



# 4<sup>TH</sup> INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH CONFERENCE ON HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES (IRCHSS) 2015



Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences University of Sri Jayewardenepura

**3<sup>rd</sup> December 2015**  
@ University of Sri Jayewardenepura, Sri Lanka

*“Today’s Vision, Tomorrow’s Reality: Success through Synergy”*

**Two satellite symposia will be conducted in parallel**

## **Reconciliation and Intellectual Spectrum**

Building relationships lie at the very core of the process of reconciliation and it is believed to be one of the corner stones of human civilization. Our histories, our present and even our futures are about reconciliation. In this context, this forum hopes to explore and examine the responsibilities and the roles of the academic community in all the spheres of reconciliation.

## **The Legacy of Pali: Perceptions and Insights**

Pali is a repository of supreme knowledge because it is concerned mostly with the words of an Enlightened Person or detailed explanation of his teachings in the form of commentaries and subcommentaries and kindred literature. Since the secular literature of Pali chronicles, medical texts, and inscriptions is of great historical importance it must be preserved and disseminated among the people by the intellectuals in this domain.

## **CALL FOR PAPERS**

**You are invited to submit abstracts (350 words) in the following fields of study.**

### **Aesthetic Studies:**

art, music, dance, drama, poetry, cinema, theater

### **Law, Governance and Society:**

crime and society, social responsibility

### **Culture and Heritage:**

history, anthropology, archaeology, cultural studies

### **Human Capital Development:**

education, human resource planning, training and development

### **Environment and Development:**

disaster management, climate change, natural resource management, coastal related issues, ecological knowledge, renewable energy, geological studies, tourism, rural and urban development, EIAs

### **Food, Health and Physical Fitness:**

food culture, food security, food and disease prevention

### **Information Communication Technology for**

### **Social Development:**

social media, GIS and RS, ICT for social networking, e - learning, e - health

### **Social Issues and Sustainability:**

community development, social problems, reconciliation, social harmony

### **Language and Literature:**

theoretical and applied linguistics, post colonial studies, Field studies, classical, contemporary and modern literature.

### **Politics and Good Governance:**

administration, policy planning, international relations

### **Population and Gender Studies:**

women studies, demography, gender inequalities, empowerment  
Religion, Mind and Human Wellbeing: meditation, psychology, philosophy, counseling

### **Livelihood Strategies and Economic Security:**

micro finance, micro entrepreneurship, poverty, micro insurance

### **Religion, Mind and Human Wellbeing:**

meditation, psychology, philosophy, counseling

**IMPORTANT DATES**

**Abstract Submission Deadline: 1<sup>st</sup> May 2015**

**Notification of Abstract Acceptance: 30<sup>th</sup> June 2015**

**Full Paper Submission: 21<sup>st</sup> August 2015**

**Submission of Power Point Presentation: 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2015**

**Conference Date: 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2015**

**Post Conference Tour: 4<sup>th</sup> December 2015**

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