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Education

PhD in Biomodulation (2010- 2013) in Department of Agricultural Biotechnology, College of Agriculture and Life Science, Seoul National University, Seoul, South Korea

M.Sc. in **Dairy and Meat Product Technology** (2005-2010), Postgraduate Institute of Agriculture, University of Peradeniya, Peradeniya, Sri Lanka.

B.Sc. Agriculture (Sp) (2001-2005), Specialized in Animal Science, Faculty of Agriculture, University of Peradeniya, Peradeniya, Sri Lanka.

Professional Experience

- Visiting Professor in Department of Animal Science & Technology, Sunchon National University, Suncheon, South Korea from 01.05.2021 to now
- Professor in Animal Science in the Department of Animal Science, Uva Wellassa University, Sri Lanka, Badulla, Sri Lanka from 24-05-2019 to now
- Senior Lecturer (G II) in the Department of Animal Science, Uva Wellassa University, Sri Lanka, Badulla, Sri Lanka from 02-09-2013 to 24-05-2019.
- Visiting Scholar in Meat Science Laboratory in Department of Animal Science, Iowa State University, Ames, IA from 15-12-2010 to 15-02-2011 and 06-11-2012 to 13-02-2013.
- Research Assistant in Protein Chemistry Laboratory in WCU Biomodulation, Department of Agricultural Biotechnology, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea from 2010 August to 2013 August.

- Lecturer in the Department of Animal Science, Faculty of Animal Science and Export Agriculture, Uva Wellassa University, Sri Lanka, Badulla from 15- 07- 2008 to 01-09-2013.
- Demonstrator (temporary) in the Department of Animal Science, Faculty of Animal Science and Export Agriculture, Uva Wellassa University, Sri Lanka, Badulla from 26-11-2007 to 14-07-2008.
- Production Executive in Ceylon Cold Stores, Ranala from 01-12-2005 to 24-11-2007(One year as a management trainee 01-12-2005 to 01-12-2006).
- Six months working experience as a Temporary Demonstrator in the Department of Animal Science, Faculty of Agriculture, University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka (May, 2005- November, 2005).
- Two weeks Industrial Training in MILCO Ambewela Milk Processing Plant.
- Six-month training program in Applied Farm Management and Extension program at Mahailluppallama Research station and Sub campus.

Research work interest

- Isolation and separation of value-added components from poultry eggs and fresh water fish
- Identification and production of bioactive peptide production from poultry eggs and fresh water fish and their application in food and pharmaceutical industries
- Development of functional foods to control type II diabetics and obesity
- New product development from fresh water fish and poultry eggs
- Identifying the hazard points in commercial food processing plants and minimizing the hazard occurrence with cost effective methods

Teaching Activities

- Egg Product Technology
- Aquatic Product Technology
- Food Safety and Quality Management

Service Activities (Departmental, University, National and International)

- Served as a chairperson in 2nd International Conference on Food Quality, Safety and Security 2018 organized by University of Sri Jaywarandapura, Sri Lanka held on 25-26th October, 2018
- Served as a chairperson in 3rd WinC2018 on 24-25, August, 2018 organized by the Wayamba University of Sri Lanka
- Team leader for the "Programme Design and Development" for the Programme Review of Animal Science Degree Programme of Uva Wellassa University 2019.
- Panel of judge for the Sri Lanka Inventors Commission for evaluating inventors from 2016-2018 organized by the Sri Lanka Inventors Commission, Sri Lanka

- Team leader for the "Student Assessment and Awards" for the institutional review of Uva Wellassa University, 2017.
- Secretary for the International Research Symposium- 2017 (IRSUWU2017), Uva Wellassa University, Sri Lanka
- Served as a member of Panel of Judge in FAuRS 2017 held on 12th January, 2018 organized by the Faculty of Agriculture, University of Peradeniya
- Served as a member of Panel of Judge in 29th Annual Congress held on 17th November, 2017 organized by Postgraduate Institute of Agriculture, University of Peradeniya
- Coordinator of the Curriculum Revision (2014-16) Animal Science Degree Programme, Uva Wellassa University, Badulla, Sri Lanka
- Member of the Curriculum Revision Committee (2015-16)- B.Sc. (Agro-Industrial Management)- Aquinas University Collage, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- Member of the Curriculum Revision Committee (2015-16)- BSc Aquatic Resources Technology Degree Programme, Uva Wellassa University, Badulla, Sri Lanka
- Member of the Curriculum Revision Committee (2014-16)- Export Agriculture Degree Programme, Uva Wellassa University, Badulla, Sri Lanka
- Secretary of the Faculty of Animal Science and Export Agriculture for the Uva Wellassa University Research Symposium, 2015.
- Secretary of the Animal Science Course committee from April, 2014 to April 2015.
- Served as a member of Panel of Judge in 4th Research Symposium, Uva Wellassa University held on 12-13 December, 2013

