Course No: SLS 3012

Course Title: Translation Theories and Practical Translation Part II

Credits: 3

Prerequisites: Yes. SLS 2011

Core/Optional: Optional

Objectives:

To enable students to make use of advanced transition theories

To make them confident in translating various genres

To train students to be better translators

To motivate students to be bilingual/trilingual scholars

To make them see translation as a way of being in the world

Intended Learning Outcomes:

Upon completion the course, student will be able to

Grasp and use the contemporary theories of translations

Apply the theories of translation in rendering literary texts from English to Sinhala

Gain the ability of practical experiences of translating texts

Time Allocation: (Hours): Supervised Independent Research: 300

Course Description

This course focuses on a selection of advanced theories of translation by building on some of the concepts encountered in SLS 2011 and by introducing new theoretical concepts. Apart from teaching the theories, the course will provide the students with additional time and space to practice translation.

Recommended Texts:

Bassnett, Susan. Translation Studies. Revised edition. London: Routledge, 1996.

Gentzler, Edwin. Contemporary Translation Theories, revised second edition. London:

Multi Lingual Matters, 2001.

Walter, Benjamin. *The Task of the Translation in Illumination*. New York: Sechocken, 1969 (2002).

Assessment	Percentage Mark
Continuous Assessment	40
(Assignments, Presentation, Examinations)	
End Semester Examination	60