of Rs.31,819,145 had been paid in the year under review as overtime and holiday payment without confirming the arrivals and the Departures.</p>

(d) Circular No.15/2015 on 17 November 2015 of University Grants Commission Establishment

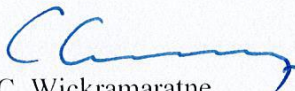
Even though the results should be released within 3 months after conducting the examination, it had taken a period ranging from 03 months to 22 months for the release of the results of the examinations conducted in 6 Faculties in the University, from the year 2019 to the year 2021.

2.2.3 To state that the University has not performed according to its powers, functions and duties as per the requirement of section 12(g) of the National Audit Act, No. 19 of 2018.

2.2.4 To state 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 as per the requirement of section 12(h) of the National Audit Act, No. 19 of 2018.

### 3. **Other Matters**

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- (a) Action had not been taken by the University to recover the Distress Loan Balance totalling Rs.1,009,338, stated under the Accounts receivable in the financial statements, despite a period ranging from 03 years to 27 years had lapsed to recover that balance.
- (b) Seventy one (71) academic staff and twenty one (21) non-academic staff of the university who had gone overseas on scholarship programmes had not reported back for duty or vacated from the university after completion of the scholarships. However, the university had not taken proper actions to recover the bonds aggregating amounting to Rs. 130,105,033 during the period from 1980 to 2022 from the officers who had breached agreements.

  
W.P.C. Wickramaratne  
Auditor General.

## **Observation of the Governing Authority in respect of the issues highlighted in the report**

### **1. Financial Statements**

#### **1.2 Basis for Qualified Opinion**

(a) As per the SLPSAS 07, an asset is recognized in the financial statements when it is probable that the future economic benefits associated with the assets will flow to the entity and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. The Ammachi food preparation and sales center had been designed by the team headed by Provincial director and Deputy director of Department of irrigation of the Northern Province and the project was implemented by District Secretariat office of the Kilinochi. Finally, the building was handed over to operate according to the Ammachi concept by the Department of Agriculture, Northern Province to Faculty of Engineering. Those assets will be used to prepare and sell the foods by the staff employed in the Ammachi by the Department of Agriculture, Northern Province. The donations of those assets were placed in the finance committee and action has been taken to add these assets as soon as the building has been taken to the donation in the university books of accounts.

(b) This matter was discussed in detail at the Audit Committee meetings held on 25th April 2022 and 15th July 2022. The audit committee noted the following matters relating to the property plant and equipment of the University of Jaffna.

- 1) University of Jaffna has 10 categories of assets and more than 2.5 million individual assets items under these categories
- 2) The university has carried out one-time revaluation for the first time in 2014 by a firm of Chartered Accountants for the purpose of computerization of fixed assets register at a cost of over five million taking more than five years to update the fixed assets register.
- 3) Reviewing the useful life of the assets, residual value annually and revaluating the assets for every three or five years for the purpose of depreciation will not be practical as it is a time consuming and costly exercise. Also, this exercise is not expected to bring significant impact on the financial statements of the University of Jaffna.

Considering the above aspect, audit committee at its 70th meeting held on 22nd April 2022 and special audit committee meeting held on 25th April 2022 recommended to the Council to change the policy to adopt the cost model taking into account of the book value as deemed cost and to depreciate the assets using reducing balance method with the approval of the UGC and the CASL. Accordingly, the Council approval has been obtained for this change at the 472<sup>nd</sup> meeting held

on 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022 and forwarded to UGC for the approval to implement the policy from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2023 onwards.

University of Jaffna is waiting for the approval from UGC to implement the policy for property plant and equipment. Action will be taken as stated in the policy once the approval received from UGC. The policy note is attached herewith.

- (c) The whole sales proceeds received in the action has been considered as surplus and recognized as income in the financial statements as the carrying value of the disposed assets are zero and are fully depreciated. The disposed assets are being derecognized from the asset register and removed from the system once the Council approval received.