Professional Associations

- Life member in SLAAP
- Member of IFSTSL
- Member of WPSA-SL (23299)

Honors and Awards

- Presidential awards for the scientific publications in the year 2016 awarded by the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka
- Presidential awards for the scientific publications in the year 2015 awarded by the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka
- Presidential awards for the scientific publications in the year 2014 awarded by the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka
- UWU Research Award for Scientific Publication in an Indexed Journal (2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019)
- Certificate of Recognition based on Hirsch Index (h-index) as reported by the google Scholar under the Tire 4. Offered by the Uva Wellassa University, Sri Lanka
- Certificate of Recognition based on Hirsch Index (h-index) as reported by the google Scholar under the Tire 3. Offered by the Uva Wellassa University, Sri Lanka
- Young Scientist research award in WCU Biomodulation, 2013

- Second place awarded in the poster retreat of WCU Biomodulation Major 2012 under PhD category in WCU Biomodulation Major, Seoul National University, Korea
- Third place awarded in the poster retreat of WCU Biomodulation Major 2011 under PhD category, 4th International Biomodulation Symposium, Seoul National University, Korea
- Second best presentation award at the 14th annual students' research session, Dept. of Animal Science, University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka in 2005

Reviewing of scientific manuscripts

- Reviewing panel member of the Poultry Science Journal
- Reviewing panel member of the Food Review International
- Reviewing panel member of the Animal Bioscience
- Reviewing panel member of the Animal Industry and Technology
- Reviewing panel member of the IRA publications, India
- Reviewing panel member of the Journal of Agriculture and Value Addition
- Reviewing panel member of the Journal of Technology and Value Addition
- Reviewing panel member of the Tropical Agriculture & Extension
- Reviewing panel member of the Uva Wellassa Research Symposium

Publications

Referred Journal Articles

- 1. Jayathissa R.C.M., Rupasinghe R.A. and **Abeyrathne E.D.N.S**. 2021. Extraction of Crude Protein from *Hilsa kelee* and Determine the Functional Properties of the Crude Extract. Journal of Technology and Value Addition. 3(1):45-59
- 2. Rathnapala E.C.N., Ahn D.U. and **Abeyrathne E.D.N.S**. 2021. Enzymatic Hydrolysis of Ovotransferrin and the Functional Properties of Its Hydrolysates. Food Science and Animal Resources. 41(4):608-622. DOI: https://doi.org/10.5851/kosfa.2021.e19
- 3. Rathnapala E.C.N., Ahn D.U. and **Abeyrathne E.D.N.S**. 2021. Functional Properties of Ovotransferrin from Chicken Egg White and Its Derived Peptides- A Review. Food Science and Biotechnology. 30 (5):619-630
- Wijesinghe S. K. D., Abeyrathne E.D.N.S., Vidanarachchi J. K., Rajapakse R.P.N.P. 2021. Bioactive Properties of Fish Protein Hydrolysates from Amazon Sailfin Catfish (Scavenger Fish; *Pterygoplichthys pardalis*) from Victoria Reservoir in Sri Lanka. Journal Tropical Agriculture. 32(02):219-228
- Lelwela G.K.T.N., Wijesinghe S.K.D., Himali S.M.C., Abeyrathne E.D.N.S. 2021. Effect of Selected Wood Smoke on Physicochemical and Sensory Qualities of Tilapia (*Oreochromis niloticus*). Journal of Aquatic Food Product Technology. 30(01): 85-94
- 6. Maldeniya M.U.S., Egodauyana K.P.U.T and Abeyrathne E.D.N.S. 2020. Extraction of Crude Protein from *Sargassum crassifolium*, Harvested from South

Sri Lanka and to Determine the Functional Properties of the Extract. Coast of Journal of Technology and Value Addition. 02(02): 39-64

