

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

Undergraduate Dissertation Proposal Presentations – 2020

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Department of Economics and Statistics

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Programme for Undergraduate Dissertation Proposal Presentation

Sessions:

Time	Venue
08.30 am – 10.00 am	Technical Session I Session 1 : ECN – Audio Visual Room (AVR) Session 2 : ECN – Computer Laboratory Session 3 : ECN – Development Resource Center (DRC) Session 4 : ECON – 50
10.00 am – 10.30 am	Refreshments
10.30 am – 12.00 noon	Technical Session II Session 1 : ECN – Audio Visual Room (AVR) Session 2 : ECN – Computer Laboratory Session 3 : ECN – Development Resource Center (DRC) Session 4 : ECON - 50
12.00 noon – 1.00 pm	Lunch
1.00 pm – 3.00 pm	Technical Session III Session 1 : ECN – Audio Visual Room (AVR) Session 2 : ECN – Computer Laboratory Session 3 : ECN – Development Resource Center (DRC) Session 4 : ECON - 50

TECHNICAL SESSION I

Time: 8.30 am – 10.00 am

Time: 08.30 am – 10.00 am

Venue: ECN – AVR (A)

Co-chairs: Dr. C.R. Abayasekara and Dr. A.D.H. Kankanamge

Facilitators: Ms. Chethini Madadeniya and Mr. D.M.S.M.Dissanayaka

Time	Title of the Paper and Name of the Presenter
08.30 am – 08.50 am	The job quality and employee satisfaction <i>K.L.N. LAKSHANI</i>
08.50 am – 09.10 am	Factors affecting for the coconut prices <i>A.P.G.H. WICKRAMATHILAKA</i>
09.10 am – 09.30 am	The impact of rural household poverty on the female foreign employment <i>A.M.H.N. WIJERATHNA</i>
09.30 am – 09.50 am	Measure the economic impact of informal paid and informal unpaid care givers in Kandy <i>M.I. WILLIAMS</i>
10.00 am	End of the Session

Time: 08.30 am – 10.00 am
Venue: ECN – Computer Lab (B)

Co-chairs: Prof. D.N.B. Gunawardana and Prof. P.P.A.W. Athukorala

Facilitators: Ms. K.A.N.I. Kariyapperuma and Ms. K.H.I.S. Hettiarachchi

Time	Title of the Paper and Name of the Presenter
08.30 am – 08.50 am	Factors which affect the relationship between probability of female unemployment and education level <i>W.H.H.K. JAYASEKARA</i>
08.50 am – 09.10 am	Proposing a methodology for managing and minimising the harmful impacts of drought <i>W.A.T.R. WIJESEKARA</i>
09.10 am – 09.30 am	Rural credit and women empowerment <i>T.H.J.A. WIJETHUNGA</i>
09.30 am – 09.50 am	Is the crowding-out effect on the private domestic sector investment through the government fiscal deficit of Sri Lankan economy after 2000? <i>V.M.A.P. VISSUNDARA</i>
10.00 am	End of the Session

Time: 08.30 am – 10.00 am

Venue: ECN – DRC (C)

Co-chairs: Prof. S.J.S. De Mel and Dr. K.M.R. Karunarathna

Facilitators: Ms. K. Kumudini and Mr. A.S.G.S. Bandara

Time	Title of the Paper and Name of the Presenter
08.30 am – 08.50 am	Exchange rate pass-through and price stability in a small open economy: What can monetary policy do? <i>G.L.R.I. DE ALWIS</i>
08.50 am – 09.10 am	The success of the community based water projects based on the Kurunegala <i>K.M.A.M. DHARMADASA</i>
09.10 am – 09.30 am	The dynamic relationship between inflation and stock returns in Sri Lanka <i>S.Y. DHARMARAJ</i>
09.30 am – 09.50 am	An analysis based on the quality of packaging on the consumer choice for the soft drink producers <i>P.G.T.D. KUMARI</i>
10.00 am	End of the Session

Time: 08.30 am – 10.00 am

Venue: ECON – 50 (D)

Co-chairs: Prof. S. Sivarajasingham and Mr.T. Rajeswaran

Facilitators: Ms. S. Mathusha and Ms. A.J.F. Shifaniya

Time	Title of the Paper and Name of the Presenter
08.30 am – 08.50 am	Impact of inflation on living standard of people: A case study in Sri Lanka <i>M.H.P.AFRIHA</i>
08.50 am – 09.10 am	The impact of quality of governance on foreign direct investment : An empirical evidence for Sri Lanka <i>P. ANUSHA</i>
09.10 am – 09.30 am	The impact of the exchange rate on stock market performance: Empirical evidence from Sri Lanka <i>B. DHUSHANTHAN</i>
09.30 am – 09.50 am	Financial development, exchange rate regimes and growth dynamic: An empirical evidence from Sri Lanka <i>K. SIVAKUMARAN</i>
10.00 am	End of the Session

