



CALL FOR APPLICATIONS • ACADEMIC YEAR 2026/2027

Master / MSc Programme

IN BIODIVERSITY, ECOTOURISM & ENVIRONMENT MANAGEMENT

1. Master of Biodiversity, Ecotourism & Environment Management

SLQF Level 09 • Duration: 12 Months (Course Work Only)

Local Candidates: Rs. 275,000

2. Master of Science (M.Sc.) in the same discipline

SLQF Level 10 • Duration: 24 Months (Course Work + Research Project)

Local Candidates: Rs. 375,000

WHY CHOOSE THIS PROGRAM?

- ✓ **Foundational Knowledge**
Sound principles of ecotourism, environmental biology, and natural resources management.
- ✓ **Conservation Strategies**
Integrate biodiversity protection with future ecotourism development and travel trends.
- ✓ **Unique Local Potential**
Explore Sri Lanka's flora, fauna, and 2,500+ years of cultural heritage in an ecological hotspot.
- ✓ **Practical & Field-Oriented**
Learn through heavy field exposure, independent study, and direct visits to protected areas.
- ✓ **Professional Career Paths**
Directly tailored for freelance naturalists, tourist guides, and travel industry managers.

- **Friendly Academic & Research Environment**
- **Extensive Field Visits & Practical Projects**
- **Interactive Seminars & Group Workshops**
- **Career Training for Naturalists & Guides**



KEY AREAS OF STUDY

- ✓ **Biodiversity & Its Conservation**
- ✓ **World and Sri Lankan Ecotourism**
- ✓ **Ecotouristic Potential of Sri Lanka**
- ✓ **Environmental Biology & Ecology**
- ✓ **Environment Management & Development**
- ✓ **Wildlife & Habitat Management**
- ✓ **Aesthetic Landscape Management**
- ✓ **Legal Protection of Environment**
- ✓ **Field-oriented Ecotourism Resource Base**



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