- 7. Maldeniya M.U.S., Egodauyana K.P.U.T and Abeyrathne E.D.N.S. 2020. Extraction of Crude Protein from Ulva lactuca, Harvested from South Coast of Sri Lanka and to Determine the Functional Properties of the Extract. Sri Lanka Journal of Animal Production. 12: 11-21
- 8. Thilanja, G.P.D.D.S., Dissanayake, K.S.M., Kariyawasam, M.G.T.R., Abeyrathne E.D.N.S. 2020. Extraction of Crude Collagen from Yellowfin Tuna (Thunnus albacares) Skin and Determination the Functional Properties of Its Hydrolysates. Journal of Technology and Value Addition. 02 (01):21-37
- 9. Sandipani, H.A.D.C.L., Dharmarathna, E.K.G.P.U., Wimaladharma, S.T.C.I., Abeyrathne E.D.N.S. 2020. Smart food safety management framework for small scale restaurants. Journal of Agriculture and Value Addition. 03(2):41-45
- 10. Dilhani, E.H.P.U., Dissanayake, K.S.M., Alakolanga, A.G.A.W., Abevrathne, E.D.N.S. 2019. Extraction of Crude collagen from Pterygoplichthys pardalis skin and determine the functional properties of its hydrolysates. Journal of Agriculture and Value Addition. 01 (02):01-20
- 11. Ediriweera, T.K., Aruppala. A.L.Y.H. and Abeyrathne, E. D. N. S. 2019. Analysis of bioactive properties of Fish Protein Hydrolysates from Scomber japonicas Canned Fish Processing Waste. Journal of Technology and Value Addition.01 (01):31-45
- 12. Jayasiri, W.T.P., Aruppala, A.L.Y.H., Pitawala, H.M.J. and Abeyrathne, E.D.N.S. 2018. The effect of Beeswax, rubber seed extract (Hevea brasiliensis) and Carrageenan on internal and sensory attributes of chicken eggs stored under room temperature. Sri Lanka Journal of Animal Production. 10: 15-20
- 13. K.G.P.U. Dharmarathna, T.R. Liyanawickramasinghe, A.L.Y.H. Aruppala, E.D.N.S. Abeyrathne. 2018. A Study on level of Microbiological contamination in made tea as a raw material in commercial tea bagging factory and its workers hand hygiene. Journal of Agriculture and Value Addition. 1(02):49-59
- 14. Wirasagoda, W.A S.M., Surige D., Jayasena, D.K.D.D. and Abeyrathne, E.D.N.S. 2018. A feasibility plan for implementing FSSC 22000 standard, by gap analyzing of existing HACCP system and FSSC 22000 standard. Journal of Agriculture and Value Addition. 1(01):15-24
- 15. Abeyrathne, E.D.N.S., Huang, X. and Ahn, D.U. 2018. Antioxidant, Angiotensin-converting enzyme inhibitory activity and other functional properties of egg white proteins and their derived peptides. Poultry Sci. 97 (4):1462-1468 https://doi.org/10.3382/ps/pex399
- 16. Abevrathne, E.D.N.S., Amarasena, A.P., Nanayakara, G.H. and Alakolanga, A.G.A.W. 2017. Extraction and Comparison of Physiochemical properties of lipids from Catla (Catla catla) and Yellowfin Tuna (Thunnus alacares) fish skin. Sri Lanka Journal of Animal Production. 09:10: 12-24
- 17. Martyn, A.M.L.K., Aruppala, A.L.Y.H. and Abevrathne, E.D.N.S. 2017. Development of Low Cost Prawn Flavored Spicy Cracker with Prawn Waste and Drumstick Leaves. International Journal of Research in Agricultural Science (IJRAS). 4 (02): 102-105

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18. Edirisinghe, E.D.M.T., Jayasinghe, J.M.P., Himali, S.M.C. and Abeyrathne, E.D.N.S. 2017. Effect of beeswax and Gammalu (Pterocarpus marsupium) latex coating on internal and sensory attributes of chicken eggs stored at room temperature. International Journal of Research in Agricultural Science (IJRAS). 4 (02): 76-81 http://ijras.org/index.php/issue?view=publication&task=show&id=225

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- 21. Tharaka, T.H.S., Aruppala, A.L.Y.H., Jayasighe J.M.P. and Abeyrathne, E.D.N.S. 2016. Development of a bread spread using mature flower buds of Rhizophora apiculata. Sri Lanka Journal of Food and Agriculture. 2(2): 29-38 http://slcarp.lk/jvolume2.2.php
- 22. Abeyrathne E.D.N.S., Lee, H.Y., Jo, C., Suh, J.W. and Ahn, D.U. 2016. Enzymatic hydrolysis of ovomucin and the functional and structural characteristics of peptides in the hydrolysates. Food Chemistry. 192: 107-113 http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0308814615009474
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- 24. Silva, K.A.H. and Abeyrathne, E.D.N.S. 2015. Development of high protein drink using poultry eggs. Sri Lanka Journal of Animal Production. 07&8:22-29
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- 34. Abeyrathne E.D.N.S, Jayasena D.K.D.D. and Silva K.F.S.T. 2009. Development of fruit yoghurt by incorporation pineapple (*Ananas comosus*) preserved in sugar syrup with preservatives and oven dried under vacuum. Sri Lanka Journal of Animal Production. Vol 05, Issue 01, August 2009. Sri Lanka. 79-88 pp.
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- Abeyrathne, E.D.N.S. and Ahn, D.U. (2017). Function and Separation of Ovotransferrin from chicken Egg. In: Egg Innovation and Strategies for Improvement. Egg Innovations and Strategies for Improvements. (eds: Hester, P.Y.) Pp. 243-250. Academic Press, Oxford, UK.
- 4. **Abeyrathne, E.D.N.S.**, Himali, S.M.C. and Ahn, D.U. (2016). Egg yolk cholesterol and its function in human health. In: Handbook of Cholesterol. (eds: Watson, R.R. and Meester, F.D.). Pp399-412. Wageningen Academic Publishers, Netherlands
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