## **2. Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

### **Reference to Rules and Regulation**

#### **(a) Financial Regulation of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka**

- i. All the advances have been made as per the financial regulations 371(2) (b), Public Administration Circular no.3/2015 and UGC Circular no. 05/2015. Due to the Economic crisis and fuel problem most of the institution had shut down their operations continuously. University of Jaffna also completely closed for certain period continuously (for one to one and half months). Due to this, most of the officers who had taken the advances for certain purposes were unable to commence and complete their programmes as they planned. Due to this the advance settlements had been delayed. However, we have ensured that all the advances taken during the period of 2022 had been settled in 2022 itself.

Also, we have taken proper control mechanism to monitor the advances and ensure the settlement of the advances as soon as the event is completed. Strict action has been taken and internal circulars had been issued to all the staff to educate them to settle their advances in time.

- ii. All the advances have been made according to the financial regulations 371(2) (b), Public Administration Circular no. 3/2015 and UGC Circular no. 05/2015. All the advances had been made with the maximum limit of Rs. 100,000.00. There were no breach of the circulars under any circumstances. However action has already been taken from 01.05.2023 to stop giving advances to staff grade officers.

**(b) Section 03 (X) National Budget Circular No. 03/2022**

According to the 3rd paragraph of National Budget Circular No. 03/2022 in relation to the above matter, measures for controlling expenditure should be followed when incurring expenditure and implementing the projects that use domestic funds. It was requested in the circular to suspend the loan facilities granted to the staff grade officers under Public Officers Advance Accounts until the end of the year. The loan disbursements given by the University to the officers mentioned are the disbursements made from the capital amount recovered while recovering the installment capital of the loans already given to the employees and the University has not used any treasury funds for this loan disbursement from 01.05.2022 to 31.12.2022. Therefore, it is clear that the said distress loan payment was done entirely through the internal funds of the university and the university did not use the treasury funds for this payment in any case. The National Budget circular 03/2022 was not violated in any case.

**(c) Section 3 of Chapter XX of Establishment Code of the University Grants Commission and Higher Educational Institutions.**

- (i) This matter has been repeatedly explained in our previous replies. Academic staff in the Sri Lankan University systems do not generally sign in the Attendance Register and this matter was satisfactorily explained at COPE meeting held on 11.11.2017. Further, the Heads of the Departments monitor the academic staff in the respective Departments and confirm their presence.
- (ii) Due to Corona outbreak and Economic crises the finger print scan was not used. However, attendance registers had been properly maintained and certification was done based on such records and overtime & Holiday payments have been made according to the certified and authorized attendance records.

**(d) Circular No. 15/2015 on 17 November 2015 of University Grants Commission Establishment.**

We have taken very strict follow up action on the release of results. Monthly reports regarding release of examination results with the details of examinations, date of examinations held, details of subjects for which results not released and period of delay are submitted to the Senate. In addition, an Internal Circular was issued by the Competent Authority on 04.03.2020 and the matter was reported to Council indicating the procedures, guidelines and rules to expedite the process of releasing results. Action had been taken to closely monitor this process and there has been a significant improvement in releasing the results in comparison to the previous year. Timeline for releasing the results have been included in the Examination by laws which are to be approved by the Council.

### 3. Other Matters

- (a) Whenever staff is getting retired the outstanding loan amount will be recovered from their UPF balance. Following staff members have failed to submit their UPF request forms. However, they have sufficient UPF balance in their account. Soon after we receive their UPF requests action will be taken to recover loan amounts. University has taken all the possible actions to contact these staff and get their UPF requests.

No	Name	Current Loan Amount	Issues Date	UPF Balance on 31.12.2021
1	Rev. Dr. Victor	115,516.00	1995	4,957,054.44
2	Mrs.R.Gnanakumaran	51,400.00	1997	1,479,211.06
3	Mr. K. Kesavan	134,667.00	2003	3,121,977.06
4	Mrs. S. Pathinathan	98,943.86	2010	309,001.29

Action already taken to recovery the loan outstanding of below staffs from their gratuity payments.

No	Name	Current Loan Amount	Issues Date	UPF Balance on 31.12.2021
1	K.Kumaran	187,495.00	2018	1,170,092.75
2	K.Janatheepan	250,000.00	2020	324,562.53

One staff member's UPF form has already been sent to the UGC and soon after the recovery is received from the UGC loan will be settled. Also another staff member went on no-pay leave and he will be back to resume duties in 2024. Soon after he assumes duty loan recovery will recommence.

