



INVITATION



“Barring the Exploitation of Economically Important Plants in Sri Lanka”

Joint Symposium by National Sun Yat-sen University (NSYSU), Taiwan
and

University of Sri Jayewardenepura (USJ)

On

05th December 2019

“We do not inherit the earth from our ancestors; we borrow it from our children...”
(Chief Seattle 1786-1866)

The Symposium is organized to protect indigenous identity of “Ceylon” natural products, spices, plantation crops, herbs and endemic plants to ensure its lasting survival for our future generations and way forward to value added product development utilizing cutting-edge technology.

Date: 05th December 2019

Time: 10.00 AM to 12.00 PM

Venue: Board Room, Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Sri Jayewardenepura (USJ)

The session is chaired by two speakers from National Sun Yat-sen University, Taiwan followed by an interactive session.

Keynote Speakers	Topic
Prof. Ranil de Silva, <i>Director, World Class University Project, USJ</i> <i>Director, Interdisciplinary Center for Innovation in Biotechnology & Neuroscience, USJ</i>	Barcoding of Ceylon Commercial Crops: The Way Forward for Sri Lankan Economy
Prof. Yu –Chung Chiang, <i>Chairman & Professor, Department of Biological Sciences, NSYSU</i>	The Native and Cultivated Phalaenopsis Species from Biogeography to Horticulture
Prof. Chih-Chuang Liaw, <i>Chairman & Professor, Department of Marine Biotechnology & Resources, NSYSU</i>	The Development and Recent Research of Phytomedicines in Taiwan

The Symposium will have a key focus on:

- ✓ Joint/Split double M.Phil/Ph.D programs (<https://www.sjp.ac.lk/news/taiwan-scholarships-establishment-environmental-change-sciences-technology-innovation-center/>)
- ✓ Tuition waiver scholarships by NSYSU
- ✓ Multidisciplinary research collaborations leading to innovative product development with NSYSU, Taiwan and USJ.
- ✓ Public Private Partnerships linking industry and academia leading to product development targeting the global market

It is a great honour to invite you and interested members from your organization to participate in the Symposium and to actively contribute in the interactive session.

Please confirm your participation by sending an email to wcup@sjp.ac.lk

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