TECHNICAL SESSION II

Time: 10.30 am – 12.00 noon

Time: 10.30 am – 12.00 noon

Venue: ECN – AVR (A)

Co-chairs: Prof. S.J.S.de Mel and Prof. P.P.A.W. Athukorala

Facilitators: Ms. Chethini Madadeniya and Mr. D.M.S.M.Dissanayaka

Time	Title of the Paper and Name of the Presenter
10.30 am – 10.50 am	An analysis of advertising effectiveness on consumer purchasing behaviour: A case study on electronic goods <i>G.V.P.S. DHARMASENA</i>
10.50 am – 11.10 am	How export concentration and diversification affect the GDP of Sri Lanka <i>S.G. HETTIARACHCHI</i>
11.10 am – 11.30 am	The impact of Micro finance on lower income families financial status (A study based on the Dankotuwa divisional secretariat division with reference to Yogyana Samuddhi Prajamula Bank) <i>L.P.A.D. PATHIRANA</i>
11.30 am – 11.50 am	Television commercials and demand of children's food <i>D.P.S.P. WIJETHUNGA</i>
12.00 noon	End of the Session

Time: 10.30 am – 12.00 noon
Venue: ECN – Computer Lab (B)

Co-chairs: Prof. J.G. Sri Ranjith and Prof. M.B.Ranathilaka

Facilitators: Ms. K.A.N.I. Kariyapperuma and Ms. K.H.I.S. Hettiarachchi

Time	Title of the Paper and Name of the Presenter
10.30 am – 10.50 am	A study on the impact of agricultural loans on the growth of small scale business <i>B.G.M.K.D. RANAWEERA</i>
10.50 am – 11.10 am	The factors affecting for the changes of female employees in the rural sector <i>R.M.S.D. RATHNAYAKE</i>
11.10 am – 11.30 am	Economic behavior of households in urban areas <i>S.R.M.H.K. SAMARANAYAKE</i>
11.30 am – 11.50 am	A monetary policy transmission mechanisam in Sri Lanka from 1977 to 2019 <i>W.H.A. SANDARUWAN</i>
12.00 noon	End of the Session

Time: 10.30 am – 12.00 noon

Venue: ECN – DRC (C)

Co-chairs: Dr. S.S.K.B.M.Dorabawila and Prof. H.M.W.A. Herath

Facilitators: Ms. K. Kumudini and Mr. A.S.G.S. Bandara

Time	Title of the Paper and Name of the Presenter
10.30 am – 10.50 am	The role of public banks during financial crisis such as Covid-19 <i>P.M. KEMPS</i>
10.50 am – 11.10 am	The behaviour of material welfare and living standards of household, social and human welfare after a landslide as a natural disaster: A case study based on the landslide of 'Aranayaka Samasara Kanda' <i>M.P.N.K. MUNASINGHE</i>
11.10 am – 11.30 am	Is there any impact of the awareness of farmer about the market on the selling price of the harvest? <i>S.S.M. SIRILRATHNA</i>
11.30 am – 11.50 am	A study on the impact of Samurdhi micro financial loan process on the growth of small scale businesses <i>D.M.D. SEWWANDI</i>
12.00 noon	End of the Session

Time: 10.30 am – 12.00 noon

Venue: ECON – 50 (D)

Co-chairs: Dr.T.Vinayagathan and Ms.S. Rajendran

Facilitators: Ms. S. Mathusha and Ms. A.J.F. Shifaniya

Time	Title of the Paper and Name of the Presenter
10.30 am – 10.50 am	Relationship between exchange rate and budget deficit : Evidence from Sri Lanka <i>S. KAVITHAS</i>
10.50 am – 11.10 am	Impact of Modernization in Agricultural Sector: A Survey Based on Point Pedro Divisional Secretariat <i>R. KOKILAVATHANA</i>
11.10 am – 11.30 am	The contribution of ‘Samurdhi’ program for poverty reduction : A case study based on Uduwara Divisional Secretariate <i>M.N.F. NUHA</i>
11.30 am – 11.50 am	Factors determining paddy productivity: A survey on Vavuniya Divisional Secretariat Division <i>T. RENUKA</i>
12.00 noon	End of the Session