- (b) The Committee on Obligations of Bond and Agreement (COBA) has studied all the details of bond defaulters and prepared a policy paper to the Council which was formulated based on the prevailing legal and regulatory framework and relevant rulings of the University Council up to 2017. The Council at its 426<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 24.02.2018 approved the policy paper on bond obligations and granted approval for the enforcement in the relevant administrative work of the University of Jaffna. UGC has published all the names of the defaulters including all the Universities in the newspapers in 2018. The only action possible now is to take legal action. Accordingly, a detail study of Information and details of 72 defaulters as at 31.12.2022 is being carried out to proceed with the legal action.

The COBA at its 16<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 20.04.2022 having noted the long outstanding dues from the bond violators (both Academic & Non – Academic) amounting to LKR.68. million, prepared a comprehensive summary policy and guideline and step by step procedure for strict implementation with the approval of the Council. A detailed study on a case by case basis to make recommendation to the Council for the possible legal action is being carried out. The Committee meets on a regular basis and carries out a detailed evaluation with the view to clear the long outstanding balances.

The Committee also has taken up the matters pertaining to the academic staff member who have assumed duties without completing their postgraduate studies within the study leave period, and made recommendations to the Council on appropriate action to be taken based on deliberations made at the 16<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 20.04.2022.

The Committee has taken following decisions against the seven defaulters out of 72.

- I. If the Bond Violator is not responding to the request that matter should be brought to the Council for its decision.
- II. The balance obligation can be waived off in considering the payment already made under the Liquidated Damages and Interest.
- III. Recovery of the balance obligation should be made through Bond property which was mortgaged by Bond Defaulters with the approval of the Council.
- IV. Last warning letter should be issued to defaulter and sureties and action to impound the passport through Courts should be initiated.
- V. The balance Bond Obligation in instalment basis should be settled within two years, failing which action should be taken to impound the passport through Courts and the legal action should be taken to transfer the land mortgaged to the University.
- VI. Action taken to send the letter of demand for all defaulters and take legal action through legal department.

Details of the Bond defaulters and summary of outstanding has been shown below:

<b>Bond defaulters as at 31.12.2021</b>	<b>68</b>
<b>Add new defaulters</b> Dr.(Mrs.)L.Guruparan, Mrs.T.Thasan, Mr.M.Pratheesh, Ms.N.Ajeethan, Ms.P.Jegatheeswaran	<b>05</b>
<b>No.of defaulters released in the year 2022</b> Dr.(Mrs.) S.Pancharajah	<b>(01)</b>
<b>No.of defaulters as at 30.12.2022</b>	<b>72</b>

<b>Bond Balance dues as at 31.12.2021</b>		<b>68,667,671.64</b>
	Dr.(Mrs.)L.Guruparan	LKR 6,088,535.08
	Mrs.T.Thasan,	LKR 10,659,409.30

Add	Mr.M.Pratheesh,	LKR 16,430,689.97	
	Ms.N.Ajeethan,	LKR 16,425,421.65	
	Ms.P.Jegatheeswaran	LKR 6,404,313.38	
			<b>56,008,369.38</b>
			<b>124,676,041.02</b>
Less			
Received by cash	Mr.T.Kankeyan	LKR ( 179,820.00 on 27.08.2022) + (258,550.00 on 27.08.2022) + (100,000.00 on 30.12.2022) = <b>538,370.00</b>	<b>3,638,370.00</b>
	Mr.J.Adhuran	LKR (1,000,000.00 on 06.04.2022) + (1,700,000.00 on 20.04.2022) + (400,000.00 on 15.08.2022) = <b>3,100,000</b>	
Recovered from UPF	Dr.(Mrs.) S.Pancharajah	LKR <b>4,186,630.77</b> on 31.03.2022	
	Ms.M.Sivakumar	LKR <b>1,000,000.00</b> on 02 04.2022	<b>8,825,000.77</b>
<b>Bond Balance dues as at 31.12.2022 (As at 25.01.2023)</b>			<b><u>115,851,040.25</u></b>