TECHNICAL SESSION III

Time: 1.00 pm – 3.00 pm

Time: 1.00 pm – 3.00 pm

Venue: ECN – AVR (A)

Co-chairs: Dr. S.S.K.B.M. Dorabawila and Prof. M.B. Ranathilaka

Facilitators: Ms. Chethini Madadeniya and Mr. D.M.S.M. Dissanayaka

Time	Title of the Paper and Name of the Presenter
1.00 pm – 1.20 pm	Is there any ability to cover the interest ratio through the profit gain by micro scale entrepreneurs. <i>M. I. GIMHANI</i>
1.20 pm – 1.40 pm	An empirical investigation on what are the key factors affect on CIF price of wheat in Sri Lanka <i>J.M.H.N. JAYASINGHE</i>
1.40 pm – 02.00 pm	The impact of e-agriculture on the productivity of Sri Lankan agriculture <i>S.B.W. MUHANDIRAM</i>
02.00 pm – 02.20 pm	Forest cover and carbon emmision in Kandy city <i>A.M.N.A.D.K.N. NANAYAKKARA</i>
02.20 pm – 02.40 pm	The intemporal dynamic relationship between exchange rate and stock prices: Empirical evidence from Sri Lanka <i>U. J. WANIGARATNE</i>
03.00 pm	End of the Session

Time: 1.00 pm – 3.00 pm
Venue: ECN – Computer Lab (B)

Co-chairs: Prof. W.L.P. Perera and Dr. T. N. Vidanage

Facilitators: K.A.N.I. Kariyapperuma and Ms. K.H.I.S.Hettiarachchi

Time	Title of the Paper and Name of the Presenter
1.00 pm – 1.20 pm	The Impact of depreciation of rupee on Industrial sector in Sri Lanka <i>W.N.S. CHATHURANGA</i>
1.20 pm – 1.40 pm	The contribution of foreign employees on the promotion of rural household savings <i>M.D.P. DAMAYANTHI</i>
1.40 pm – 02.00 pm	The impact of short term interest rate on the performance of stock market <i>W.K. LAKSHIKA</i>
02.00 pm – 02.20 pm	An analysis on the impact of covid - 19 on the Sri Lankan informal sector employees' economic status in Kegalle District <i>M.I.E. THILAKARATHNA</i>
02.40 pm	End of the Session

Time: 1.00 pm – 3.00 pm

Venue: ECN – DRC (C)

Co-chairs: Dr.A.D.H.Kankanamge and Dr. K.M.R. Karunarathna

Facilitators: Ms. K. Kumudini and Mr. A.S.G.S. Bandara

Time	Title of the Paper and Name of the Presenter
1.00 pm – 1.20 pm	Factors affecting for the changes of school student's performance based on the gender sociality <i>J.S. LAKMALI</i>
1.20 pm – 1.40 pm	A study on the impact of interest rates on the demand for loans: Based on Monaragala and Peradeniya BOC and Sampath Bank <i>R.M.P. MADHUSANKHA</i>
1.40 pm – 02.00 pm	Impact of Covid 19 on the self employed in Sri Lanka <i>S.S.N. WARNAKULASOORIYA</i>
02.00 pm – 02.20 pm	The factors affecting for determining the costomer satisfaction on electronic banking <i>J.M.K.G.S.L. WIJERATHNA</i>
02.40 pm	End of the Session

Time: 1.00 pm – 3.00 pm

Venue: ECON – 50 (D)

Co-chairs: Prof. S. Vijesandiran and Dr.T. Vinayagathan

Facilitators: Ms. S. Mathusha and Ms. A.J.F.Shifaniya

Time	Title of the Paper and Name of the Presenter
1.00 pm – 1.20 pm	Factors determining milk production: A case study of the Chettikula Divisional Secretariat <i>N. GANESH</i>
1.20 pm – 1.40 pm	Factors Influencing the income of female headed families: A Subject study under the divisional secretariat of Sammanthurai <i>L.A. LORANCIYASELLAR</i>
1.40 pm – 02.00 pm	Impact of world food price on the domestic inflation: Evidence from Sri Lanka <i>T. PIRASAYINY</i>
02.00 pm – 02.20 pm	Identifying the factors affecting on rural self employment: A study in the Kotmale divisional secretariat. <i>M.N.F. SAFRANA</i>
02.20 pm – 02.40 pm	The factors affecting for attracting the rural young community on the non-agricultural sectors <i>P.H. THEJANI</i>
03.00 pm	End of the Session